

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF
THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, APPROVING
A MURAL TITLED "SPIRIT OF STONEWALL" ON
THE SOUTH SIDE FAÇADE AT 711 DUVAL
STREET; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

WHEREAS, a temporary mural titled "Spirit of Stonewall" was approved by HARC staff on May 29, 2019, and installed on the south façade of the building located at 711 Duval Street for a period of five months, from June (Pride Month) through October (Fantasy Fest); and

WHEREAS, the mural, made possible through a collaboration between the Key West Business Guild and Aqua Nightclub, has received positive feedback, and the owners of Aqua have requested to keep the mural as a permanent artwork on their south wall; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Code of Ordinances, the applicant meets all requirements for murals in the historic district, including its maintenance and removal; and

WHEREAS, the mural is on a non-contributing building in the historic district, the owner of Aqua has provided City staff with a complete application and a maintenance plan, and agreed to paint over references to the original sponsors of the art work at the side and bottom of the mural; and

WHEREAS, HARC guidelines require City Commission authorization following HARC approval of a mural in the historic district, and staff recommends approval of the mural; and

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

Section 1: That a mural painted on the south façade of Aqua, titled "Spirit of Stonewall," at 711 Duval Street in accordance with the approved HARC application, attached hereto and incorporated herein, is approved, subject to continued compliance with HARC guidelines.

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 _____ day of _____, 2019.

Authenticated by the Presiding Officer and Clerk of the Commission on _____ day of _____, 2019.

Filed with the Clerk on _____, 2019.

Mayor Teri Johnston _____

Vice Mayor Sam Kaufman _____

Commissioner Gregory Davila _____

Commissioner Mary Lou Hoover _____

Commissioner Clayton Lopez _____

Commissioner Billy Wardlow _____

Commissioner Jimmy Weekley _____

TERI JOHNSTON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK