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FLORIDA NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

Naples-Marco Island Hospice Regatta, Inc.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Of

NAPLES-MARCO ISLAND HOSPICE REGATTA, INC.

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a not for profit corporation in compliance with Chapter 617, F.S. (Not for Profit), hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the Corporation shall be:

NAPLES-MARCO ISLAND HOSPICE REGATTA, INC.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and the mailing address of the Corporation shall be:

1095 Whippoorwill Lane Naples, Florida 34105-3847

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose or purposes for which the corporation is formed is to engage in fund raising activities for Hospice of Naples, Inc. and it shall have all powers available to corporations under Florida law.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The Board of Directors, following the initial Directors, shall be elected by a majority vote of the Corporation's Members, which vote shall be held at each annual meeting of the Corporation's Members.

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ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS

The names of the members of the initial Board of Directors of this Corporation are as follows:

Mary Baron John Chesney Brenda Pierce

ARTICLE VI OFFICERS

The Corporation shall have a President, a Secretary and a Treasurer and may have additional and assistant officers including, without limitation thereto, one or more Vice Presidents, Assistant Secretaries and Assistant Treasurers. A person may hold more than one office. The Corporation's initial officers, who shall hold office until their successors are appointed by the Board of Directors, are as follows:

Mary Baron: President John Chesney: Vice President Brenda Pierce: Secretary/Treasurer

ARTICLE VII INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and address of the initial registered agent is:

John Chesney, Registered Agent 7311 Stonegate Drive Naples, Florida 34109

ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation is: G. Helen Athan, Esquire, Grant, Fridkin, Pearson, Athan & Crown, P.A., Pelican Bay Corporate Centre, 5551 Ridgewood Drive, Suite 501, Naples, Florida 34108.

16 The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this day of Nort Mary, 2005.

G. Helen Athan, Incorporator

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ARTICLE IX CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION

The organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious educational, and/or scientific purposes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Upon the 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 shall be distributed to the Federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

We agree that no part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, trustees, officers or other private persons, except that the organization shall be authorized to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislations, 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 provision of these articles, 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 (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.0501, 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.

- 1. The name of the Corporation is: Naples-Marco Island Hospice Regatta, Inc.
- 2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

John Chesney, Registered Agent 7311 Stonegate Drive Naples, Florida 34109

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.

S ω. John Chesney $\overline{\omega}$ NOV. 2005 16 Date: -3-Fax Audit# H05000267951 3

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