

KEY WEST WILDLIFE CENTER

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Key West Artisan Market - Letter of Support

Good Afternoon,

The Key West Wildlife Center strongly endorses and supports the Key West Artisan Market operating at the Indigenous Park lot. The Market benefits Key West by allowing a wide variety of locally sourced products to be made available to the larger community. This event also focuses on area art and handicrafts, allowing these to be showcased in a unique setting to support island artists and craftspeople. The Artisan Market also spotlights local entertainers, non-profit organizations, area food, demonstrations, and children's activities, acting as a true community support and resource. The Artisan Market stands apart with its true focus on providing opportunity, support and outlets for the unique combination of resident artisans, culinarians and non-profit organizations that are represented at the events.

The Key West Wildlife Center appreciates the opportunity to be a part of the Artisan Market. Not only does this ongoing event benefit the community at large, it also helps support local non-profits by raising awareness and directly impacting them through donations and local resourcing. Since our wildlife rescue and rehabilitation programs are completely supported by community donations, we strongly support the establishment of the Market at the Indigenous Park parking lot location.

Respectfully submitted,



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Executive Director
Key West Wildlife Center