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SECRETARY OF STATE

Bureau of Corporate Records P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32301

Re: Friends Of The Rockledge Library And Cultural Arts Center

Enclosed find the following documents:

- 1. Original and one copy of Articles Of Incorporation.
- Original and one copy of Registered Agent Certificate.
- Our trust account check in the amount of \$78.75.

Our check represents the following fees:

Filing fee	\$35.00
Certified copy of Articles	8.75
Registered Agent fee	<u>35.00</u>
	\$78.75.

Please return the certified copy of the Articles Of Incorporation.

Sincerely yours,

Joseph E. Miniclier

JEM/anr Enclosures

Copy to: James P. McKnight



April 24, 2006

JOSEPH E MINICLIER PO BOX 8248 COCOA, FL 32924-8248

SUBJECT: FRIENDS OF THE ROCKLEDGE LIBRARY AND CULTURAL ARTS

CENTER

Ref. Number: W06000019128

We have received your document for FRIENDS OF THE ROCKLEDGE LIBRARY AND CULTURAL ARTS CENTER and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name of the corporation must contain a corporate suffix. This suffix may be: CORPORATION, CORP., INCORPORATED, or INC. Sections 617.0401(1)(a) and 617.1506(1), Florida Statutes, prohibits the use of the word COMPANY or CO. in the name of a non-profit corporation.

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.

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OF THE

FRIENDS OF THE ROCKLEDGE LIBRARY AND CULTURAL ARTS CENTER, IN

The undersigned, being desirous of forming a corporation not for profit under the provisions of Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, do agree to the following:

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is:

FRIENDS OF THE ROCKLEDGE LIBRARY AND CULTURAL ARTS CENTER, INC.

ARTICLE II - EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

- A. This corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for civic, educational, literary and charitable purposes, for the organization and creation of a library and cultural arts center within the City of Rockledge.
- B. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles the purposes for which the corporation is organized or exclusively civic, charitable, scientific, literary, and educational or in the meaning of such in 501.(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

ARTICLE IV - MEMBERSHIP

The qualifications for membership in this corporation and the manner of their admission shall be as regulated by the By-laws.

ARTICLE V - REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is:

Rockledge City Hall 1600 Huntington Lane Rockledge, Florida 32955

and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation is:

Joseph E. Miniclier

ARTICLE VI - DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have three (3) directors initially, the number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-laws, but shall never be less than three. The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as members of the initial Board of Directors are:

James P. McKnight 1600 Huntington Lane Rockledge, Florida 32955

Betsi Moist 1600 Huntington Lane

Rockledge, Florida 32955

Joseph E. Miniclier 1970 Michigan Avenue, Bldg. E

Cocoa, Florida 32922

ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is:

James P. McKnight 1600 Huntington Lane Rockledge, Florida 32955

ARTICLE VIII - POWERS

- A. This corporation shall have any and all of the corporate powers enumerated in Chapter 617 Florida Statutes.
- B. Not withstanding any other provision of these articles, this organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provisions of any future United States internal revenue law.

ARTICLE IX - DISSOLUTION

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Sections 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future internal revenue code, or to the federal, state or local government for exclusive public purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 18th day of April , 2006.

James P. McKNIGHT, Incorporator

Having been named to accept service of process for the abovenamed corporation, at place designated in these Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept and agree to act in this capacity.

OSEPH E. MINICLIER, Registered Agent

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF BREVARD

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgements in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared JAMES P. McKNIGHT, known to me and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and he acknowledged before me that he executed those Articles of Incorporation for the purposes therein expressed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the state and county aforesaid, this _\^\ day of ______, 2006.

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MY COMMISSION # DD 963808

EXPIRES: October 19, 2008

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My commission expires: (SEAL)

Notary Public - State of Flor Printed Name: F. Rene Lo

REGISTERED AGENT CERTIFICATE

The below named corporation maintains an office at the address below, and appoints the below named person as its Registered Agent thereat to accept service of process on behalf of said corporation:

REGISTERED AGENT'S NAME:

JOSEPH E. MINICLIER

PRINCIPAL STREET ADDRESS OF CORPORATION:

Rockledge City Hall 1600 Huntington Lane Rockledge, FL 32955

FRIENDS OF THE ROCKLEDGE LIBRARY AND CULTURAL ARTS

CENTER, INC.

The undersigned, having been appointed as Registered Agent to accept service of process on behalf of said corporation at the office designated above, hereby accepts said appointment and agrees to keep said office open as required by law.

gistered Agent