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May 23, 2001

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Department of State Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

In Re: Martin County Parade of Turtles, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed, please find an original Article of Incorporation to be filed and given charter

numbers along with a copy for date, time stamp and return with our check in the amount

of \$70.00 to cover the cost of filing.

Please return the copy to this office in the envelope provided. If you should have any

questions or need anything further, please contact our office.

Thank you for your cooperation with regard to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Portia B. Scott

Enclosures PBS/cab xc: Mrs. Sandra Schock File

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	2001	TALLAHASSEE, FLORI
ARTICLE I:	The name of this corporation is MARTIN COUNTY PARADE OF TURTLES, INC., hereinafter "Corporation."	
ARTICLE II:	The address of the Corporation is 1045 East Ocean Boulevard, Suite 5, Stuart, Florida 34996.	
ARTICLE III:	This Corporation is intended to be an in profit Organization, as contemplated by Revenue Code section 501(c) as amen- time, or any like provision of the Code, we encourage the formation of charitable of in 2001 for the purpose of benefitting the County, assisting local charities in meet improving the lives of those in need, an unusual charm and added distinction to	the Internal ded from time to which is designed to organizations, formed ie residents of Martin ting their goals of d adding some
ARTICLE IIII:	The Corporation shall not, nor shall any of the Corporation acting in their capac campaign, contribute funds or time, or i support the candidacy of any person fo in federal, state, or local elections.	ity as such, solicit, in any other way
ARTICLE V:	The method of appointment of the men Directors shall be set forth in the By-La Corporation.	nbers of the Board of ws of the
ARTICLE VI:	The name of the registered agent is Po address is 1045 East Ocean Boulevard 34996.	ortia B. Scott, whose d, Stuart, Florida
ARTICLE VII:	The names of the initial incorporators a whose address is 3333 SE Fairway Ea 34997; Nancy Hemphill, whose addres Road, Stuart, Florida 34996; and Portia address is 1045 East Ocean Boulevard Florida.	st, Stuart, Florida s is 1829 SE Airport a B. Scott, whose

There shall be only one (1) class of members. ARTICLE VIII:

The requirements, obligations, rights and benefits of memberships shall be as defined in the by-laws. **ARTICLE VIIII:** 

Memberships are not transferable. ARTICLE X: Termination of a membership, and the procedures leading **ARTICLE XI:** thereto, shall be as set out in the By-laws. Upon the termination of any membership, any and all work ARTICLE XII: done or performed by, or produced by, the member whose membership is terminated, any funds contributed to the Corporation by the member, and the rights to any such work or works, remain the property of the Corporation. Petition for reinstatement of any membership may be made **ARTICLE XIII:** at any time after termination thereof. These Articles of Incorporation shall be amended, altered or ARTICLE XIV: rescinded only by a 3/5ths vote of a quorum (as defined in the By-Laws) of the Members. The Corporation shall exist in perpetuity. **ARTICLE XV: ARTICLE XVI:** Upon dissolution of the Corporation, the assets of the corporation shall be liquidated, in such a manner as. reasonably, to insure the highest dollar value therefor, and with every effort to protect the integrity of the assets, and after such liquidation, the proceeds shall be disbursed to

such creditors as the Corporation shall have in priority as determined by law. In the event there exists a surplus of funds after the payment of all legally enforceable debts, then that amount shall be donated in whole to The United Way of Martin County.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, acknowledged and filed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation under the laws of the State of Florida this  $2n_c/day$  of March, 2001.

Jandra 7. Achock Sandra Schock

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MARTIN

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} day$  of March, 2001, by Sandra Schock, ( ) who is personally known to me or ( ) who has produced  $\underline{A(\alpha, Drivers, Lic.}$  as identification, and who ( ) did ( ) did not take an oath.



(SEAL)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, acknowledged and filed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation under the laws of the State of Florida this 2nd day of March, 2001.

Maney Kemp Nancy Hemphill

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MARTIN

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this  $\frac{1}{2}$  day of March, 2001, by Nancy Hemphill, (...) who is personally known to me or ( ) who has produced as identification, and who ( ) did (...) did not take an

oath.



(SEAL)

Notary Public

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, acknowledged and filed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation under the laws of the State of Florida this <u>A</u> day of March, 2001.

Portia B. Scott

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MARTIN

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of March, 2001, by Portia B. Scott, ( ) who is personally known to me or ( ) who has produced as identification, and who ( ) did ( ) did not take an

oath.

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(SEAL)

Notary Public

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## **ACCEPTANCE**

I hereby accept the foregoing designation of Registered Agent of Martin County Parade of Turtles, Inc.

DATED this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2001.

Portia B. Scott Registered Agent