



## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Bob George a native Conch, graduated from Key West High School 1957 and went on to study at the University of Florida, Ringling School of Art and the University of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, Bob George loved his Country and contributed his artistic talent to create artwork which honors the American soldiers; and

WHEREAS, Bob George won two awards in the first Johnson City Veterans Art Show, First place with the blue ribbon for his painting titled "The 101<sup>st</sup> in Vietnam" and The Patriot with the red ribbon for his painting titled "That Particular Moment"; and

WHEREAS, Bob was chosen as Great Smokey Mountain National Park 2010 Wildflower Artist of the year and his artwork has been displayed at the Smithsonian National Air & Space Museum, the White House, Pentagon and U.S. Park Service visitor centers; and

WHEREAS, Bob George's final assignment before his discharge from the US Army in 1974 was at the White House; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Craig Cates, Mayor, Billy Wardlow, District 3 City Commissioner, Mark Rossi Vice Mayor, Jimmy Weekley, District 1 City Commissioner, Tony (Fat) Yaniz, District 4 City Commissioner of the City of Key West, do hereby proclaim November 16, 2013 as;

## BOB GEORGE DAY

in the "Southernmost City of the Continental United States" I would like to urge all citizens, residents and visitors of our Southernmost City to participate fittingly in the observation.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the City of Key West, Florida, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 2013.

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Craig Cates, Mayor

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Mark Rossi, Vice Mayor

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Billy Wardlow, District 3  
City Commissioner

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Jimmy Weekley, District 1  
City Commissioner

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Tony (FAT) Yaniz, District 4  
City Commissioner