RESOLUTION NO. 14-349

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE ATTACHED AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND THE KEY WEST CULTURAL PRESERVATION SOCIETY, INC. FOR THE USE OF MALLORY SQUARE FOR THE SUNSET CELEBRATION AND AN ARTISAN MARKET ON CRUISE SHIP DAYS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

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

Section 1: That the attached Agreement between the City and the Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc. for the use of Mallory Square for the Sunset Celebration and an artisan market on cruise ship days, is hereby approved.

Section 2: 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  $\_18$  day of  $\_November$  , 2014.

Authenticated by the Presiding Officer and	d Clerk	of	the
Commission on 19 day of November , 2014.			
Filed with the Clerk onNovember 19	, 2014.		
Mayor Craig Cates Yes	_		
Vice Mayor Mark Rossi Yes	_		
Commissioner Teri Johnston Yes	_		
Commissioner Clayton Lopez Yes	_		
Commissioner Billy Wardlow Yes	_		
Commissioner Jimmy Weekley Yes			
Commissioner Tony Yaniz	_		
CRAIG CATES, MAYOR		_	
Cheryl Smith			
CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK			

# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

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TO: City Commission

CC: Jim Scholl

FR: Marilyn Wilbarger, RPA, CCIM

DT: October 9, 2014

RE: The Key West Cultural Preservation Society Agreement Renewal

#### **ACTION STATEMENT:**

This is a request to enter into a renewal of the agreement with the Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc. (CPS) a Florida Not for Profit Corporation for the purposes of providing a public "Sunset Celebration" and artisans market at Mallory Square/Dock.

#### BACKGROUND:

The City previously entered into an agreement in 2004 Resolution 04-131 for this use, at this location, in support of the city's arts and culture. The agreement expired on March 22, 2014 and was extended on a month to month basis at that time, per Resolution 14-092.

A new agreement has been drafted and is presented here, for your consideration. The Board of Directors of CPS have unanimously approved the following proposed terms:

Term: Five years effective November 1, 2014

Use: CPS will provide a public Sunset Celebration for four hours daily

consisting of free live performances, limited sales of edibles, and goods hand crafted by artists. CPS will operate in accordance with their Articles of Incorporation, By Laws and Standard Operating Procedures (SOPS). The SOPS are initially established as an exhibit to the agreement and are titled 2014 Amended SOPS. Thereafter, any changes will be subject to approval by the City Manager, and an affirmative vote of the participating

members.

Additionally, CPS shall have the right to establish guidelines, subject to approval by the City Manager, for the extended use and occupancy of the area for the purposes of providing an artisans market on days when cruise ships are in port. The extended period will begin at 10:00AM and continue into the Sunset Celebration.

Participants: CPS shall control the number and the locations of participants in

accordance with the SOPS and as shown on Exhibit "A" of the agreement. All participants will be subject to the current daily fee of \$20.00. CPS will collect and maintain records of each participant's sales and use tax certificate in addition to any other licenses that may be required for the

participants' particular use.

Use Fee: The current monthly fee of \$6,566.37 will remain in effect until January of

2015 and thereafter will be adjusted annually by any increase in the

Consumers Price Index over the previous year.

Insurance: CPS will provide commercial general liability coverage naming the city as

an additional insured in the minimum amounts currently prescribed by city underwriters which are \$2,000,000 aggregate and \$1,000,000 per

occurrence.

Status: CPS will maintain its non-profit status throughout the term of the

agreement and any failure to do so will be cause for termination.

Financial: CPS will continue to provide the city with quarterly financial statements

and will provide the city with an audit prepared by an independent certified public accountant once every three years which is consistent with

the frequency required by the city audit ordinance.

#### CONCLUSION:

CPS operates the Sunset Celebration, an iconic Key West tradition, which will continue to provide visitors and locals alike with the unique gathering that celebrates visual and performing arts. The ability to extend the period of use will provide further economic opportunity to the CPS members and will bring Mallory Square to life during the daytime hours while enabling cruise ship visitors to experience the art and creativity that is a reflection of the culture of Key West.

#### ATTACHMENTS:

Draft Agreement
Resolution 04-131 Expired Agreement
Resolution 14-092 Month to month extension
CPS documentation:

Cover Letter
Ballot to amend Bylaws
CPS Bylaws 2014
Ballot to amend Standard Operating Procedures
2014 Amended Standard Operating Procedures

## RESOLUTION NO. 14-092

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE ATTACHED FIRST AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND THE KEY WEST CULTURAL PRESERVATION SOCIETY, INC. FOR THE USE OF MALLORY SQUARE FOR SUNSET CELEBRATION; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City Commission finds that continued use of the property by The Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc., pursuant to the terms and conditions of the attached First Amendment to Agreement, and the original Agreement provides a valuable public benefit and is otherwise consistent with City Code of Ordinances section 2-941(c);

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

Section 1: That the attached First Amendment to Agreement is hereby approved.

Section 2: 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
this18th day ofMarch, 2014.		
Authenticated by the Presiding Officer and	Clerk of	the
Commission on20thday ofMarch, 2014.		
Filed with the Clerk onMarch 20,	2014.	
Mayor Craig Cates Yes		
Vice Mayor Mark Rossi Yes		
Commissioner Teri Johnston Yes		
Commissioner Clayton Lopez Yes		
Commissioner Billy Wardlow Yes		
Commissioner Jimmy Weekley Yes		
Commissioner Tony Yaniz Yes		
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CRAIG CATES, MAYOR ATTEST:		
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# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

TO: City Commission

FR: Marilyn Wilbarger, RPA, CCIM

DT: March 14, 2014

RE: The Key West Cultural Preservation Society Agreement Extension

#### ACTION STATEMENT:

This is a request to enter into a month to month extension of the agreement with The Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc. a Florida Not for Profit Corporation for the purposes of providing a public "Sunset Celebration" at Mallory Square.

#### BACKGROUND:

The City previously entered into an agreement in 2004 for this use at this location in support of the city's arts and culture. The agreement will expire on March 22, 2014. City Managers are currently meeting with the representatives of CPS to discuss the agreement going forward in an effort to ensure that the Sunset Celebration continues to provide a safe, well organized and quality experience for those participating and those attending. Either party may cancel the month to month agreement with thirty days written notice.

#### CONCLUSION:

The extension of the current agreement will ensure that the nightly Sunset Celebration is allowed to continue under the same terms and conditions of the current agreement on a month to month basis until such time as a new agreement can be finalized.



#### FIRST AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT

This First Amendment to Agreement is entered into this Amendment to Agreement to Agree

#### WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, CITY and CPS entered into an Agreement on the 22nd day of March, 2004, (the "Contract"), pertaining to the daily period of use of Mallory Square to provide a public "Sunset Celebration" in City of Key West, Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement expires on March 22, 2014; and

WHEREAS, CITY and CPS require additional time beyond the expiration of the Agreement within which to negotiate a new agreement or terminate the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, CITY and CPS desire to amend the Agreement to provide for the continuation of the public "Sunset Celebration" provided by CPS for a limited period of time beyond the said current expiration date of the Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, in mutual consideration of the benefits conferred upon the parties by the terms of this Amendment, CITY and CPS agree to modify the Agreement as follows:

RECITALS: That the above recitals are true and correct and made a part hereof;

Section 1. Paragraph 5 pertaining to term on page 2 of the Agreement is hereby amended by the addition of the following provision:

The term of the Agreement shall be extended on a month-to-month basis under the same terms and conditions contained in the Agreement and existing on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2014. Either party may terminate the Agreement effective 30 days from the delivery of written notice of same to the other party.

Except as modified herein, the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this First Amendment to Agreement on the date first written above.

CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA Bogdan Vitas, City Manager Cheryl Smith, City Clerk

The Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc.

# RESOLUTION NO. 04-131

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE ATTACHED AGREEMENT WITH THE KEY WEST CULTURAL PRESERVATION SOCIETY, INC. FOR THE USE OF MALLORY SQUARE FOR SUNSET CELEBRATION; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

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

#### **AGREEMENT**

THIS AGREEMENT is entered into this day of March 2004, between the City of Key West (hereinafter "CITY") and the Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc. (hereinafter, "CPS"), a corporation not for profit, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida.

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the CITY controls the use of the waterfront structure owned by the CITY and known as Mallory Dock, and owns property known as Mallory Square; and

WHEREAS, CPS wishes to use Mallory Dock and Mallory Square at certain hours daily in order to provide to the public a "Sunset Celebration" consisting of free live performances, limited sales of edibles, and goods hand-crafted by the artists; and

WHEREAS, CITY and CPS desire to enter into a written agreement providing for the terms of the use of Mallory Dock and Mallory Square;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the benefits conferred upon the parties by the terms of this Agreement, CITY and CPS agree as follows:

#### (1) Area Occupied

In consideration of the payments and covenants of the respective parties hereto, CITY agrees to the use by CPS of the premises known as Mallory Square, (hereinafter the "Premises") located in the Mallory Square Area of Key West, and being more particularly described on Exhibit A attached.

# (2) Period of Daily Use

CPS shall have the right to the use and occupancy of the Premises for four hours daily, the period commencing two hours prior to sunset and expiring two hours after sunset of each day, except as otherwise provided in this Agreement. The period of daily use shall expire two hours after sunset whether or not four hours have expired since its beginning. Time of sunset shall be as indicated in Key West on NOAA weather radio, or as listed in NOAA navigational publications (adjusted). Exceptions to the period of daily use may be granted by the City Manager upon special request made by CPS.

# (3) Vessels Docked During Period of Daily Use

CITY shall have such rights to dock or keep docked during the period of daily use any cruise ship at Mallory Dock, subject to those limitations set forth in Paragraph (25) and those limitations imposed by Sovereignty Submerged Land Lease No. 440769265. CITY agrees to allow no ships engaged in "cruise to nowhere" gambling excursions from Key West to dock at Mallory Dock during the period of daily use. CITY shall allow no other type vessel to be docked at Mallory Dock during the period of daily use, unless the vessel meets one or more of the following criteria:

- (a) The vessel or its crew is in distress, is under emergency, is disabled, or is in need of safe haven, and the dockage mitigates the conditions;
- (b) The vessel's presence is required to help mitigate an emergency involving the City of Key West or Monroe County;
- (c) The vessel is a Navy vessel allowed to be docked pursuant to Paragraph (13).
- (d) The vessel's wall of view-obstructing superstructure and full-side combination is not over 6 feet in height above dock level for 150 feet or more of continuous length;
- (e) The vessel is not docked during the period one hour before sunset until one hour after sunset; or
- (f) The period of daily use shall commence not before 4:30 P.M. on days that vessels over 300 ft. in length are docked at the dolphins and "T"-shaped structure adjacent to Mallory Dock. When provisions are being loaded upon any vessels at Mallory Dock, or vehicles or machines are servicing any vessel from Mallory Dock, the period of daily use shall not commence until such activity is completed.

#### (4) Special Events

No more than thirty (30) days per year during the term of this Agreement, CPS shall allow CITY to occupy the Premises during the period of daily use for CITY's own special purposes, provided that CITY complies with the following:

- (a) CITY shall give CPS written notice, delivered seventy-two (72) hours in advance, of its intent to so occupy.
- (b) CITY shall allow CPS to occupy the Premises jointly with CITY, except in cases where the nature of the special event makes joint occupancy not feasible or impossible.

#### (5) Term

The term of this Agreement is ten (10) years, commencing March 23, 2004, and ending on March 22, 2014.

# (6) Payment; Late Fee; Termination for Nonpayment

CPS agrees to pay to CITY for the first year of this Agreement Sixty-three Thousand Four Hundred Thirty-two and 51/100 dollars (\$63,432.51) in twelve (12) monthly payments of Five Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-six and 04/00 dollars (\$5,286.04) plus applicable sales tax. This amount shall be increased on the anniversary date of this Agreement each year by the total percentage increase (if any) in the U.S. Department of Commerce Consumer Price Index (CPI) for All Urban Consumers as reported by the Bureau of Labor Statistics for January of each year. Payments shall be paid to CITY ten (10) days after the close of the preceding month. In the event the funds are not fully paid by the tenth of the month, CPS shall pay a five percent (5%) late fee. In the event any payment is not fully paid within thirty (30) days of the date due, this Agreement may be terminated or renegotiated by CITY upon written notice to CPS.

# (7) Use of Funds by CITY

Up to one-third of the monies paid to CITY by CPS may be spent to offset daily maintenance and security costs. The remainder of the funds collected shall be deposited into a CITY account designated to be used to defray the cost of building capital improvements for the Premises and its immediate adjacent area up to, but not including, the parking lot. Any capital improvements approved by the City Manager and not agreed to by CPS may be appealed by CPS to the City Commission. The decision of the City Commission shall be final.

#### (8) Use

The parties agree to the following use of the Premises:

(a) CITY authorizes CPS to manage the daily public "Sunset Celebration" on the Premises, consisting of free live performances and limited sales of edibles and goods handcrafted by the artists, by establishing guidelines for participants in the celebration, enforceable by CPS, and by controlling the number of participants on the Premises. CPS shall establish and collect a reasonable fee from vendors, artists and those performers who sell commercial products associated with their performances or otherwise. The initial fee established under this Agreement is Ten Dollars (\$10.00). CPS covenants that its sole use of the Premises shall be to provide to the public a daily "Sunset Celebration." The CPS Guidelines for Operation of Sunset Festival approved on December 2, 1997, are attached hereto as Exhibit "E" and incorporated herein by reference. Any additions or deletions to the Guidelines must have the prior written approval of the City Manager. In the event that CPS and the City Manager do not agree on the changes, CPS shall have the right to appeal to the City Commission. The decision of the City Commission shall constitute final administrative action. Any adjustments to fees initially established shall require written justification by CPS evidencing increased costs of operation.

- (b) CPS agrees that citizens of Key West and all members of the public shall have free access to the Premises during the period of daily use; no fee shall be charged for such access.
- (c) CPS shall provide for safe access for the public and shall arrange the artists and performers in the best interests of the parties to this Agreement, making allowances for access for emergency vehicles. The placement of performers and vendors and the use of space shall be arranged according to the security level in effect at that time, and provide for safety of vendors, performers and the public.
- (d) CPS agrees that it shall not allow solicitation or acceptance of any funds or donations in return for non-edible goods on the Premises during the period of daily use, unless the goods are predominantly created or are substantially altered in form by the person accepting the funds.
- (e) CPS agrees that it shall allow no person to accept funds or donations in return for edible goods on the Premises during the period of daily use unless the goods are prepared and traded in conformity with all state, county, and city health laws and regulations. CPS further agrees not to allow any persons to prepare edibles by combustion or flame unless they have at hand a fire extinguisher capable of extinguishing accidental fire arising from the fuel, and agree that no compressed flammable liquids or gases shall be allowed on the Premises, except propane/butane cooking systems duly certified by state or county health officials approved by the City Fire Inspector.
- (f) CPS shall be allowed to apportion spaces for non-profit organizations approved by the City Manager on a space available basis, as CPS deems proper. Each non-profit group shall be limited to six nights per year. The non-profit organization shall not be included in the total number of vendors and shall be exempt from the requirements of Paragraph (8)(d).
- (g) The parties agree that the number of participants offering goods or edibles for sale on the Premises shall not exceed fifty-five (55) exclusive of special categories as set forth in the CPS guidelines. CPS shall control the number of vendors and performers present on the Premises. Those persons licensed as mobile vendors, or having any other occupational license, shall be subject to all limitations and guidelines imposed upon other participants, including but not limited to CPS daily lottery for space.
- (h) CPS agrees that at the end of each period of daily use it shall return the Premises to CITY's exclusive use and control, and that the Premises and immediately adjacent areas shall be as clean and clear of litter and debris as at the beginning of the period of daily use. CPS shall pay on a monthly basis fifty percent (50%) of the total solid waste costs associated with the Premises.

