WHEREAS, on December 12, 1987 the Board of County Commissioners approved the contract with E. Vaughn Rivers, Inc. in the amount of $785,836.00 for the construction of the Agricultural Extension Center, and

WHEREAS, at that time an alternate bid for a Water System and Well House was not awarded due to the belief that an existing well at the site would serve the complex with potable water, and

WHEREAS, said well proved to be unfit for human consumption, and

WHEREAS, the Agricultural Center is nearing completion and a potable water supply for the Center is needed prior to opening to the public, and

WHEREAS, there would be insufficient time to alleviate the emergency situation if bids, public notice and advertisements were required.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of County Commissioners recognizes an emergency exists and sets aside the requirements for bidding as provided in Chapter 81-483 Laws of Florida and authorizes payment for the installation of a Water Treatment Distribution System and construction of a Well House at a cost not to exceed $23,000.00, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Administrator be authorized to execute the necessary contract and change orders to proceed with the completion of said Water System.

PASSED by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida this 10th day of November, 1987.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: [Signature]
Chairman

ATTEST: CARL "BUD" MARKEL, CLERK

BY: [Signature]
Deputy Clerk