

RESOLUTION NO. 02-18

A RESOLUTION BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF
THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH SUPPORTING THE
FLORIDA PRESERVATION 2000 FUND ESTABLISHED BY
THE VOTERS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA IN 1998

WHEREAS, the Town of Fort Myers Beach recognizes the importance of both the purchase and conservation of sensitive land by the state of Florida, and

WHEREAS, the Town of Fort Myers Beach applauds the State's excellent efforts and record of significant purchases of sensitive land since 1998, and

WHEREAS, the Town of Fort Myers Beach believes in the stewardship of Florida's natural resources as the key to a prosperous and healthy future.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Fort Myers Beach, Lee County, Florida, that

1. The Town Council supports and is committed to the voter approved mandated funds to be set aside for the Preservation 2000 Fund for present and future land acquisitions.
2. The Town Council supports a clear determination by the Legislature that these funds are protected and not to be used for other purposes. The voters of Florida determined that land acquisition was a priority and that these funds were to be secure and used for the purpose designated on the ballot.
3. The Town Council directs that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Florida Legislative Delegation representing our area.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Fort Myers Beach, Florida this 6th day of May, 2002 ; the motion was made by Cain, seconded by Rynearson and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Howard Rynearson	aye
Daniel Hughes	aye
Bill Thomas	aye
W. H. "Bill" Van Duzer	aye
Terry Cain	<u>aye</u>

ATTEST:

By: Marsha Segal-George
Marsha Segal-George, Town Clerk

TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH

By: Daniel Hughes
Daniel Hughes, Mayor

Approved as to form by:

Richard V.S. Roosa
Richard V.S. Roosa, Town Attorney