

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, GRANTING A SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT TO KEY WEST TRACK & FIELD CLUB, INC. FOR THE POLE VAULT IN PARADISE + RUN FOR PARADISE AT HIGGS BEACH ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 7 2027, THROUGH SUNDAY, JANUARY 10, 2027, FROM 8:00 A.M. TO 9:00 P.M. (SETUP BEGINNING ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 2027); PURSUANT TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET FORTH BY THE CITY MANAGER; AUTHORIZING THE SALE AND CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES WITHIN THE ENCLOSED AREA; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Key West Track & Field Club, Inc. has applied to the City for a Special Event Permit for their event "Pole Vault in Paradise + Run for Paradise" to take place on Thursday, January 7, 2027, through Sunday, January 10, 2027, from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. (Setup beginning on Thursday, January 7, 2027), at Higgs Beach.

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 provision of goods or services, unless such use is otherwise preempted by law."

SECTION 2. That vendor/lessee/licensee/contractor 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 Key West Track & Field Club, Inc. 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 time and place as herein described; PROVIDED that all trash is adequately collected and contained; that a guarantee indemnifying the City is executed; and that organization meets the terms and conditions set forth by the City Manager.

SECTION 4. That pursuant to Section 18-86 of the Key West Code of Ordinances, Key West Track & Field Club, Inc. is hereby granted permission allowing the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages within the enclosed area.

SECTION 5. That Key West Track & Field Club, Inc. must post the required notice regarding prohibition of purchase and sale of alcoholic beverages to persons under 21 years of age.

SECTION 6. That Key West Track & Field Club, Inc. will adhere to the recycling plan of the City of Key West, and that one (1) recycling container for every one (1) trash barrel will be used and that they will be placed side by side.

SECTION 7. That Key West Track & Field Club, Inc. acknowledges

that they are responsible for payment to the Key West Police Department, the Key West Fire Department and Community Services.

SECTION 8. That this Resolution shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and adoption and authentication by the signatures of the presiding officer and the Clerk of the Commission.

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Passed and adopted by the City Commission at a meeting held
this _____ day of _____, 2026.

Authenticated by the Presiding Officer and Clerk of the
Commission on _____ day of _____, 2026.

Filed with the Clerk on _____, 2026.

Mayor Danise Henriquez	_____
Vice Mayor Donald "Donie" Lee	_____
Commissioner Lisette Carey	_____
Commissioner Aaron Castillo	_____
Commissioner Monica Haskell	_____
Commissioner Sam Kaufman	_____
Commissioner Greg Veliz	_____

DANISE HENRIQUEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

KERI O'BRIEN, CITY CLERK