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

SUBJECT: Tallahassee Area Association of Environmental Professionals, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Walter E. Forehand

Name (Printed or typed)

125 S. Gadsden Street, Suite 300

Address

Tallahassee, FL 32301

City, State & Zip

850-222-5702

Daytime Telephone number

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Glenda E. Hood Secretary of State

August 8, 2003

WALTER E. FOREHAND 125 S. GADSDEN STREET SUITE 300 TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301

SUBJECT: TALLAHASSEE AREA ASSOCIATION OF EVIRONMENTAL

PROFESSIONALS

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We have received your document for TALLAHASSEE AREA ASSOCIATION OF EVIRONMENTAL PROFESSIONALS and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR TALLAHASSEE AREA ASSOCIATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROFESSIONALS, INC. (A Not-for-Profit Corporation)

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Tallahassee Area Association of Environmental Professionals, Inc.

ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE

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

7874 McClure Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32312.

ARTICLE III. PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

work toward the goal of protecting, enhancing, and maintaining the quality of the natural environment in the Tallahassee area through professional ethics and cooperation with the National Association of Environmental Professionals ("NAEP") and the Florida Association of Environmental Professionals ("FAEP").

ARTICLE IV. MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed shall be as provided in the bylaws.

ARTICLE V. INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

The name(s), address(es) and title(s):

President

Edwin A. Steinmeyer

125 South Gadsden Street, Suite 300

Tallahassee, FL 32301

Vice President

Craig Diamond

300 South Adams Street Tallahassee, FL 32301

Secretary

Bonita Gorham

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Tallahassee, FL 32301

Director

Paul G. Johnson

537 Hickory Wood Drive Crawfordville, FL 32327

ARTICLE VI. INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

Walter E. Forehand, 125 South Gadsden Street, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32301.

ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Walter E. Forehand, 125 South Gadsden Street, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32301.

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the

appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Signature/Registered Agent

Signature/Incorporator

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