



MEMORANDUM

Date: June 25, 2024

To: Honorable Mayor and Commissioners

From: Brian L. Barroso
City Manager

Subject: **Discussion Item reference the Grand Jury's Report 'Unbuilding Trust: The Grand Jury's Findings on Abuse of Power in Paradise, Directing Staff on the recommendations contained therein**

Introduction

As per direction given at the June 4th, City Commission Meeting, the City Manager's Office was directed to bring forward either a resolution or discussion item at a Special Meeting, scheduled for June 25th, 2025.

Background

On May 29th, 2025, the Grand Jury report concerning Key West City Government was released. During the June 4th City Commission meeting direction was given to the City Manager to schedule a Special Meeting to bring the Grand Jury's findings with recommendations to the Commission. The attached reports summarize the Grand Jury's findings and conclusions as well as comments on the 27 recommendations.

Financial Impact:

A complete financial assessment has not been completed until the City Commission approves Staff recommendations.

Recommendation

The City Manager's Office recommends the Mayor and Commission approve the Discussion Item which will result in the drafting of a resolution to bring forward at a future City Commission Meeting.