- (i) CPS agrees to hire and provide on the Premises during the period of daily use, a manager, who shall have administrative responsibilities for the "Sunset Celebration". The manager shall have the responsibility of instructing persons not to go upon the cement "T" structure and to abide by all regulations contained herein. In addition, unless otherwise determined by the City Manager, CPS shall provide one off-duty police officer every day of each week during CPS's entire operating hours for that day. The City Manager may require an increase of the number of off-duty police officers to two (2), if such an increase is deemed necessary for the protection and safety of the public. CPS-shall pay at least twenty-five percent (25%) of the compensation for the off duty police services. CITY shall obtain funds for the remaining compensation due the off duty police from adjoining tenants or businesses, or CITY shall pay the balance.
- (j) CPS agrees to maintain the kiosk owned by it in good and safe condition. If the kiosk is removed by CITY, CITY agrees to provide similar enclosed and secured space to CPS adjacent to the Premises for management of the "Sunset Celebration."
- (k) CPS shall require participants, prior to occupying the Premises, to register with CPS and to execute a form releasing CITY from any claims whatsoever arising from personal injury and property damage as a result of a person participating in the nightly event.
- (1) CPS shall ensure that artists and food participants participate personally in the nightly event; no agents shall be allowed.
- (m) CPS shall ensure that each artist and food participant has a current Sales and Use Tax Certificate Number prior to allowing them to participate in the nightly event. CPS shall require that artists and food participants possess current certificates, and CPS shall provide documentation of vendor names and Certificate Numbers to the Florida Department of Revenue, Key West Area Office, 3118 Flagler Avenue, and to CITY on a monthly basis.
- (n) CPS agrees to use its best efforts to manage artists, food participants, and performers so as to prevent inconvenience to passengers and crew of cruise ships at Mallory Dock.
- (o) CPS agrees to pay any and all taxes that may be or become due upon the Premises during the lease term, and renewal term, including but not limited to sales tax, real property, and ad valorem taxes, and personal property tax. It is specifically agreed that in the event that any of the aforementioned taxes shall become due, CPS shall be charged only those amounts directly related to its 4-hour period per day. Should the tax burden become such so that CPS can no longer continue paying the tax charges, then at the end of the tax year, CPS may terminate this Agreement upon thirty (30) days' notice to CITY.

# (9) Care of Premises, Emergencies, Security Measures

CPS shall make no structural alteration to the Premises, its fixtures or appurtenances, and shall keep clear and unencumbered the "T"-shaped pier, the dolphins and catwalks, and all vehicular ramps. CPS shall not perform any acts or practices which cause damage to the Premises or its fixtures, or which present a menace or nuisance to the public; nor shall CPS paint or deface the Premises, or permit the use of any portion of the Premises for any unlawful purposes. CPS agrees to provide, at its expense, life-saving throw-rings or buoys at the Premises. CPS also agrees to use all reasonable effort to clear the Premises and maintain it clear of all persons and objects upon an emergency request by any agent of CITY, Monroe County or the United States of America. CPS shall keep clear the area designated according to the security level in effect according to the Exhibits B, C, and D attached when cruise ships are present at the premises, or as directed by CITY.

# (10) Insurance

CPS covenants and agrees at its own expense to indemnify and save CITY harmless from and against any and all claims for damages or injuries to goods, wares, merchandise, and property and/or for any personal injury or loss of life in, upon or about the Premises arising for any reason whatsoever from or during use by CPS of the Premises, except such as may result solely from the negligence of CITY.

CPS covenants and agrees to keep in force during the lease term a comprehensive general liability policy of insurance insuring CITY and CPS against any liability whatsoever occasioned by accident on or about the Premises during the period of daily use, and agrees that CITY shall be listed thereon as additional-insured. Such policy or policies shall be issued by companies authorized to do business in the State of Florida and having agents upon whom service of process may be made in the State of Florida. The comprehensive general liability policy shall be in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 (One Million dollars) in respect to any one (1) incident and in the aggregate, and shall include \$300,000.00 (Three Hundred Thousand dollars) for property damage. The original policy or certificate, together with evidence of premium payment, shall be delivered to CITY. CPS shall renew the policy not less that thirty (30) days prior to the expiration date each year, and shall furnish evidence of the renewals and payment to CITY. To the extent that such a provision is obtainable, the policy shall provide that it cannot be cancelled or terminated until at least thirty (30) days prior notice has been given to CITY. Failure of CPS to maintain the insurance in full force and effect at any time shall be deemed a material breach of the provisions of this Agreement, and shall entitle CITY to terminate the Agreement as provide in Section 15(b) below. Upon such breach, CPS shall immediately suspend all use of the Premises and shall provide to CITY written notice of its failure to maintain insurance coverage.

No acceptance or approval of any insurance policy or policies by CITY shall relieve or release or be construed to relieve or release CPS from any liability, duty or obligation assumed by or imposed upon it by the provisions of this Agreement.

None of the rights or obligations provided by this Agreement shall accrue to either party until CPS has in force the insurance policy(ies) required hereunder.

# (11) Nonprofit Status; Records; CITY Inspection

- (a) CPS shall maintain its status with the state and federal governments as a non-profit, tax-exempt corporation. Any failure to maintain such status, any change in corporate purpose, or any restriction or limitation of corporate membership, shall be deemed a material beach of the provisions of this Agreement and shall entitle CITY to terminate this Agreement as provided in paragraph (15)(b) below.
- (b) CPS shall use standard accounting practices and shall keep all books and records up to date and in order. CITY shall have the right, upon reasonable notice, to inspect CPS' books and records. CPS shall file quarterly financial statements with CITY showing, at a minimum, receipts, disbursements, and net profit. Annually, within sixty (60) days after the end of the fiscal year, CPS shall provide to the CITY an audit performed by an independent Certified Public Accountant.

# (12) Assignment

CPS shall not assign or mortgage any of its rights or interests under this Agreement in whole or in part; provided, however, that CPS may collect a fee from persons who, in its discretion, are allowed to offer goods or edibles during the period of daily use. This prohibition against assigning shall be construed to include a prohibition against any assignment or subletting by operation of law.

# (13) Use by Navy Vessels

The parties agree that neither CITY nor CPS has control over the type and number of vessels that the United States Navy may dock at the Premises. The parties agree that security regulations and access by the parties may change depending upon the Navy's requirements. Navy regulations shall take precedence over the terms of this Agreement. The use by Navy vessels is not included in the number of special events allowed in this Agreement, nor is the use by Navy vessels permitted to remain docked during the sunset celebration included in the number of vessels permitted to remain in place as specified in the current Sovereign Submerged Land Lease No. 440769265 as it exists or is amended or renumbered.

#### (14) Destruction

If by reason of fire, act of God, unavoidable accident, or other casualty not the fault of CPS, its agents, employees, contractors, licensees or invitees, the Premises shall be rendered unusable, the monthly fee and vendor fee shall be abated during the period of repairs. This abatement shall be proportionate to the portion rendered unusable, CITY recognizes the possibility of disruption of "Sunset Celebration" during periods of renovation or repair and shall use its best efforts to plan and implement any and all renovations or repairs tin the manner least disruptive to CPS. These efforts shall include, but not be limited to, providing signage, public service announcements, and coordination. If the Premises shall be rendered wholly unusable, CITY may, at its election, terminate this Agreement by giving CPS, within the sixty (60) days following the date of any of the above mentioned events, written notice of CITY's election to terminate the Agreement. In the event of such termination, payment by CPS shall be adjusted as of the date of termination. If CITY does not elect to terminate this Agreement it shall cause such damage to be repaired. CPS agrees that CITY may close the Premises to it and to the public in the event of disaster or emergency, which renders it temporarily or permanently unusable.

# (15) Default for Other that Nonpayment; Termination

Strict observance of the conditions and covenants in this Agreement are essential conditions upon which this Agreement is made and accepted. This Agreement shall be terminated upon any one of the following:

- (a) By breach of any of the covenants or provisions of this Agreement: provided, however, that except as provided in Paragraph (15)(b) below, CPS shall be entitled to one written warning of any such breach delivered as provided in Paragraph (15) hereof, and shall have five (5) days after such delivery in which to achieve compliance. Subsequent violations of the same covenant or provision shall, at CITY's sole discretion, terminate this Agreement, and CITY shall not be required to issue another warning.
- (b) By breach of covenants set forth in Paragraphs (8)(a), (b), (d) and (e), (9), (10), (11)(a), and (12). Written notice of termination shall be given to CPS as provided in paragraph (15) of this Agreement.
- (c) By operation of Paragraph (14) of this Agreement.
- (d) By CPS vacating or abandoning the use of the Premises.
- (e) By reaching the end of the term as provided in Paragraph (5) above.

#### (16) Access to Premises

CITY, its agents or employees shall have the right to enter upon the Premises

during the period of daily use for the purpose of inspection, making repairs, improvements, and additions to the Premises or to any fixtures or property owned or controlled by CITY.

# (17) Payment

Payment by CPS shall be presented to CITY at the following address:

Revenue Division City of Key West Post Office Box 1409 Key West, FL 33041-1409

#### (18) Notices

All notices given pursuant to this Agreement shall be mailed United States mail, return receipt requested to the following addresses:

	CITY	CPS
-	City Manager	Chairman
	City of Key West	Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc.
	PO Box 1409	PO Box 4837
	Key West, FL 33041-1409	33041-4837

The parties agree that notice to each shall be considered received and binding if delivery is attempted to the above addresses by postal officials. The parties are fully and solely responsible for the receipt of mail at these addresses.

#### (19) Waiver

One or more waivers of any covenants or conditions by CITY shall not be construed as a waiver of a subsequent breach of the same covenant or condition, and the consent or approval by CITY to any act by CPS requiring CITY's consent or approval shall not be deemed to waive or render unnecessary CITY's consent or approval to any subsequent similar act by CPS. The subsequent acceptance of payment by CITY shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any preceding breach by CPS of any term, covenant, or condition of this Agreement, other than the failure of CPS to pay the particular payment so accepted, regardless of CITY's knowledge of such preceding breach at the time of acceptance of such funds or additional vendor fee. No covenant, terms, or condition of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been waived by CITY, unless such waiver is in writing by CITY.

#### (20) Surrender at End of Term

Upon the expiration of the term hereof, or upon sooner termination of this Agreement as herein provided, CPS agrees to surrender and yield possession of the Premises to CITY peacefully and without further notice, and in good order and condition, but subject to ordinary wear and reasonable use thereof.

## (21) Entire Agreement

This Agreement sets forth all the covenants, promises, and understandings between the CITY and CPS concerning the Premises. Except as herein provided, no subsequent alteration, amendment, change, or addition to this Agreement shall be binding upon CITY or CPS unless reduced to writing and signed by both parties.

#### (22) No Partnership

CITY is not, and shall not become, in any way or for any purpose, a partner of CPS in the conduct of its business. CITY is not, and shall not become, in any way or for any purpose, a joint venturer or a member of a joint enterprise with CPS.

# (23) Captions and Section Number

The captions and section numbers appearing in this Agreement are inserted only as a matter of convenience and in no way define, limit, construe, or describe the scope or intent of such sections nor in any way affect the Agreement.

#### (24) Attorney's Fees

In the event litigation arises out of or results from the contractual relationship established between CITY and CPS by this Agreement, the non-prevailing party shall be liable for all costs, expenses, and fees, including attorney's fees, reasonably and necessarily incurred by the prevailing party as, and incident to, enforcement of the terms of this Agreement.

#### (25) Subordination to Other Agreements

The parties agree that the authority of CITY to enter into this Agreement, and the rights and duties of the parties to this Agreement, are limited by and subordinate to the terms of existing and future agreements between CITY and other parties, and specifically to existing and future leases and to the terms of Sovereignty Submerged Land Lease No. 440769265 entered into between CITY and the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund of the State of Florida, as they may be amended from time to time. Should the City lose control of the Premises due to loss of bay bottom lease or failure of negotiations to result in a new bay bottom lease, this Agreement shall become null and void.

#### Severability Clause (26)

If a court of competent jurisdiction determines that any restriction in a clause or provision of this Agreement is void, illegal, or unenforceable, the other clauses and provisions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect, and the clauses and provisions that are determined to be void, illegal or unenforceable shall be limited so that they shall remain in effect to the extent permissible by law.

#### "Chain of Command" (27)

In the event of disputes at the Premises which are not an immediate threat to life, safety, or property, the following shall be contacted, in order, for dispute resolution purposes:

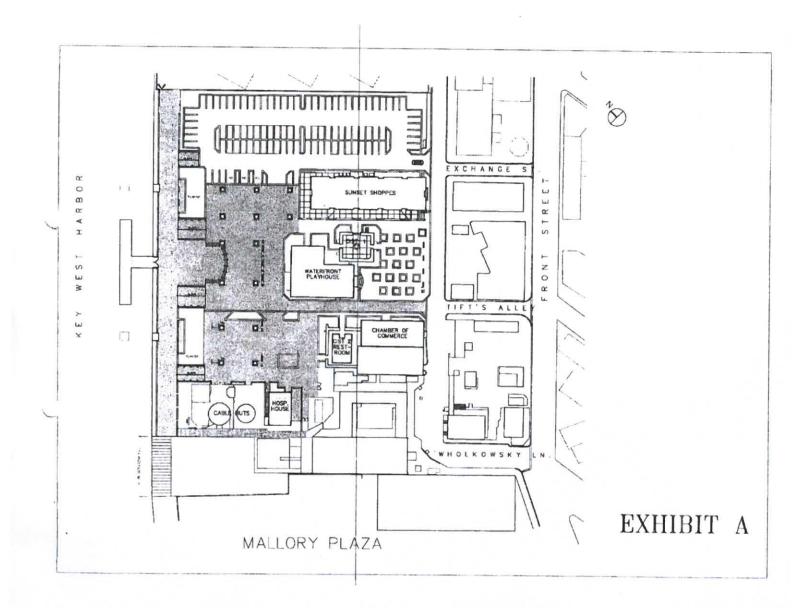
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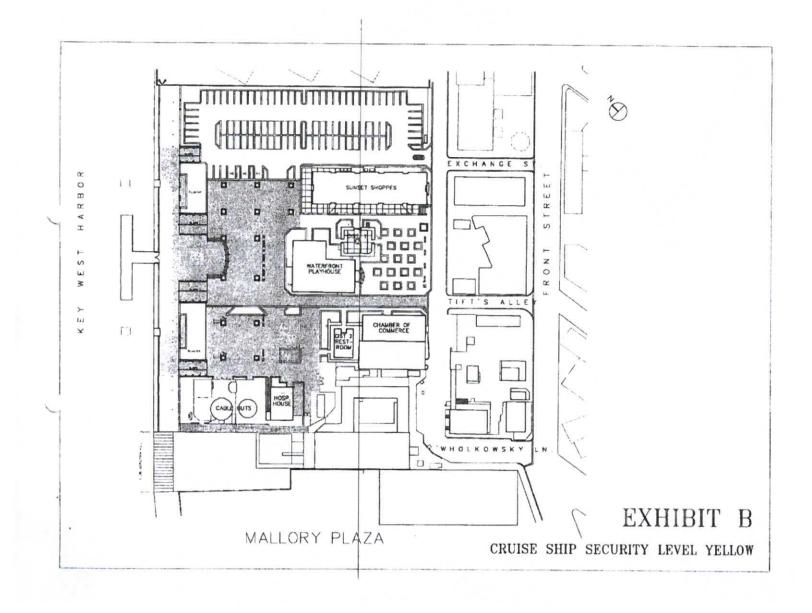
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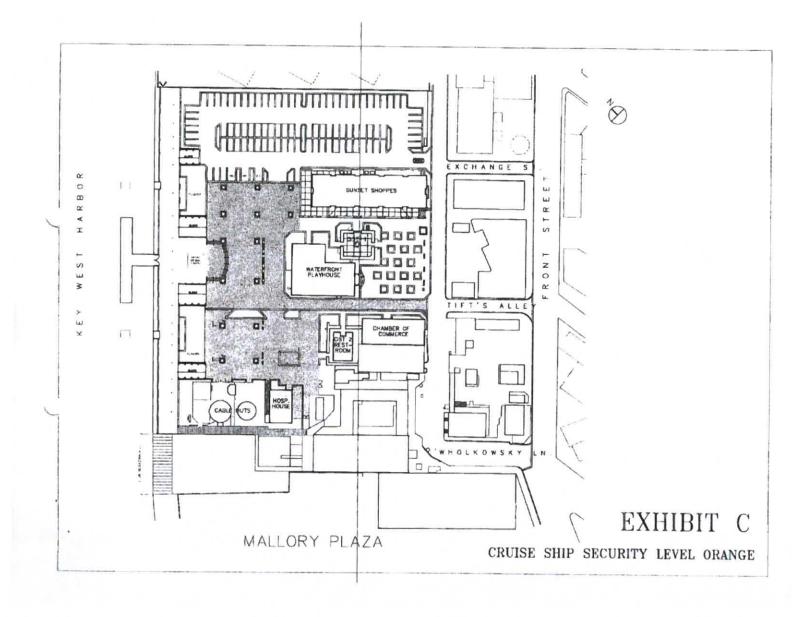
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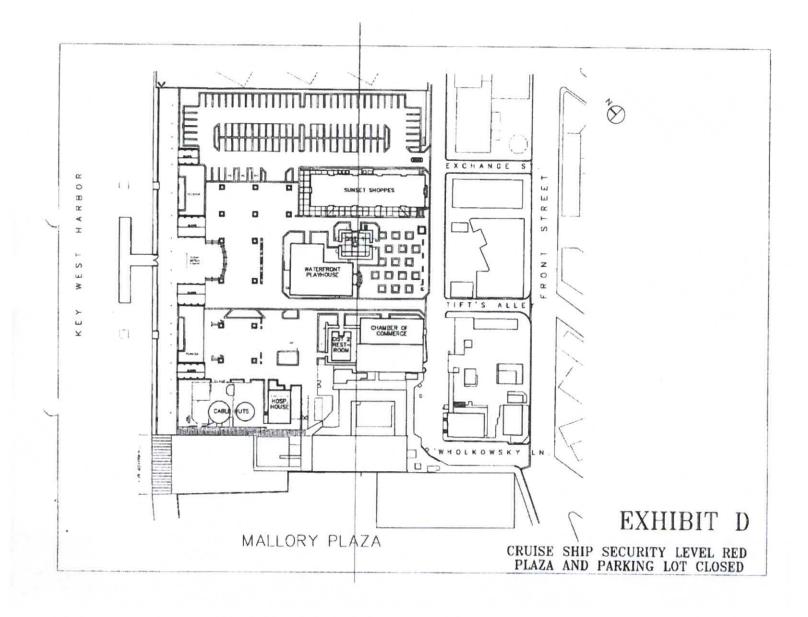
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# from Approved Lease with the City of Key West dated: December 2, 1997 and adopted on this date by the City Commission

Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc.

