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Honorable Governor Ron DeSantis,

The undersigned would like to thank you for your support on *HB 3985 – Levy County Resiliency – Preserving Historic Cedar Key*. The \$250,000 appropriation in the Florida House of Representatives' budget is very much appreciated by both the City of Cedar Key Commission and the Levy County Board of County Commissioners. Our Commissioners are working together to make sure this vital area of Levy County is protected for many generations to come and your support will go a long way in preserving the vitality and sustainability of this coastal community.

Our hope is that the Senate will match the Houses' appropriation for this request. Should there be an opportunity to increase this amount closer to our original \$500,000 request, we would appreciate any consideration by the Senate to support this shoreline resiliency project in Levy County. If you have any questions or need any further assistance from our Commissions, please feel free to reach out to our offices and we will work with you any way we can to support this effort.

Respectfully submitted this 5th day of May, 2021

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