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Subject: Northwest Initiative Cleanup Effort, Inc.

Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check

Filing Fee and Certified Copy: \$78.75

Total Check Amount:

\$78.75

(Made payable to Department of State)

FROM:

Carmen Jones

Name

721 NW 16th Street

Address

Pompano Beach, Florida 33060

City, State and Zip Code

(954) 783-7233

Daytime Telephone Number



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

June 12, 2006

CARMEN JONES 721 NW 16TH STREET POMPANO BEACH, FL 33060

SUBJECT: NORTHWEST INITIATIVE CLEAN-UP EFFORT, INC.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Northwest Initiative Cleanup Effort, Inc. (A Corporation Not-for-Profit)

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ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the Corporation shall be the Northwest Initiative Clean-Up Effort, Inc.

ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business of the Corporation and mailing address of this corporation shall be 721 NW 16th Street, Pompano Beach, Florida, 33060.

<u>ARTICLE III – PURPOSE(S)</u>

The general purposes of this Corporation shall be:

- 1. To promote citizen awareness and responsibility to improve the living condition of declining neighborhoods.
- 2. To identify, coordinate and perform clean-up efforts, beautification projects, housing development and redevelopment of declining communities.
- 3. To engage the private and public sector in programs designed to improve the aesthetics and green space.
- 4. To expand resident knowledge and acceptance of responsibility to maintain decent and safe communities.
- 5. To act as a catalyst for positive socio-economic change.
- 6. To do any and all things for the furtherance of the purposes of the organization which are not prohibited by law nor required to be specifically stated in these articles.

ARTICLE IV - TERM OF EXISTENCE

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

<u>ARTICLE V – QUALIFICATION OF MEMBERS</u>

The membership of the Corporation shall constitute persons who share a common interest and commitment for the well being of declining neighborhoods.

ARTCILE VI - INCORPORATOR AND SUBSCRIBERS

The name and addresses of the incorporators and subscribers to these articles are:

NAME
Carmen Jones

Cheryl Small

ADDRESS
617 NW 16th Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Cheryl Small

617 NW 17th Avenue, Pompano Beach, FL 33069

ARTICLE VII – OFFICERS

The initial Officers of the Corporation shall be the President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The names and addresses of the Officers who are to serve until the first election of Officers as set forth in the by-laws are as follows:

NAME & POSITION Carmen Jones President	ADDRESS 721 NW 16 th Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33060
Cheryl Small Vice President	617 NW 17 th Avenue, Pompano Beach, FL, 33369
Alisa Loray Secretary	31 NE 21 st Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33060
Janice Robinson Treasurer	313 NW 16 th Avenue, Pompano Beach, FL 33069

ARTICLE VIII – DUTIES OF OFFICERS

The duties of such Officers, their terms of office, the manner of their selection and removal shall be determined in accordance with the By-laws of the Corporation.

ARTICLE IX - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- A. The business, legal and financial affairs of this Corporations shall be managed by the Board of Directors, which shall also be members of the Corporation.
- B. Members of the Board of Directors shall be elected to hold office in accordance with the By-laws.
- C. The name and addresses of persons to serve as Directors for the ensuing year or until the first election under the Articles of Incorporation are as follows:

NAME & POSITION
Carmen Jones
President

Cheryl Small
Vice President

Alisa Loray
Secretary

Janice Robinson
Treasurer

ADDRESS
721 NW 16th Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33060

617 NW 17th Avenue, Pompano Beach, FL 33369

31 NE 21st Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33060

313 NW 16th Avenue, Pompano Beach, FL 33069

<u>ARTICLE X – BY-LAWS</u>

By-laws shall be hereinafter adopted by the Corporation for the conduct of its business and the carrying out of its purposes, as the Corporation may deem necessary. Upon proper notice, such By-laws may be amended or repeated in whole or in part, by a vote of at least two-thirds of those members present at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for that specific purpose.

ARTICLE XI - AMENDMENTS

Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by any member and presented to the Corporation at any regular meeting of the membership or at any special meeting called for that purpose by a vote of at least two-thirds of those members present.

ARTICLE XII - MEETINGS

The Regular meetings and/or call meeting of this corporation shall be in accordance with the By-Laws of the Corporation.

ARTICLE XIII- DISSOLUTION

No person, firm or corporation shall ever receive any dividends or profit from the undertaking of this corporation and in the event of the dissolution of this Corporation, all of the assets remaining after payment of all costs and expenses of such dissolution shall be distributed to organizations which have qualified under Section 501 (c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code or to the Federal, State or local government for exclusive public purposes. None of the assets will be distributed to any member, Officer or Director of this Corporation or any private individual.

<u>ARTICLE XIV – REGISTERED AGENT</u>

The name and address of the registered agent is:

Carmen Jones 721 NW 16th Street Pompano Beach, FL 33060

ARTICLE XV – ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the duty and responsibility to act in this capacity.

Carmen Jones Registered Agent

ARTICLE XVI – EFFECTIVE DATE

The effective date of this Corporation shall be July 14, 2006, pursuant to Section 607.0203, Florida Statutes.

Witnessed by:

Incorporator/Subscriber

Carmen Jones

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Susan Lolorlen

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF BROWARD

Before me personally appeared Carmen Jones and Cheryl Small, to me well known and known to me to be the persons described therein or produced for de License as identification, and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and acknowledged to and before me that they each severally executed said instrument for the purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this <u>23</u> day of <u>June</u>, <u>2006</u>

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