November, 1997

# **Proposed revision Guidelines**

# PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE

- A. The purpose of the Participation Committee is to:
  - insure authenticity of craft, art, or event at Sunset (the idea of aesthetic quality is not to be used as a criterion),
  - make the initial decision regarding participation in the nightly Sunset.
  - · promote art as a cottage industry 300 office at 1
  - . encourage creative growth,
- . and to maintain a list of participants which will be kept in committee records.
- B. The Participation Committee will be comprised of seven members with two alternate members. A quorum of four is necessary for any decision. The committee shall meet twice monthly. The committee shall also have two qualified people available to jury twilight category.
- C. If a dispute arises, the Committee may make a decision on the pier if a quorum is present, however, all jurying shall occur at a regular Participation Committee meeting, and any items in question can remain on the pier until such a decision is reached by the Participation Committee, unless otherwise requested by the Pier Manager. Individuals in violation must be noticed in writing within 72 hours of violation occurring unless said occurrence is amicably resolved on site. Notice of violation can be waived in writing.
- D. The Committee is selected by the CPS board, with CPS member suggestion as to personnel makeup. The Committee shall elect a chairman at their first regularly scheduled meeting each year following Board of Directors appointment of the Committee.
- E. The members of the Committee serve at the pleasure of the CPS board and are members in good standing of CPS.
- F. The Committee is the Board of Appeals for decisions made by the On-site Manager and the Board of Directors is the Board of Appeals for decisions made by the Committee.

#### SUMMARY

The committee is authorized to evaluate and examine all aspects of the operation and development of artistic and cultural concerns in the Mallory Area, and report to the CPS Board of Directors its findings and recommendations. The Committee is further vested with all power and authority reasonably necessary for the execution of all responsibilities conferred upon it by this set of guidelines.

#### ONSITE MANAGER

On-site Pier Manager is a paid position, hired by the board of directors, and serves at the direction of and under the discretion of the Board of Directors. The position requires knowledge of guidelines and traditions and "Spirit of Sunset". The On-site Manager's duties and responsibilities will include the following:

- to collect participants' registrations and releases, Florida State sales tax numbers, and twenty dollar sales tax security deposits.
- to adjudicate booth size and location: (8 ft. wide, 6 ft. out and no taller than 4 ft. on the front 3 ft, with the exception of Food Participants height, all other exceptions to be made by the Participation Committee).
- . to implements all blind drew lotteries for space.
- to assure that booth and performance set-up for the Sunset Festival begins no sooner than 2 hours before sunset each night in accordance with the Lease between the City of Key West and the CPS.
- . to ask participants to remove items if items do not appear to be hand crafted by the participants.
- to attempt to adjudicate with fairness and equity with no discrimination, in accordance with the written Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, Guidelines and Lease.
- . to instruct participant to alter or remove item, or cease activity, if it is deemed harmful to health, safety or welfare of the public
- to contact Mallory Square Coordinator or police if necessary, or in cases of emergency. In non-emergency situation, will consult the Participation Committee and/or Board of Directors.
- . to remain on site during the hours of operation.
- . to attend all PC meetings in a non-voting status.
- to perform any and other duties that arise from time to time from the Board of Directors.
- . to be responsible for having pier cleaned at the end of each evening.
- to be responsible for keeping life rings or life jackets available for emergencies.
- · to come to or submit report to the Board of Directors meetings.
- to post the report or minutes of Participation Committee and Board of Directors meetings and agendas for all meetings at the Kiosk in a timely manner
- · to give PATA an accurate participant count at the end of each night.
- F. The On-site Manager reserves the right to deny participation to anyone not in compliance with these guidelines, and shall notify Participation Committee and post written notice of violation or lack of compliance in the daily log.

#### ARTS AND CRAFTS AND FOOD

- A. All participants shall sign CPS Registration and General Release forms and have Florida State sales tax number and a twenty dollar processing fee where applicable.
- B. Arts and crafts shall be hand made by the participant or created or changed substantially in nature by participant for display or sale at the Sunset Festival. A potential participant must make his or her product(s) in front of PC and must come to the PC meeting prepared to do this. If this is impossible due to equipment restrictions, a home jurying can be arranged, but PC must see items first at a meeting to determine the need.
- C. Policy is to suspend jurying when current participants have been turned away three evenings during the previous attendance book week. Prospective participants may be warned of this in advance.
- D. Artists or craftsman shall be on site with their work; no agents or dealers will be allowed.
  - An agent is defined as any person who would be present without the artist or food vendor and does not substantially participate in the production of the item being sold.
- To be recognized as a partnership by CPS all partners must sign the CPS waiver, jointly, and be juried as one entity all members of a partnership must jointly make all items and conform to paragraph B. A written agreement between partners shall be filed with CPS stating which partner has rights to which products. They must share the same space and have all names on the sales tax license. The partnership accrues the credit jointly, but is tracked in the attendance book individually, based on who draws and pays for the lottery key nightly. Should a partnership split up, the issue of who gets the seniority will be decided by the seniority accrued by each individual. The partner without seniority has the right to start as a new entity subject to jurying by the PC. If an individual takes on a partner after accruing seniority the new partnership is considered a new entity and the old

partner must give up their seniority and start as a newcomer. Any questions regarding partnership and seniority may be addressed by the Board of Directors.

- . A helper has no status of his own, and can be on site only with the active participant at the discretion of the pier manager. Helpers in Twilight Category (Hair wrappers, Readers, etc.) must be considered partners because they work individually.
- D. Items will be judged for authenticity, originality, creativity and adherence to these guidelines and not according to anyone's standard of quality.
- E. No jurying shall be done between PC meetings.
- F. All bead work shall be hand strung by the participant no exact copies of imported or commercially catalogued items or items which are already over represented on the pier and in the community.
- G. All items of questionable origin or manufacture (this is to be determined by the On-site Manager) shall be brought before the Participation Committee which can require crafts persons to do any and all of the following:
- , actually produce said item before the Participation Committee,
- · and/or show raw materials,

- and/or show work place or studio, and may be required to show their involces for raw material.
- H. All new craft items shall be juried before being offered for sale. Any item which is substantially different from items already sold by crafts person must be juried by Participation Committee prior to being sold on pier. For current participants, a new products application shall be available at the pier. Participants shall fill out application and attach new product which shall be reviewed and voted on at the next regularly scheduled PC meeting, if there are questions, participant shall be asked to attend the meeting. The product is not to be offered for sale prior to PC approval.
- I. Silk screened items shall be designed, the screens made and items printed by the participant.
- J. Reproductions of original artwork must be juried by PC. They must conform to the 1/3 rule and be combined with original artwork on display. Participants must have made mats, and/or be framed or be hand tinted in some way have hand work. Only reproductions of the artist's own work is to be allowed.
- K. Photographers must take own pictures but they can be developed commercially. The mattes or frames must be hand made by the participant or must have other hand work such as coloring or etc.
- L. A cap on T-shirts and jewelry exists between Oct. 20 and May 1 (a period considered "season". This cap can be broken only in cases of work which the committee deems truly unique. Uniqueness is not defined as unique to the pier but as very unusual work.
- M. One Third ruling: Participants who make complex or time consuming products can make one third of their product in a simpler or less lime consuming manner in order to allow greater earnings. These products are subject to PC approval.
- . Misrepresentation of products or making oral or written misleading statements regarding products or services will not be tolerated. Violations of this shall be grounds for penalty or suspension as determined by the board. In all cases honest signage is required.
- O. Any two or more persons jointly engaged in the creation of a single art or craft or food item shall occupy the same allotted space.
- P. There shall be no signage offering wholesale
- Q. No motorized vehicles are allowed on the pier, with exceptions to be made by the board on a case by case basis.
- R. PC members will walk the pier from time to time and the Pier Manager may ask a participant to remove an item which is in flagrant violation. This can be appealed at the next meeting.

#### FOOD

- A. All participants shall sign registration and release.
- B. Food items must be created or substantially altered by participant. All food items must be prepared by participant. No commercially precooked or other commercial food products will be allowed (e.g. hot dogs, pretzels, pre-packaged drinks or drinks made from drink mixes). No more than six separate food items shall be sold by any participant. New food items shall be judged based on originality, uniqueness and availability of similar products on the pier. Food participants will remove their own trash and not use public receptacles. Food participants will be assessed a reasonable charge for trash clean-up and imoval.

- C. Food vendors shall comply with all applicable health code and licensing requirements, and shall display all necessary health department certificates without exception.
  - D. Only state licensed persons, where applicable, will be allowed to sell food.
- E. There will be no agents, dealers or franchises. No partnerships in more than one cart or space will be allowed.
- F. Fire extinguishers are required for vendors using an open flame.
- G. Butane and propane are the only acceptable fuels allowed.
- H. No new items are to be sold without health department approval.
- I. Food participants must arrive or call by the beginning of the artist's lottery so as to be counted per our lease.
- J. There will be a limit of 10 food vendors unless there are fewer than 50 participants, at which time the cap of ten food vendors may be lifted.

#### PERFORMERS

- A. All performers shall adhere to the following guidelines:
- . Shall sign a registration and release form
- · Participate in the nightly lottery
- · Perform close to the large curb, with your back to the water while facing the land side
- Keep your audience toed up to the dotted black line running the length of the pier (it is recommended that you use a rope to delineate your stage has)
- · Regulate your "show" time to a half hour or less while taking at least a fifteen minute break between shows
- · Refrain from using profanity or obscene language in your act
- · Be courteous to spectators and fellow performers alike
- · No use of amplification is permitted
- · If fire is used in an act, a fire extinguisher is required
- . Drinking alcoholic beverages is prohibited
- · If your act generates a mess, you must clean it up
- B. The Performer's lottery will be seniority based with the following categories:
  - Honorary regular performers- 10 years (with Performers Committee approval).
  - . Permanent Regular Performers- 5 full successive seasons with Regular Performer status
  - Regular Performers- Regular Performers are those who work from 60 days to three years on the pier.
  - Newcomers- Anyone who has worked 59 days or less. Newcomers are always welcome
- C. The Performer Lottery will be operated as follows:
- The lottery will begin approximately two hours and 15 minutes before sunset

  Call ins will be accepted from five minutes before until five minutes

after designated lottery start time

· Call ins will be picked last in their category

 Late walk ins can participate in lottery up until the time in which the numbers are called in their category

- Performers who have participated less than 35 days in the previous quarter shall fall back to the next lowest category until they make up the number of days that they are shy of the 35.
- D. The change of status of any Mallory Square performer is subject to the approval of the Performers Committee. Any performer who believes he/she is being treated unfairly and therefore has a grievance may appeal to the Board of Directors of CPS and all interested parties will seek a satisfactory resolution to the dispute
- E. Because each performer owns the rights to his own act, neither CPS nor anyone else has any right to negotiate any contract on behalf of the performer without his express permission. When the Pier Manager is informed of any commercial film company's plans to film the activities on the pier, he will notify the performers as soon as possible. Those performers who wish not to be filmed will notify the Pier Manager who in turn will notify the film company of the performer's request.
- F. Performers shall have a Performers Committee comprised of seven members plus two alternates. A quorum shall be four members. They shall meet on a regular basis. The committee shall be elected each year following the general meeting at a performers open meeting. The committee is subject to approval by the Board of Directors and serves at the direction of the Board of Directors. The Committee shall keep minutes of all performer meetings and shall report to the board
- G. A donation is requested to be made each night to help cover the cost of managing the Sunset elebration and providing insurance as required by the city.
  - H. The use of any non-professional person in any act, which would create an insurance liability (as determined by the pier Manager) is banned
  - I. Any decisions made by the Pier Manager are binding, unless appealed to the board.

#### SPECIAL CATEGORY

- A. To ensure the spontaneity and the spirit of sunset, a special events category may include:
  - · Charity or community service groups
  - Traditional sunset participants and personalities not defined by previous categories such as Palm Readers, Tarot, Psychics Astrologers, Portrait Artists, Caricaturists, etc, shall be juried at a Participation Committee meeting prior to first setup.
- B. These participants must sign registration and release
- C. From October 20 through May 1, above mentioned Special Category participants shall participate in Lottery for land side and shall be allowed to set up on water side from May 1 through October 20. Individual exceptions may be made at the On-site Manager's discretion on a space available basis.

## MISCELLANEOUS GUIDELINES

- A. All participants are asked to respect the traditional set-up of performers on the "water" side and artists/crafts persons/food on the "land" side of the pier.
- B. For the purpose of these guidelines, performers are defined as buskers who work only for donations and all other participants are defined as anyone who charges a set fee.
- C. Professional camera crews must consult with the On-site Manager before filming.
- D. Non-participants may not distribute commercial pamphlets on the pier
- E. In order to assure fairness, it may be necessary from time to time to limit the number of participants in any category.
  - F. All participants shall report to the On-site Manager two hours before the estimated time of sunset and participate in the daily Lottery before they set up, with the exception of food participants, who shall be assigned space by the pier manager. Food vendors shall be allowed to set up no sooner than 30 minutes prior to lottery, but shall not sell until two hours before sunset according to the lease with the City of Key West.
  - G. All participants will be juried prior to initial setup and thereafter as the situation warrants.
- Participants shall be on site and operational no later than thirty minutes after lottery is completed, ith the exception of the performers.
  - I. No participant shall occupy more than one 6' by 8' space.
  - J. The use of gas generation is prohibited
  - K. No toxic substances allowed
  - L. No participant shall interfere with or damage the property of another participant.
  - M. Abusive, discourteous or drunken behavior to visitors or other participants shall not be tolerated and shall be grounds for suspension. The period of suspension is to be determined by the Pier Manager. Suspensions can be appealed at the next regular board meeting.
  - N. Any member of CPS giving time to CPS projects is given credit for that time, hour for hour. For every four hours given to CPS projects, a credit of one night on the pier is given, not as a free setup, but to earn days in maintaining or attaining status.

## **BLIND DRAW LOTTERY**

- A. There is a cap of 50 regular crafts person participants,
- B. The Blind Draw Lottery consists of four categories:
  - REGULAR PARTICIPANT- Has participated 150 days on Pier and is allowed 90 consecutive days absence. Regular participants may make up days missed over 90 days but starts new after 180 days absence. EXAMPLE: 120 day absence must make up 30days in snow bird category.
  - . SNOW SIRD IN WAITING- More than 150 days, until there is an opening

in regular category.

- . SNOW BIRD- Less than 150 days more than 60 days.
- · NEW COMERS- Less than 60 days.

Grandfather Status-If the participant has participated for five consecutive years, as a dues paying member in a regular category, and maintained that membership in the event of a hiatus at the pier, he/she is grandfathered into permanent Regular or Local status.

D. All non-grandfathered Participants must be on the pier at least 90 days in each calendar year or lose their status unless membership is current.

Once a participant has been on the pier as an active participant for the past three consecutive years and leaves for more than 180 days, that participant will be an Honorary (Perpetual) Snow Bird upon return. The participant's day count will start at one, but the participant will draw from the Snow Bird category.

- E. There is no loss of status when changing categories between food vendor, artist, entertainer, or special category, however a participant cannot operate simultaneously in two unrelated categories.
- F. Participants who do not pay before set up shall be assigned space by the Pier Manager after Lottery is completed.
- G. Participants may draw keys for other participants as long as payment is made for each key drawn. There are no refunds for those who fail to use a key drawn on their behalf.

#### CITY REGULATIONS

A. CPS and all of its participants and performers, agree to conform with all regulations of the City of Key West. A participant or performer found to be in violation of a City regulation may be subject to expulsion by the board.

B. In the event that the City and CPS determine that a participant or a performer is involved in an undertaking that might pose liability to the city or CPS, the City and CPS may require of the participant and performer additional insurance and the execution of an Indemnification.

# AGREEMENT BETWEEN

THE

CITY OF KEY WEST

AND

CULTURAL PRESERVATION SOCIETY, INC.

DATED\_11-19-14

#### **AGREEMENT**

THIS AGREEMENT is entered into this 19 day of November 2014, between the CITY of Key West (hereinafter "CITY") and the Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc. (hereinafter, "CPS"), a corporation not for profit, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida.

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the CITY controls the use of the waterfront structure owned by the CITY and known as Mallory Dock, and owns property known as Mallory Square; and

WHEREAS, CPS wishes to use Mallory Dock and Mallory Square at certain hours daily in order to provide to the public a "Sunset Celebration" consisting of free live performances, limited sales of edibles, and goods hand-crafted by the artists; and

WHEREAS, CPS agrees to operate in accordance with its Articles of Incorporation, By Laws, and Standard Operating Procedures;

WHEREAS, CITY and CPS desire to enter into a written agreement providing for the terms of the use of Mallory Dock and Mallory Square;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the benefits conferred upon the parties by the terms of this Agreement, CITY and CPS agree as follows:

#### (1) Area Occupied

In consideration of the payments and covenants of the respective parties hereto, CITY agrees to the use by CPS of the premises known as Mallory Square and Mallory Dock, (hereinafter the "Premises") located in the Mallory Square Area of Key West, and being more particularly described on Exhibit "A" attached.

## (2) Period of Daily Use

CPS shall have the right to the use and occupancy of the Premises for four hours daily, the period commencing two hours prior to sunset and expiring two hours after sunset each day, except as otherwise provided in this Agreement. The period of daily use shall expire two hours after sunset whether or not four hours have expired since its beginning. Time of sunset shall be as indicated in Key West on NOAA weather radio, or as listed in NOAA navigational publications (adjusted). Exceptions to the period of daily use may be granted by the City Manager upon special request made by CPS.

CPS shall have the right establish guidelines, subject to approval by the City Manager, for the extended use and occupancy of the Premises beginning at ten in the morning (10:00 A.M.) and

continuing through the Sunset Celebration period of use on the days that cruise ships are docked at Pier B, Mallory Square, or the Outer Mole.

#### (3) Vessels Docked During Period of Daily Use

CITY shall have such rights to dock or keep docked during the period of daily use any cruise ship at Mallory Dock, subject to those limitations set forth in Sovereignty Submerged Land Lease No. 440769265. CITY shall allow no other type of vessel to be docked at Mallory Dock during the period of daily use unless the vessel meets one or more of the following criteria:

- (a) The vessel or its crew is in distress, is under emergency, is disabled, or is in need of safe haven, and the dockage mitigates the conditions;
- (b) The vessel's presence is required to help mitigate an emergency involving the City of Key West or Monroe County;
- (c) The vessel is a military vessel allowed to be docked pursuant to Paragraph (12).
- (d) The vessel's wall of view-obstructing superstructure and full-side combination is not over 6 feet in height above dock level for 150 feet or more of continuous length;
- (e) The period of daily use shall commence not before 4:30 P.M. on days that vessels over 300 ft. in length are docked at the dolphins and "T"-shaped structure adjacent to Mallory dock. When provisions are being loaded upon any vessels at Mallory Dock, or vehicles or machines are servicing any vessel from Mallory Dock, the period of daily use shall not commence until such activity is completed.

#### (4) Special Events

No more than thirty (30) days per year during the term of this Agreement, CPS shall allow CITY to occupy the Mallory Dock and Mallory Square during the period of daily use for CITY's special purposes, provided that CITY complies with the following:

- (a) CITY shall give CPS written notice of its' intent to so occupy and shall deliver the notice after the special event is approved by the CITY.
- (b) CITY shall allow CPS to occupy the Premises jointly with CITY, except in cases where the nature of the special event makes joint occupancy not feasible or impossible.

#### (5) Term

The term of this Agreement is five (5) years with Commencing on November 1, 2014 and ending October 31, 2019.

#### (6) Payment; Late Fee; Termination for Nonpayment

CPS agrees to pay to CITY equal monthly payments of Six Thousand Five Hundred Sixty Six and 37/100 dollars (\$6,566.37) from November 1, 2014 through December 31, 2015 plus applicable sales tax. This amount shall be increased on January 1st 2016 and thereafter on the anniversary date of this Agreement for each remaining year by the total percentage increase (if any) in the U.S. Department of Commerce Consumers Price Index (CPI) for All Urban Consumers as reported by the Bureau of Labor Statistics for January of each year. Payments shall be paid to CITY ten (10) days after the close of the preceding month. In the event the funds are not fully paid by the tenth of the month, CPS shall pay a five percent (5%) late fee. In the event any payment is not fully paid within thirty (30) days of the date due, this Agreement may be terminated or renegotiated by CITY upon written notice to CPS.

#### (7) Use

The parties agree to the following use of the Premises:

- CITY authorizes CPS to manage the daily public "Sunset Celebration" the on (a) the Premises, consisting of live performances and limited sales of edibles and goods handcrafted by the artists, by establishing guidelines for participants, enforceable by CPS, and by controlling the number of participants on the Premises.—The initial fee established for participants under this Agreement is Twenty Dollars (\$20.00). CPS covenants that its sole use of the Premises shall be to provide to the public a daily "Sunset Celebration" as herein described. The CPS 2014 Amended Standard Operating Procedures (SOP'S) approved on May 13, 2013 by the General membership, are attached hereto as Exhibit "E" and incorporated herein by reference. Any addition or deletions to the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP'S) must have an affirmative vote of participating CPS members prior to submission for approval by the City Manager. In the event that CPS and the City Manager do not agree on the changes, CPS shall have the right to appeal to the City Commission. The decision of the City Commission shall constitute final administrative action. Any adjustments to fees initially established shall require written justification by CPS evidencing increased costs of operation.
- (b) CPS agrees that citizens of Key West and all members of the public shall have free access to the Premises during the period of daily use; no fee shall be charged for such access.
- (c) CPS shall provide for safe access for the public and shall arrange the artists and performers in the best interests of the parties to this Agreement, making allowances for access for emergency vehicles. The placement of performers and vendors and the use of space shall be arranged according to the security level in effect at the time, and provide for safety of vendors, performers and the public.
- (d) CPS agrees that it shall not allow solicitation or acceptance of any funds or donations in return for non-edible goods on the Premises during the period of daily

use, unless the goods are predominantly created or are substantially altered in form by the person accepting the funds.

- (e) CPS agrees that it shall allow no person to accept funds or donations in return for edible goods on the Premises during the period of daily use unless the goods are prepared and traded in conformity with all state, county, and city health laws and regulations. CPS further agrees not to allow any persons to prepare edibles by combustion or flame unless they have at hand a fire extinguisher capable of extinguishing accidental fire arising from the fuel, and agree that no compressed flammable liquids or gases shall be allowed on the Premises, except propane/butane cooking systems duly certified by state or county health officials approved by the City Fire Inspector.
- (f) CPS shall apportion spaces for non-profit organizations approved by the City Manager on a space available basis, as CPS deems proper. Each non-profit group shall be limited to six nights per year. The non-profit organization shall not be included in the total number of vendors and shall be exempt from the requirements of Paragraph (8)(d).
- (g) The parties agree that the number of participants shall be as set forth in the CPS Standard Operating Procedures (SOP'S) and CPS shall control the number and locations of participants present on the Premises as depicted on Exhibit 'A" attached hereto. Those persons licensed as mobile vendors, or having any other occupational license, shall be subject to all limitations and guidelines imposed upon other participants, including but not limited to CPS daily lottery for space.
- (h) CPS agrees that at the end of each period of daily use it shall return the Premises to CITY's exclusive use and control, and that the Premises and immediately adjacent areas shall be as clean and clear of litter and debris as at the beginning of the period of daily use. CPS agrees to empty all trash receptacles on the Premises, replace bags, and deposit trash in the CITY compactor located at Mallory parking lot.
- (i) CPS agrees to hire and provide on the Premises during the period of daily use, a manager, who shall have administrative responsibilities for the "Sunset Celebration". The manager shall have the responsibilities of instructing person not to go upon the cement "T" structure and to abide by all regulations contained herein. In addition, unless otherwise determined by the City Manager, CPS shall provide licensed security personnel every day of each week during CPS's entire operating hours for that day. The City Manager, may require CPS to utilize off-duty police officers, if in the City Manager's sole discretion, it is deemed necessary for the protection and safety of the public.
- (j) CPS agrees to maintain the kiosk owned by it in good and safe condition. If the kiosk is removed by CITY, CITY agrees to provide similar enclosed and secured space to CPS adjacent to the Premises for management of the "Sunset Celebration."
- (k) CPS shall require participants, prior to occupying the Premises, to register with CPS and to execute a form releasing CITY from any claims whatsoever arising from

personal injury and property damage as a result of a person participating in the nightly event.

- CPS shall ensure that artists and food participants participate personally in the nightly event; no agents shall be allowed.
- (m) CPS shall ensure that each participant that offers anything for sale has a current Sales and Use Tax Certificate Number prior to allowing them to participate in the nightly event. CPS shall require that participants possess current certificates, and CPS shall collect and maintain records of the documentation of participant names and Certificate Numbers and have them available for periodic review.
- (n) CPS agrees to use it best efforts to manage artists, food participants, and performers so as to prevent inconvenience to passengers and crew of cruise ships at Mallory Dock.
- (o) CPS agrees to pay any and all taxes that may be or become due upon the Premises during the lease term, and renewal term, including but not limited to sales tax, real property, and ad valorem taxes, and personal property tax. It is specifically agreed that in the event that any of the aforementioned taxes shall become due, CPS shall be charged only those amounts directly related to its period of use per day. Should the tax burden become such so that CPS can no longer continue paying the tax charges, then at the end of the tax year, CPS may terminate this Agreement upon thirty (30) days' notice to CITY.

#### (8) Care of premises, Emergencies, and Security Measures

CPS shall make no structural alteration to the premises, its fixtures or appurtenances, and shall keep clear and unencumbered the "T"-shaped pier, the dolphins and catwalks and all vehicular ramps. CPS shall not perform any acts or practices which cause damage to the Premises or its fixtures, or which present a menace or nuisance to the Public; nor shall CPS paint or deface the premises, or permit the use of any portion of the Premises for any unlawful purposes. CPS agrees to provide, at its, life-saving throw-rings or buoys at the Premises. CPS also agrees to use all reasonable effort to clear the Premises and maintain clear of all persons and objects upon an emergency request by any agent of the city, Monroe County or the United States of America. CPS shall keep clear the area designated according to the security level in effect according to the exhibits B, C, and D as attached when cruise ships are present at the Premises, or as directed by the CITY.

#### (9) Indemnification and Insurance

CPS does hereby agree to indemnify, defend, and save LANDLORD, its respective officers, directors, agents and employees harmless from and against any and all liability for any injury to or death of any person or persons or damage to property (including adjoining property for environmental damage) in any way arising out of or connected with the conditions, use or occupancy of the Demised Premises, or in any

way arising out of the activities of CPS, its agents, employees, licensees or invitees on the Demised Premises and/or the building, including reasonable attorney's fees and court costs incurred by LANDLORD in connection therewith, such legal expenses to include costs incurred in establishing the indemnification and other rights agreed to in this Paragraph, excepting, however, only liability caused by LANDLORD'S gross negligence in its failure to perform any of LANDLORD'S covenants, obligations or agreements of this Lease. Nothing herein is intended to waive the sovereign immunity afforded to City pursuant to Florida law, including section 768.28, Florida Statutes.

The indemnification obligations under this Section shall not be restricted in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for CPS under Workers' Compensation acts, disability benefits acts, or other employee benefits acts, and shall extend to and include any actions brought by or in the name of any employee of CPS or of any third party to whom CPS may subcontract work. This indemnification shall continue beyond the date of termination of the Agreement.

CPS covenants and agrees to keep in force during the lease term a comprehensive general liability policy of insurance insuring the CITY and CPS against any liability whatsoever occasioned by accident on or about the Premises during the period of daily use, and agrees that the CITY shall be listed thereon as additionalinsured. Such policy or polices shall be issued by companies authorized to do business in the State of Florida and having agents upon whom service of process may be made in the State of Florida. The comprehensive general liability policy shall be in the amount of 1,000,000,000(One Million Dollars) in respect to any one(1) incident and \$2,000,000 (Two Million Dollars) in the aggregate, and shall include \$300,00,00 (Three Hundred Thousand Dollars for property damage. The original policy or certificate, together with evidence of premium payment, shall be delivered to the CITY. CPS shall renew the policy not less than (30) days prior to the expiration date each year, and shall furnish evidence of the renewals and payment to the CITY. To the extent that such a provision is obtainable, the policy shall provide that it cannot be cancelled or terminated until at least thirty (30) days prior notice has been given to CITY . Failure of CPS to maintain the insurance in full force and effect at any time shall be deemed a material breach of the provisions of this Agreement, and shall entitle CITY to terminate the Agreement as provided in section 15(B) below. Upon such breach, CPS shall immediately suspend all use of the Premises and shall provide to CITY written notice of failure to maintain insurance coverage,

No acceptance or approval of any insurance policy or policies by CITY shall relieve or release or to be construed to relieve CPS from any liability, duty or obligation assumed by or imposed upon it by the provisions of this Agreement.

None of the rights or obligations provided by this Agreement shall accrue to either party until CPS has in force the insurance coverage required hereunder.

#### (10) Nonprofit Status; Records; CITY Inspection

- (a) CPS shall maintain its status with the state and federal government as a nonprofit, tax-exempt corporation. Any failure to maintain such status, any change in corporate purpose, or any restriction or limitation of corporate membership, shall be deemed to be a material breach of the provisions of this Agreement and shall entitle the CITY to terminate this Agreement as provided in paragraph(14)(b) below.
- (b) CPS shall use standard accounting practices and shall keep all books and records up to date and in order. CITY shall have the right, upon reasonable notice, to inspect CPS' books and records. CPS shall file quarterly financial statements with CITY showing, at a minimum, receipts, disbursements, and net profit. In addition to other periodic reviews, at least once every three years CPS shall provide to the CITY an audit prepared by an external certified public accountant utilizing generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and in such a manner as directed by the City Manager.

#### (11) Assignment

CPS shall not assign or mortgage any of its rights or interest under this Agreement in whole or in part; provided however, that CPS may collect a fee from CPS participants during the period of daily use without constituting an assignment. This prohibition against assigning shall be construed to include a prohibition against any assignment or subletting by operation of law.

#### (12) Use by Military Vessels

The parties agree that from time to time military vessels may dock at the Premises. The parties agree that security regulations and access by the parties may change depending upon the military's requirements. Military regulations shall take precedence over the terms of this Agreement. The use by military vessels is not included in the number of special events allowed in this Agreement, nor is the use by military vessels permitted to remain docked during the sunset celebration included in the number of vessels permitted to remain in place as specified in the current Sovereign Submerged Land Lease No.440769265 as it exists or is amended or renumbered.

#### (13) Destruction

If by reason of fire, act of God, unavoidable accident, or other casualty not the fault of CPS, its agents, employees, contractors, licensees or invitees, the Premises shall be rendered unusable, the monthly fee and vendor fee shall be abated during the period of repairs This abatement shall be proportionate to the portion rendered unusable. CITY recognizes the possibility of disruption of "Sunset Celebration" during periods of renovation or repair and shall use its best efforts to plan and implement any and all

renovations or repairs in the manner least disruptive to CPS. These efforts shall include, but not limited to, providing signage, public service announcements, and coordination. If the Premises shall be rendered wholly unusable, CITY may, at its election, terminate this Agreement by giving CPS, within (60) days following the date of any of the above mentioned events, written notice of CITY'S election to terminate the Agreement. In the event of such termination, payment by CPS shall be adjusted as of the date of termination. If the CITY does not elect to terminate this Agreement it shall cause such damage to be repaired. CPS agrees that CITY may close the Premises to it and to the public in the event of disaster or emergency, which renders it temporarily or permanently unusable.

