

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, AMENDING GENERAL PARK RULES IN CHAPTER 26, SECTION 26-101 (a), EXHIBIT A OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES ENTITLED "ENVIRONMENT"; PROVIDING FOR A PROHIBITION OF STANDING OR SITING ON RAILINGS; PROVIDING FOR A PROHIBITION OF TANDING OR SITTING ON PARK MONUMENTS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 26-101(b), of the Code of Ordinances, the City Commission may amend Park Rules by Resolution;

WHEREAS, the City of Key West finds that diving, jumping or causing another to fall from a pier or quay presents a clear hazard to the safety of City park users;

WHEREAS, the City of Key West finds that individuals climbing, walking, sitting, or standing on any pier or quay railings, wall, or monuments presents an appreciable fall hazard to users of City parks;

WHEREAS, the City of Key West finds that trash, refuse, debris or fishing line that is not properly disposed of will find its way into the environment and potentially harm aquatic life;

WHEREAS, the City of Key West finds skateboarding or rollerblading on any pier or quay surface not intended for such use presents safety hazards to users of City Parks, and further such misuse will potentially result in property damage and unnecessary expense to the City;

WHEREAS, the City of Key West finds that cutting bait and cleaning fish on any surface of a pier or quay not designed for this purpose will result in sanitary concerns and the unsightly appearance of City parks; and

WHEREAS, City staff recommends an amendment to the general park rules, to protect the health, welfare and safety of residents and visitors of the City of Key West;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That Chapter 26 of the Code of Ordinances, Section 26-101(a), attached as Exhibit A is hereby amended.

Section 2: The amended rules, above, shall supersede the rules previously set forth in "Exhibit "A" attached to Ordinance No. 12-04.

Section 3: City staff is directed to ensure that a list of all current park rules is posted by the entrance to each City park in a timely manner.

Section 4: That this Resolution 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.

Passed and adopted by the City Commission at a meeting held this  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.

Authenticated by the Presiding Officer and Clerk of the Commission  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.

Filed with the Clerk on \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.

Mayor Craig Cates	_____
Vice Mayor Mark Rossi	_____
Commissioner Teri Johnston	_____
Commissioner Clayton Lopez	_____
Commissioner Billy Wardlow	_____
Commissioner Jimmy Weekley	_____
Commissioner Tony Yaniz	_____

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MARK ROSSI, VICE MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK