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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State
Division Of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

SUBJECT: Florida Landscaping and Property Maintenance, Inc.

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation
and our check for \$78.75.

FROM: Kelly Barton
860 20th Avenue, South
St. Petersburg, Florida 33705
(727) 821-9691

December 18, 2002

Division of Corporation
Tim Burch
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Ref. Number: W02000033039
Letter Number: 102A00062700

I, Kelly Barton have no intention of reinstating, Florida Landscaping and Property Maintenance, Inc. A For Profit Corporation. Therefore, I am releasing the name for use to another entity.

STATE OF FLORIDA }
COUNTY OF PINELLAS }

On December 18, 2002 before me, Kelly Barton, President, personally appeared, personally known to me (or subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon the behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature Charlene W. Boyer

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Jim Smith
Secretary of State

November 20, 2002

KELLY BARTON
860 20TH AVE SOUTH
ST PETERSBURG, FL 33705

SUBJECT: FLORIDA LANDSCAPING AND PROPERTY MAINTENANCE, INC.
Ref. Number: W02000033039

We have received your document for FLORIDA LANDSCAPING AND PROPERTY MAINTENANCE, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

We regret that we were unable to contact you by phone. Please return the corrected document with a letter providing us with an address and telephone number where you can be reached during working hours.

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an administratively dissolved/revoked entity. Names of administratively dissolved/revoked entities are not available for one year from the date of administrative dissolution/revocation unless the dissolved/revoked entity provides the Department of State with a notarized affidavit stating that they have no intention of reinstating, therefore, releasing the name for use to another entity.

Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6928.

Tim Burch
Document Specialist
New Filing Section

Letter Number: 102A00062700

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

FOR

A FLORIDA NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator(s) for the purpose of forming a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE ONE

The name of the corporation is: FLORIDA LANDSCAPING AND PROPERTY MAINTENANCE, INC.

ARTICLE TWO

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

**860 20TH Avenue South
St. Petersburg, Florida 33705**

ARTICLE THREE

The principal address and the registered office are the same. The initial registered agent is:

**Kelly Barton
860 20th Avenue, South
St. Petersburg, Florida 33705**

ARTICLE FOUR

The names and address(es) of the incorporator(s)/ director(s) to these Article of Incorporation is (are):

**Kelly Barton, President
860 20th Avenue, South
St. Petersburg, Florida 33705**

**Harriett Barton, Vice President
860 20th Avenue, South
St. Petesburg, Florida 33705**

**Tim Barton, Sr.
860 20th Avenue, South
St. Petersburg, Florida 33705**

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ARTICLE FIVE

The initial Board of Directors shall consist of three members at this time. However, the manner of election will be stated in the by-laws.

ARTICLE SIX

This corporation is a non-profit corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. It is not organized for the private gain of any person. The specific purpose of this corporation is to:

To provide quality landscaping and property maintenance

To have training program for youth ages 16 and up to learn how to landscape, apply sod, and property maintenance.

To render all services and advice related above.

Provided, however the corporation shall not engage in any action which is not permitted to be carried on by non-profit corporation under the Internal Revenue Code and no part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefits of or be distributable to its members, directors, or officers; but the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay any reasonable compensation to these people for service rendered, and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of its stated purposes.

ARTICLE SEVEN

The corporation is organized (and shall be operated) on a non-stock basis within meaning of the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, and shall not have the power to issue shares of any type of any class of stock, but may issue membership certificates section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE EIGHT

Said organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(C) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE NINE

No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set fourth in the purpose clause hereto:

No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE TEN

Upon dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(C) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the organization is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The undersigned has executed these ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION on this 11 day of 10 2002

Incorporator(s) Kelly Barton

**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.

The name of the Corporation is: Florida Landscaping and Property Maintenance, Inc.
The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

**Kelly Barton
860 20th Avenue, South
St. Petersburg, Florida 33705**

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 obligations of my position as registered agent.

Kelly Barton
Signature

11/10/02
Date

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