ORDINANCE NO. 2015 - ___

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF COLLIER COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 89-11, AS AMENDED, THE COLLIER COUNTY BEACH AND WATER SAFETY AND VESSEL CONTROL ORDINANCE, SPECIFICALLY SECTION FIVE, “REGULATION OF USE AND CONDUCT ON THE BEACH,” TO INCLUDE REGULATIONS SPECIFICALLY RELATING TO KEY ISLAND; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT AND SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on February 28, 1989, the Board of County Commissioners adopted Ordinance No. 89-11, known as the "Collier County Beach and Water Safety and Vessel Control Ordinance," which Ordinance was subsequently amended by Ordinance Nos. 89-86, 96-28, 97-12, and 98-88; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners desires to further amended Ordinance No. 89-11, as amended, in order to incorporate regulations that are specific to Key Island.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF COLLIER COUNTY, FLORIDA that:

SECTION ONE. AMENDMENT TO SECTION FIVE OF ORDINANCE NO. 89-11, AS AMENDED.

Section Five is hereby amended as follows:

SECTION FIVE: REGULATION OF USE AND CONDUCT ON THE BEACH.

A. Possession of glass containers prohibited. It shall be unlawful for any person while on the beach or beach access areas to possess or utilize any glass bottle or container.
B. Restrictions on animals on beach. It shall be unlawful for any person owning or have under his control any animal to permit such animal upon the beach, except guide dogs accompanying visually impaired persons or hearing ear dogs accompanying hearing impaired persons shall be allowed on the beach at all times.

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(1) Prohibited Activities:
   a. Hunting, harassing, possessing or trapping wildlife.
   b. Use of animal trapping or concealment devices.
   c. Admission of unleashed domestic animals, except those assisting the handicapped.
   d. Transplantation or removal of any plant or animal, or parts of plants or animals (living or dead), except as provided herein.
   e. Removal, disturbance, pollution or destruction of property, or natural or cultural resources.
   f. Solicitation or distribution of commercial materials and advertising of any commercial event, other than Department materials or announcements of Department-sponsored or sanctioned events and gatherings.
   g. Possession of glass containers prohibited. It shall be unlawful for any person while on the beach or beach access areas to possess or utilize any glass bottle or container.

(2) Limited Activities:
   a. Hiking, horseback riding, and bicycle riding shall be restricted to trails or roads specifically designated for those activities.
   b. Camping may be conducted only in designated areas.
   c. Fires are allowed only in designated areas.
   d. Visitors shall be responsible for the proper disposal of all waste-water, refuse and trash by placing it in designated containers, if provided, or removed to an off-site disposal facility or receptacle.
   e. Vehicles are allowed only in areas designated as public access roads.
   f. Motor vehicle or vessel operation in water bodies, wetlands, or low lying areas located inside the boundaries of the Buffer Preserves is allowed only where designated for such use with signs.
SECTION TWO: INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES.

The provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Laws and Ordinances of Collier County, Florida. The sections of the Ordinance may be renumbered or re-lettered to accomplish such, and the word "ordinance" may be changed to "section," "article," or any other appropriate word.

SECTION THREE: CONFLICT AND SEVERABILITY.

In the event this Ordinance conflicts with any other Ordinance of Collier County or other applicable law, the more restrictive shall apply. If any phrase or portion of the Ordinance is held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion.

SECTION FOUR: EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall be effective upon filing with the Department of State.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Collier County, Florida, this ____day of ________________, 2015.

ATTEST:
DWIGHT E. BROCK, CLERK

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
COLLIER COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: ________________________
    , Deputy Clerk

By: ________________________
    TIM NANCE, CHAIRMAN

Approved as to form and legality:

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Colleen M. Greene
Assistant County Attorney