P. O. Box 434 Islamorada, Fla. October 29, 1959

Upper Keys Garden Club Tavernier, Florida

Attention: Mrs. Gertrude Thompson, Pres.

Dear Friends:

Our organization is deeply interested in spearheading a drive for the establishment of a humane society to serve the Upper Keys. The animal population has expanded perhaps even faster than our human increase, presenting us with many problems urgently needing some practical solution.

To be successful such a project must have the support of everyone in the community and we are appealing to your organization to help us promote public interest. Wont you please send us a letter from your organization expressing the opinion of your members on the need for a local humane society, and also urge your members to write us?

A number of such letters expressing a need for this service and showing an interest in the project will help greatly in obtaining financial help from our county commission. Any help and encouragement you can give us will be very much appreciated.

Sincerely,

THE LADY K'S (Kiwanis Auxiliary)

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Ruth Nielsen, Comm. Chm.