

City of Key West, FL

City Hall 1300 White Street Key West FL 33040

Action Minutes - Final

City Commission

Mayor Teri Johnston
Vice-Mayor Sam Kaufman
Commissioner Lissette Carey
Commissioner Mary Lou Hoover
Commissioner Clayton Lopez
Commissioner Billy Wardlow
Commissioner Jimmy Weekley

Charter Officials

Albert Childress, City Manager Cheri Smith, City Clerk Ronald Ramsingh, City Attorney

Tuesday, April 4, 2023 5:00 PM City Hall

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CALL MEETING TO ORDER - 5:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

Present 7 - Commissioner Carey, Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Wardlow, Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

MOMENT OF SILENCE

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

APPROVAL OF AGENDA - The agenda was unanimously approved as amended

PROCLAMATIONS

1 Key West AYSO Soccer Champions Day

Sponsors: City Commission

Attachments: Proclamation

Received and Filed

2 Sexual Assault Awareness Month

Sponsors: City Commission

Attachments: Proclamation

Received and Filed

3 Women's History Month Honoree - Carmen Turner

Sponsors: City Commission

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Proclamation</u>

Received and Filed

4 National Public Health Week

Sponsors: City Commission

Attachments: Proclamation

Received and Filed

PRESENTATIONS

5 FIRM (Fair Insurance Rates in Monroe)

Sponsors: Mayor Johnston

Attachments: Presentation

Received and Filed

Workforce Housing Group - Erin Perdu, Stantec

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Presentation

Received and Filed

Elisa Levy - Update on Strategic Plan

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

<u>Attachments:</u> April 2023 Quarterly Update on Key West Forward PDF

Master Calendar for for FY22-23

Received and Filed

City Attorney's Report

City Manager McLauchlin's Report

- -Charles Major-30 Years of Service
- -Ambassador Class 38 Graduation
- -John Jones Navigation Center Update
- -Bayview Park Update
- -Entrance to Key West Update (Triangle)
- -Frederick Douglass Community Center Update

City Manager Childress' Report

-Proposed Changes to City Commission Agenda

CONSENT AGENDA*

*Item is considered to be routine and enacted by one motion with no separate discussion, unless requested by a Commission Member or citizen, in which event the item will be removed from the order and considered in its normal sequence on the agenda. The City of Key West may take action on any matter during this meeting, including items that are not set forth within this agenda.

MINUTES

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*March 7, 2023

Attachments: Minutes

Approved

RESOLUTIONS

*Approving the attached Employment Agreement between the City of Key West and Ronald J. Ramsingh for the position of City Attorney.

Sponsors: Commissioner Carey, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Wardlow,

Commissioner Lopez, Mayor Johnston, Commissioner Hoover and

Commissioner Weekley

Attachments: Resolution

Letter to City Commission

Contract

Passed

Enactment No: Res 23-070

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*Urging the Florida Legislature to defeat HB 975/SB 798, which would prohibit local governments from prohibiting or restricting private waste management providers; Directing the City Clerk to provide certified copies of this Resolution to certain members of the Florida Legislature.

Sponsors: Commissioner Lopez, Mayor Johnston, Commissioner Wardlow and

Commissioner Hoover

Attachments: Resolution

SB 975 as of 3-22-23 SB 798 as of 3-22-23

Passed

Enactment No: Res 23-071

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*Urging the Florida Legislature to defeat HB 991/SB 1220, pertaining to defamation claims, which would restrict the First Amendment Rights of Florida residents; directing the City Clerk to provide this resolution to certain members of the Florida Legislature.

Sponsors: Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Hoover, Commissioner

Weekley and Mayor Johnston

<u>Attachments:</u> Resolution

HB 991 as of 3-23-23

SB 1220

Passed

*Urging the Florida Legislature to defeat HB 543/SB 150, which would allow concealed carry of weapons and firearms without a license; Directing the City Clerk to provide certified copies of this Resolution to certain members of the Florida Legislature.