#### (14) Default for other that Nonpayment; Termination

Strict observance of the conditions and covenants in this Agreement are essential conditions upon which this Agreement is made and accepted. This Agreement shall be terminated upon any one of the following:

- (a) By breach of any of the covenants or provisions of this Agreement: provided, however, that except as provided in Paragraph (14)(b) below, CPS shall be to one written warning of any such breach delivered as provided in Paragraph (17) hereof, and shall have (5) days after such delivery in which to achieve compliance. Subsequent violations of the same covenant or provision shall, at CITY's sole discretion, terminate this Agreement, and CITY shall not be required to issue another warning.
- (b) By breach of covenants set forth in Paragraphs(7)(a),(b),(d) and(e),(8),(9),(10)(a), and (11). Written notice of termination shall be given to CPS as provided in paragraph (15) of this Agreement.
- (c) By operation of paragraph (13) of this Agreement.
- (d) By CPS vacating or abandoning the use of the Premises
- (e) By reaching the end of the term as provided in paragraph (5) above.

#### (15) Access to premises

CITY, its agents or employees shall have the right to enter upon the Premises during the period of daily use for the inspection, making repairs improvements, and additions to the premises or to any fixtures or property owned or controlled by CITY.

#### (16) Payment

Payment by CPS shall be presented to the CITY at the following Address;

Revenue Division City of Key West Post Office Box 1409

#### Key West, Florida 33041-1409

#### (17) Notices

All notices given pursuant to this Agreement shall be mailed United States mail, return receipt requested to the following addresses;

CITY CPS City Manager Chairman

City of Key West Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc.

PO Box 1409 PO Box 4837

Key West, FL 33041-1409 Key West, FL 33041-4837

The parties agree that notice to each shall be considered received and binding if delivery is attempted to the above address by Postal officials. The parties are fully and solely responsible for the receipt of mail at these addresses.

#### (18) Waiver

One or more waivers of any covenants or conditions by CITY shall not be construed as a waiver of a subsequence breach of the same covenant or conditions, and the consent or approval by CITY to act by CPS requiring CITY consent or approval shall not be deemed to waive or render unnecessary CITY's consent or approval to any subsequent similar act by CPS. The subsequent acceptance of payment by CITY shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any preceding breach by CPS of any term, covenant, or condition of this Agreement, other than the failure of CPS to pay the particular payment so accepted, regardless of CITY'S knowledge of such preceding breach at the time acceptance of such funds or additional vendor fee. No covenant, terms, or condition of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been waived by CITY, unless such waiver is in writing by CITY.

#### (19) Surrender at End of Term

Upon the expiration of the term hereof, or upon sooner termination of this Agreement as herein provided, CPS agrees to surrender and yield possession of the Premises to CITY peacefully and without further notice, and in good order and condition, but subject to ordinary wear and reasonable use thereof.

#### (20) Entire Agreement

This Agreement sets forth all covenants, promises, and understandings between the CITY and CPS concerning the Premises. Except as herein provided, no subsequent alteration, amendment, change, or addition to this Agreement shall be binding upon CITY or CPS unless reduced to writing and signed by both parties.

#### (21) No Partnership

CITY is not, and shall not become, in any way or for any purpose, a partner of CPS in the conduct of its business. CITY is not, and shall not become, in any way or for any purpose, a joint venture partner or a member of a joint enterprise with CPS.

#### (22) Captions and Section Number

The captions and section numbers appearing in this Agreement are inserted only as a matter of convenience and in no way define, limit, construe, or describe the scope or intent of such sections nor in any way affect the Agreement.

#### (23) Attorney's Fees

In the event of litigation arises out of or results from contractual relationship established between CITY and CPS by this Agreement, the non-prevailing party shall be liable for all costs, expenses, and fees, including attorney's fees, reasonably and necessarily incurred by the prevailing party as, and incident to, enforcement to the terms of this Agreement.

#### (24) Subordination to Other Agreements

The parties agree that the authority of CITY to enter into this Agreement, and the rights and duties of the parties to this Agreement, are limited by and subordinate to the terms of existing and future agreements between CITY and other parties, and specifically to existing and future leases and to the terms of Sovereignty Land Lease No. 440769265 entered into between CITY and the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund of the State of Florida, as they may be amended from time to time, Should the CITY lose control of the Premises due to loss of the bay bottom lease or failure of negotiations to result in a new bay bottom lease, this Agreement shall become null and void.

#### (25) Severability Clause

If a court of competent jurisdiction determines that any restriction in a clause provision of this Agreement is void, illegal, or unenforceable, the other clauses and provisions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect, and the clauses and provisions that are determined to be void, illegal of unenforceable shall be limited so that they shall remain in effect to the extent permissible by law.

#### (26) "Chain of Command"

In the event of disputes at the Premises which are not an immediate threat to life, safety, or property, the following shall be contacted, in order, for dispute resolution purposes:

- (a) Pier Manager
- (b) CPS Board of Directors
- (c) City Manager
- (d) Binding Arbitration

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this Agreement on the date first

written above

CITY OF KEY WEST

Cheryl Smith, CITY Clerk

Craig Cates, Mayor

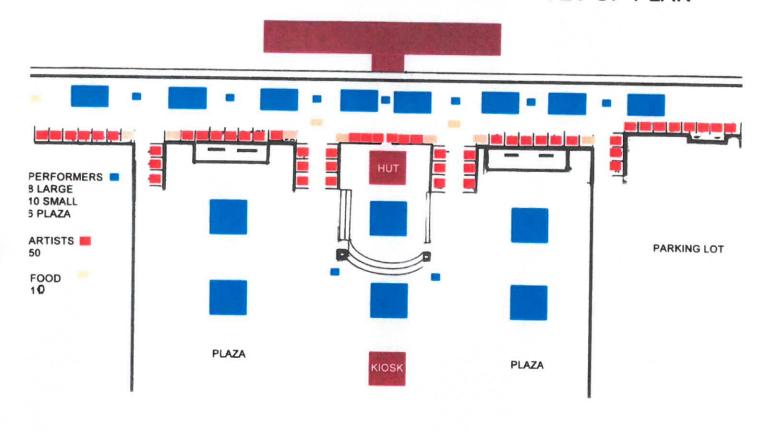
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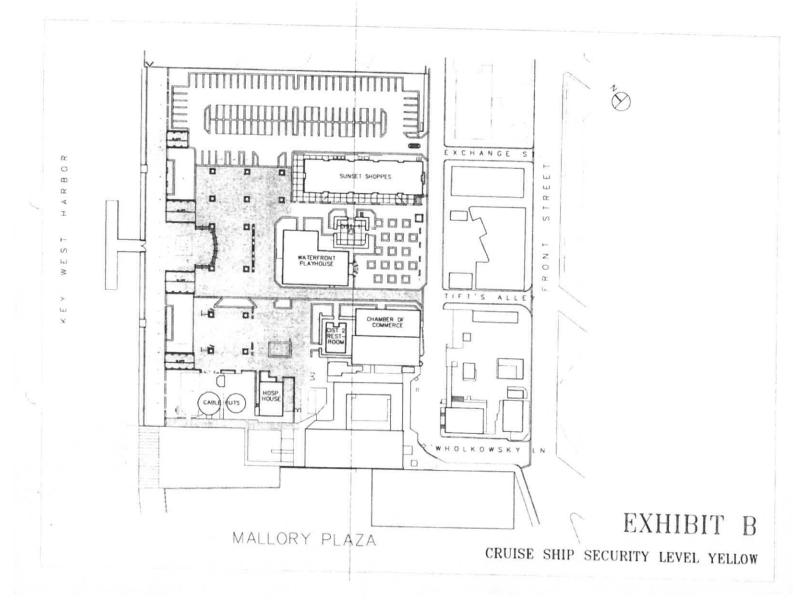
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Exhibit "A"
Demised Premises Site Plan

## SUNSET CELEBRATION PARTICIPANT SET UP PLAN

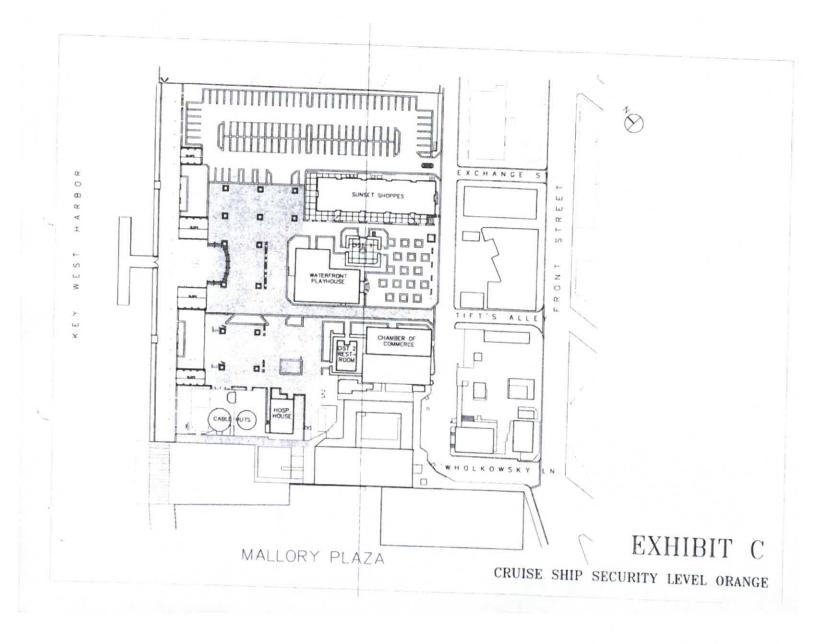


# Exhibit "B" Cruise Ship Security Level Yellow



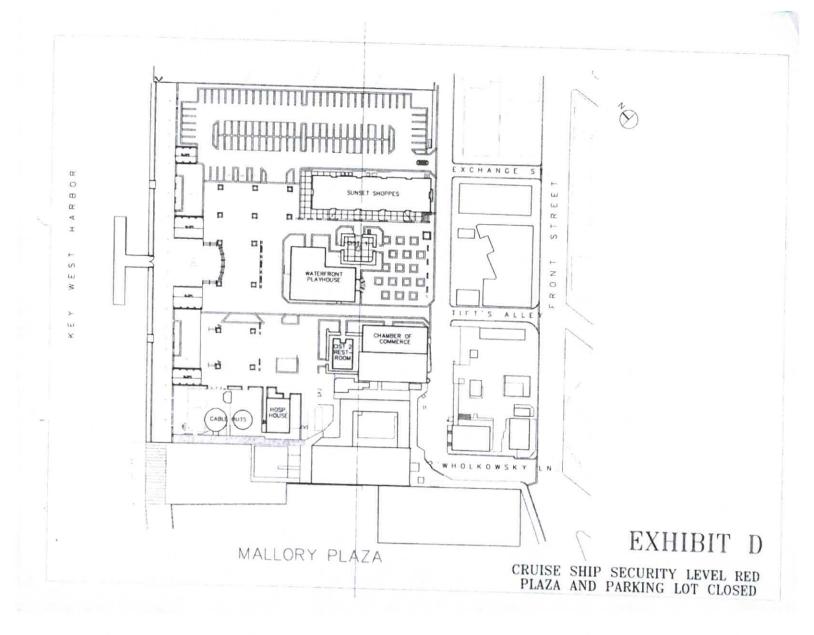
## Exhibit "C"

Cruise Ship Security Level Orange



## Exhibit "D"

Cruise Ship Security Level Red



# Exhibit "E" CPS Standard Operating Procedures

## 2014 Amended SOP's Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc.

### C.P.S STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES (S.O.P's)

#### I. PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE

- A. The purpose of the Participation Committee is to:
  - insure authenticity of craft, art, or event at Sunset (the idea of aesthetic quality is not to be used as a criterion),
  - 2. make the initial decision regarding participation in the nightly Sunset Celebration,
  - 3. promote art as a cottage industry,
  - encourage creative growth,
  - 5. and to maintain a list of participants which will be kept in committee records.

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- The PC Committee shall be composed of seven qualified members from diverse categories.
- 2. All new PC Committee members are required to have worked at the Pier for one year.
- All PC Committee members should have a background in art/crafts in order to be able to determine if the art/crafts work being juried meets the criteria of authenticity, originality and creativity.
- Two members of the same family cannot be on the PC Committee at the same time.
- PC Committee members shall reject any item being brought before them that does not appear to be hand made by the artist/craftsperson submitting such item(s).
- A quorum of four is necessary for any decision. The committee shall meet twice monthly. The committee shall also have two qualified people available to jury twilight category.
- C. If a dispute arises, the Committee may make a decision on the pier if a quorum is present, however, all jurying shall occur at a regular Participation Committee meeting, and any items in question can remain on the pier until such a decision is reached by the Participation Committee. Individuals in violation must be noticed in writing within 72 hours of violation occurring unless the occurrence is amicably resolved on site.
- D. The Committee is selected by the CPS board, with CPS member suggestion as to personnel makeup. The Committee shall elect a chairman at their first regularly scheduled meeting each year following Board of Directors appointment of the Committee.
- E. The members of the Committee serve at the pleasure of the CPS board and are to be members of CPS in good standing.
- F. The Committee is the Board of Appeals for decisions made by the On-site Manager and the Board of Directors is the Board of Appeals for decisions made by the Committee.
- G. PC members will walk the pier from time to time and may ask a participant to remove any items which are in flagrant violation. This can be appealed at the next regularly scheduled PC meeting.
- H. All participants will be juried prior to initial setup and thereafter as the situation warrants.
- No jurying shall be done between PC meetings.
- J. Policy is to suspend jurying when current participants have been turned away three evenings during the previous attendance book week. Prospective participants may be warned of this in advance.
- K. Items will be judged for authenticity, originality, creativity and adherence to these S.O.P's and not according to anyone's standard of quality.

L. All items of questionable origin or manufacture (this is to be determined by the PC Committee) shall be brought before the Participation Committee which can require crafts persons to do any and all of the following:

- 1. actually produce said item before the Participation Committee,
- and/or show raw materials.
- 3. and/or show work place or studio, and may be required to show their invoices for raw material.

M. All new craft items shall be juried before being offered for sale. Any item which is substantially different from items already sold by crafts person must be juried by Participation Committee prior to being sold on pier. For current participants, a new products application shall be available at the pier. Participants shall fill out application and attach new product which shall be reviewed and voted on at the next regularly scheduled PC meeting. If there are questions, participant shall be asked to attend the meeting. The product is not to be offered for sale prior to PC approval.

N. All participants who have not worked on the pier in the previous twelve(12) months will be stricken from the rolls, unless they are a grandfathered member who has kept his/her membership paid up each year with no gap in membership. If the participant wishes to return to work on the pier they will be treated as a new participant. Participants shall not return to Mallory Square and expect to sell the same items they sold when they left after being gone longer than twelve months as described above. Participants will be juried, pay the jury fee, and be subject to space available in any category.

O. If there is an excessive number of active participants for certain types of art, such as jewelry or photography, the P.C. has the authority to limit the acceptance of new participants to only exceptional work.

#### SUMMARY:

The committee is authorized to evaluate and examine all aspects of the operation and development of artistic and cultural concerns in the Mallory Area, and report to the CPS Board of Directors its findings and recommendations. The Committee is further vested with all power and authority reasonably necessary for the execution of all responsibilities conferred upon it by these S.O.P.'s.

#### II. ON-SITE MANAGER

On-site Pier Manager is a paid position, hired by the board of directors, and serves at the direction of and under the discretion of the Board of Directors. The position requires knowledge of the S.O.P's and traditions and "Spirit of Sunset." The On-site Manager's duties and responsibilities will include the following:

- 1. to collect participants' registrations and releases and Florida State sales tax numbers yearly
- to adjudicate booth size and location: (8 ft. wide, 6 ft. out and no taller than 4 ft. on the front 3 ft., with the exception of Food Participants height, all other exceptions to be made by the Participation Committee).
- 3. to implements all blind draw lotteries for space.
- 4. to assure that booth and performance set-up for the Sunset Festival begins no sooner than 2 hours before sunset each night in accordance with the Lease between the City of Key West and the CPS.
- to ask participants to remove items if items do not appear to be hand crafted by the participants.
- to attempt to adjudicate with fairness and equity with no discrimination, in accordance with the written Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, Guidelines and Lease.
- to instruct participant to alter or remove item, or cease activity, if it is deemed harmful to health, safety or welfare of the public
- to contact Mallory Square Coordinator or police if necessary, in cases of emergency. In nonemergency situation, will consult the Participation Committee and/or Board of Directors.

- 9. to remain on site during the hours of operation.
- 10. to perform any and other duties that arise from time to time from the Board of Directors.
- 11. to be responsible for having pier cleaned at the end of each evening.
- 12. to be responsible for keeping life rings or life jackets available for emergencies.
- 13. to come to or submit report to the Board of Directors meetings.
- 14. to post the report or minutes of Participation Committee and Board of Directors meetings and agendas for all meetings at the Kiosk in a timely manner.
- 15. to give PATA an accurate participant count at the end of each night.
- 16. to prevent tripping, no electrical cords will be laid across walkways unless they are safely secured. For example: "taped to the inside corner of a star or passed overhead".
- 17. The On-site Manager reserves the right to deny participation to anyone not in compliance with this S.O.P's, and shall notify Participation Committee and post written notice of violation or lack of compliance in the daily log.
- 18. No motorized vehicles are allowed on the pier, with exceptions to be made by the Board of Directors on a case by case basis.
- 19. All participants shall report to the On-site Manager two hours before the estimated time of sunset and participate in the daily Lottery before they set up, with the exception of food participants, who shall be assigned space by the pier manager. Food vendors shall be allowed to set up no sooner than 30 minutes prior to lottery, but shall not sell until two hours before sunset according to the lease with the City of Key West.

#### III. ARTS AND CRAFTS AND FOOD

A. All participants shall sign CPS Registration and General Release forms and have Florida State sales tax number and a twenty dollar processing fee where applicable.

- B. Arts and crafts shall be hand made by the participant or created or changed substantially in nature by participant for display or sale at the Sunset Festival. A potential participant must make his or her product(s) in front of PC and must come to the PC meeting prepared to do this. If this is impossible due to equipment restrictions, a home jurying can be arranged, but PC must see items first at a meeting to determine the need.
- C. Our policy is to suspend jurying when current participants have been turned away three evenings during the previous attendance book week. Prospective participants may be warned of this in advance.
- D. Artists or craftsmen shall be on site with their work; no agents or dealers will be allowed.
  - An agent is defined as any person who would be present without the artist or food vendor and does not substantially participate in the production of the item being sold.
  - 2. To be recognized as a partnership by CPS, all partners must sign the CPS waiver, jointly, and be juried as one entity. All members of a partnership must jointly make all items and conform to paragraph B. A written agreement between partners shall be filed with CPS stating which partner has rights to which products. They must share the same space and have all names on the sales tax license. The partnership accrues the credit jointly, but is tracked in the attendance book individually, based on who draws and pays for the lottery key nightly. Should a partnership split up, the issue of who gets the seniority will be decided by the seniority accrued by each individual. The partner without seniority has the right to start as a new entity subject to jurying by the PC. If an individual takes on a partner after accruing seniority the new partnership is considered a new entity and the old partner must give up their seniority and start as a newcomer. Any questions regarding partnership and seniority may be addressed by the Board of Directors.
  - A helper has no status of his own, and can be on site only with the active participant at the discretion of the pier manager. Helpers in Twilight Category (Hair wrappers, Readers, etc.) must be considered partners because they work individually.

- E. All bead work shall be hand strung by the participant; no exact copies of imported or commercially catalogued items or items which are already over represented on the pier and in the community.
- F. Silk screened items shall be designed, the screens made and items printed by the participant.
- G. Reproductions of original artwork must be juried by PC. They must conform to the 1/3 rule and be combined with original artwork on display. Participants must have made mats, and/or be framed or be hand tinted in some way have hand work. Only reproductions of the artist's own work is to be allowed.
- H. Photographers must take own pictures but they can be developed commercially. The mattes or frames must be hand made by the participant or must have other hand work such as coloring or etc.
- One Third ruling: Participants who make complex or time consuming products can make one third of their product in a simpler or less time consuming manner in order to allow greater earnings. These products are subject to PC approval.
- J. Misrepresentation of products or making oral or written misleading statements regarding products or services will not be tolerated. Violations of this shall be grounds for penalty or suspension as determined by the board. In all cases honest signage is required. Their shall be no signage offering wholesale.
- K. Any two or more persons jointly engaged in the creation of a single art or craft or food item shall occupy the same allotted space.
- M. No vendor may exactly replicate another artist/vendors product

#### IV. FOOD

- A. All participants shall sign a registration and release form
- B. Food items must be created by the participant from basic ingredients, (for example: fruits, vegetables, unprocessed meats, flour, etc.), or substantially embellished. No food pre-processed by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party can be served in an un-embellished state but can be used an element in a more creative food item, (for example: hot dogs in a shies-ka-bob, breaded fish in fish tacos, whipped cream on key lime pie)".
- C. All food participants shall go through a 3 step process with the PC Committee prior to acceptance by the PC Committee:
  - Acceptance of food product and a rough draft of food cart design. All food carts must fit in the allotted 6' x 8' space provided by CPS.
  - Jury process for approval of all required paperwork, such as State License, Health workers card, etc.
  - Final approval of cart size and design in accordance with CPS Guidelines.
- D. All food items must be prepared by the participant. A helper shall be allowed only with the participant on site.
- E. No national franchise food items will be allowed

- F. No partnerships are allowed in more than one business at the same time
- G. Food participants must arrive 15 minutes prior to the artist lottery
- H. There will be no more than 10 food vendor spaces. CPS will designate these spots.
- I. No food vendor may exactly replicate another food vendors product
- J. Butane or propane are the only acceptable fuels allowed
- K. The use of hot oil for deep-fry cooking of food items is not allowed.
- L. Fire extinguisher are required for vendors using an open flame

#### V. PERFORMERS

- A. All performers shall adhere to the following S.O.P's:
  - 1. Shall sign a registration and release form
  - 2. Participate in the nightly lottery
  - Acts performing on the waterfront are to perform close to the large curb with your back to the water while facing the land side. Acts performing in the plaza can face in any direction.
  - Keep your audience toed up to the dotted black line running the length of the pier (it is recommended that you use a rope to delineate your stage area)
  - Regulate your "show" time to a half hour or less while taking at least a fifteen minute break between shows
  - 6. Refrain from using profanity or obscene language in your act
  - 7. Be courteous to spectators and fellow performers alike
  - 8. If fire is used in an act, a fire extinguisher is required
  - 9. Drinking alcoholic beverages is prohibited
  - 10. If your act generates a mess, you must clean it up
  - 11. The use of amplification in up to two spaces may be allowed at the discretion of the Board of Directors
- B. The Performer's lottery will be seniority based with the following categories:
  - 1. Honorary regular performers- 10 years (with Performers Committee approval).
  - 2. Permanent Regular Performers- 5 full successive seasons with Regular Performer status
  - Regular Performers- Regular Performers are those who work from 60 days to three years on the pier
  - 4. Newcomers- Anyone who has worked 59 days or less. Newcomers are always welcome.
- C. The Performer lottery will be operated as follows:
  - 1. The lottery will begin approximately two hours and 15 minutes before sunset
  - Call ins will be accepted from five minutes before until five minutes after designated lottery start time
  - 3. Call ins will be picked last in their category
  - Late walk ins can participate in lottery up until the time in which the numbers are called in their category
  - Performers who have participated less than 35 days in the previous quarter shall fall back to the next lowest category until they make up the number of days that they are shy of the 35.
- D. The change of status of any Mallory Square performer is subject to the approval of the Performers Committee. Any performer who believes he/she is being treated unfairly and therefore has a grievance may appeal to the Board of Directors of CPS and all interested parties will seek a satisfactory resolution to the dispute.
- E. Because each performer owns the rights to his own act, neither CPS nor anyone else has any right to negotiate any contract on behalf of the performer without his express permission. When the Pier Manager is informed of any commercial film company's plans to film the activities on the pier, he will

notify the performers as soon as possible. Those performers who wish not to be filmed will notify the Pier Manager who in turn will notify the film company of the performer's request.

- F. Committee members ARE TO BE MEMBERS OF C.P.S. in good standing
- G. Performers will elect a 7 person Performer Committee with two alternates. The Performer Committee must have four members to constitute a quorum. They shall meet on a regular basis preceding the Board of Directors meeting. The Committee shall be elected each year following the annual General Election meeting at the end of the year in a Performer Committee meeting. The Performer Committee is subject to approval by the Board of Directors and serves at the direction of the Board of Directors. The committee shall keep minutes of all Performer meetings and submit a report in writing to the Board of Directors.
- H. All performers shall pay the same set-up fee as the artists, with the exception of small acts (acts that don't build up a crowd for more than a few minutes: statues, balloon twisters and musicians, etc. [decided by the Performer Committee]) who shall pay \$5.
- I. The use of any non-professional person in any act, which would create an insurance liability (as determined by the pier Manager), is banned.
- J. All decisions made by the Pier Manager are binding, unless appealed to the board.

#### K.Performers Selling:

- Performers who offer items for sale musts pay the same fee as artists and must get a State of Florida Sales and Use Tax ID Number.
- Products must be brought to the PC Committee for record keeping of what is being sold on the pier.
- 3. Sales must be made next to their display within the performers own area
- 4. Signs are limited to 1' x 2' and the display is limited to 2' x 2' square at ground level
- No hawking of products. Performers may only mention their items at the hat line.
- 6. No items will be offered for donation by performers.

#### VI. SPECIAL CATEGORY

- A. To ensure the spontaneity and the spirit of sunset, a special events category may include:
  - 1. Charity or community service groups
  - Traditional sunset participants and personalities not defined by previous categories such as Palm Readers, Tarot, Psychics, Astrologers, Portrait Artists, Caricaturists, etc. shall be juried at a Participation Committee meeting prior to first setup.
- B. These participants must sign registration and release.
- C. Special Category participants shall participate in the artists' lottery and may elect to set up on the water side of the pier in performers' spaces that are not being used by performers at the time of the lottery or in open spaces designated by the pier manager.
- D. Participants who do body art are prohibited from using stencils or transfers.

#### VII. MISCELLANEOUS GUIDELINES

A. All participants on the pier are asked to respect the traditional set-up of performers on the "water" side and the artists/crafts persons/food on the "land" side of the pier.

- B. For the purpose of these S.O.P's, performers are defined as buskers who work only for donations and all other participants are defined as anyone who charges a set fee.
- C. Professional camera crews must consult with the On-site Manager before filming.
- D. Non-participants may not distribute commercial pamphlets on the pier.
- E. In order to assure fairness, it may be necessary from time to time to limit the number of participants in any category.
- F. Participants shall be on site and operational no later than thirty minutes after lottery is completed, with the exception of the performers.
- G. No participant shall occupy more than one 6' by 8' space.
- H. The use of gas generator is prohibited.
- No toxic substances allowed.
- J. No participant shall interfere with or damage the property of another participant.
- K. Abusive, discourteous or drunken behavior to visitors or other participants shall not be tolerated and shall be grounds for suspension. The period of suspension is to be determined by the Pier Manager. Suspensions can be appealed at the next regular board meeting.
- L. Any member of CPS giving time to CPS projects is given credit for that time, hour for hour. For every four hours given to CPS projects, a credit of one night on the pier is given, not as a free setup, but to earn days in maintaining or attaining status.

#### VIII. BLIND DRAW LOTTERY

- A. There is a cap of 50 regular crafts person participants.
- B. The Blind Draw Lottery consists of four categories:
  - REGULAR PARTICIPANT- Has participated 150 days on Pier and is allowed 90 consecutive days absence. Regular participants may make up days missed over 90 days but starts new after 180 days absence. EXAMPLE: 120 day absence must make up 30 days in snow bird category.
  - SNOW BIRD IN WAITING-More than 150 days, until there is an opening in the regular category. During lottery for spaces, Snowbirds in Waiting may draw from the regular bucket. However, in the event the pier is full, regular participants will have priority over the Snowbirds In Waiting. Snowbirds in Waiting will have priority over Snowbirds.
  - SNOW BIRD- Less than 150 days; more than 60 days.
  - NEW COMERS- Less than 60 days.
- C. Grandfather Status- If the participant has participated for five consecutive years, as a dues paying member in the regular category and maintained that membership in the event of a hiatus at the pier, he/she is grandfathered into permanent Regular or Local status.

- D. All non-grandfather participants must be on the pier at least 90 days in each calendar year or lose their status.
- E. There is no loss of status when changing categories between food vendor, artist, entertainer, or special category, however a participant cannot operate simultaneously in two unrelated categories.
- F. Participants who do not pay before set up shall be assigned space by the Pier Manager after Lottery is completed.
- G. Participants may draw keys for other participants as long aslong as payment is made for each key drawn. There are no refunds for those who fail to use a key drawn on their behalf.

## IX. PC Guidelines for Violations of CPS Standard Operating Procedures

The PC Committee is responsible for ensuring that all items being sold at Sunset Celebration are hand made by the participant. We would like to propose to the Board of Directors the following guidelines for any and all violations that occur. Any and all violations must be discussed by the PC (a minimum of four members of the committee) before any action would be taken. This could be done at a regular PC meeting or an informal meeting on the pier.

#### A. For the first offense the PC would:

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- 2. If the item is questionable (something that the participant could have made but looks to be made commercially) a letter would be sent advising them of the problem, advising them that the item in question can remain on their table until they have been re-juried. The PC would tell them to come to the next regularly scheduled PC meeting. A copy of the letter would be given to all Pier Managers for their records and the Pier Manager would deliver the original letter to the participant. If the PC determines at the PC meeting that the item in question is not a handmade item they would be told to remove it from the table.

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## CPS BYLAWS 2014

#### **ARTICLE 1: OFFICES**

The principal office of the corporation shall be located at 812 Southard Street, Room 29. Key West, Florida 33040, or at the address designated in the most recent annual report filed with the State of Florida Secretary of State. The Board of Directors shall have the power and authority to establish and maintain branch or subordinate offices at any other location either within this state or in any other state or country.

#### ARTICLE 2: MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The annual meeting of the membership shall be held on the second Monday of December of each year, at the hour of 12 p m (noon) for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting The time and date of the meeting are subject to change with written notice to all members no less than one week and no more than five weeks before the newly set date. If the election of directors is not held on the day designated herein for any annual meeting of the members, the Board of Directors shall cause the election to be held at a special meeting of the members as soon thereafter as is convenient. Membership dues shall be from January 1 through December 31. Any members' dues not paid by the last day of February shall be a termination of membership for that member.

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- Section 3. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the membership, for any purpose or purposes unless otherwise prescribed by statute may be called by the president or by the board of directors or shall be called by the president at the request of not less than 50% of all the members.
- Section 4. The board of directors may designate any place within the state of incorporation or within any other state or county as the place of meeting for any annual meeting or for any special meeting called by the board of directors. If no designation is made, the place of meeting shall be the principal office of the corporation as designated pursuant to Article 1.
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5a Written notice of actions taken and rules created or changed and decisions made shall be posted at the kiosk on the Friday following the said meetings

Section 6. "Quorum Requirements" Twenty percent of the members eligible to vote represented in person shall constitute a Quorum at a membership meeting.

#### **ARTICLE 3: BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Section 1. Powers and duties; The business and affairs of the corporation shall be managed by the board of directors.

Section 2. Qualifications; The number of directors of the corporation shall be seven. Directors shall be elected at the annual membership meeting and the term of office of each director shall be until the next annual membership meeting or the election and qualification of his successor. Directors shall be members in good standing.

Section 3. Election: At the first regular meeting of the board of directors in October, a nominating committee of four members shall be elected by the board of directors. The current president may not be a member of this committee. It shall be the duty of this committee to identify and recruit prospective directors of the corporation and to present a list of nominees to the board of directors at their first regular meeting in November. The list of nominees shall be mailed or given in person to each member no less than one week and no more than five weeks before the annual meeting. After the nominating committee's report is presented at the annual meeting, the chair must call for further nominations from the floor prior to voting for the offices.

3a. In the event that a member of the board of directors should resign or otherwise fail to fulfill their obligations to the organization, a replacement shall be selected from the first two (2) runners up in the general elections and should there be additional vacancies, or should the runners up decline such appointment, that any and all additional directors be nominated by the CPS members in good standing and such nominees be voted on by the acting board of directors.

Section 4. Regular meetings: A regular meeting of the board of directors shall be held without notice other than this bylaw immediately after and at the same place as, the annual membership meeting. Thereafter a meeting of the board of directors shall be held on the first and third Wednesday, following the first Monday, of each month. All meetings shall be held at the principal office of the corporation unless directors are otherwise notified by the secretary.

Section 5. Special meetings: Special meetings of the board of directors may be called by or at the request of the president or any two directors and shall be held at the principal office of the corporation or at such other place as the directors may determine.

