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Lorelle Friend 2929 Turnbull Bay Rd. New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168 386-423-2227

August 14, 2012

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

Re: Friends of Spruce Creek Preserve, Inc.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find enclosed a check in the amount of \$43.75 along with a restatement of the Articles of Incorporation of Friends of Spruce Creek Preserve, Inc. Please file this restatement and send me a certified copy of same.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Larelle Friend - signed in her absence by Bushen & Henen

Lorelle Friend, Sec./Treas./Director

RESTATEMENT OF THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF Friends of Spruce Creek Preserve, Inc. (A Non-Profit Florida Corporation)

We, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, and do hereby make, subscribe, acknowledge and file the following Restatement of the Articles of Incorporation as the revised Charter for such Corporation.

ARTICLE I - NAME/PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The name of this Corporation is Friends of Spruce Creek Preserve, Inc. The principal place of business and mailing address is 2929 Turnbull Bay Rd., New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168, and at such other place or places in the State of Florida as may be determined by the Corporation.

ARTICLE II - NATURE OF BUSINESS.

The purpose for which this Corporation is organized is to effect the acquisition of properties within the existing and future boundaries of the Doris Leeper Spruce Creek Preserve ("the Preserve"), to promote long-term protection and sound management of the Preserve that balances conservation with suitable public uses of it, and to encourage activities dedicated to exploring the interrelationship of natural, cultural and recreational resources of the Preserve.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

Eligibility for membership in the Corporation shall include the following:

- 1. Individual sponsors.
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ARTICLE IV - TERM OF EXISTENCE

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

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The affairs of the Corporation are to be managed by a Board of Directors. The Board of Directors will consist of at least three individuals with the maximum number to be as stated in the By-Laws, if adopted. Directors will be appointed by the President of the Corporation, with a concurring vote of a majority of the then constituted Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VI - REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The Corporation designates KATE FRIEND, as it's Registered Agent, who shall maintain her registered offices at 701 Glades Ct., Suite A, Port Orange, FL 32127, pursuant to Section 617.0501, Florida Statutes.

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By-Laws of the Corporation may be made, adopted, altered or rescinded by a twothirds (2/3's) vote of the directors of the Corporation.

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Amendments to these Articles Of Incorporation may be proposed and adopted as follows: An Amendment may be proposed by the Board of Directors or by any member, and may be considered at any meeting of the Board of Directors, regular or special, of which notice has been given according to the By-Laws if adopted, which includes a notice of the substance of the proposed Amendment. The Amendment must be approved by a vote of two-thirds (2/3's) of the members of the Board of Directors.

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This Corporation shall have all the powers permitted by law, together with such additional specific powers as may be contained in the By-Laws, if adopted.

ARTICLE XII - PURPOSE

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are exclusively charitable, religious, educational and/or scientific within the meaning of Section 50l(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provisions of any future federal tax code. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code 0f 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provision of any future federal tax code.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We, the undersigned, being the present officers of this Corporation, for the purpose of amending and restating the Articles of Incorporation do make and file this Restatement of the Articles of Incorporation, hereby declaring and certifying that the facts herein stated are true, and accordingly hereunder have set our hands and scals this 8th day of August, 2012.

Suzanne Kosmas President/Director

m.z Michael Hickson, Vice President/Director

Lorelle Friend, Secretary/Treasurer/Director

CERTIFICATE

There are no members entitled to vote on this amendment and restatement of the Articles of Incorporation. This amendment and restatement was approved by the Board of Directors on August 8, 2012.

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF VOLUSIA

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared SUZANNE KOSMAS, who is personally known to me, or who produced a Florida driver's license as identification, and known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing Restatement of the Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that she executed the same for the purposes expressed therein as her voluntary act and deed, and that the facts set forth therein are true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State last aforesaid this _____ day of August, 2012.

Notary public

DixIE A. Wilson Notary name printed

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