

By Senator Crist

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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to the Lowry Park Zoo;
designating the Lowry Park Zoo as the state
center for Florida species conservation and
biodiversity; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. The Lowry Park Zoo, a not-for-profit
corporation located in the City of Tampa, is hereby designated
as the state center for Florida species conservation and
biodiversity, including captive breeding, animal husbandry,
conservation education, and veterinary care and rescue,
rehabilitation, research, and release of Florida's endangered
and threatened wildlife species, including, but not limited
to, the Florida manatee, Florida panther, red wolf, Key deer,
Key Largo wood rat, and whooping crane.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a
law.