



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the members of Key West Elks Lodge #0551 have served the veterans and youth of Key West for decades, through scholarship programs, grant programs and volunteer service for individuals and non-profit groups; and

WHEREAS, during the Covid-19 Pandemic, the Elks have supported community organizations such as Take Stock in Children, Kids Come First, Florida Keys Cancer Society, Volunteers of America and the SOS Foundation with grants funded through the Grand Lodge Gratitude Grant program; and

WHEREAS, the Elks Lodge is always seeking new community organizations in need of volunteers and financial support; and

WHEREAS, the Elks Lodge will host a huge yard sale on January 9, 2021, to raise funds for its annual senior scholarship program.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TERI JOHNSTON, MAYOR of the City of Key West, do hereby proclaim January 9th, 2020 as

FLORIDA ELKS LODGE #0551 DAY

In the "Southernmost City of the Continental United States."
I would like to urge all citizens, residents and visitors of our Southernmost City to participate fittingly in the observation.

WITNESS our hand and seal of the City of Key West, Florida, this 5th day of

January 2021.

Teri Johnston, Mayor

Billy Wardlow, District III Commissioner

Gregory Davila, District IV Commissioner