



THE COLLEGE OF THE FLORIDA KEYS
FOUNDATION
Memorandum

DATE: January 15, 2025
TO: District Board of Trustees
FROM: Lana Gaspari, Executive Director for CFK Foundation
DEPARTMENT: Advancement
SUBJECT: Foundation Board Report

The College hosted the inaugural Community Day at the Upper Keys Center on January 25, 2025, thanks to support from the Ocean Reef Community Foundation. The event provided free t-shirts and food to participants. Over 25 organizations were represented at the event, many of which provided engaging activities for families. Additionally, the College had over five tables set up to showcase student activities and academic programs.

The Foundation Board of Directors met on January 13, 2025. Directors voted to move \$500,000 from the Foundation's bank account to the cash management account that already had the \$2.5 million allocated for the residential complex. The \$500,000 moved into the cash management account in January 2025 is not allocated to the residential complex.

Directors discussed the 2025 Seaside Soiree and the 60th anniversary. The Foundation has secured \$62,450 in sponsorships for the Seaside Soiree. Assistance from the Trustees is welcome and needed, including but not limited to inviting friends and community members to attend, providing donations for the silent auction, and other methods of support.