

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO PREPARE THE SITE AT 525 ANGELA STREET FOR DEMOLITION AND CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW FIRE STATION; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Commission Resolution 09-058, the City Commission selected 525 Angela Street as the location of a new City administration facility, which includes parking, a fire station and City Hall; and

WHEREAS, Commission resolution 10-071 prohibited further expenditures for construction at 525 Angela Street until the feasibility of utilizing the Glynn Archer site on White Street for a City Hall was determined; and

WHEREAS, regardless of the location of City Hall, a new fire station and parking facilities will be built at 525 Angela Street; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Resolution 10-071, the Madeline Bean Building is no longer occupied and the remainder of City staff anticipates vacating the building at 525 Angela Street in the upcoming months; and

WHEREAS, City voters will decide in November whether the City is authorized to acquire the Glynn Archer property; and

WHEREAS, expeditious demolition of the Madeline Bean Building and structures at 525 Angela Street will provide additional parking and increased revenues; and

WHEREAS, preparations for the location and construction of a new fire station at 525 Angela Street should not be delayed further by the on-going discussions concerning the location of City Hall.

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

Section 1: That the City Manager is directed to immediately take all necessary steps to prepare the site at 525 Angela & 604 Simonton Streets for demolition and construction of a new fire station.

Section 2: 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 _____, 2010.

Authenticated by the presiding officer and Clerk of the Commission on _____, 2010.

Filed with the Clerk _____, 2010.

CRAIG CATES, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK