

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE
CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, ACKNOWLEDGING
AND ACCEPTING FOR CONSIDERATION THE
RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE TREE COMMISSION
SET FORTH IN "TC RESOLUTION 24-02";
PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

WHEREAS, at its meeting on July 2, 2024, the Tree Commission approved a resolution which contains recommendations to increase the tree canopy cover in the City of Key West; and

WHEREAS, the Tree Commission's resolution recommends that the City of Key West should make it a priority, when appropriate, to plant canopy trees on public property and in city parks;

WHEREAS, the Tree Commission recommends that the City of Key West should increase green inventory by obtaining grant, community, and private funding; and

WHEREAS, the Tree Commission recommends implementation of an adoption program for public and private property planting, and through adequate staffing of the Urban Forestry Division; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission acknowledges the recommendations of the Tree Commission, and requests City staff to address these requests, and make further recommendations to the Commission during the budget approval process.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF
THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the City Commission acknowledges and accepts
the recommendations of the Tree Commission set forth
in "TC Resolution 24-02."

Section 2: That City staff is directed to determine costs and
feasibility of the Tree Commission recommendations and make further
recommendations during the budget process for Fiscal Year 2024-25.

Section 3: That this Resolution shall go into effect
immediately upon its passage and adoption and authentication by
the signature of the Presiding Officer and the Clerk of the
Commission.

Passed and adopted by the City Commission at a meeting
held this _____ day of September, 2024.

Authenticated by the Presiding Officer and Clerk of the
Commission on the _____ day of September, 2024.

Filed with the Clerk _____, 2024.

Mayor Danise Henriquez _____

Vice Mayor Sam Kaufman _____

Commissioner Lissette Carey _____

Commissioner Monica Haskell _____

Commissioner Mary Lou Hoover _____

Commissioner Donie Lee _____

Commissioner Clayton Lopez _____

DANISE HENRIQUEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

KERI O'BRIEN, CITY CLERK