

RESOLUTION R-90-076

WHEREAS, the Manatee County Board of County Commissioners has a broad range of responsibilities under the Florida Constitution to provide for the public safety, health, and welfare of the citizens of Manatee County; and

WHEREAS, the Manatee County Board of County Commissioners are limited by Florida Law in their ability to generate revenues to provide for the public safety, health, and welfare of the citizens of Manatee County; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida has broad range of authority to enact new revenue sources; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida often requires local government to provide certain services and programs, and does not provide additional state funding to pay for such programs and services; and

WHEREAS, continued direliction on the part of the State of Florida with regard to funding mandated programs has caused and will continue to cause serious financial problems for local governments; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE MANATEE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS strongly supports Amendment Three to the Florida Constitution, which requires the State of Florida to provide funding for programs and services mandated upon local government, other than those mandated by Article V of the Florida Constitution.

BE IT FURTHER KNOWN THAT THE MANATEE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS believes that Florida's Legislators and the Governor will show their leadership and commitment to Florida's citizens by providing for additional state funding for all programs and services that the state requires local governments to provide.

ADOPTED in Open Session with a quorum present and voting this 17th day of ~~October~~ April, ~~1989~~ 1990.

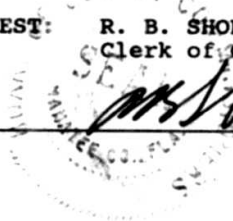
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Patricia M. Glass

Chairman

ATTEST: R. B. SHORE
Clerk of Circuit Court

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