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SUBJECT: The Southwest Florida Quilter's Guill
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a checksfor:

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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF SOUTHWEST FLORIDA QUILTERS GUILD, INC. A FLORIDA NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION

The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation shall be Southwest Florida Quilters Guild, Inc. The principal address of the corporation at the time of incorporation is 5875 Wild Olive Terrace, Ft Myers, Florida 33919, City of Ft. Myers, County of Lee, Florida.

ARTICLE II. DURATION

The duration of this corporation is perpetual unless dissolved according to law. Corporate existence shall commence on the date these articles of incorporation are filed by the Department of State.

ARTICLE III. PURPOSE

- (a) The object (purpose) of this organization shall be to create, stimulate, maintain and record an interest in all matters pertaining to the making, collection and preserving of quilts and to establish and promote educational and philanthropic endeavors through quilts. The policies of the Southwest Florida Quilters Guild shall be in harmony with the policies of the National Quilters' Association.
- (b) This corporation is formed and shall be operated exclusively for pleasure, and other nonprofit purposes. No part of any net earnings shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee, or officer of the corporation except as provided by law.
- (c) This corporation shall have and exercise all powers conferred upon not for profit corporations under the laws of the State of Florida generally, specifically as provided in Section 617.021 of the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, provided, however, that this corporation has no power to engage in any activity that in itself is not in furtherance of its purposes as set forth in subparagraphs (a) through (b) of this Article III.

ARTICLES IV. QUALIFICATION AND ADMISSION OF MEMBERS

The authorized number, qualifications, manner of admission of members of this corporation, the different classes of membership, if any, the property, voting and other rights and privileges of members, the liability of members for dues and/or assessments and the method of collection rereof, and the termination and transfer of membership shall keeps set forth in the bylaws of this corporation.

ARTICLE V. REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the corporation's initial registered office is 5875 Wild Olive Terrace, Ft Myers, Florida 33919, and the name of the corporation's initial registered agent at such address is Patricia Nuding.

ARTICLE VI. FIRST BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The following persons shall serve the corporation as directors until the first annual meeting called to elect directors:

| NAME | ADDRESS |
|-----------------|---|
| Patricia Nuding | 5875 Wild Olive Terrace Ft Myers, Florida 33919 |
| Vickie Oliver | 18420 Deep Passage Lane Ft. Myers Beach, Florida 33931 |
| Judi McCall | 1373 Stadler Street Ft. Myers, Florida 33901 |
| Cindy Rhoades | 8308 Cypress Drive North Ft Myers, Florida 33912 |
| Judith Sus | 619 South East Second Avenue Cape Coral, Florida 33990 |

ARTICLE VII. BASIS UNDER WHICH CORPORATION ORGANIZED

This corporation is organized under a non-stock basis.

The corporation is a not for profit corporation as defined by the Not For Profit Corporation Act in Section 617.01 of the Florida Statutes. As such, it is not organized for the pecuniary gain or profit of, and its net earnings nor any part thereof is distributable to, its members, directors, officers, or other private persons except as specifically permitted under the provisions of the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act.

ARTICLE VIII. MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

- (a) Board of Directors. The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by a board of five (5) directors. The number of directors provided for in these Articles of In reporation may be changed by an amendment to the bylaws adopted by the members entitled to vote, as provided in the bylaws.
- (b) Election of Directors. The method of electing the directors shall be as set forth in the bylaws.

(c) Elective Officers. The officers of this corporation shall be a President, First Vice President, Second Vice President serving as Program Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer. Other offices and officers may be established or appointed by the members of this corporation at any regular annual meeting or any special meeting of members called for such purpose. The qualifications, the time and manner of electing or appointing, the duties of, the term of office, and the manner of removing officers shall be as set forth in the bylaws.

