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### **COVER LETTER**

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

SUBJECT: The SOFT COATED WHEATEN TERRIER CLUB OF GLEATEN TAMPA BAY, INC. (PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

\$70.00 Filing Fee	\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	X)\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy	\$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate
		ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED	
FROM: MELISSA NELSON RA Name (Printed or typed)  8620 SW 147 Street Address  VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY FL 33158  City, State & Zip  305 297 8956  Daytime Telephone number			

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for:

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S. (Not for Profit)

The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, desiring to form a Corporation Not for Profit under the Corporation Not for Profit Law of Florida, Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, certifies and acknowledges:

#### ARTICLE I. NAME.

The name of the Corporation Not for Profit shall be The Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier Club of Greater Tampa Bay, Inc.

#### ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

The principal office and mailing address of the Corporation is Sue Robinson, Secretary 1629 N. Lakeshore Drive Sarasota, FL 34243

## **ARTICLE III. PURPOSE.**

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, and scientific purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as may be amended, including the following:

- 1. To rescue and transport dogs from high kill shelters, to no kill shelters, pet foster homes and permanent homes across the state of Florida.
- 2. To promote responsible pet ownership (e.g. spay/neutering, vaccinations, pet ID tags) via educational and volunteer programs.
- 3. To foster stray and rescued dogs until they are adopted.
- 4. To assist others in placing homeless, fostered, or unwanted dogs into permanent homes.
- 5. To fundraise for nonprofit health research in the diseases of PLE/PLN, Addisons Disease, Renal Dysplasia, and IBD as it pertains to the Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier.

#### **ARTICLE IV. MANNER OF ELECTIONS.**

Elections of new Directors or election of current Directors to a second term will occur as the first item of business at the annual meeting of the Corporation. Directors will be elected by majority vote of the membership. Officers shall be elected for two terms beginning January 1 following an election of the membership.

#### ARTICLE V. DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

Gayle Frank, President 922 80<sup>th</sup> Street, NW Bradenton, FL 34209

Deborah Scurr, Vice President 7276 Moffatt Lane, N. Pinellas Park, FL 33761

Charlotte Engle, Treasurer 2779 Ringwood Meadow Sarasota, FL 34235

Sue Robinson, Secretary 1629 N. Lakeshore Drive Sarasota, FL 34243

Brian Sonneschein, Director 2875 Alex McKay Place Sarasota, FL 34240

Marjorie Lorand, Director 1445 Corey Way, S. S. Pasadena Beach, FL 33707

> Jan Bloom, Director 14016 Lake Bluff Drive Tampa, FL 33624

Karen Kormos, Director 5024 Inverness Drive Sarasota, FL 34243

# ARTICLE VI. REGISTERED AGENT AND REGISTERED AGENT'S PHYSICAL ADDRESS (for Service of Process)

The registered agent is Melissa Nelson, 8620 SW 147<sup>th</sup> Street, Village of Palmetto Bay, FL 33158-1934

#### ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATOR.

The name and address of the Incorporator is John G. Kormos, 5024 Inverness Drive, Sarasota, FL 34243

#### ARTICLE VIII. DISSOLUTION.

In the event, and upon dissolution of the Corporation, 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.