

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING FLORIDA SENATE BILL 88, WHICH WOULD REPEAL CURRENT STATE PREEMPTIONS OF LOCAL LAW RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF POLYSTYRENE PRODUCTS, PLASTIC BAGS, WRAPPINGS AND CONTAINERS; AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO TRANSMIT CERTIFIED COPIES OF THE RESOLUTION; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the Florida Senate is considering Senate Bill 88, which, if passed, would remove/repeal the preemption of local laws regulating the use of polystyrene products, plastic bags, wrappings and containers; and

WHEREAS, this bill, if passed by the Florida Senate and House, would allow the City of Key West along with other cities and counties, to regulate the use of plastic shopping bags, and other products that are difficult or impossible to recycle, and by doing so reduce waste and better protect our environment; and

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

Section 1: That the Key West City Commission supports SB 88 and urges its legislators to support such measures.

Section 2: That the Key West City Commission urges Representative Raschein and the Florida House to consider and enact a companion House Bill to SB 88.

Section 3: That the City Clerk is hereby authorized to transmit a certified copy of this Resolution to State Senator Anitere Flores, State Representative Holly Raschein, Governor Ron DeSantis and members of the Florida House and Senate leadership.

Section 4: 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	_____

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TERI JOHNSTON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK