

CERTIFICATE OF THE COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD  
SPECIAL ELECTION HELD ON THE 4TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1969

STATE OF FLORIDA

MONROE COUNTY

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HELIO GOMEZ, COUNTY JUDGE, WM. BILLY FREEMAN, SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS, AND GERALD SAUNDERS, CHAIRMAN, OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CONSTITUTING THE COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD OF MONROE COUNTY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT WE MET AT THE OFFICE OF THE SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS AFORESAID, ON THE 5TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D., 1969, AND PROCEEDED TO PUBLICLY CANVASS THE VOTES CAST AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN SAID COUNTY ON THE 4TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D., 1969, AS SHOWN BY THE RETURNS ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY JUDGE AND THE SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS, RESPECTIVELY. WE DO FURTHER CERTIFY SOLELY, EXCLUSIVELY AND ENTIRELY FROM SAID RETURNS THE FOLLOWING:

TOTAL MACHINE COUNT: 7,294  
ABSENTEE BALLOTS: 59  
TOTAL VOTING: 7,353  
TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED VOTERS 19,676

NUMBER 1

FOR THE AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XII, SECTION 9 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA TO REINSTATE UNTIL JUNE 30, 1975 THE AUTHORITY TO ISSUE REVENUE BONDS OR TAX ANTICIPATION CERTIFICATES  
1,658

ONE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED AND FIFTY EIGHT VOTES

AGAINST THE AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XII, SECTION 9 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA TO REINSTATE UNTIL JUNE 30, 1975 THE AUTHORITY TO ISSUE REVENUE BONDS OR TAX ANTICIPATION CERTIFICATES  
2,404

TWO THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND FOUR VOTES

Respectfully submitted,

*Wm. Billy Freeman*

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Supervisor of Elections

CANVASSED BY:

HELIO GOMEZ, County Judge  
WM. BILLY FREEMAN, Supervisor of Elections  
GERALD SAUNDERS, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners



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We, the undersigned HELIO GOMEZ County Judge,  
WM. BILLY FREEMAN Supervisor of Elections, and  
GERALD SAUNDERS Chairman of the Board of County  
Commissioners, constituting the County Canvassing Board of MONROE  
County, do hereby certify that we met at the office of the Super-  
visor of Elections aforesaid, on the 5th day of November,  
A.D., 1969, and proceeded to publicly canvass the votes cast at  
the Special Election held in said County on the 4th day of Nov-  
ember, A.D., 1969, as shown by the returns on file in the office  
of the County Judge and Supervisor of Elections, respectively. We  
do further certify solely, exclusively and entirely from said  
returns the following:

TOTAL MACHINE COUNT:	1,395	
ABSENTEE BALLOTS:	7	
TOTAL VOTING:	1,402	
TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED VOTERS	5,939	
PRECINCTS 18 TO 23 INCLUSIVE		

Shall House Bill 2990, enacted at the 1969 session of the  
Legislature of Florida which became a Law July 9, 1969,  
entitled:

"An act relating to Monroe County, special tax district;  
creating and incorporating a special tax district in Monroe  
County to be known as "The Upper Florida Keys Hospital  
District"; fixing and prescribing boundaries of the district;  
providing for the appointment by the governor of boards of  
commissioners and for filling any vacancies on said board;  
providing for the governing and administration of any hospital  
or hospitals established within the district; providing and  
defining the powers and purposes of the district and board of  
commissioners thereof; authorizing the board to establish,  
contract for, lease, operate and maintain any hospital or  
hospitals established in the district; providing for sealed  
bids for purchases of supplies, equipment and contracts for  
construction or repairs in excess of two thousand dollars  
(\$2,000); authorizing and providing for the issuance and sale  
of district bonds; authorizing the board to borrow money;  
authorizing and providing for levy and collection of ad val-  
orem taxes on all property in the district for payment of  
bonds and notes and interest thereon, and for the repair,  
maintenance and operation of a hospital or hospitals;  
authorizing the establishment of hospital medical staffs,  
nursing school and nursing homes; providing for a refer-  
endum of the freeholders within said hospital tax district"

become effective?

FOR HOSPITAL DISTRICT 455

AGAINST HOSPITAL DISTRICT 862

Respectfully submitted,

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