

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING CUMULATIVE EXPENDITURES IN EXCESS OF \$20,000.00 DURING FY 11-12 TO AUTHORIZED STATE CONTRACT VENDORS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, SPECIAL PRODUCTS GROUP (SPG), GALLS, LAW ENFORCEMENT SUPPLY, AND LOU'S POLICE DISTRIBUTORS, INC., FOR POLICE EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Section 2-796 of the Code of Ordinances requires competitive bidding for purchases or services in excess of \$20,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Key West Police Department has a need to use certain sole source providers, authorized pursuant to State government contract, to obtain certain products and/or services which are essential to Department operations, regional and state interoperability, and to ensure the safety and welfare of public safety officers; and

WHEREAS, the Key West Police Department often makes small purchases from several entities which may, over the course of a fiscal year, cumulatively exceed \$20,000.00; and

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

Section 1: That the expenditure of funds in excess of \$20,000.00 to authorized State contract vendors, including, but not limited to, Special Products Group (SPG), Galls, Law Enforcement Supply, DGG Taser and Tactical Supply, and Lou's Police Distributors, Inc., is hereby authorized, so long as the Police Chief and the Finance Director approve of the budgeted purchase(s).

Section 2: With respect to blanket purchase orders, the provisions of the purchasing code must be followed for each individual purchase to ensure the best possible price is obtained for the benefit of the City and its taxpayers.

Section 3: 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 at a meeting held this _____ day of _____, 2011.

Authenticated by the presiding officer and Clerk of the Commission on _____, 2011.

Filed with the Clerk _____, 2011.

CRAIG CATES, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK