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### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

SECRETARY OF STATE

SAWGRASS PRESERVE TOWNHOMES CONDOMINIUM OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. (a corporation not for profit)

In order to form a corporation under and in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of Florida, for the formation of corporations not for profit, we, the undersigned, hereby associate ourselves into a corporation for the purpose and with the powers hereinafter mentioned; and to that end we do, by these Articles of Incorporation, set forth:

# ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be SAWGRASS PRESERVE TOWNHOMES CONDOMINIUM OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. The corporation shall be hereinafter referred to as the "Association".

### ARTICLE || PURPOSE

The purposes and objects of the Association shall be to administer the operation and management of a condominium to be established by GULFSTREAM PARTNERS, INC., a Florida corporation, hereinafter called Developer, the condominium complex to be established in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida upon part or all of the following described property, situate, lying and being in Brevard County, Florida, to-wit:

#### SEE EXHIBIT "A"

and to undertake the performance of the acts and duties incident to the administration of the operation and management of said condominium and in accordance with the terms, provisions, conditions and authorizations contained in these articles and which may be contained in the Declaration of Condominium which will be recorded in the Public Records of Brevard County, Florida, at the time said property, and the improvements now or hereafter situate thereon are submitted to a plan of condominium ownership; and to own, operate, lease, sell, trade and otherwise deal with such property, whether real or personal, as may be necessary or convenient in the administration of said condominium. The Association shall operate, maintain and manage the surface water or stormwater management system in a manner consistent with the St. John's River Water Management District Permit requirements and applicable District rules, and shall assist in the enforcement of the Declaration of Condominium which relate to the surface water or stormwater management system. The corporation shall be conducted as a non-profit organization for the benefit of its members.

### ARTICLE III POWERS

The corporation shall have the following powers:

- A. All of the powers and duties granted to corporations and corporations not for profit as set forth in Chapters 607 and 617, Florida Statutes, except as expressly limited or restricted by the Florida Condominium Act, and all of the powers and privileges which may be granted unto said corporation or exercised by it under any other applicable laws of the State of Florida.
- B. All of the powers reasonably necessary to implement and effectuate the purposes of the corporation, including, but not limited to:
  - Making and establishing reasonable rules and regulations governing the use of condominium units and the common elements in the condominium as said terms may be defined in the Declaration of Condominium.
  - 2. Levying and collecting assessments against members of the corporation to defray the common expenses of the condominium as may be provided in the Declaration of Condominium and in the By-Laws of the corporation which may be hereafter adopted, including the right to levy and collect assessments for the purposes of acquiring, operating, leasing, managing and otherwise trading and dealing with such property, whether real or personal, including the condominium units in the condominium, which may be necessary or convenient in the operation and management of the condominium and in accomplishing the purposes set forth in the Declaration of Condominium.
  - Maintaining, repairing, replacing, operating and managing the condominium and the property comprising same, including the right to reconstruct improvements after casualty and to make further improvement of the condominium property.
  - 4. Contracting for the management and maintenance of the condominium and to authorize a management agent to assist the Association in carrying out its powers and duties by performing such functions as the collection of assessments, preparation of records, enforcement of rules and maintenance of the common elements. The Association shall, however, retain at all times the powers and duties granted them by the Condominium Act, including, but not limited to the making of assessments, promulgation of rules and execution of contracts on behalf of the Association.
  - 5. Enforcing the provisions of the Declaration of Condominium, these Articles of Incorporation, the By-Laws of the corporation which may be hereafter adopted, and the rules and regulations governing the use of the condominium as the same may be hereafter established.

- 6. To acquire title to property or otherwise hold, convey, lease, and mortgage association property for the use and benefit of its members. The power to acquire personal property shall be exercised by the board of administration. Except as otherwise permitted in subsections (8) and (9) of Section 718.111, Florida Statutes, and in Section 718.114, Florida Statutes, no association may acquire, convey, lease, or mortgage association real property except in the manner provided in the declaration, and if the declaration does not specify the procedure, then approval of 75 percent of the total voting interests shall be required.
- To exercise, undertake and accomplish all of the rights, duties and obligations which may be granted to or imposed upon the corporation pursuant to the Declaration of Condominium.
- 8. To operate, maintain and manage the surface water or stormwater management system(s) in a manner consistent with the requirements of the applicable St. John's River Water Management District permit and applicable district rules; and to assist in the enforcement of those provisions of the Declaration which relate to the surface water or stormwater management system(s).
- To levy and collect assessments against members of the corporation for the costs of maintenance and operation of the surface water or stormwater management system.

### ARTICLE IV

The qualification of the members, the manner of their admission to membership and termination of such membership, and voting by members shall be as follows:

- A. The owners of all condominium units in the condominium shall be members of the corporation, and no other persons or entities shall be entitled to membership, except as provided in Item E of this Article IV.
- B. Membership shall be established by the acquisition of fee title to a condominium unit in the condominium or by acquisition of a fee ownership interest therein, whether by conveyance, devise, judicial decree or otherwise, and the membership of a party shall be automatically terminated upon his being divested of all title to or his entire fee ownership interest in all units in the condominium.
- C. The interest of a member in the funds and assets of the corporation cannot be assigned, hypothecated or transferred in any manner, except as an appurtenance to his condominium unit. The funds and assets of the corporation shall belong solely to the corporation, subject to the limitation that the same be expended, held or used for the benefit of the membership and for the purposes authorized herein, in the Declaration of Condominium, and in the said By-Laws.

- D. On all matters on which the membership shall be entitled to vote, there shall be only one (1) vote for each condominium unit in the condominium, which vote shall be exercised or cast by the owner or owners of each condominium unit in such manner as may be provided in the By-Laws hereafter adopted. Should any member own more than one (1) condominium unit, such member shall be entitled to exercise or cast as many votes as he owns condominium units, in the manner provided in said By-Laws.
- E. Until such time as the property described in Article II hereof is submitted to a plan of condominium ownership by the recordation of said Declaration of Condominium, the membership of the corporation shall be comprised of the subscribers of these Articles, each of which subscribers shall be entitled to cast one (1) vote on all matters on which that membership shall be entitled to vote.

#### ARTICLE V TERM

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence. Existence of the Corporation shall commence upon execution of these Articles of Incorporation. The Corporation shall exist in perpetuity. However, in the event of termination, dissolution or final liquidation of the Association, the responsibility for the operation and maintenance of the surface water or stormwater management system must be transferred to and accepted by an entity which would comply with Section 40C-42.027, F.A.C., and be approved by the St. John's River Water Management District prior to such termination, dissolution or liquidation.

# ARTICLE VI

The principal office of the Association shall be located at 5055 Babcock Street, N.E., #7, Palm Bay, Florida 32905, but the Association may maintain offices and transact business in such other places within or without the State of Florida as may from time to time be designated by the Board of Administration.

#### ARTICLE VII DIRECTORS

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by the Board of Administration. The number of members of the Board of Administration of the corporation shall be a minimum of three (3) with the exact number determined by a vote of the members. The members of the Board of Administration shall be elected as provided by the By-Laws of the corporation. The Board of Administration shall be members of the corporation or shall be authorized representatives, officers or employees of a corporate member of this corporation. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the first election of directors will be held in accordance with Article VI of the Declaration of Condominium of SAWGRASS PRESERVE TOWNHOMES CONDOMINIUM. Any vacancies in the Board of Administration occurring before the first election will be filled by the remaining directors, unless the vacancy occurs when both the Developer and unit owners other than the Developer are entitled to representation in which event the vacancy shall be filled by an election as provided in rule 61B-23.0021 F.A.C. The first election of director shall be held sixty (60) days from the date of recording of the Declaration of Condominium; thereafter, elections of directors shall be held once a year at the annual membership meeting.

The names and addresses of the members of the first Board of Administration who shall hold office until their successors are elected and have qualified, or until removed, are as follows:

Don Facciobene 5055 Babcock Street, N.E., #7
Palm Bay, Florida 32905

John Curri 2893 N. Harbor City Blvd. Melbourne, Florida 32935

Frank M. Facciobene, Sr. 50 West Laurie Street Melbourne, Florida 32804

# ARTICLE VIII OFFICERS

The Board of Administration shall elect a President, a Secretary and a Treasurer and as many Vice Presidents, Assistant Secretaries and Assistant Treasurers as the Board of Administration shall determine. The President shall be elected from among the membership of the Board of Administration but no other officer needs to be a director. The same person may hold two (2) offices, the duties of which are not incompatible; provided, however, that the office of the President and Vice President shall not be held by the same person, nor shall the office of President, Secretary or Assistant Secretary be held by the same person.

The affairs of the corporation shall be administered by the officers designated in the By-Laws of the corporation. Said officers will be elected by the Board of Administration at its first meeting following the annual meeting of the members of the Association and with the approval of the Board of Administration, may employ a managing agent and/or such other managerial and supervisory personnel or entities to administer or assist in the administration of the operation and management of the condominium, and the affairs of the corporation, and any such person or entity may be so employed without regard to whether such person or entity is a member of the corporation or a director of the corporation.

