



WHEREAS, Fran Ford, long time Key West resident and conservationist, has been a tireless and dedicated worker for environmental preservation and education; and

WHEREAS, Fran Ford has been instrumental in the founding of the Florida Keys Audubon Society and the Florida Keys Land and Sea Trust, and in the activities of the Monroe County Environmental Education Advisory Council, the Key West Garden Club and the Botanical Garden Society; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Ford has had numerous accomplishments in fostering the environmental life and health of the Florida Keys and Key West.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Craig Cates, Mayor, Clayton Lopez, Vice-Mayor and Jimmy Weekley, District I Commissioner, of the City of Key West, do hereby proclaim February 7th, 2017

Fran Ford Day

in the "Southernmost City of the Continental United States", I would like to urge all citizens, residents and visitors of the Southernmost City to participate fittingly in this observation.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the City of Key West, Florida, this 7th of February, 2017.

Jimmy Weekley, District I

Craig Cates, Mayor

Clayton Lopez, District VI