Section 6. Notice of any special meeting shall be given at least seventy-two hours before the time fixed for the meeting by the secretary, by written notice delivered personally or mailed to each director at his home address. If mailed such notice shall be deemed to be delivered when deposited in the United States mail so addressed, with postage thereon prepaid, not less than three days prior to the commencement of the stated notice period. Any director may waive notice of any meeting. The attendance of a director at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice except where a director attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened.

Section 7. Quorum: A majority of the number of directors fixed by these bylaws shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the board of directors, but if less than such majority is present at a meeting a majority of the directors present may adjourn the meeting from time to time without further notice.

Section 8. Board of Director Decisions: The act of a majority of the directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the board of directors.

#### **ARTICLE 4: OFFICERS**

Section 1. Number and vacancies: The officers of the corporation shall be a president, a vice president, a secretary, and a treasurer, each of whom shall be elected by the board of directors. Any vacancy shall be filled by the board of directors for the un-expired portion of the term.

Section 2. Qualification: Each officer shall be a duly elected director of the corporation. Re-election to the board of directors shall not constitute re-election to any particular office.

Section 3. Powers and duties: The powers and duties of the several officers shall be as provided from time to time. In the absence of such provisions the respective officers shall have the powers and shall discharge the duties customarily and usually held and performed by like offices of the corporations similar in organizations and business purposes to this corporation.

Section 4. Attendance Requirements: Any director who is absent from two consecutive regular meetings without notifying the board in advance shall be subject to removal by a majority vote of the board of directors.

#### ARTICLE 5: CONDUCT OF BUSINESS

Section 1. Contracts: The board of directors may authorize any officer or officers, agent or agents, to enter into any contract or execute and deliver any instrument in the name of, and on behalf of, the corporation, and such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

Section 2. Check Drafts or Orders: All checks, drafts or other orders for payment of money, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness issued in the name of the corporation shall be signed by such officer or officers, agent or agents of the corporation and in such manner as shall from time to time be determined by resolution of the board of directors.

Section 3. Deposits: All funds of the corporation not otherwise employed shall be deposited by the Pier Manager to the credit of the corporation in such banks trust companies, or other depositories that the board of directors may select. As of October 1, 1985, \$2,000.00 of corporate funds presently on hand is set aside for legal expenses as provided in the Articles of Incorporation.

Section 4. No directors shall hold any salaried position in this organization, except for in a time of emergency as declared by the board of directors.

Section 5. No one individual shall hold more than one position in this organization concurrently, except for in a time of emergency as declared by the board of directors.

#### ARTICLE 6: FISCAL YEAR

The fiscal year of the corporation shall be October 1 to September 30.

#### ARTICLE 7: WAIVER OF NOTICE

Whenever any notice is required to be given to any member or director of the corporation under the provisions of these bylaws or under the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation or under the provisions of law, a waiver thereof in writing, signed by the person or persons entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of such notice.

#### **ARTICLE 8 AMENDMENTS**

These bylaws may be amended at the regular membership meeting by, an affirmative vote of a two thirds majority of the members at the regular meeting voting in person, by proxy, or absentee ballot. Written notice of the proposed amendment shall be given at least one week and no more than five weeks before the date of the meeting. Notice may be delivered personally or mailed to each member at the address in the corporate records.

Article 8 Amendments was amended at a General Membership meeting held on July 19, 2000 to read as follows:

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#### ARTICLE 9: PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

The rules contained in the current edition of Roberts Rules Of Order Newly Revised shall govern the corporation in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these bylaws and special rules of order the corporation may adopt.

#### ARTICLE 10: MEMBERSHIP REVOCATION (added 01-31-02)

All CPS members are required to conduct themselves in a civil manner whenever participating in the meetings and functions of The Cultural Preservation Society. Loud and aggressive behavior will not be tolerated at CPS meetings or functions. An ongoing pattern of disruptive behavior, such as abusive, discourteous or drunken behavior towards other CPS members or the general public at CPS meetings or CPS sponsored events shall be grounds for the revocation of his or her membership in the CPS and participation of CPS events.

# 2014 Amended SOP's Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc.

# C.P.S STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES (S.O.P's)

#### I. PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE

- A. The purpose of the Participation Committee is to:
  - insure authenticity of craft, art, or event at Sunset (the idea of aesthetic quality is not to be used as a criterion),
  - 2. make the initial decision regarding participation in the nightly Sunset Celebration,
  - 3. promote art as a cottage industry,
  - encourage creative growth.
  - 5. and to maintain a list of participants which will be kept in committee records.

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- The PC Committee shall be composed of seven qualified members from diverse categories.
- 2. All new PC Committee members are required to have worked at the Pier for one year.
- All PC Committee members should have a background in art/crafts in order to be able to determine if the art/crafts work being juried meets the criteria of authenticity, originality and creativity.
- 4. Two members of the same family cannot be on the PC Committee at the same time.
- PC Committee members shall reject any item being brought before them that does not appear to be hand made by the artist/craftsperson submitting such item(s).
- A quorum of four is necessary for any decision. The committee shall meet twice monthly. The committee shall also have two qualified people available to jury twilight category.
- C. If a dispute arises, the Committee may make a decision on the pier if a quorum is present, however, all jurying shall occur at a regular Participation Committee meeting, and any items in question can remain on the pier until such a decision is reached by the Participation Committee. Individuals in violation must be noticed in writing within 72 hours of violation occurring unless the occurrence is amicably resolved on site.
- D. The Committee is selected by the CPS board, with CPS member suggestion as to personnel makeup. The Committee shall elect a chairman at their first regularly scheduled meeting each year following Board of Directors appointment of the Committee.
- E. The members of the Committee serve at the pleasure of the CPS board and are to be members of CPS in good standing.
- F. The Committee is the Board of Appeals for decisions made by the On-site Manager and the Board of Directors is the Board of Appeals for decisions made by the Committee.
- G. PC members will walk the pier from time to time and may ask a participant to remove any items which are in flagrant violation. This can be appealed at the next regularly scheduled PC meeting.
- H. All participants will be juried prior to initial setup and thereafter as the situation warrants.
- No jurying shall be done between PC meetings.
- J. Policy is to suspend jurying when current participants have been turned away three evenings during the previous attendance book week. Prospective participants may be warned of this in advance.
- K. Items will be judged for authenticity, originality, creativity and adherence to these S.O.P's and not according to anyone's standard of quality.

L. All items of questionable origin or manufacture (this is to be determined by the PC Committee) shall be brought before the Participation Committee which can require crafts persons to do any and all of the following:

- 1. actually produce said item before the Participation Committee.
- and/or show raw materials.
- 3. and/or show work place or studio, and may be required to show their invoices for raw material.

M. All new craft items shall be juried before being offered for sale. Any item which is substantially different from items already sold by crafts person must be juried by Participation Committee prior to being sold on pier. For current participants, a new products application shall be available at the pier. Participants shall fill out application and attach new product which shall be reviewed and voted on at the next regularly scheduled PC meeting. If there are questions, participant shall be asked to attend the meeting. The product is not to be offered for sale prior to PC approval.

N. All participants who have not worked on the pier in the previous twelve(12) months will be stricken from the rolls, unless they are a grandfathered member who has kept his/her membership paid up each year with no gap in membership. If the participant wishes to return to work on the pier they will be treated as a new participant. Participants shall not return to Mallory Square and expect to sell the same items they sold when they left after being gone longer than twelve months as described above. Participants will be juried, pay the jury fee, and be subject to space available in any category.

O. If there is an excessive number of active participants for certain types of art, such as jewelry or photography, the P.C. has the authority to limit the acceptance of new participants to only exceptional work.

## SUMMARY:

The committee is authorized to evaluate and examine all aspects of the operation and development of artistic and cultural concerns in the Mallory Area, and report to the CPS Board of Directors its findings and recommendations. The Committee is further vested with all power and authority reasonably necessary for the execution of all responsibilities conferred upon it by these S.O.P.'s.

### II. ON-SITE MANAGER

On-site Pier Manager is a paid position, hired by the board of directors, and serves at the direction of and under the discretion of the Board of Directors. The position requires knowledge of the S.O.P's and traditions and "Spirit of Sunset." The On-site Manager's duties and responsibilities will include the following:

- 1. to collect participants' registrations and releases and Florida State sales tax numbers yearly
- to adjudicate booth size and location: (8 ft. wide, 6 ft. out and no taller than 4 ft. on the front 3 ft., with the exception of Food Participants height, all other exceptions to be made by the Participation Committee).
- 3. to implements all blind draw lotteries for space.
- to assure that booth and performance set-up for the Sunset Festival begins no sooner than 2
  hours before sunset each night in accordance with the Lease between the City of Key West
  and the CPS.
- to ask participants to remove items if items do not appear to be hand crafted by the participants.
- to attempt to adjudicate with fairness and equity with no discrimination, in accordance with the written Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, Guidelines and Lease.
- to instruct participant to alter or remove item, or cease activity, if it is deemed harmful to health, safety or welfare of the public
- to contact Mallory Square Coordinator or police if necessary, in cases of emergency. In nonemergency situation, will consult the Participation Committee and/or Board of Directors.

- to remain on site during the hours of operation.
- 10. to perform any and other duties that arise from time to time from the Board of Directors.
- 11. to be responsible for having pier cleaned at the end of each evening.
- 12. to be responsible for keeping life rings or life jackets available for emergencies.
- 13. to come to or submit report to the Board of Directors meetings.
- 14. to post the report or minutes of Participation Committee and Board of Directors meetings and agendas for all meetings at the Kiosk in a timely manner.
- 15. to give PATA an accurate participant count at the end of each night.
- 16. to prevent tripping, no electrical cords will be laid across walkways unless they are safely secured. For example: "taped to the inside corner of a star or passed overhead".
- 17. The On-site Manager reserves the right to deny participation to anyone not in compliance with this S.O.P's, and shall notify Participation Committee and post written notice of violation or lack of compliance in the daily log.
- 18. No motorized vehicles are allowed on the pier, with exceptions to be made by the Board of Directors on a case by case basis.
- 19. All participants shall report to the On-site Manager two hours before the estimated time of sunset and participate in the daily Lottery before they set up, with the exception of food participants, who shall be assigned space by the pier manager. Food vendors shall be allowed to set up no sooner than 30 minutes prior to lottery, but shall not sell until two hours before sunset according to the lease with the City of Key West.

# III. ARTS AND CRAFTS AND FOOD

A. All participants shall sign CPS Registration and General Release forms and have Florida State sales tax number and a twenty dollar processing fee where applicable.

- B. Arts and crafts shall be hand made by the participant or created or changed substantially in nature by participant for display or sale at the Sunset Festival. A potential participant must make his or her product(s) in front of PC and must come to the PC meeting prepared to do this. If this is impossible due to equipment restrictions, a home jurying can be arranged, but PC must see items first at a meeting to determine the need.
- C. Our policy is to suspend jurying when current participants have been turned away three evenings during the previous attendance book week. Prospective participants may be warned of this in advance.
- D. Artists or craftsmen shall be on site with their work; no agents or dealers will be allowed.
  - An agent is defined as any person who would be present without the artist or food vendor and does not substantially participate in the production of the item being sold.
  - 2. To be recognized as a partnership by CPS, all partners must sign the CPS waiver, jointly, and be juried as one entity. All members of a partnership must jointly make all items and conform to paragraph B. A written agreement between partners shall be filed with CPS stating which partner has rights to which products. They must share the same space and have all names on the sales tax license. The partnership accrues the credit jointly, but is tracked in the attendance book individually, based on who draws and pays for the lottery key nightly. Should a partnership split up, the issue of who gets the seniority will be decided by the seniority accrued by each individual. The partner without seniority has the right to start as a new entity subject to jurying by the PC. If an individual takes on a partner after accruing seniority the new partnership is considered a new entity and the old partner must give up their seniority and start as a newcomer. Any questions regarding partnership and seniority may be addressed by the Board of Directors.
  - A helper has no status of his own, and can be on site only with the active participant at the discretion of the pier manager. Helpers in Twilight Category (Hair wrappers, Readers, etc.) must be considered partners because they work individually.

- E. All bead work shall be hand strung by the participant; no exact copies of imported or commercially catalogued items or items which are already over represented on the pier and in the community.
- F. Silk screened items shall be designed, the screens made and items printed by the participant.
- G. Reproductions of original artwork must be juried by PC. They must conform to the 1/3 rule and be combined with original artwork on display. Participants must have made mats, and/or be framed or be hand tinted in some way have hand work. Only reproductions of the artist's own work is to be allowed.
- H. Photographers must take own pictures but they can be developed commercially. The mattes or frames must be hand made by the participant or must have other hand work such as coloring or etc.
- I. One Third ruling: Participants who make complex or time consuming products can make one third of their product in a simpler or less time consuming manner in order to allow greater earnings. These products are subject to PC approval.
- J. Misrepresentation of products or making oral or written misleading statements regarding products or services will not be tolerated. Violations of this shall be grounds for penalty or suspension as determined by the board. In all cases honest signage is required. Their shall be no signage offering wholesale.
- K. Any two or more persons jointly engaged in the creation of a single art or craft or food item shall occupy the same allotted space.
- M. No vendor may exactly replicate another artist/vendors product

## IV. FOOD

- A. All participants shall sign a registration and release form
- B. Food items must be created by the participant from basic ingredients, (for example: fruits, vegetables, unprocessed meats, flour, etc.), or substantially embellished. No food pre-processed by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party can be served in an un-embellished state but can be used an element in a more creative food item, (for example: hot dogs in a shies-ka-bob, breaded fish in fish tacos, whipped cream on key lime pie)".
- C. All food participants shall go through a 3 step process with the PC Committee prior to acceptance by the PC Committee:
  - Acceptance of food product and a rough draft of food cart design. All food carts must fit in the allotted 6' x 8' space provided by CPS.
  - Jury process for approval of all required paperwork, such as State License, Health workers card, etc.
  - 3. Final approval of cart size and design in accordance with CPS Guidelines.
- D. All food items must be prepared by the participant. A helper shall be allowed only with the participant on site.
- E. No national franchise food items will be allowed

- F. No partnerships are allowed in more than one business at the same time
- G. Food participants must arrive 15 minutes prior to the artist lottery
- H. There will be no more than 10 food vendor spaces. CPS will designate these spots.
- I. No food vendor may exactly replicate another food vendors product
- J. Butane or propane are the only acceptable fuels allowed
- K. The use of hot oil for deep-fry cooking of food items is not allowed.
- L. Fire extinguisher are required for vendors using an open flame

### V. PERFORMERS

- A. All performers shall adhere to the following S.O.P's:
  - 1. Shall sign a registration and release form
  - 2. Participate in the nightly lottery
  - Acts performing on the waterfront are to perform close to the large curb with your back to the water while facing the land side. Acts performing in the plaza can face in any direction.
  - Keep your audience toed up to the dotted black line running the length of the pier (it is recommended that you use a rope to delineate your stage area)
  - Regulate your "show" time to a half hour or less while taking at least a fifteen minute break between shows
  - 6. Refrain from using profanity or obscene language in your act
  - 7. Be courteous to spectators and fellow performers alike
  - 8. If fire is used in an act, a fire extinguisher is required
  - 9. Drinking alcoholic beverages is prohibited
  - 10. If your act generates a mess, you must clean it up
  - 11. The use of amplification in up to two spaces may be allowed at the discretion of the Board of Directors
- B. The Performer's lottery will be seniority based with the following categories:
  - Honorary regular performers- 10 years (with Performers Committee approval).
  - 2. Permanent Regular Performers- 5 full successive seasons with Regular Performer status
  - Regular Performers- Regular Performers are those who work from 60 days to three years on the pier
  - 4. Newcomers-Anyone who has worked 59 days or less. Newcomers are always welcome.
- C. The Performer lottery will be operated as follows:
  - 1. The lottery will begin approximately two hours and 15 minutes before sunset
  - Call ins will be accepted from five minutes before until five minutes after designated lottery start time
  - 3. Call ins will be picked last in their category
  - Late walk ins can participate in lottery up until the time in which the numbers are called in their category
  - Performers who have participated less than 35 days in the previous quarter shall fall back to the next lowest category until they make up the number of days that they are shy of the 35.
- D. The change of status of any Mallory Square performer is subject to the approval of the Performers Committee. Any performer who believes he/she is being treated unfairly and therefore has a grievance may appeal to the Board of Directors of CPS and all interested parties will seek a satisfactory resolution to the dispute.
- E. Because each performer owns the rights to his own act, neither CPS nor anyone else has any right to negotiate any contract on behalf of the performer without his express permission. When the Pier Manager is informed of any commercial film company's plans to film the activities on the pier, he will

notify the performers as soon as possible. Those performers who wish not to be filmed will notify the Pier Manager who in turn will notify the film company of the performer's request.

