EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

TO: Jim Scholl, City Manager

FROM: Vivian Perez.

Executive Aide Mayor and Commissioners

DATE: March 9, 2011

SUBJECT: Approving Contact Agreement with GrayRobinson Lobbying

ACTION STATEMENT:

This resolution will approve the contract between the City of Key West and GrayRobinson.

BACKGROUND:

The previous contract and Resolution No. 09-024 approving an extension for lobbying services expired on January 31, 2011.

The proposed contract is virtually identical to the contract approved by the City of Key West in Resolution 09-024, including payment for service of \$6,000.00 a month with some routine expenses. The only minor change is that the "Term of Agreement" provision is clarified and, the "Limited Waiver of Conflicts" provision has been amended to acknowledge that the firm represents Monroe County and other municipalities with similar agreements.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

The City of Key West appropriated funds for lobbying service for FY10/11, in the amount of \$6,000.00 a month plus expenses which falls within the contract.

