

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA,
AMENDING CHAPTER 2 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES
ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION" BY ADOPTING A NEW
DISTRICT BOUNDARY MAP FOR THE CITY
COMMISSION'S ELECTORAL DISTRICTS; PROVIDING
FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF
INCONSISTENT PROVISIONS; PROVIDING FOR AN
EFFECTIVE DATE**

WHEREAS, Section 2-61 of the Code of Ordinances requires the City Commission every ten years to adopt a new district boundary map; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission appointed a Redistricting and Charter Revision Commission which, in part, has recommended a new map with redrawn district boundary lines designed to maintain substantially equal population in the six voting districts and to conform such district lines with U.S. Census blocks; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has accepted the recommendation of the Redistricting and Charter Review Commission; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission finds that the adoption of a new district boundary map will fulfill its responsibilities under Section 2-61 and serve the best interests of the citizens of Key West;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA:

Section 1: That a 2021 District Boundary Map, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", is hereby adopted.

Section 2: If any section, provision, clause, phrase, or application of this Ordinance is held invalid or unconstitutional for any reason by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed severable therefrom and shall be construed as reasonable and necessary to achieve the lawful purposes of this Ordinance.

Section 3: All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances of said City in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby superseded to the extent of such conflict.

Section 4: This Ordinance 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.

Read and passed on first reading at a regular meeting held this _____ day of _____, 2021.

Read and passed on final reading at a regular meeting held this _____ day of _____, 2021.

Authenticated by the presiding officer and Clerk of the Commission on _____ day of _____, 2021.

Filed with the Clerk _____, 2021.

Mayor Teri Johnston	_____
Vice Mayor Sam Kaufman	_____
Commissioner Gregory Davila	_____
Commissioner Mary Lou Hoover	_____
Commissioner Clayton Lopez	_____
Commissioner Billy Wardlow	_____
Commissioner Jimmy Weekley	_____

TERI JOHNSTON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK