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Mrs. Lillian Strange, President
Upper Keys Garden Club
Tavernier, Florida

Dear Mrs. Strange:

Attached is a FACT SHEET, briefly detailing what can and will happen to our priceless natural resources if the proposed "West Coast Road" is constructed. All statements can be enlarged upon and substantiated.

Proponents of this highway have been active, and may be expected to increase their efforts. No feasibility study has been made to prove need for the road, although \$50,000 has appeared on the road budget for this purpose for several years.

No specific studies have been made by recognized agencies to confirm existing surveys and reports which so strongly indicate the ravages to Florida Bay's natural resources which will result from this highway.

Will you bring this matter to the attention of your members, who, we hope, will take immediate action by approving the attached Resolution. Will you return one copy to us, properly filled out, and signed by your President and Secretary. The second copy is for your file.

Only concerted and determined action can defeat this threat to irreplaceable natural resources, life-blood of the Florida Keys.

Yours for Saving Florida Bay,


Pete Perdue, Sec.-Treas.

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