

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA,  
AMENDING CHAPTER 2 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES  
ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION" BY ADOPTING A NEW  
DISTRICT BOUNDARY MAP FOR THE CITY COMMISSION'S  
ELECTORAL DISTRICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY;  
PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF INCONSISTENT PROVISIONS;  
PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Section 2-61 of the Code of Ordinances requires the  
City Commission every ten years to adopt a new district boundary map;  
and

WHEREAS, the City Commission appointed a Redistricting and  
Charter Revision Commission which, in part, has recommended a new map  
with redrawn district boundary lines designed to maintain  
substantially equal population in the six voting districts and to  
conform such district lines with U.S. Census blocks; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has accepted the recommendation of  
the Redistricting and Charter Review Commission; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission finds that the adoption of a new  
district boundary map will fulfill its responsibilities under Section  
2-61 and serve the best interests of the citizens of Key West;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF KEY WEST,  
FLORIDA:

Section 1: That a 2012 District Boundary Map, attached  
hereto as Exhibit "A", is hereby adopted.

Section 2. If any section, provision, clause, phrase, or application of this Ordinance is held invalid or unconstitutional for any reason by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed severable therefrom and shall be construed as reasonable and necessary to achieve the lawful purposes of this Ordinance.

Section 3. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances of said City in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby superseded to the extent of such conflict.

Section 4. This Ordinance 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.

Read and passed on first reading at a regular meeting held this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012.

Read and passed on final reading at a regular meeting held this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012.

Authenticated by the presiding officer and Clerk of the Commission on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012.

Filed with the Clerk \_\_\_\_\_, 2012.

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CRAIG CATES, MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK