## RESOLUTION NO. \_25-03\_

A RESOLUTION OF THE SUSTAINABILITY ADVISORY BOARD OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING AND RECOMMENDING CROSSTOWN CONNECTOR IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF KEY WEST; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Resolution 09-024 created the Sustainability Advisory Board to advise and assist the City Commission in efforts to make City operations and the community as a whole more sustainable; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 19-085 directed staff to implement complete street features along the Crosstown Connector as part of the Key West Bicycle And Pedestrian Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 20-009 directed staff to work with the County and State to create policies and goals for right-of-way projects to incorporate "Complete and Sustainable Streets" and the target of "Vision Zero", setting a "Vision Zero" goal to achieve zero collision-caused right-of-way fatalities and serious injuries by the year 2035; and

WHEREAS, The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) administers federal funding known as Transportation Alternative Set-Aside program (TA) funding for improving bicycle and pedestrian facilities through a competitive process; and

WHEREAS, competitive TA grant application submissions

benefit from demonstrating public awareness, involvement, and support; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SUSTAINABILITY

ADVISORY BOARD OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the Sustainability Advisory Board finds that complete street improvements to the Crosstown Connector bicycle route east of  $14^{\rm th}$  Street, including an improved connection to South Roosevelt Blvd for non-motorized users, will enhance the health and safety of residents of the City of Key West.

Section 2: That the Sustainability Advisory Board recommends the City Commission of the City of Key West support and advance improvements to the Crosstown Connector bicycle route east of  $14^{\rm th}$  Street where feasible.

Section 3: 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 Sustainability Advisory Board.

Passed and adopted by the Sustainability Advisory Board at a meeting held this  $\_14^{\rm th}\_$  day of  $\_0ctober\_$ , 2025.

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| ATTEST:                 | _         | SHELLY  | KRUEGER, | CHAIR  | -   |
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