Sponsors: Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Hoover, Commissioner

Weekley and Mayor Johnston

Attachments: Resolution

HB 543 as of 3-24-23 SB 150 as of 3-22-23

District of Columbia et al. v. Heller, 554 U.S. 570 (2008)

Passed

Enactment No: Res 23-073

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*Approving and Authorizing the City Manager to execute the attached Agreement between the City of Key West, Florida and the Conch Republic Independence Celebration, LLC, the Key West Cultural Preservation Society, Bourbon Street Pub, Inc., Petronia St. Neighborhood Association, Inc., and Sister Season Fund, Inc. for the 2023 Conch Republic Independence Celebration from April 22 through April 29, 2023.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Agreement

Conch Republic World's Longest Parade

Conch Republic Street Fair
Conch Republic Drag Rac
Conch Republic Bed Races

Department Approvals and release

Passed

*Authorizing the Key West Songwriters, LLC DBA Key West Songwriters Festival to conduct a free concert on the 200 block of Duval Street and Greene Street between Fitzpatrick & Ann Streets on May 6, 2023 from 7:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M. (Set up at 6:00 A.M. and breakdown by midnight); Granting a Special Event Permit pursuant to Section 6-86 of the Code of Ordinances for a concert on the 200 block of Duval Street and adjacent Greene Street from 7:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M; Pursuant to terms and conditions set forth by the City Manager.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Application

Passed

Enactment No: Res 23-075

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*Authorizing the Navy League of the United States, Key West Council, Inc to conduct a crew concert for the USS Lenah Higbee Commissioning on May 10, 2023 from 5:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M. at the Key West Truman Waterfront Coffee Butler Amphitheater; Pursuant to Terms and Conditions set forth by the City Manager; Authorizing the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages within the enclosed area.

<u>Sponsors:</u> City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Application

Map

Passed

*Approving execution of the attached "State of Florida Department of Transportation Grant Agreement" (PTGA) between the State of Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) and the City of Key West for Transit Corridor Development Program Assistance of up to 100 percent reimbursement for Key West Transit Facility Roof Repair (Contract G2H33/FM# 452677-1-94-01) in an amount of up to \$80,000.00 for SFY23; Authorizing necessary budget transfers and adjustments.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

<u>Attachments:</u> Resolution

Executive Summary

Public Transportation Grant Agreement

Resolution - Designation of Authority

Passed

Enactment No: Res 23-077

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*Approving the attached "Second Amendment to Lease Agreement for three (3) Pocket Parks located in the 600 Block of Louisa Street (Gato Village Pocket Park), 3541 Flagler Avenue (Alvin Frazier III Memorial Park), and 627 Grinnell Street (Grinnell Street Pocket Park), between the Utility Board of the City of Key West the City of Key West.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

<u>Attachments:</u> Resolution

Executive Summary

Second Amendment to Lease
First Amendment to Lease

Lease

Passed

*Approving Task Order #0223-01 by Artibus Design, LLC for Structural Engineering Design Services Spencer's Boat Yard (replacement of damaged seawalls, gantry crane piers and wood frame marginal docks) in an amount not to exceed \$152, 580.00; Authorizing the City Manger to execute necessary documents in substantial conformance with the Task Order, upon consent of the City Attorney; Authorizing any necessary budget transfers.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Task Order Proposal Large File
23-029 Resolution Large File
Spencers Boatyard Survey
2023 Schedule of Hourly Rates

Passed

Enactment No: Res 23-079

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*Approving a Task Order under the City's General Utilities and Infrastructure Contract with Charley Toppino & Sons, Inc. in a total amount not to exceed \$81,496.01 for the milling, paving and striping of the Simonton Beach Parking Lot; Authorizing any necessary budget adjustments; Authorizing the City Manager or designee to execute documents upon consent of the City Attorney.

<u>Sponsors:</u> City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Task Order

Schedule of Values

Resolution 21-125 and Contract

Passed

*Approve the ranking of responses to the Request for Qualifications (RFQ) No. 22-001 for the Key West Comprehensive Adaptation and Resilience Implementation Plan by the selection committee; Authorizing the City Manager and City Attorney to negotiate and execute a contract with the highest ranked firm or team, Tetra Tech, Inc.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Signed Scoresheet - RFQ#22-001

Tetra Tech RFQ #22-001

Jacobs RFQ #22-001

Halff RFQ #22-001

WGI RFQ #22-001

Adaptation Plan RFQ 10.14.22

Passed

Enactment No: Res 23-081

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*Approving the attached Lease Agreement between the City and Old Fire House Preservation, Inc. for 1026 Grinnell Street.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Lease
Exhibit A
Current Lease
Corporate Status

