RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING PROPOSED FUNDING FOR THE GUIDANCE/CARE CENTER, INC. (GCC) FOR SECURITY UPGRADES TO THE CENTRAL RECEIVING FACILITY FOR MONROE COUNTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25,000.00; AUTHORIZING NECESSARY BUDGET ADJUSTMENTS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the Guidance/Care Center, Inc. (GCC) is a nonprofit organization which provides essential services for public benefit, including providing a centralized receiving facility for individuals who need emergency mental health or substance abuse disorder care, including those detained by local law enforcement under the Marchman Act or Baker Act; and

WHEREAS, in FY 19 the GCC provided services for 2,909 individuals, of which 1,400 were from Key West; and

WHEREAS, the GCC's centralized receiving facility for Monroe County is in need of security upgrades and additional improvements, for which it has requested partial funding from communities it serves; and WHEREAS, the City Commission finds that GCC provides essential public services, which the City should help to sustain with funding in the amount of \$25,000.00.

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

<u>Section 1</u>: That funding in FY 19-20 in the amount of \$25,000.00 for the Care Center for Mental Health's proposed Central Receiving Facility security improvements is hereby authorized, and the City Manager is hereby authorized to distribute those funds.

Section 2: That these funds shall be allocated from the City Manager's General Fund Contingency Account, and any necessary budget adjustments are here by authorized.

<u>Section 3</u>: 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 _____, 2019.

Authenticated by the Presiding Officer and Clerk of the

Commission on ______day of _____, 2019.

Filed with the Clerk on _____, 2019.

Mayor Teri Johnston______Vice Mayor Sam Kaufman______Commissioner Gregory Davila______Commissioner Mary Lou Hoover______Commissioner Clayton Lopez______Commissioner Billy Wardlow______Commissioner Jimmy Weekley______

TERI JOHNSTON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK