RESOLUTION	NO.	

A RESOLUTION OF THE KEY WEST BIGHT MANAGEMENT DISTRICT BOARD FOR THE CITY OF KEY WEST, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO MAKE A DONATION OF TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00) TO CONCH REPUBLIC INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATION, LLC. FROM KEY WEST BIGHT FUNDS FOR THE 2023 CONCH REPUBLIC INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATION; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS; The Bight Management District Board has the authority to "oversee the operation and development of an expanded public marina on the Key West Bight" property pursuant to Sec. 2-554 of the Code of Ordinances, and;

WHEREAS, The Bight Management District Board finds that supporting events in Key West that have roots originating in the Historic Seaport such as the Conch Republic Independence Celebration are consistent with the original purpose and function of the Key West Bight,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE KEY WEST BIGHT MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the Marina Manager and his staff are authorized to request that the City Manager make a donation from Key West Bight funds to the Conch Republic Independence Celebration, LLC for the 2023 Conch Republic Independence

Celebration.

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 Board.

Passed and adopted by the City Commission at a meeting held this 8th day of March 2023.

Authenticated by the presiding officer and Clerk of the Commission on March 8, 2023.

Filed with the Clerk March 8, 2023

MICHAEL KNOWLES, CHAIRMAN KEY WEST BIGHT MANAGEMENT DISTRICT BOARD

ATTEST:

KIYA TABB, DEPUTY CITY CLERK