

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, REQUESTING THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (FDOT) TO REMOVE THE PROPOSED RAILING ALONG THE SEAWALL ON THE NORTH SIDE OF NORTH ROOSEVELT BOULEVARD FROM PLANS FOR RIGHT-OF-WAY IMPROVEMENTS SCHEDULED FOR NORTH ROOSEVELT BOULEVARD; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation is finalizing plans to reconstruct and improve certain parts of North Roosevelt Boulevard in Key West; and

WHEREAS, in recent plans there has appeared a proposed railing along the seawall, where currently no railing exists, except where required by ADA guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission, upon recommendation of staff, has determined that the proposed railing would be detrimental to the project, and a seawall configuration to match the recently completed South Roosevelt Blvd. seawall is the desired construction along North Roosevelt; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission seeks to ensure that the North Roosevelt Blvd project results in a right-of-way which is aesthetically pleasing and enhances public safety;

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

Section 1: That the City Commission hereby requests FDOT to remove the proposed railing along the seawall on the north side of North Roosevelt Boulevard from the plans for right-of-way improvements.

Section 2: That the City Commission requests a seawall configuration along North Roosevelt Boulevard which matches the recently completed South Roosevelt Boulevard seawall.

Section 3: 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 _____ 2012.

Authenticated by the presiding officer and Clerk of the Commission on _____, 2012.

Filed with the Clerk _____, 2012.

CRAIG CATES, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK