



COMMENDATION

It is with great pride that the City of Key West shall honor Thomas O'Connell as the winner of the Key West High School Academic Achievement Award. Thomas is a very intelligent young man who is actively engaged and driven to achieve in school. He challenges himself with a rigid academic course load in which he maintains an impressive 4.7 weighted GPA. Active in band since HOB, Thomas has achieved much success with his devotion to music. He has earned superior ratings at the District and State level for Solo and Ensemble performances and he is the first chair Alto Saxophone player and section leader for the KWHS marching band program. Thomas is also a member of the National Honor Society. Teachers consider him to be a role model for his peers both academically and behaviorally. Following graduation Thomas plans to attend the University of Florida and major in Electrical Engineering. The City of Key West is honored to have a student of such caliber and dedication as part of our community.

In recognition of this honor, the City of Key West hereby presents this
Commendation to:

THOMAS O'CONNELL

WITNESS my hand and seal of the City of Key West, Florida, this 19th day of October, 2010.

Craig Cates, MAYOR