

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE KEY WEST ART CENTER, INC. TO CONDUCT THE KEY WEST ART & CRAFT FESTIVAL ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2027, AND SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2027, (SET UP FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2027) DURING THE HOURS OF 10:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M. AT THE TRUMAN WATERFRONT QUAY WALL; PURSUANT TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET FORTH BY THE CITY MANAGER; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, The Key West Art Center, Inc. has applied to the City for a Special Event Permit for a "Key West Art & Craft Festival" at the Truman Waterfront Quay Wall on February 20 & 21, 2027, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA.

SECTION 1. That in Resolution 19-174, the City Commission directed the City Manager to "develop language that restricts the use of polystyrene by individuals on public property, temporary vendors on public property, or entities engaged in a contractual relationship with the local government for the provision of goods or services, unless such use is otherwise preempted by law."

SECTION 2. That vendor/lessee/licensee/contractor acknowledges the City's concern about the negative environmental impact of using disposable polystyrene products, which are neither readily recyclable nor biodegradable. Vendor/Lessee/licensee/contractor

therefore commits to refrain from the use or distribution of single-use polystyrene/plastic items, including but not limited to single-use polystyrene/plastic straws, bags, plastic utensils and "to go" packages for food or products sold on any property leased from the City.

SECTION 3. That Key West Art Center, Inc. is hereby granted a Special Event Permit under Section 6-86 of the Key West Code of Ordinances for an event that will take place at the time and place herein described; PROVIDED that all trash is adequately collected and contained; that a guarantee indemnifying the City is executed; and that the organization meets the terms and conditions set forth by the City Manager.

SECTION 4. That Key West Art Center, Inc. is hereby granted permission to use the Truman Waterfront Quay Wall on the date and during the hours stated above.

SECTION 5. That Key West Art Center, Inc. will adhere to the recycling plan of the City of Key West, that one (1) recycling container for every one (1) trash barrels will be used and that they will be placed side by side.

SECTION 6. That Key West Art Center, Inc. pledges that proceeds will benefit the operations and upkeep of an 1800's historic City owned building at 301 Front Street.

SECTION 7. That Key West Art Center, Inc. acknowledges that

they are responsible for payment to the Key West Police Department, the Key West Fire Department and Community Services.

SECTION 8. That this Resolution shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and adoption and authentication by the signatures of the presiding officer and Clerk of the Commission.

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Passed and adopted by the City Commission at a meeting held
this _____ day of _____, 2026.

Authenticated by the Presiding Officer and Clerk of the
Commission on _____ day of _____, 2026.

Filed with the Clerk on _____, 2026.

Mayor Danise Henriquez	_____
Vice Mayor Donald "Donie" Lee	_____
Commissioner Lisette Carey	_____
Commissioner Aaron Castillo	_____
Commissioner Monica Haskell	_____
Commissioner Mary Lou Hoover	_____
Commissioner Sam Kaufman	_____

DANISE HENRIQUEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

KERI O'BRIEN, CITY CLERK