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Mr. Thos. J. Pancoast,  
Chairman, Everglades National Park Commission,  
County Court House,  
Miami, Florida.

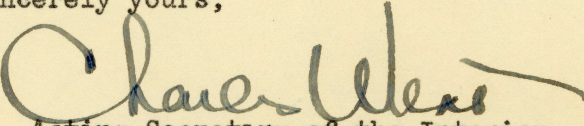
My dear Mr. Pancoast:

I have received your letter of July 31, concerning the Everglades National Park Project.

Our message to the Governor of Florida, indicating the minimum boundaries acceptable for the park project, has been temporarily delayed by the necessity for a study of certain legal aspects of the project. It is anticipated that this matter will be cleared within the next few days, and we shall be glad to communicate with the Governor as soon as it is possible.

Your vigorous support of the park project is sincerely appreciated, and I am confident that its success thus far has been in large measure due to your own personal efforts and guidance.

Sincerely yours,

  
Acting Secretary of the Interior.