

R-19-2016 – Resolution Authorizing a Contract with Galls, LLC, for the Purchase of Police Riot Gear

**City of Glenarden, Maryland
2016 Legislation**

Resolution No: R-19-2016
Sponsor: Maxine Phifer, Council President
Co-Sponsor: At the Request of the Administration
Session: Regular Session
Date of Introduction: December 14, 2015

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WHEREAS, the City of Glenarden, Maryland (“the City”) maintains a Police Department (“Police Department”) for the protection of the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police is concerned that certain commercial areas within the City may be the target of unlawful behavior, such as rioting, vandalism and looting, in the event of civil unrest such as that recently experienced in the City of Baltimore following an incident in which an individual died in police custody; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to ensure that Police Department officers are properly equipped with the tools needed to protect themselves and the public from harm in the event of such unlawful conduct by members of the public; and

WHEREAS, it is the belief of the Chief that it is necessary and appropriate for the officers of the Police Department to have available for their use in the event of similar events certain equipment known as “riot gear”, including riot shields, riot duty helmets, gas masks, and riot batons; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police wishes to have said equipment available in order to allow the Police Department to provide mutual aid to other jurisdictions, including Baltimore City, that might experience rioting and other civil disturbances in the future; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has obtained two quotations for the required equipment and has determined that Galls, LLC, a trusted and nationally known distributor of police equipment, offered lower prices than the competing vendor and is able to provide the necessary equipment at a favorable rate, as shown on Exhibit A attached hereto, for a total cost of \$10,352.35; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has identified the period immediately following November 30, 2015 as a time of particular risk for disturbances as a consequence of the beginning of the trials of certain police officers in Baltimore City arising out of their conduct in arresting an individual; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby determines that the need to equip the Police Department with riot gear as soon as possible after November 30, 2015 in order to protect the health, safety, and

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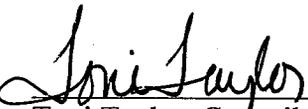
44 welfare of members of the department and City residents and other persons from the possible
45 consequences of potential rioting, looting and other unlawful behavior following the trials mentioned
46 above justifies an exception, under Section 826 of the City Charter, to the competitive bidding
47 requirements set forth in Section 818 of the City Charter.
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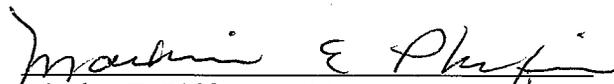
49 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of Glenarden, Maryland**
50 **sitting in Regular Session this 14th day of December, 2015:**
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- 52 1. That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to sign a contract, in a form acceptable to the
53 City Attorney, with Galls, LLC, in the amount of Ten Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-Two
54 and 35/100 Dollars (\$10,352.35); and
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56 2. That the contract amount shall be paid from the Police Department Budget Line 10-55-50-
57 8360; and
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59 3. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.
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61 Date Approved: December 14, 2015 **City Council of the City of Glenarden**
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64 ATTEST:

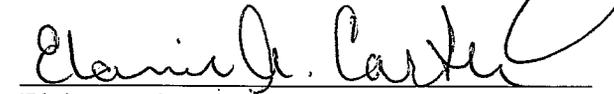
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68 Toni Taylor, Council Clerk
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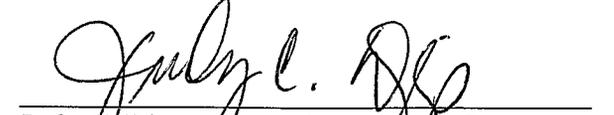
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Jennifer A. Jenkins, Councilwoman, Ward III



Carolyn Smallwood, Councilwoman, Ward I

Votes:

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| Abstain | <u> 0 </u> |

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY
this ____ day of _____, 2015:

Elissa D. Levan, City Attorney


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|  <p>Paulson Riot Shield 36 inch x 20 inch SKU No: TE076 POL TITLE: POLICE</p> <p>View/Edit Item Temporarily out of stock - order now; estimated ship date 05/02/2015</p> | \$139.99 | 12 | \$1,679.88 |  |
|  <p>Premier Crown JCR100 Riot Duty Helmet SKU No: ZA1136 BLK MD COLOR: BLACK SIZE: Medium</p> <p>View/Edit Item 12 in stock, order soon - usually ships same day</p> | \$189.99 | 12 | \$2,279.88 |  |
|  <p>Advantage 1000 Gas Mask SKU No: TE057 MD SIZE: Medium</p> <p>View/Edit Item In stock - usually ships same day</p> | \$466.99 | 12 | \$5,603.88 |  |
|  <p>Galls Gas Mask Pouch SKU No: TE210</p> <p>View/Edit Item Item may have an extended delivery date of 90+ days, order now - Item ships as soon as it becomes available.</p> | \$40.99 | 12 | \$491.88 |  |
|  <p>Kohaut 36 inch Hickory Riot Baton SKU No: BA043 BLK 36 COLOR: BLACK SIZE: 36</p> <p>View/Edit Item 2 in stock, order soon - usually ships same day; remaining items estimated ship date 06/08/2015</p> | \$23.99 | 12 | \$287.88 |  |

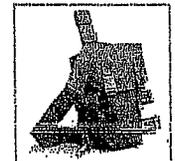
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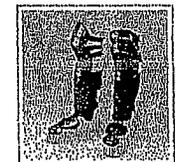
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Subtotal
 Before Tax : \$10,352.35
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