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R E S O L U T I O N

ON MOTION BY COMMISSIONER Carter SECONDED BY  
COMMISSIONER Marston THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS  
ADOPTED AT THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMIS-  
SIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA ON THE \_\_\_\_ DAY OF JANUARY,  
A.D., 1986.

WHEREAS, the Central Florida Zoological Society, Incorporated  
is a private, non profit, public service Corporation whose pur-  
pose is to provide education, recreation and entertainment to  
citizens and visitors alike in Central Florida, and,

WHEREAS, the Central Florida Zoological Park has established  
itself as one of only three (3) zoos in North America, built  
entirely with donations and operated as a wholly-self-sustained,  
public service project, one which is now completely debt free,  
and

WHEREAS, the Central Florida Zoological Society, Incorporated  
has recognized the severe physical limitations existing at its pre-  
sent site which further limit its ability to keep pace with  
state-of-the-art zoo principles, desires to expand both the size  
and quality of its zoological exhibits and displays, and

WHEREAS, it is not possible to achieve higher standards,  
principles and services to the Central Florida Community without  
public participation, and

WHEREAS, the Central Florida Zoological Society, Incorporated  
does hereby intend to approach the Orange County Legislative  
Delegation in an effort to cause a certain bill to be introduced  
and passed in the House and Senate of the State of Florida which  
allows zoological organizations throughout the entire State of  
Florida to seek public approval via referendum which then allows  
the public to decide if they are willing to tax themselves to  
build and operate a new state-of-the-art zoological park in their  
community;

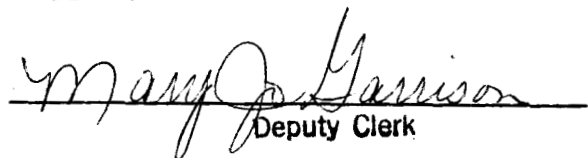
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of County  
Commissioners does support legislation which allow zoological

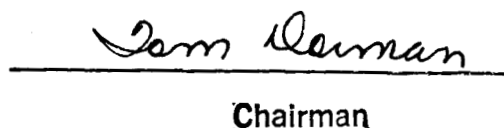
parks to seek public approval via referendum which then allows voting citizens to decide if they will tax themselves to build and operate a new state-of-the-art zoological park in their community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be forwarded to Orange County Legislative Delegation, Central Florida Zoological Society, Incorporated, Board of Directors, and Mr. Al Rozon, Executive Director of the Central Florida Zoological Society, Incorporated.

ADOPTED this 20<sup>th</sup> day of January, A.D., 1986.

ATTEST:

  
Deputy Clerk

  
Chairman