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NAME: MANASOTA GROUND WATER  
ASSOCIATION, INC.

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XX ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
       CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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MANASOTA GROUND WATER ASSOCIATION, INC.,  
a Florida Not For Profit Corporation

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE 1. - NAME

The name of the corporation shall be MANASOTA GROUND WATER ASSOCIATION, INC.

ARTICLE 2. - PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal place of business and the mailing address of this corporation shall be Manasota Ground Water Association, Inc., 3243 Sunset Beach Road, Venice, Florida 34293.

ARTICLE 3. - PURPOSES

The specific purpose for which the corporation is organized is to represent the continued growth of the water well industry and all of its related fields, including but not limited to, the preservation of this natural resources's quality and quantity, as well as reviewing and contributing to related regulation agencies.

ARTICLE 4. - MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The method of election of directors shall be stated in the bylaws.

ARTICLE 5. - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

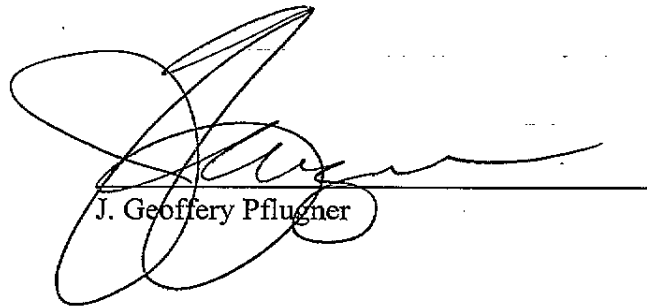
The street address of the corporation's initial registered office is 2033 Main Street, Suite 501, Sarasota, Florida 34237, and the name of the corporation's initial registered agent at such address

is J. Geoffrey Pflugner.

ARTICLE 6. - INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the Incorporator is J. Geoffrey Pflugner, 2033 Main Street, Suite 501, Sarasota, Florida 34237.

The undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2000.

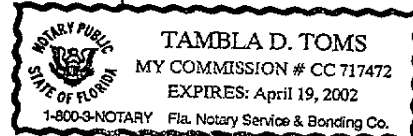
  
J. Geoffrey Pflugner

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF SARASOTA

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2000, by J. Geoffrey Pflugner, who is personally known to me.

  
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Notary Public  
State of Florida at Large  
My Commission Expires:



CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION  
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

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Pursuant to the provisions of §607.0501 of the 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.

1. The name of the corporation is: MANASOTA GROUND WATER ASSOCIATION, INC.

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is: J. Geoffrey Pflugner, 2033 Main Street, Suite 501, Sarasota, Florida 34237.

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 CAPACITY. 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.

Manasota Ground Water Association, Inc.

By: 

J. Geoffrey Pflugner,  
its authorized agent