Passed

*Approving the attached public benefit "Lease Agreement" between the City of Key West and Key West Community Sailing Center, Inc. for property located at 705 Palm Avenue; Authorizing the City Manager to execute necessary documents upon consent of the City Attorney.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Lease

Lease - 2017

Corporate Status P1
Corporate Status P2

Passed

An Ordinance of the City of Key West, Florida, modifying the membership of the Development Review Committee (DRC) and transferring the responsibility to approve lot splits from the DRC to the Planning Board, by amending Land Development Regulations Chapter 90, entitled "Administration", Article II, entitled "Boards, Committees, Commissions", Division 2, entitled "Planning Board", Section 90-55, entitled "Functions and Powers"; Chapter 108, entitled "Planning and Development", Article II, entitled "Development plan", Division 2, entitled "Development Review Committee", Section 108-61 entitled "Established and membership." and Section 108-63, entitled "Powers and duties."; and Chapter 118, entitled "Subdivisions", Article III, entitled "Plats and plans", Division 2 entitled "Lot split and minor subdivision procedures", Section 118-169, entitled "Lot splits."; Providing for severability; Providing for repeal of inconsistent provisions, Providing for an effective date.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Ordinance

Cover Memo

PB RES 2023-003

Staff Report

Resolution

Postponed to May 16, 2023

Approval of the Consent Agenda

A motion was made by Commissioner Weekley, seconded by Commissioner Lopez to Approve the Consent Agenda. The motion was carried unanimously.

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Urging the Florida Legislature to defeat HB 1011/SB 668, which would prohibit the display of the Conch Republic Flag, the Pride Flag, or any flag other than the United States Flag, the Florida State Flag, and the POW-MIA Flag on public property in the City of Key West and Monroe County; Directing the City Clerk to provide this resolution to certain members of the Florida Legislature.

Sponsors: Commissioner Weekley, Mayor Johnston, Commissioner Lopez,

Commissioner Wardlow and Commissioner Hoover

Attachments: Resolution

HB 1011 -- as of 3-22-23 SB 668 3-14-23 Analysis SB 668 -- as of 3-22-23

A motion was made by Commissioner Weekley, seconded by Commissioner Lopez, that the Resolution be Passed. The motion carried by the following vote:

No: 1 - Commissioner Carey

Yes: 6 - Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Wardlow, Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

Enactment No: Res 23-084

Urging the Florida Legislature to defeat HB 1421/SB 254, which among many provisions, would prohibit gender affirming treatment for anyone under the age of 18; Directing the City Clerk to provide this Resolution to certain members of the Florida Legislature.

Sponsors: Commissioner Weekley, Commissioner Lopez and Commissioner

Hoover

<u>Attachments:</u> Resolution

HB 1421 Gender Clinical Interventions as of 3-22-23

CS SB 254 as of 3-22-23

A motion was made by Commissioner Weekley, seconded by Commissioner Lopez, that the Resolution be Passed. The motion carried by the following vote:

No: 2 - Commissioner Carey and Commissioner Wardlow

Yes: 5 - Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez,

Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

Authorizing the Cornish Memorial AME Zion, Inc. Church to have the 1st Annual Jazz in the Keys Music Festival at the Key West Truman Waterfront Coffee Butler Amphitheater on Saturday, June 3, 2023 from noon to 10:00 P.M; Pursuant to Terms and Conditions set forth by the City Manager; Authorizing the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages within the enclosed area.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Application

A motion was made by Commissioner Lopez, seconded by Commissioner Weekley, that the Resolution be Passed. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 -

Commissioner Carey, Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Wardlow, Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

Enactment No: Res 23-086

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Establishing an Auditor Selection Committee, in accordance with Section 218.391, Florida Statues; Providing for Committee purpose, membership, and duties.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Auditor Selection and Auditor Selection Committee Guidance

Florida Statute 218.391

A motion was made by Commissioner Jimmy Weekley, seconded by Commissioner Clayton Lopez, that the Resolution be Passed with the addition of Commissioner Kaufman as the Commission's appointee. The motion passed by unanimous vote.

Authorizing the City Manager to enter into an agreement with Elisabeth Odou, as former property owner of 2505 Seidenberg Avenue, permitting a release of Lien upon payment by the owners of the mitigated amount of \$42,750.00; Providing conditions; Authorizing the City Manager to execute any necessary documents.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Resolution

Executive Summary

Notice of Code Violation

Notice of Administrative Hearing

Findings and Orders

<u>Lien</u>

Mitigation Request

A motion was made by Vice Mayor Kaufman, seconded by Commissioner Weekley, that the Resolution be Passed with the full amount of \$42,750.00 being paid in order to furnish a Release of Lien. The motion carried by the following vote:

No: 2 - Commissioner Carey and Commissioner Wardlow

Yes: 5 - Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez,

Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

Approving a Temporary Exemption to certain provisions of the Sound Control Ordinance, pursuant to Section 26-199 of the Code of Ordinances, to Digney York Associates, LLC (for the owners of the Casa Marina Resort Renovations) for the interior and exterior improvements project of the Casa Marina Resort - 1500 Reynolds Street from May 15, 2023 to December 1, 2023; Providing conditions.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

<u>Attachments:</u> Resolution

Application

A motion was made by Commissioner Hoover, seconded by Commissioner Lopez, that the Resolution be Passed with the following amendments:

- 1. Section 2 will read 'That the after hours work primarily includes interior work and non-noise producing exterior work.'
- 2. A new Section 3 to read 'Only on Monday Saturday between 8 AM and 7PM or Sunday between 10 AM and 5 PM work to be conducted may include demolition and construction of pavement, irrigation and utilities and landscaping, that may include the use of impact drills, welding devices, saws and heaving equipment with back-up alarms.'
- 3. Another Section to be added to address that neighbors within 300 feet will be noticed, at applicant's expense, about the construction and noise waiver and a telephone number will be provided for noise complaints.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Commissioner Carey, Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Wardlow, Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

Authorizing and directing a search for the position of City Clerk; Approving the job description; Approving the job application; Establishing a search in the State of Florida; Establishing a timeline and advertising in certain publications; Authorizing the Human Resources Director to review applications to ensure they meet minimum qualifications; Establishing an Advisory Screening Committee, appointments and procedures; Authorizing any necessary budget transfers or adjustments.

Sponsors: Vice Mayor Kaufman

<u>Attachments:</u> Resolution

Job Description

A motion was made by Commissioner Weekley, seconded by Commissioner Lopez, that the Resolution be Passed with an amendment to only require a screening committee should five (5) or more qualified candidates exist after the initial vetting by the HR Director, City Manager, and City Attorney and the job description should be amended to add 'Extensive knowledge of current office practices and procedures', 'Maintain records of City Commission requests to staff and status of projects', and to waive the education requirement if a candidate has equivalent knowledge and experience. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Commissioner Carey, Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Wardlow, Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

Enactment No: Res 23-090

ORDINANCES - FIRST READING

An Ordinance of the City of Key West, Florida, amending Chapter 2 of the Code of Ordinances, entitled "Administration" by amending Section 2-707, to amend the Move-In Assistance Program by adjusting eligibility and other requirements; Providing for severability; Providing for repeal of inconsistent provisions; Providing for an effective date.

Sponsors: City Manager Childress

Attachments: Ordinance

Cover Memo

Move In Assistance Program

A motion was made by Commissioner Hoover, seconded by Commissioner Weekley, that the Ordinance be Passed to Second Reading. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: /

Commissioner Carey, Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Wardlow, Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

7:32 P.M - Meeting went into Recess

7:44 P.M. - Meeting Reconvened

An Ordinance of the City of Key West, Florida amending Chapter 62 of the Code of Ordinances, entitled "Streets and Sidewalks" by amending Section 62-1, to include construction debris as unlawful deposit of waste, and amend enforcement provisions by providing authority to address violations of 2-633 and 2-634 to the Special Master pursuant to Section 2-633 and 2-634; and by amending Section 62-2 to amend enforcement provisions by providing authority to address violations to the Special Master pursuant to Section 2-633 and 2-634; Providing for Severability; Providing for repeal of inconsistent provisions; Providing for an effective date.

