



## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Robert G. Walker has exemplified the highest spirit of community service in Monroe County, Florida for over thirty years, and

WHEREAS, as a Teacher and Guidance Counselor at Horace O'Bryant School, and as the Assistant Principal of Glynn Archer Jr. High, Key West, he served with distinction that brought credit to the Key West school system, and

WHEREAS, he has served with merit as the Principal of Glynn Archer Middle School, Key West, and

WHEREAS, as the elected Superintendent of Monroe County Public School District, Robert G. Walker revitalized and advanced education within all of Monroe County, and

WHEREAS, he left retirement in 2001 to lead AIDS Help as Executive Director, providing the leadership to bring life sustaining services, affordable housing and hope for hundreds of men, women and children living with HIV/AIDS in Monroe County, and

WHEREAS, Robert G. Walker has served honorably and with merit as Secretary, Treasurer, Vice-President and President of the Board of the Key West Rotary Club, and

WHEREAS, he has served on the Board of Directors of the Key West Art and Historical Society, the Board of Area Health Education Center, the Board of the South Florida Health Foundation, and many other charitable organizations, and

WHEREAS, Robert G. Walker is the faithful husband of Celia Walker, respected father of seven daughters, and proud grandfather ten times over, and

WHEREAS, the City of Key West, staff of AIDS Help and the general citizenry wish that he enjoy the bountiful benefits of retirement with his wife Celia and family.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Craig Cates, Mayor of the City of Key West, Florida,  
do hereby Proclaim **July 18, 2012** as

### ***Robert G. Walker Day***

In the "Southernmost City of the Continental United States", and urge all of my fellow citizens, residents and visitors of our Southernmost City to join together in honoring Robert G. Walker for making Key West a better place to live for our needy friends and neighbors

WITNESS my hand and seal of the City of Key West, Florida, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 2012.

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Craig Cates, MAYOR