RESOLUTION 90-71

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County feels that it is in the best interests of the citizens and taxpayers of Nassau County that the Nassau General Hospital, as established by Chapter 26046(1), Special Acts, 1941 and later amended in subsequent years, be owned by the Board of County Commissioners, and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners further feels that it is in the best interests of the citizens and taxpayers of Nassau County that through this ownership the taxes which are being paid by said citizens and taxpayers could be reduced by this change in ownership by the County Commission of Nassau County, and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, through its ownership, could explore the possibility of sale or lease of the hospital to private sector individuals or corporations thereby relieving this tax burden, and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners must have the approval of the Florida Legislature for the ownership of the hospital to change according to the Special Acts which established Chapter 11 of the Code of Laws and Ordinances of the County of Nassau, Florida.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County hereby request the Nassau County Legislative Delegation composed of Senator Arnett Girardeau and Representative George Crady to introduce the necessary legislation to cause the ownership to be changed as required under those acts above cited.

FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, utilizing the good will and efforts of the offices of Senator Girardeau and Representative Crady, cause this legislation to be introduced for the 1990 legislative session.

RESOLVED this 27th day of February, 1990.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS Nassau County, Florida

Bv:

Jimmy L! Higginbotham, Chairman

ATTEST

By:

T. J. Greeson, Ex-Officio Clerk