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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF HAMPTON PARK FACILITIES ASSOCIATION, INC.

In compliance with the requirements of Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, the undersigned, being a resident of the State of Florida and of full age, hereby forms a corporation not for profit in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida, and certify as follows:

#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is HAMPTON PARK FACILITIES ASSOCIATION, INC., hereinafter called the "Association".

### ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The initial principal office of this Association shall be located at 555 Winderley Place, Suite 420, Maitland, FL 32751, which office may be changed from time to time by action of the Board of Directors.

## ARTICLE III - REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The name and street address of the initial registered agent and office of the Association shall be Judith Duncan, 555 Winderley Place, Suite 420, Maitland, Florida 32751.

## ARTICLE IV - PURPOSE AND POWERS OF THE ASSOCIATION

This Association does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit to its members. The specific purpose for which it is formed is to own, maintain and operate that certain pond and other properties as the Board of Directors may determine from time to time for the benefit of the residents within that certain real property, herein called the "Properties", described in that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Hampton Park Facilities, now or hereafter recorded in the Public Records of Brevard "Declaration", relating to the Properties and any additions thereof, hereinafter called the brought within the jurisdiction of the Association. The purposes of this Association shall include, without limitation of the foregoing, the ownership of the surface water and

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stomwater management facilities for such areas as may be designated from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Association (the "Common Property"), and carrying out, enforcing and otherwise fulfilling its rights and responsibilities under and pursuant to the Declaration. For the foregoing purposes, this Association is empowered to:

- (1) exercise all of the powers and privileges, and to perform all of the duties and obligations of the Association as set forth in the Declaration as the same may be amended from time to time as therein provided;
- (2) acquire, either by gift, purchase or otherwise, and to own, hold, improve, build upon, operate and maintain, the Common Property:
- (3) dedicate, sell, or transfer all or any part of this Association's property to any public body or governmental agency or authority, or any public or private utility or to a master association for such purposes and subject to such conditions as may be agreed to by the members;
- (4) grant easements as to the real property owned by it to public and private utility companies, and to public bodies or governmental agencies or other entities or persons, without cost or charge, where convenient, desirable or necessary in connection with the development of the Properties, and the providing of utility and other services thereto;
- (5) participate in mergers and consolidations with other non-profit corporations organized for similar purposes, provided that any such merger or consolidation shall have been approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members;
- (6) adopt, alter, amend, and rescind reasonable rules and regulations from time to time, which rules and regulations shall be consistent with the rights and duties established by the Declaration and with the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation;
- (7) contract for the maintenance and management of the Common Property and to authorize a management agent to assist the Association in carrying out its powers and duties under the Declaration;
- (8) to adopt such annual budgets as are necessary to carry out the provisions of the Declaration; and
- (9 have and exercise any and all powers, rights, and privileges which a corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes by law may now or hereafter have or exercise.
- (10) operate, maintain and manage the surface water or stormwater management system(s) in a manner consistent with the St. Johns River Water

Management District permit no. 4-009-0615-ERP requirements and applicable District rules, and shall assist in the enforcement of the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions which relate to the surface water or stormwater management system.

(11) levy and collect adequate assessments against members of the Association for the costs of maintenance and operation of the surface water or stormwater management system.

#### ARTICLE V - MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING RIGHTS

- A. This Association shall be a membership corporation, without certificates of shares of stock.
- B. Qualification for, and admission to, membership in the association shall be regulated by the Declaration and the Bylaws of the Association.
- C. the share of an owner or a member in the funds and assets of the Association cannot be assigned, hypothecated or transferred in any manner, except as an appurtenance of such owner's or member's lot or unit.

#### ARTICLE VI - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The affairs of this Association shall be managed by a Board of Directors consisting of not less than three (3) nor more than nine (9) directors. So long as Declarant retains control of the Association, as described in the Declaration, Declarant shall have the right to appoint all members of the Board of Directors and to approve the appointment of all officers of the Association, and no action of the membership of the Association shall be effective unless, and until, approved by Declarant. Further, until turnover of control by Declarant, as aforesaid, no director or officer need be a Member of the Association. After turnover of control of the Association, and so long as Developer owns any property within the Hampton Park communities, Declarant shall have the right to vote for each Lot or Unit owned by Declarant. The number of directors constituting the initial Board is three (3) and they shall serve until such time as Declarant turns over control of the Association or until replaced or expanded by Declarant. Commencing with the first annual meeting of Members following the date on which Declarant turns over control of the Association, the directors shall be elected by the Members of the Association at the Annual Meeting. Declarant shall be entitled at any time, and from time to time, to remove or replace any director originally appointed by Declarant. Declarant may waive or relinquish in whole or in part any of its rights to appoint any one or more of the directors it is entitled to appoint. The following persons shall constitute the initial Board of Directors:

<u>NAME</u>

**ADDRESS** 

Charlie O'Sullivan

555 Winderley Place, Suite 420 Maitland, Florida 32751

Steve Rosser

555 Winderley Place, Suite 420

Maitland, Florida 32751

Judith Duncan

555 Winderley Place, Suite 420

Maitland, Florida 32751

#### ARTICLE VII - OFFICERS

The Association shall be administered by a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and such other officers as may be designated in the Bylaws, and shall be elected at the time and in the manner prescribed in the Bylaws. Officers need not be members of the Association. The names and addresses of the initial officers who shall serve until their successors are designated by the Board of Directors are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	OFFICE	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Charlie O'Sullivan	President	555 Winderley Place, Suite 420 Maitland, Florida 32751
Steve Rosser	Vice - President	555 Winderley Place, Suite 420 Maitland, Florida 32751
Judith Duncan	Secretary/ Treasurer	555 Winderley Place, Suite 420 Maitland, Florida 32751

#### ARTICLE VIII - SUBSCRIBER

The name and address of the subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

NAME

<u>ADDRESS</u>

Julius J. Zschau

911 Chestnut Street Clearwater, FL 33756

#### ARTICLE IX - DISSOLUTION

This Association may be dissolved with the assent given in writing and signed by not less than two-thirds (2/3) of the voting members. Upon dissolution of this Association, except as otherwise set forth herein and other than incident to a merger or consolidation, the assets of this Association shall be dedicated to an appropriate public agency to be used for purposes similar to those for which this Association was created. In the event that such dedication is refused acceptance, such assets shall be granted, conveyed and

assigned to any non-profit corporation, association, trust or other organization to be devoted to such similar purposes, but in no event shall such assets inure to the benefit of any member or other private individual. In the event of termination, dissolution or final liquidation of the Association, the responsibility for the operation and maintenance of the surface water or stormwater management system must be transferred to and accepted by an entity which would comply with Section 40C-42.027, F.A.C., and be approved by the St. Johns River Water Management District prior to such termination, dissolution or liquidation.

#### ARTICLE X - BYLAWS

The Bylaws of this Association shall be initially adopted by the Board of Directors. Thereafter, the Bylaws may be amended, altered or rescinded in the manner provided by the Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE XI - AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

- A. These Articles of Incorporation may be amended, from time to time, as follows:
- (1) Notice of the subject matter of a proposed amendment shall be included in the notice of any meeting at which a proposed amendment is considered.
- (2) A resolution for the adoption of a proposed amendment may be proposed either by the Board of Directors or by not less than one-third (1/3) of the voting members of the Association.
- (3) Except as elsewhere provided, an amendment shall be adopted if approved either:
- (a) by not less than two-thirds (2/3) of the entire membership of the Board of Directors and also by not less than fifty-one (51) percent of the votes of the voting members duly qualified to vote; or
- (b) by not less than seventy-five (75) percent of the vote of the voting members duly qualified to vote, regardless of approval of the Board of Directors.
- B. No amendment shall make any change in the qualifications for membership nor the voting rights or property rights of members, without approval in writing by all voting members.
- C. No amendment shall make any change in the rights of the Declarant without the written approval of the Declarant. No amendment shall be made that is in conflict with the Declaration.

D. No amendment shall be effective until a copy of such amendment shall have been certified by the Secretary of State of the State of Florida and thereafter shall have been recorded in the Public Records of Brevard County, Florida.

#### **ARTICLE XII - INDEMNIFICATION**

Every director and every officer of the Association shall be indemnified by the Association to the fullest extent of the law against all expenses and liabilities, including counsel fees, reasonably incurred by or imposed on him in connection with any proceeding or settlement of any proceeding to which he may be a party or in which he may become involved by reason of his being or having been a director or officer of the Association, whether or not he is a director or officer at the time such expenses are incurred. The foregoing right of indemnification shall be in addition to and not exclusive of all other rights to which such director or officer may be entitled.

#### **ARTICLE XIII - INTERPRETATION**

Express reference is hereby made to the terms, provisions, definitions, and rules of interpretation contained in the Declaration where necessary to interpret, construe, and clarify the provisions of these Articles. In subscribing and filing these Articles, it is the intent of the undersigned that the provisions hereof be consistent with the provisions of the Declaration and, to the extent not prohibited by law, that the provisions of these Articles and of the Declaration be interpreted, construed, and applied so as to avoid inconsistencies or conflicting results.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, for the purpose of forming this corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, the undersigned, constituting the subscriber of this Association, has executed these Articles of Incorporation this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2000.

LIUS J. ZSCHAU, Subscriber

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#### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for HAMPTON PARK FACILITIES ASSOCIATION, INC., at the place designated in these Articles of Incorporation, the undersigned hereby accepts to act in this capacity, and agrees to comply with the provisions of the laws of the State of Florida relative to keeping such open office.

Dated this 24 day of March, 2000.

Judith Duncan Registered Agent

Registered Office:

555 Winderley Place, Suite 420 Maitland FL 32751

Principal Corporation Office: 555 Winderley Place, Suite 420 Maitland, FL 32751

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