

WHEREAS, The City of Key West is proud to formally recognize the Under-14 Key West Travel Soccer team in their stunning victory during the weekend of January 15, 16 and 17th the team performed flawlessly scoring five victories and defeating five opponents by shutout; and

WHEREAS, The City of Key West recognizes the immense positive effect of youth soccer in the community of Key West; and

WHEREAS, The City of Key West does also recognize that the sport of soccer has the greatest number of youth participants of any youth sport activity; and

WHEREAS, The City of Key West does hereby recognize that for the first time history of U-14 Boys AYSO Travel Team soccer that a Key West team brought home to our community a State Championship; and

WHEREAS, The City of Key West recognizes the positive sportsmanship displayed by the entire U-14 boys soccer team throughout the entire tournament which other teams and parents throughout the State of Florida were witness to the exceptional character of Key West youth; and

WHEREAS, The City of Key West is aware that youth soccer, much like other youth sports in The City of Key West relies on many adult volunteer coaches, managers and parents to facilitate youth sport programs; and

WHEREAS, The City recognizes Mike Bravo head coach of the U-14 boys' team soccer coach and Shawnda Renner manager of the team who by tireless effort and stellar example helped lead the team to victory.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Craig Cates, Mayor of the City of Key West, do hereby proclaim February 1st, 2011 as

U-14 BOYS SOCCER 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 1st day of February 2011.