RESOLUTION	NO.	

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, RANKING THE PROPOSALS RECEIVED IN RESPONSE TO RFP 007-13 FOR EXTERNAL AUDITING SERVICES; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE A CONTRACT IN SUBSTANTIAL CONFORMANCE WITH THE BID DOCUMENTS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City issued Request for Proposals 007-13 on May 29, 2013 for external auditing services; and

WHEREAS, eight firms responded, and it was determined that five proposals were fully responsive to the RFP; and

WHEREAS, a committee comprised of City staff convened at a properly noticed meeting conducted consistent with the "Sunshine Law," on July 31, 2013, and ranked the responsive proposals, in order of their qualifications; and

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

	Section	on 1:	That	the	propos	sals	s for	exte	ernal	auditi	ng	services
are	hereby	ranke	d and	l apı	proved	by	the	City	Comm	ission	as	follows:

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Section 2: That the City Manager is hereby authorized to negotiate a contract with the first ranked firm. Should the City Manager be unable to negotiate an acceptable contract with the first ranked firm, he shall discontinue negotiations and commence negotiations with the second ranked firm.

Section 3: Upon completion of negotiations, the City Manager is authorized to execute a contract upon advice and consent of the City Attorney in substantial conformance with the RFP documents.

Section 4: 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	i ac a meeering nera
this day of,	2013.
Authenticated by the presiding officer	and Clerk of the
Commission on, 2013.	
Filed with the Clerk,	2013.
Mayor Craig Cates	
Vice Mayor Mark Rossi	
Commissioner Teri Johnston	
Commissioner Clayton Lopez	
Commissioner Billy Wardlow	
Commissioner Jimmy Weekley	
Commissioner Tony Yaniz	
CRAIG CATES	, MAYOR
ATTEST:	
CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK	