

RESOLUTION NO. 23-296

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, GRANTING A SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT PURSUANT TO SECTION 6-86 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO THE KEY WEST FILM FESTIVAL AT THE SOUTHERNMOST MANSION – 1400 DUVAL STREET ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2023, FROM 8:00 P.M. TO 11:00 P.M; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS Section 6-86 of the Key West Code of Ordinances requires a Special Event Permit to depart from the requirements of the City's Noise Control Ordinance; and

WHEREAS the Key West Film Festival Corporation has applied to the city for a Special Event Permit for an event to take place on Thursday, November 16, 2023, from 8:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

WHEREAS this event shall take place at the Southernmost Mansion – 1400 Duval Street.

WHEREAS amplified sound will consist of light house music and guests attending the event.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of Key West, Florida:

SECTION 1. That in Resolution 19-174, the City Commission directed the city Manager to “develop language that restricts the use of polystyrene by individuals on public property, temporary vendors on public property, or entities engaged in a contractual relationship with the local government for the local government for the provision of good or services, unless such use is otherwise preempted by law.”

SECTION 2. “That the vendor/lessee/licensee acknowledges the City’s concern about the negative environmental impact of using disposable polystyrene products, which are neither readily recyclable nor biodegradable. Vendor/Lessee/licensee/contractor therefore commits to refrain from the use of polystyrene/plastic straws, bags, plastic utensils and “To go” packages for food or products sold on any property leased from the City.”

SECTION 3. That the Key West Film Festival Corporation is hereby granted a Special Event Permit under Section 6-86 of the Key West Code of Ordinances for an event that will take place at the place and time as herein described.

SECTION 4. That this Resolution shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and adoption and authentication by the signatures of the presiding officer and Clerk of the Commission.

Passed and adopted by the Commission at a meeting held this 9th day of November, 2023.

Authenticated by the presiding officer and Clerk of the Commission on November 9, 2023.

