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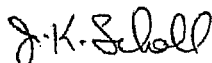
Re: Boating Infrastructure Grant Program

Dear Sir or Madam,

This letter is to confirm that the City of Key West is applying for the Boating Infrastructure Grant Program for the 2010 cycle. While being the boating gateway between the Gulf of Mexico and Atlantic Ocean, the City of Key West currently lacks sufficient boating infrastructure to meet such a high demand. The proposed development of Harry Truman Presidential Waterfront Park would help provide additional marina and upland facilities for boaters who choose the City of Key West as a boating destination. The land for the proposed facility was transferred from the United States of America (acting through the Navy) to the City of Key West in 2002 through a Memorandum of Understanding and City Resolution 02-310.

If able to secure Boating Infrastructure Grants Program Funds, The City of Key West plans to construct and operate the facility under the guidelines and requirements set forth by U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission. The City of Key West will bring a resolution before the City Commission on September 7, 2010 to provide additional documentation to this matter and meet the requirements set forth in the grant application. Additionally, this letter is acknowledge that Jim Scholl, Key West City Manager, is the Project Manager and has the ability and responsibility of applying and administering Boating Infrastructure Grant Program funds, if awarded.

Sincerely,

  
James K. Scholl  
Key West City Manager