



December 15, 2008

Dear Governor Crist:

The Rivers Coalition unanimously voted to reaffirm our support for the acquisition of U.S. Sugar lands. We fully support the modified acquisition proposal.

Attached please find our resolution dated June 26, 2008.

Very sincerely,

Leon Abood, Chairman
Rivers Coalition

C.C.:

U.S. Sen. Bill Nelson
U.S. Sen. Mel Martinez
FL Rep. William Snyder
U.S. Congressman Tim Mahoney
U.S. Congressman Elect Candidate Tom Rooney
Colonel Paul Grosskruger
South Florida Water Management District Board
Martin County Commissioners
City of Stuart Commissioners
Sewall's Point Commissioners
St. Lucie County Commissioners