- F. Committee members ARE TO BE MEMBERS OF C.P.S. in good standing
- G. Performers will elect a 7 person Performer Committee with two alternates. The Performer Committee must have four members to constitute a quorum. They shall meet on a regular basis preceding the Board of Directors meeting. The Committee shall be elected each year following the annual General Election meeting at the end of the year in a Performer Committee meeting. The Performer Committee is subject to approval by the Board of Directors and serves at the direction of the Board of Directors. The committee shall keep minutes of all Performer meetings and submit a report in writing to the Board of Directors.
- H. All performers shall pay the same set-up fee as the artists, with the exception of small acts (acts that don't build up a crowd for more than a few minutes: statues, balloon twisters and musicians, etc. [decided by the Performer Committee]) who shall pay \$5.
- The use of any non-professional person in any act, which would create an insurance liability (as determined by the pier Manager), is banned.
- J. All decisions made by the Pier Manager are binding, unless appealed to the board.

## K. Performers Selling:

- Performers who offer items for sale musts pay the same fee as artists and must get a State of Florida Sales and Use Tax ID Number.
- Products must be brought to the PC Committee for record keeping of what is being sold on the pier.
- 3. Sales must be made next to their display within the performers own area
- Signs are limited to 1' x 2' and the display is limited to 2' x 2' square at ground level
- 5. No hawking of products. Performers may only mention their items at the hat line.
- No items will be offered for donation by performers.

## VI. SPECIAL CATEGORY

- A. To ensure the spontaneity and the spirit of sunset, a special events category may include:
  - Charity or community service groups
  - Traditional sunset participants and personalities not defined by previous categories such as Palm Readers, Tarot, Psychics, Astrologers, Portrait Artists, Caricaturists, etc. shall be juried at a Participation Committee meeting prior to first setup.
- B. These participants must sign registration and release.
- C. Special Category participants shall participate in the artists' lottery and may elect to set up on the water side of the pier in performers' spaces that are not being used by performers at the time of the lottery or in open spaces designated by the pier manager.
- D. Participants who do body art are prohibited from using stencils or transfers.

# VII. MISCELLANEOUS GUIDELINES

A. All participants on the pier are asked to respect the traditional set-up of performers on the "water" side and the artists/crafts persons/food on the "land" side of the pier.

- B. For the purpose of these S.O.P's, performers are defined as buskers who work only for donations and all other participants are defined as anyone who charges a set fee.
- C. Professional camera crews must consult with the On-site Manager before filming.
- D. Non-participants may not distribute commercial pamphlets on the pier.
- E. In order to assure fairness, it may be necessary from time to time to limit the number of participants in any category.
- F. Participants shall be on site and operational no later than thirty minutes after lottery is completed, with the exception of the performers.
- G. No participant shall occupy more than one 6' by 8' space.
- H. The use of gas generator is prohibited.
- No toxic substances allowed.
- J. No participant shall interfere with or damage the property of another participant.
- K. Abusive, discourteous or drunken behavior to visitors or other participants shall not be tolerated and shall be grounds for suspension. The period of suspension is to be determined by the Pier Manager. Suspensions can be appealed at the next regular board meeting.
- L. Any member of CPS giving time to CPS projects is given credit for that time, hour for hour. For every four hours given to CPS projects, a credit of one night on the pier is given, not as a free setup, but to earn days in maintaining or attaining status.

## VIII. BLIND DRAW LOTTERY

- A. There is a cap of 50 regular crafts person participants.
- B. The Blind Draw Lottery consists of four categories:
  - REGULAR PARTICIPANT- Has participated 150 days on Pier and is allowed 90 consecutive days absence. Regular participants may make up days missed over 90 days but starts new after 180 days absence. EXAMPLE: 120 day absence must make up 30 days in snow bird category.
  - SNOW BIRD IN WAITING-More than 150 days, until there is an opening in the regular category. During lottery for spaces, Snowbirds in Waiting may draw from the regular bucket. However, in the event the pier is full, regular participants will have priority over the Snowbirds In Waiting. Snowbirds in Waiting will have priority over Snowbirds.
  - 3. SNOW BIRD- Less than 150 days; more than 60 days.
  - 4. NEW COMERS- Less than 60 days.
- C. Grandfather Status- If the participant has participated for five consecutive years, as a dues paying member in the regular category and maintained that membership in the event of a hiatus at the pier, he/she is grandfathered into permanent Regular or Local status.

- D. All non-grandfather participants must be on the pier at least 90 days in each calendar year or lose their status.
- E. There is no loss of status when changing categories between food vendor, artist, entertainer, or special category, however a participant cannot operate simultaneously in two unrelated categories.
- F. Participants who do not pay before set up shall be assigned space by the Pier Manager after Lottery is completed.
- G. Participants may draw keys for other participants as long aslong as payment is made for each key drawn. There are no refunds for those who fail to use a key drawn on their behalf.

# IX. PC Guidelines for Violations of CPS Standard Operating Procedures

The PC Committee is responsible for ensuring that all items being sold at Sunset Celebration are hand made by the participant. We would like to propose to the Board of Directors the following guidelines for any and all violations that occur. Any and all violations must be discussed by the PC (a minimum of four members of the committee) before any action would be taken. This could be done at a regular PC meeting or an informal meeting on the pier.

# A. For the first offense the PC would:

- 1. If the item is something the participant was not juried for the PC would write a letter telling them to remove the item(s) from their table immediately. An exception would be for items the participant uses in conjunction with their handmade product, such as chains, leather cords, etc. They would be told that they cannot sell such item unless it is a part of their handmade product. A copy of the letter would be given to all Pier managers and the Pier Manager would deliver the original letter to the participant.
- 2. If the item is questionable (something that the participant could have made but looks to be made commercially) a letter would be sent advising them of the problem, advising them that the item in question can remain on their table until they have been re-juried. The PC would tell them to come to the next regularly scheduled PC meeting. A copy of the letter would be given to all Pier Managers for their records and the Pier Manager would deliver the original letter to the participant. If the PC determines at the PC meeting that the item in question is not a handmade item they would be told to remove it from the table.

# B. For the second offense the PC would:

- 1. If the item is something the participant was not juried for the PC would write a letter telling them to remove the item(s) from their table immediately and that this is their second offense. An exception would be for items the participant uses in conjunction with their handmade product, such as chains, leather cords, etc. They would be told that they cannot sell such item unless it is a part of their handmade product. They would also be advised that they would be getting a one day suspension for the violation. A copy of the letter would be given to all Pier managers and the Pier Manager would deliver the original letter to the participant.
- 2. If the item is questionable (something that the participant could have made but looks to be made commercially) a letter would be sent advising them of the problem, advising them that the item in question can remain on their table until they have been re-juried. The PC would tell them to come to the next regularly scheduled PC meeting and the letter would also state that this is a second offence. If the PC determines at the PC meeting that the item in question is not a handmade they would be receiving a letter to that effect and that the item is to be removed

from their table and that the Pier Manager would be giving them a one day suspension. A copy of the letter would be given to all Pier Managers for their records and the Pier Manager would deliver the original letter to the participant.

# C. For the third offense the PC would:

- 1. If the item is something the participant was not juried for the PC would write a letter telling them to remove the item(s) from their table immediately and that this is their third offense. An exception would be for items the participant uses in conjunction with their handmade product, such as chains, leather cords, etc. They would be told that they cannot sell such item unless it is a part of their handmade product. They would also be advised that the PC was going to take all of the letters they had written to the Board of Directors and ask the Board to remove the participant's privilege to work at Mallory Square. A copy of the letter would be given to all Pier managers and the Pier Manager would deliver the original letter to the participant.
- 2. If the item is questionable (something that the participant could have made but looks to be made commercially) a letter would be sent advising them of the problem, advising them that the item in question can remain on their table until they have been re-juried. The PC would tell them to come to the next regularly scheduled PC meeting and the letter would also state that this is the third offense. If the PC determines at the PC meeting that the item in question is not a handmade they would receive a letter to that effect and that the item is to be removed from their table. They would also be advised that the PC was going to take all of the letters they had written to the Board of Directors and ask the Board to remove the participant's privilege to work at Mallory Square. A copy of the letter would be given to all Pier managers and the Pier Manager would deliver the original letter to the participant.

## X. CITY REGULATIONS

A. CPS and all of its participants and performers, agree to conform to all regulations of the City of Key West. A participant or performer found to be in violation of a City regulation may be subject to expulsion by the board.

B. In the event that the City and CPS determine that a participant or a performer is involved in an undertaking that might pose liability to the city or CPS, the City and CPS may require of the participant and performer additional insurance and the execution of an indemnification.

## 12:01 meeting called to order by Mike Sattelmeier.

it was confirmed that we have more than a quorum, there was sign in sheet.

Elise spoke about hector's new info sheet for new applicants.

People spoke for and against various issues

Leanne motioned that Susanne and Debbie and Linda will count ballots, Mark seconded, motion carried.

Ballots were collected by Rebecca, names were checked off the membership list as they voted.

#### Results are as follows

rule 1) change 29 no change 22 abstained 1 :changed

rule 2) change 15 no change 35 abstained 2 :no change

rule 3) change 19 no change 29 abstained 4 : no change

rule 4) change 22 no change 26 abstained 4: no change

rule 5) change 21 no change 27 abstained 4 :no change

rule 6) change 14 no change 38 abstained 0 : no change

rule 7) change 18 no change 25 abstained 9 : no change

rule 8) change 20 no change 25 abstained 7 : no change

rule 9) change 15 no change 29 abstained 8 : no change

rule 10) change 21 no change 25 abstained : no change

rule 11) change 33 no change 14 abstained 5: changed

rule 12) change 38 no change 7 abstained 7 : changed

rule 13) change 46 no change 6 abstained 0 : changed

we will present our rule changes to the city manager, we will request an appointment. Elise will contact him.

ryan made a motion to adjourn Lee Anne seconded meeting adjourned 2:42

BALLOT

This notice is to announce a special General Meeting of the

Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Inc.

to be held on May 15th, 2013 at 12:00 P.M. at the Library Auditorium

ADGENDA and BALLOT for SUGGESTED SOP/GUIDELINE CHANGES

# ADGENDA

- A. Call meeting to order
- B. Establish quorum requirements
- C. Speeches by members on suggested rule changes
- D. Appoint ballot counting committee
- E. Ballot completion and counting
- F. Adjourn meeting

## BALLOT for SUGGESTED SOP/GUIDELINE CHANGES

Please place a check mark next to the items you wish to be added, removed, changed or remain the same.

1. Currently	read	s:
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O. The photography, painting, jewelry and t-shirt categories would be limited to fifteen (15) participants each. All other items sold on the pier would fall under the miscellaneous category. This change does not affect the twilight or performers' category.

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O. If there is an excessive number of active participants for certain types of art, such as jewelry or photography, the P.C. has the authority to limit the acceptance of new participants to only exceptional work.
Check here if you want this change
Check here if you want this S.O.P. to remain as is
2. Remove this rule:
Two members of the same family cannot be on the P.C. Committee at the same time.
Check here if you want this change
Check here if you want this S.O.P. to remain as is
3. Remove this rule:
All new P.C. Committee members are required to have worked at the Pier for one year.
Check here if you want this change
Check here if you want this S.O.P. to remain as is

# 4. Currently reads:

M. No vendor may exactly replicate another artist/vendors product.

Replace with:	
M. No vendor may replicate another artist/vendor's product; this will be decided by the P.C. Trule does not apply to craft processes that by default will result in a very similar product; for example palm frond weaving, spoon rings, Chinese name calligraphy.	his
Check here if you want this change	
Check here if you want this S.O.P. to remain as is	
5. Currently reads:	
No food vendor may exactly replicate another food vendor's product.	
Replace with:	
No food vendor may closely replicate another food vendor's product; this will be decided by th P.C.	e
Check here if you want this change	
Check here if you want this S.O.P. to remain as is	
6. Add this rule:	
Participants may prepay for the month at a higher set up fee (i.e. \$600/month, adjustable by the Board of Directors) to reserve a certain spot without participating in the daily lottery. Those exclusive spots (non-food) shall be chosen by lottery at the beginning of each prepay month. Participants may move from their pre-paid spot in cases of weather and cruise ship dockage but will participate in regular lottery (minus daily fee) on those days.	
Check here if you want this change	

\_\_\_\_ Check here if you do not want this rule added to our S.O.P.

# 7. Currently reads:

- B. The Performer's lottery will be seniority based with the following categories:
- Honorary regular performers-10 years (with Performers Committee approval)
- -Permanent Regular Performers-5 full successive seasons with Regular Performer status
- -Newcomers- Anyone who has worked 59 days or less. Newcomers are always welcome

# Replace with (this rule goes hand-in-hand with item 9)

- B. The Performer's lottery will be an equal lottery (all performers will draw from the same numbers) with the following stipulations:
- If there are more performers than spots, the act(s) that do not get to perform that night will be the act(s) with the least seniority measured in years they have performed at Mallory Square.
- A year of seniority will be measured as 60 or more days performed during the calendar year.
- -The Pier Manger will have a list of performers and the number of years they have performed at Mallory Square that will be updated yearly.
- If there are multiple acts in the year of least seniority, they will still draw numbers to determine who cannot work that night.

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Check	here if you	want this	S.O.P.	to remain	as is

## 8. Currently reads:

- C. The Performer lottery will be operated as follows:
- -The lottery will begin approximately two hours and 15 minutes before sunset
- -Call-ins will be accepted from five minutes before until 5 minutes after designated lottery start time

- -Call-ins will be picked last in their category
- -Late walk-ins can participate in lottery up until the time in which the numbers are called in their category
- Performers who have participated less that 35 days in the previous quarter shall fall back to the next lowest category until they make up the number of days that they are shy of the 35.

# Replace with:

- C. The Performer lottery will be operated as follows:
- The lottery will begin approximately two hours and 15 minutes before sunset
- Call-ins will be accepted from five minutes before until five minutes after designated lottery start time
- Late walk-ins can participate until the first spot has been chosen, after which time they have to choose their spot last

_ Check here if you want this change
Check here if you want this S.O.P. to remain as is

# 9. Remove this rule (as it has no relevance in a system with a fair lottery; see item 7):

D. The change of status of any Mallory Square performer is subject to the approval of the Performer Committee. Any performer who believes he/she is being treated unfairly and therefore has a grievance may appeal to the Board of Directors of CPS and all interested parties will seek a satisfactory resolution to the dispute.

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Check here if you do not want this removed	from	S.O.P.

#### 10. Add this rule:

D. Performers will be divided into three categories:

12. Add this rule:

-Small acts (acts that don't build up crowds for more than a few minutes; such as statues, musicians and balloon twisters)	
-Medium acts (circle shows that don't have too large of a footprint	
-Large acts (circle shows that take up a large space and build up crowds that block pedestria traffic if they perform on the waterfront)	ın
-Medium act will perform in the 7 spots on the waterfront and the stage	
-Large acts will perform in the 4 spots in the plaza (2 in the quadrant, the pit, and the spot by parking lot)	the
-Small acts will perform in the small spots in-between the medium acts along the water and by each of the entryways.	one
-No act can perform in another category's spot unless all the spots in their category are taken there is a free spot in another category. Acts will choose their spots accordingly.	and
Check here if you want this change	
Check here if you do not want this added to S.O.P.	
11. Currently reads:	
-Perform close to the large curb with your back to the water while facing the land side	
Replace with:	
-Acts performing on the waterfront are to perform close to the large curb with your back to th water while facing the land side. Acts performing in the plaza can face in any direction.	e
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-Performers will elect a 7 person Performer Committee with two alternates. The Performer Committee must have four members to constitute a quorum. They shall meet on a regular basis preceding the Board of Directors meeting. The Committee shall be elected each year following the annual General Election meeting at the end of the year in a Performer Committee meeting. The Performer Committee is subject to approval by the Board of Directors and serves at the direction of the Board of Directors. The committee shall keep minutes of all Performer meetings and submit a report in writing to the Board of Directors.

Check here if you want this change
Check here if you do not want this added to S.O.P.
13. Currently reads:
H. A donation is requested to be made each night to help cover the cost of managing the Sunso Celebration and providing insurance as required by the city.
Replace with:
H. All performers shall pay the same set-up fee as the artists, with the exception of small acts (acts that don't build up a crowd for more than a few minutes: statues, balloon twisters and musicians, etc. [decided by the Performer Committee]) who shall pay \$5.
Check here if you want this change
Check here if you want this S.O.P. to remain as is