



- WHEREAS, The Key West Lady Conchs 8/9 U Softball Travel Team completed the 2013 year ranked **9th** in the entire Country; and
- WHEREAS, These impressive young women are an example of what can be accomplished with hard work, teamwork, sportsmanship and dedication; and
- WHEREAS, Many of these girls began playing travel softball at the start of the summer and from **June 2013** through **December 2013** traveled nearly **4,000** miles to compete in multiple tournaments proudly representing the City of Key West; and
- WHEREAS, As a community we want to duly recognize: Nevaeh Arnold, Emily Bracher, Abby Collins, Chloe Gilday, Marina Goins, Miesha Hernandez, Caroline Holmes, Madeline Marciniak, Dharma Murray, Isabella Perez, Alexandra Rodriguez, Reily Ryan, Scoutt Ryan, Annie Saunders, Allison Smith, Caroline Smith, Natalina Tobin, Catherine Van Staden, Montunique Van Staden, Annabelle Vaughn, Yahaira Williams, their parents, coaches and sponsors; and
- WHEREAS, On behalf of the entire City of Key West, we applaud and commend these young athletes for their achievements and wish them much continued success.
- WHEREAS, Based upon their strong showing in 2013, the members of this team playing on the upcoming 8U travel team enter the season ranked **4th** in the Nation.
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor Craig Cates and District V City Commissioner Teri Johnston, do hereby declare February 6, 2014,  
(the night of opening ceremonies for the 2014 softball season) as

## Key West Lady Conchs 2013 8/9U Travel Softball Team Day

We urge all citizens, residents and visitors in "Southernmost City of the Continental United States" to congratulate and support the efforts of this tremendously dedicated group of young ladies.

WITNESS our hand and seal of the City of Key West, Florida, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of February 2014.

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Teri Johnston, District V City Commissioner

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Craig Cates, Mayor