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**CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA  
RESOLUTION 2007-005**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE ILEANA ROS-LEHTINEN FROM THE 18<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA FOR HER ASSISTANCE IN RE-OPENING THE FLORIDA KEYS MARATHON AIRPORT TO COMMERCIAL SERVICE.**

**WHEREAS**, The City of Marathon Mayor and Councilmembers fully endorsed and supported all government and other agency efforts to expand the passenger airline service to the Florida Keys Marathon Airport serving the residents and visitors of all the Florida Keys; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Marathon Florida recognizes the invaluable assistance that US Representative Ileana Ros-Lehtinen has extended to the City of Marathon and other cities and Monroe County to re-open the Florida Keys Marathon Airport; and

**WHEREAS**, Because Monroe County has a tourist based economy, the restoration of air service is extremely important to the Citizens of Marathon and all of the Florida Keys; and

**WHEREAS**, US Representative Ileana Ros-Lehtinen has taken a leadership role in facilitating with federal government agencies to provide screeners at the Florida Keys Marathon Airport; and

**WHEREAS**, US Representative Ileana Ros-Lehtinen has in the past and continues to assist and support the City of Marathon during her term of office.

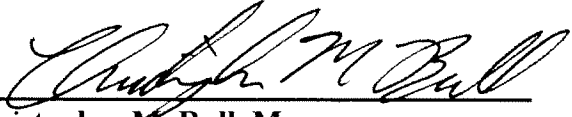
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, THAT:**

**Section 1.** The above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein.

**Section 2.** This resolution of Appreciation be extended to US Representative Ileana Ros-Lehtinen for her efforts to re-open the Florida Keys Marathon Airport.


**PASSED AND APPROVED** by the City Council of the city of Marathon, Florida, this 9th day of January, 2007.

**THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA**

  
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**Christopher M. Bull, Mayor**

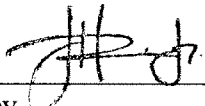
AYES: Pinkus, Mearns, Tempest, Worthington, Bull  
NOES: None  
ABSENT: None  
ABSTAIN: None

**ATTEST:**

  
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Diane Clavier  
City Clerk

(City Seal)

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE  
CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA ONLY:**

  
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City Attorney