

RESOLUTION NO. 96-56

*A RESOLUTION URGING THE CONTINUED FUNDING FOR THE STATE  
MEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM*

WHEREAS, the State Meat Inspection Program is vital to the citizens of the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners have been put on notice of a desire to delete or reduce the funding of the State Meat Inspection Program; and

WHEREAS, the State Meat Inspection is intended to ensure that meat products that are produced and sold within Florida are wholesome, unadulterated, and are properly marked, labelled and packaged; and

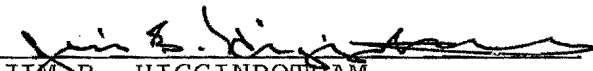
WHEREAS, contaminated meat products pose a significant risk to public health and can carry fatal disease.

WHEREAS, it is vital that the funding of the State Meat Inspection Program, as set forth in Florida Statutes 585, be maintained at its current level.


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 11th day of March, 1996 as follows:

1. That the Legislature is hereby requested to maintain the current level of funding of the State Meat Inspection Program.
2. Copies of this Resolution shall be sent to Representative George Crady, Senator Charles Williams, the Speaker of the Florida House of Representatives, and the President of the Florida Senate.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

  
JIM B. HIGGINBOTHAM  
Its: Chairman

ATTEST:

  
T. J. GRIMESON  
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the  
Nassau County Attorney:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. S. Mueller", written over a horizontal line.

MICHAEL S. MUELLER