Sponsors: City Manager Childress

Attachments: Ordinance

Cover Memo - 2nd Reading

Cover Memo

A motion was made by Commissioner Hoover, seconded by Commissioner Lopez, that the Ordinance be Passed to Second Reading. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Commissioner Carey, Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Wardlow, Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

An Ordinance of the City of Key West, Florida, amending the City's Land Development Regulations, Chapter 102, entitled "Historic Preservation", by amending Section 102-217, entitled "Required public meetings and staff approval", by amending the requirements to obtain approval to demolish historic but non-contributing buildings or structures in the Historic District after conclusion of one regular Historic Architectural Review Commission Meeting; Providing for severability; Providing for repeal of inconsistent provisions; Providing for an effective date.

Sponsors: City Manager Childress

Attachments: Ordinance

Cover Memo

PB RES 2023-002

Staff Report

Resolution

A motion was made by Commissioner Weekley, seconded by Commissioner Lopez, that the Ordinance be Passed to Second Reading. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 -

Commissioner Carey, Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Wardlow, Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

ORDINANCES - SECOND READING (Public Hearing and Proposed Adoption)

An Ordinance of the City of Key West, Florida, amending the Comprehensive Plan to replace Appendix C: City of Key West Water Supply Facilities Work Plan, as well as amending Comprehensive Plan Chapter 1: Future Land Use Element Objectives 1-1.7, and Policies 1-1.12.6., 1-1.12.7 and 1-1.12.8; Chapter 4: Public Facilities Element, Objectives 4-1.2, and Policies 4-1.2.1 and 4-1.2.2; Chapter 5: Coastal Management Element, Policy 5-1.2.2; Chapter 6: Conservation Element, Policies 6-1.2.2.5, 6-1.2.8, 6-1.2.9, 6-1.2.12, 6-1.2.14 and 6-1.2.19, Chapter 8: Intergovernmental Coordination Element, Policy 8-1.3.5; and Chapter 9: Capital Improvements Element, Policies 9-1.6.1, and 9-4.1.3; Providing for transmittal to the State Land Planning Agency; Providing for severability; Providing for repeal of inconsistent provisions; Providing for the inclusion in the City of Key West Comprehensive Plan; and providing for an effective date.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Ordinance

Executive Summary
FDEO Review Letter

PB RES 2022-043 - WSP COMP

PB Staff Report 9.15.22

WSP Presentation

Water Fixture Analysis

KW WSP Work Plan - Clean

A motion was made by Commissioner Weekley, seconded by Commissioner Hoover, that the Ordinance be Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

No: 2 - Commissioner Carey and Commissioner Wardlow

Yes: 5 - Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez,

Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

Enactment No: Ord 23-14

An Ordinance of the City of Key West, Florida, amending Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances entitled "Buildings and Building Regulations", Article II entitled "Building Codes", by amending Section 14-35 entitled, "Amendments to Building Code", to reduce maximum flow rates and add new appliances within Florida Building Code, Section 604.4 and P2903.2; and amending Chapter 74 entitled "Utilities", Article III entitled, "Water and Water Management", Division 2 entitled, "Conservation", Subdivision II entitled "Permanent Water Conservation Measures", and Section 74-295 entitled "Title; purpose", Section 74-296 entitled, "Definitions", Section 74-297 entitled, "Restrictions", Section 74-299 entitled, "Enforcement", and Section 74-300 entitled, "Variance relief"; Providing for transmittal to the State Land Planning Agency; Providing for repeal of inconsistent provisions; and providing for an effective date.

Sponsors: City Manager McLauchlin

Attachments: Ordinance

> **Executive Summary** Water Fixture Analysis

A motion was made by Commissioner Weekley, seconded by Commissioner Hoover, that the Ordinance be Adopted with an amendment to proposed language in Section 74-299 Enforcement (a) to read 'A violation of this article is subject to enforcement pursuant to the code enforcement authority of the special master in sections 2-633 and 2-634'. The motion carried by the following vote:

No: 2 - Commissioner Carey and Commissioner Wardlow

Yes: 5 - Commissioner Hoover, Vice Mayor Kaufman, Commissioner Lopez. Commissioner Weekley and Mayor Johnston

Enactment No: Ord 23-15

CITIZEN COMMENTS

COMMISSION COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT - 8:15 P.M.