The name and address of the officer who will serve until their successor is designated is as follows:

Don Facciobene - President 5055 Babcock Street, N.E., #7 Palm Bay, Florida 32905

John Curri – Vice-President 2893 N. Harbor City Blvd. Melbourne, Florida 32935

Frank M. Facciobene, Sr. - Secretary/Treasurer 50 West Laurie Street Melbourne, Florida 32904

#### ARTICLE IX SUBSCRIBERS

The subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation is the person herein named.

#### ARTICLE X BY-LAWS

The original By-Laws of the Corporation shall be adopted by the Board of Administration and thereafter, such By-Laws may be altered or rescinded by the Board of Administration only in such manner as said By-Laws may provide.

# ARTICLE XI

Every director and every officer of the corporation shall be indemnified by the corporation against all expenses and liabilities, including counsel fees, reasonably incurred by or imposed upon him in connection with any proceeding to which he may be a party, or in which he may become involved, by reason of his being or having been a director or officer of the corporation, whether or not he is a director or officer at the time such expenses are incurred, except in such cases wherein the director or officer is adjudged guilty of willful misfeasance or malfeasance in the performance of his duties; provided, that in the event of any claim for reimbursement or indemnification hereunder based upon a settlement by the director or officer seeking such reimbursement or indemnification, the indemnification herein shall only apply if the Board of Directors approves such settlement and reimbursement as being in the best interests of the corporation. The foregoing right of indemnification shall be in addition to and not exclusive of all other rights to which such director or officer may be entitled.

### ARTICLE XII AMENDMENTS

Any amendment or amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by the Board of Administration of the corporation acting upon a vote of the majority of the directors, or by the members of the corporation owning a majority of the condominium units in the condominium, whether meeting as members or by instrument in writing signed by them. Upon any amendment or amendments to these Articles being proposed by said Board of Administration or members, such proposed amendment or amendments shall be transmitted to the President of the corporation or other officer of the corporation in the absence of the President, who shall thereupon call a special meeting of the members of the corporation for a date not sooner than twenty (20) days nor later than sixty (60) days from the receipt by him of the proposed amendment or amendments, and it shall be the duty of the Secretary to give to each member written or printed notice of such meeting, stating the time and place of the meeting and reciting the proposed amendment or amendments in reasonably detailed form, which notice shall be mailed or presented personally to each member not less than ten (10) days nor more than thirty (30) days before the date set for such meeting. If mailed, the notice of the membership meeting shall be sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, which mailing shall be deemed notice. Any member may, by written waiver of notice signed by such member, waive such notice, and such waiver when filed in the records of the corporation, whether before or after the holding of the meeting, shall be deemed equivalent to the

giving of such notice to such member. At such meeting, the amendment or amendments proposed must be approved by an affirmative vote of the members owning a majority of the condominium units in the condominium in order for such amendment or amendments to become effective. Thereupon, such amendment or amendments of these articles shall be transcribed and certified in such form as may be necessary to register the same in the office of the Secretary of State of Florida; and upon the registration of such amendment or amendments which said Secretary of State, a certified copy thereof shall be recorded in the Public Records of Brevard County, Florida, within ten (10) days from the date on which the same are so registered. No amendment is valid until it is recorded in the Public Records. At any meeting held to consider such amendment or amendments of these articles, the written vote of any member of the corporation shall be recognized, if such member is not in attendance at such meeting or represented thereat by proxy, provided such written vote is delivered to the Secretary of the corporation at or prior to such meeting.

Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Article XII, no amendment or amendments to these articles which shall abridge, amend or alter the right of the Developer to designate and select directors of each Board of Administration of the corporation, as provided in Article VII hereof, may be adopted or become effective without the prior consent of the Developer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the subscriber has hereunto set his hand and seal this 18th day of May, 2006.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act.

SAWGRASS PRESERVE TOWNHOMES CONDOMINIUM OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a corporation not for profit, desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, in the City of Melbourne, Florida, County of Brevard, State of Florida, has named GARY B. FRESE, ESQ., 930 S. Harbor City Blvd., Suite 505, Melbourne, Florida 32901, as its agent to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, and he hereby accepts to act in this capacity and agrees to comply with the provisions of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

GARY B. FRESE

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#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

#### PARCEL 1:

A PARCEL OF LAND BEING A PORTION OF LOTS & THROUGH 8, LYING WESTERLY OF 1-95, AND EAST OF MINTON ROAD, FLORIDA INDIAN RIVER LAND COMPANY SUBDIVISION IN SECTION 18, TOWNSHIP 28 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1 PAGE 164, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS.

