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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING APPROVAL OF THE MONROE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM TO RENEW FLEXIBLE FUNDING FOR MONROE COUNTY SCHOOLS; URGING CITIZENS TO VOTE IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 31, 2012; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 1011.73(2), Florida Statutes, the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County has called a special election for January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2012, for the voters of Monroe County School District to vote on an ad valorem millage adjustment for operating expenses of the School District; and

WHEREAS, approving the renewal of the School District ad valorem tax of .5 mil for operating purposes will not increase individual tax bills, instead, it will affect where the school district can use tax funds — in either the General Fund or the Capital Fund; and

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

Section 1: The Key West City Commission supports the Monroe County School District referendum to renew flexible funding in the form of a yearly ad valorem tax of .5 mil, for four years, beginning July 1, 2012, for operating purposes.

Section 2: That qualified voters in the City of Key
West are urged to cast a ballot in favor of the School District
Referendum during the special election of January 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2012.
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 onday of, 2012.
Filed with the Clerk on, 2012.
CRAIG CATES, MAYOR ATTEST:
CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK