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May 16, 2002

Department of State
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
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RE: 15,000 Coalition, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the above-referenced entity to be filed with the Secretary of State plus an additional copy of the Articles of Incorporation to be certified. Also enclosed is a self-addressed, stamped envelope to return the certified copy to the Coalition. A check in the amount of \$78.75 to cover the filing fee (\$35), designation of registered agent (\$35) and the cost of the certified copy (\$8.75) is included.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this filing, please contact me at (877) 592-6102.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'D' followed by a series of loops and a final flourish.

Don Lester

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

of

THE 15,000 COALITION, INC.

(A Corporation Not-for-Profit)

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These Articles constitute the Articles of The 15,000 Coalition, Inc., a corporation not-for-profit organized under the laws of the State of Florida.

Article I.

Name

The name of the Corporation is The 15,000 Coalition, Inc.

Article II.

Principal Office

The address of the principal office of the Corporation is 1061 Collier Center Way, Suite 5, Naples, Florida 34110. The mailing address of the Corporation is P. O. Box 111210, Naples, Florida 34108.

Article III.

Purpose

The purpose for which the Corporation is organized is to educate landowners as to growth management and environmental plans and programs affecting lands in Collier County; to represent the landowner/members in those issues; to advocate for the landowner/members' interests; and to protect and preserve property values in Collier County, Florida.

Article IV.

Members

The qualifications for members and the manner of their admission are as described in the by-laws.

Article V.

Election of Directors

The manner in which the directors are to be elected are stated in the by-laws.

Article VI.

Initial Directors/Officers

The names and addresses of the initial directors are:

Gerardo C. Morales, President
3380 24th Avenue SE
Naples, FL 34117

William H. Lienemann, Treasurer
6131 Pelican Bay Blvd., #11
Naples, FL 34108

Nelson Torres, Vice President
3550 Everglades Blvd.
Naples, FL 34117

Edmund W. Antonowicz, Secretary
631 SW 67 Terrace
Pembroke Pines, FL 33023-1546

Don Lester
1061 Collier Center Way
Suite 5
Naples, FL 34110

Lawrence Perez, CPA
CPA Financial, P.A.
27657 Old 41 Road
Bonita Springs, FL 34135

Article VII.

Initial Registered Agent

The street address of the registered office of the Corporation is 1061 Collier Center Way, Suite 5, Naples, Florida 34110, and the name of the registered agent at that address is Don Lester.

Article VIII.

Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator of this Corporation is as follows:

Don E. Lester
1061 Collier Center Way
Suite 5
Naples, FL 34110

Article IX

Accountant and Chief Financial Officer

The Accountant and Chief Financial Officer is CPA Financial, P. A., 27657 Old 41 Road, Bonita Springs, FL 34135. The Principals are William W. Marsland and Lawrence Perez.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has signed these Articles of Incorporation on May 17th, 2002

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Don E. Lester
Incorporator

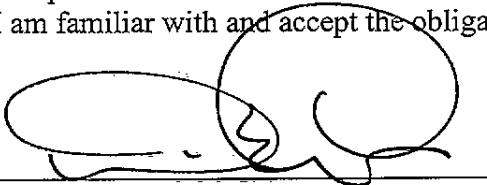
**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION AND
ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT**

Pursuant to the provisions of Florida Statutes Chapter 617, the corporation named below, organized under the not-for-profit corporation laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office and registered agent of the Corporation in the State of Florida:

1. The name of the corporation is The 15,000 Coalition, Inc.
2. The name and address of the registered agent and registered office are:

Don E. Lester
1061 Collier Center Way
Suite 5
Naples, FL 34110

Having been named in the Articles of Incorporation of the above-stated corporation as registered agent for such corporation at the address indicated in this statement, 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 relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.



Don E. Lester, Registered Agent

Dated: May 17th, 2002

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