## **EXHIBIT 1**



## **MEMORANDUM**

DATE:

February 13, 2017

TO:

Elton Brock

FROM:

Terry Kader

Fleet Services Superintendent

CC:

Antonio Puente

## SUBJECT: SINGLE SOURCE OEM - HARLEY DAVIDSON

City of Denton, Fleet Services is recommending standardization to Harley Davidson as the provider of patrol Motorcycles for the Police department. These machines are made in the USA and sold and serviced through a number of dealers in the DFW, several of which are in close proximity to the City of Denton.

The City of Denton Police Department has utilized a number of different motorcycle manufacturers over the past 10 years including Harley Davidson, BMW and Victory. Most recently, the City had a contract with Victory Police Motorcycles to supply patrol units. These machines were based on the "cruiser" style of motorcycle and were well received by the motor operators for a balance of comfort, performance and maneuverability. Unfortunately in early 2017, Victory made the decision to stop producing Police motorcycles. Harley Davidson currently produces two models of cruiser style machines for Police use. To minimize the training, comfort and safety concerns associated with the sport/touring style of European motorcycles, the City of Denton Fleet Services is recommending the purchase of Harley Davidson motorcycles exclusively.

Additionally, replacement parts and service may be obtained directly from a nearby Harley Davidson Dealer. I believe the standardization to Harley Davidson motorcycles to be the best value to the City of Denton.

Regards,

Terry Kader

Fleet Services Superintendent