COMMENCE AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 18; THENCE, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SECTION 18. SOUTH 89"21"ZE" EAST A DISTANCE OF 46,00 FEET, TO THE EAST LINE OF MELBOURNE TILLMAN DRAINAGE DISTRICT CANAL #69: THENCE, NORTHERLY ALONG SAID EAST LINE OF MELBOURNE TILLMAN DRAINAGE DISTRICT CANAL #69, NORTH 00'30'21"EAST A DISTANCE OF 45.00 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE, NORTH 00'30'21" EAST, ALONG BAID LINE, A DISTANCE OF 265,00 FEET TO A POINT: THENCE, LEAVING SAID LINE, SOUTH 89'21'26" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 698.96 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE HEREIN DESCRIBED PARCEL OF LAND; THENCE NORTH 00'30'21" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 500.00 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE, NORTH 89"21"26" WEST. A DISTANCE OF 696.96 FEET TO A POINT, THENCE, NORTH 00'30'21" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 259.67 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE, NORTH 05'00'18" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 250.73 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE, SOUTH 89"19"47" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 832.07 FEET TO A POINT AT THE WEST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF INTERSTATE 95 (300 FOOT RIGHT OF WAY); THENCE, ALONG SAID RIGHT OF WAY LINE, SOUTH 54'02'26" EAST. A DISTANCE OF 1636.62 FEET TO A CURVE CONCAVE TO THE SOUTH, HAVING A RADIUS OF 3,669.83 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 08'05' 06"; THENCE ALONG SAID CURVE EASTERLY AN ARC DISTANCE OF 517.88 FEET. SAID ARC HAVING A CHORD BEARING OF SOUTH 49'59'58" EAST: A DISTANCE OF 517.43 FEET TO A POINT AT THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 18; THENCE ALONG SAID SECTION LINE NORTH 89'21'26" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 818.90 FEET TO A NON TANGENT CURVE CONCAVE TO THE WEST HAVING A RADIUS OF 890.00 FEET AND A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 4412'31"; THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG SAID CURVE AN ARC DISTANCE OF 686.71
FEET, SAID ARC HAVING A CHORD BEARING OF NORTH 6719'05" WEST A DISTANCE OF 659.80 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE, NORTH 88"25"20" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 98.69 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE, NORTH 85"07"55" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 200.52 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE, NORTH 88"44"41" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 149.46 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING:

THE ABOVE DESCRIBED PARCEL CONTAINS AN AREA OF 1.463,106 SQUARE FEET, OR 33.59 ACRES MORE OR LESS, SUBJECT TO ANY AND ALL EASEMENTS AND OR RESTRICTIONS AS CONTAINED WITHIN THE CHAIN OF TITLE.

#### PARCEL 2:

A PARCEL OF LAND BEING A PORTION OF LOTS 5 THROUGH 8, LYING WESTERLY OF 1-95, AND EAST OF MINTON ROAD, FLORIDA INDIAN RIVER LAND COMPANY SUBDIVISION IN SECTION 18, TOWNSHIP 28 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1 PAGE 164, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCE AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 18: THENCE, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SECTION 18, SOUTH 89'21'26" EAST A DISTANCE OF 46.00 FEET. TO THE EAST LINE OF MELBOURNE TILLMAN DRAINAGE DISTRICT CANAL #69; THENCE, NORTHERLY ALONG SAID EAST LINE OF MELBOURNE TILLMAN DRAINAGE DISTRICT CANAL #69, NORTH 00'30'21" EAST A DISTANCE OF 45.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE HEREIN DESCRIBED PARCEL OF LAND, THENCE, NORTH 00'30'21" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 155.00 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE, SOUTH 89'21'26" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 843.51 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE, NORTH 86'03'26" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 203.10 FEET TO A POINT: THENCE, SOUTH 89'25'20" EAST. A DISTANCE OF 98.94 FEET TO A CURVE CONCAVE TO THE SOUTH, HAVING A RADIUS OF 810.00 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 38'01'20"; THENCE ALONG SAID CURVE EASTERLY AN ARC DISTANCE OF 537.53 FEET, SAID ARC HAVING A CHORN BERNING SOUTH 70'24'40" EAST A DISTANCE OF 527.72 FEET TO A POINT AT THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 18: THENCE ALONG SAID UNE NORTH 89'21'26" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 1,643.65 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

THE ABOVE DESCRIBED PARCEL CONTAINS AN AREA OF 239064 SQUARE FEET.
OR 5.49 ACRES MORE OR LESS, SUBJECT TO ANY AND ALL EASEMENTS AND OR RESTRICTIONS AS CONTAINED WITHIN THE CHAIN OF TITLE.