ARTICLE IX. INCORPORATORS

The name and address of each incorporator are as follows:

| NAME | ADDRESS |
|-----------------|---|
| Patricia Nuding | 5875 Wild Olive Terrace Ft Myers, Florida 33919 |
| Vickie Oliver | 18420 Deep Passage Lane Ft. Myers Beach, Florida 33931 |
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ARTICLE X. INCOME FROM PUBLIC EVENTS

If this corporation holds any events in which members of the general public are invited to participate for a fee, the net proceeds, if any, attributable to such participation by nonmembers will be paid over to an organization that is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 on an annual basis, unless this corporation itself is a tax exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

ARTICLE XI. BYLAWS

Bylaws will be hereafter adopted at the first meeting of the board of directors. Such bylaws may be amended, repealed, in whole or in part, by the members in the manner provided in the bylaws. Any amendments to the bylaws shall be binding on all members of this corporation.

ARTICLE XII. AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

Amendments to these articles of incorporation may be proposed by the resolution adopted by the board of directors and presented to a quorum of the voting members for their vote. Amendments may be adopted by a vote of at least two-thirds of a quorum of the voting members of the corporation.

ARTICLE XIII. DISTRIBUTION ON DISSOLUTION

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the corporation will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Sections 501(c)(3) or 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding sections of such code as subsequently amended, or to the federal, state, or local government to be used exclusively for public purposes.

ARTICLE XIV. UNINCORPORATED NAME

The name of the unincorporated association that is being incorporated is Southwest Florida Quilters Guild.

In witness whereof, the undersigned incorporators have executed these articles of incorporation on ______.

Patricia Nuding

Vickie Oliver

Judi McCall

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| COUNTY OF Lee |
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| I, Diane I. Compton, a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on the 20 m day of February, 1996, personally appeared before Patricia Nuding, who, being by me first duly sworn, declared that they are the persons who signed the forgoing document as incorporators, and that the statements therein contained are true. |
| My Commission Next Pinters Complete Compton |
| STATE OF FLORIDA |
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| I, Diane L. Compton , a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on the 20 W day of Ecbruary , 1996, personally appeared before Vickie Oliver, who, being by me first duly sworn, declared that they are the persons who signed the forgoing document as incorporators, and that the statements therein contained are true. My committee form the compton of the |
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| I, <u>liane I. Compton</u> , a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on the <u>2014</u> / day of <u>February</u> , 1996, personally appeared before Judi McCall, who, being by me first duly sworn, declared that they are the persons who signed the forgoing document as incorporators, and that the statements therein contained are true. |
| My commission expires: Notary Public Notary Public |
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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF I, Jane I. ompTon, a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on the 2014 day of February, 1996, personally appeared before Cindy Rhoades, who, being by me first duly sworn, declared that they are the persons who signed the forgoing document as incorporators, and that the statements therein contained are true. My Compiles 1 Diane I. Compton

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Commission No. CC 190034

My Commission Skyltes 07/27/78 T-800-J-NUTARY - Fle houry Service & Bonding Co. STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on the 2014 day of February , 1996, personally appeared before Judith Sus, who, being by me first duly sworn, declared that they are the persons who signed the forgoing document as incorporators, and that the statements therein contained are true. My commission expires: Notary Public *gunneren som som sammunum*anning Diane I. Compten A Honory Dubles, State of Florida Service Organismon Ro. CC 396034 Service My Commission Expires 07/27/93 (1-800-3-NCT (A 1 - Stray Service & Bonding Co.)

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

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| 2. | The name and address of the registered agent and office is: | 95 H |
| | The name and address of the registered agent and office is: PATRICIA A. NUDING (NAME) 5875 10120 OKIVE TERRALE (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT ACCEPTABLE) | ARTISSEE MARTINESSEE |
| | (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT ACCEPTABLE) | 9: 22 9: 22 FLORIO |
| | FURT MYERS F1 33914 (CITY/STATE/ZIP) | 7 |

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this appacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

(SIGNATURE) (DATE)

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There again, Par Huding

Patricia A. Nuding 5875 Wild Olive Terrace Fort Myers, FL 33019

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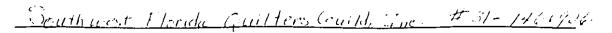
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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

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| Pursuant to t undersigned F of amendment | he provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, the lorida nonprofit corporation adopts the following articles to its articles of incorporation. |
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