



THE CITY OF KEY WEST
Code Compliance Division
P.O. BOX 1409
KEY WEST, FL 33041
(305) 809-3740

**NOTICE OF CODE VIOLATION AND
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING**

DATE: November 29, 2012
RE: CASE NUMBER 12-1489

CERTIFIED MAIL RECEIPT#: 7003 3110 0003 4758 4198

To:
Amber Shaffer
PO Box 2201
Key West, FL 33040

Subject Address:
All Keys Construction Inc.
1700 N Roosevelt Blvd
Key West, FL 33040

TAKE NOTICE that the City of Key West Code Compliance Division has requested the City of Key West Special Magistrate to conduct an administrative hearing regarding code violation(s) reported to you by **NOTICE OF CODE VIOLATION** concerning the above noted subject address.

You were noticed that your property is in violation of the City of Key West Code of Ordinances for the following reason(s):

Count 1: Sec. 18-117 Act declared unlawful

It shall be unlawful for any contractor, as defined in section 18-116, operating anywhere within the city, licensed individually or as a firm contractor, or any officers, directors or qualified representatives of a firm contractor to commit any one or more of the acts or omissions set forth in this section. It shall also be unlawful for any property owner to commit any one or more of the acts or omissions set forth in this section as it may pertain to a property owner who directly employs others to perform construction work at a property. Violations of this section by a property owner shall be subject to the authority of the special master. The following acts are declared unlawful:

(8) Aid or abet an unlicensed person to evade the provisions of this article or allow his license to be used by any unlicensed person or to act as an agent of an unlicensed person with the intent to evade this article.

To wit: On or about October 9, 2012, Eye Catcher Display & Signage (Cindy's Signs Inc.) was installing a sign. The permit was issued to All Keys Construction Inc. Eye Catcher Display and Signage does not have a license to install signs.

In accordance with Florida Statutes § 162 and Code of Ordinances, City of Key West, § 2-631 through § 2-647, The City of Key West has scheduled a hearing to be held at **Old City Hall, 510 Greene Street, Key West, Florida at 1:30 P.M. on:**

December 19, 2012

The Chambers will be open at 1:00 PM. These proceedings may be televised.

The purpose of this hearing is to determine if a violation(s) exists, the appropriate action to be taken, if any is required, and if any fines or penalties are to be imposed. **YOU ARE REQUESTED TO APPEAR AT THIS HEARING** to present evidence and/or testimony to show cause, if any, why you should not comply with City Ordinances. **YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR MAY RESULT IN A FINE OR PENALTY BEING IMPOSED AGAINST YOU AND A LIEN BEING IMPOSED UPON YOUR PROPERTY.**

You have a right to have an attorney present at the hearing. If an attorney represents you, your attorney must file written notice with this office prior to the hearing date.

If you intend to request a continuance from the Hearing Date set out above you must submit a written request for a continuance addressed to the Special Magistrate and mailed to PO Box 1409, Key West, FL 33041 or delivered to the Special Magistrate's Legal Analyst at 3139 Riviera Drive, Key West, FL 33040. All requests must be received at least five (5) working days prior to the Hearing Date set out above. If the request is not received five (5) working days prior to the Hearing Date you or your attorney must appear on the Hearing Date to petition the Special Magistrate for a continuance. If any continuance is granted this will not stay discovery and all records previously requested must be supplied to the City or formally objected to.

Be advised that, if you decide to appeal any decision of the Special Magistrate in this code enforcement hearing, you shall be responsible to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings of this code enforcement hearing is made, such that any evidence and testimony upon which an appeal may be based can be submitted to the appellate court.

If you are found to be in violation of City of Key West Ordinances, administrative costs in the amount of **\$250.00** may be levied for administrative recovery for prosecution and investigation in addition to levied fines associated with the violation(s). **Failure to pay these costs will result in a lien against the property in violation.**

PER FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 162.09, YOUR FAILURE TO CORRECT THE VIOLATION (S) MAY RESULT IN THE IMPOSITION OF A FINE OF UP TO \$250.00/DAY, AND \$500.00/DAY FOR A REPEAT VIOLATION. IF THE VIOLATION (S) IS IRREPARABLE OR IRREVERSIBLE, A FINE OF UP TO \$5000.00 MAY BE IMPOSED BY THE SPECIAL MAGISTRATE. FINES MAY BE IMPOSED ON A PER DAY/ PER VIOLATION BASIS.



Kevin Caruso
Code Compliance Officer
City of Key West

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