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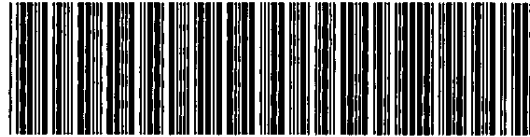
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March 11, 2014

CHRISTINE THROWER  
401 CLEMATIS ST.  
WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401

SUBJECT: WEST PALM BEACH PARKS AND CEMETERY FOUNDATION,  
INC.  
Ref. Number: W14000015703

We have received your document for WEST PALM BEACH PARKS AND CEMETERY FOUNDATION, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

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

**SUBJECT:** WEST PALM BEACH PARKS AND CEMETERY FOUNDATION, INC.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☒ \$70.00  
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Filing Fee &  
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Status

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM: CHRISTINE THROWER**  
Name (Printed or typed)

**401 CLEMATIS ST.**  
Address

**WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401**  
City, State & Zip

**561-824-4900**  
Daytime Telephone number

**cthrower@wpb.org**  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**OF**  
**WEST PALM BEACH PARKS AND CEMETERY FOUNDATION, INC.**

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In compliance with the requirements of Chapter 617, Florida Statutes the undersigned, being a majority of the Directors of the West Palm Beach Parks and Cemetery Foundation, Inc. hereby adopts and files the following articles of incorporation for the purpose of organizing a not for profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I  
NAME

The name of the Corporation is West Palm Beach Parks and Cemetery Foundation, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation").

ARTICLE II  
PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The initial street address of the Corporation is:

401 Clematis Street  
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401

The initial Registered Agent of the Corporation is:

Christine Thrower  
Director of Parks & Recreation  
City of West Palm Beach  
401 Clematis Street  
West Palm Beach, FL 33401

ARTICLE III  
PURPOSES

The Corporation is organized exclusively for not for profit, charitable, civic, educational, historic and cultural purposes, including such purposes as fundraising and acceptance of donations to be used toward City of West Palm Beach Parks & Recreations projects and/or programs; maintenance and improvement of existing City of West Palm Beach parks and recreational areas; development of new parks or recreational areas; the beautification, maintenance or restoration of Woodlawn Cemetery and Evergreen Cemetery; and recommending

vision plans and strategic plans for City parks, recreational areas and Woodlawn and Evergreen Cemeteries.

ARTICLE IV  
APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTORS

The Nominating Committee of the Board of Directors will appoint Directors.

ARTICLE V  
INITIAL INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the initial incorporators are as follows:

- (1) City of West Palm Beach  
401 Clematis Street  
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401
- (2) Jorge Avellana - Treasurer  
3589 S. Ocean Blvd. #703  
South Palm Beach, Florida 33480
- (3) Shaun M. Castillo – Vice Chair  
470 Executive Center Drive – 2B  
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401
- (3) Robert Norvell - Chair  
550 S. Quadrille Blvd., Suite 203  
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401
- (3) Lois Reid Clemente - Secretary  
719 Newark Street  
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401

ARTICLE VI  
LIMITATIONS

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its directors, officers, members or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Three hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in, (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

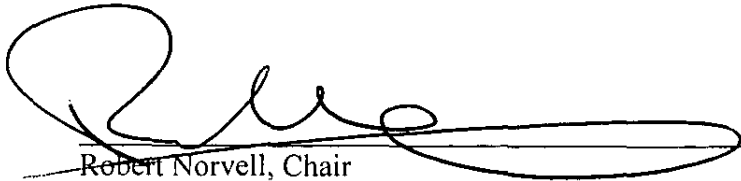
Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

**ARTICLE VII**  
**DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION**

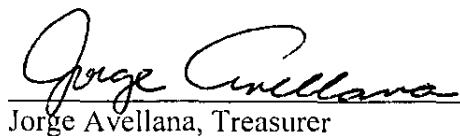
Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, assets shall be distributed to the Corporation of West Palm Beach for a public purpose related to parks, recreation or cemeteries.

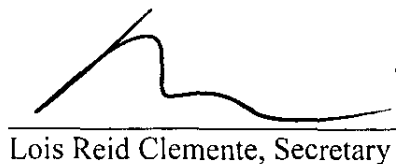
**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned incorporators of the West Palm Beach Parks and Cemetery Foundation, Inc., have executed these Articles of Incorporation

this 20 day of June, 2014.

  
Robert Norvell, Chair

  
Shaun M. Castillo, Vice Chair

  
Jorge Avellana, Treasurer

  
Lois Reid Clemente, Secretary

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STATE OF FLORIDA }  
COUNTY OF PALM BEACH }

I, herby certify that the following individuals personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged due execution of the foregoing Article of Incorporation as incorporation of the West Palm Beach Parks and Cemetery Foundation, Inc.

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Jorge Avellana ☐ known to me OR ☒ produced Driver License  
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Shaun M. Castillo ☒ known to me OR ☐ produced \_\_\_\_\_  
as identification.

Robert Norvell ☐ known to me OR ☒ produced Driver License  
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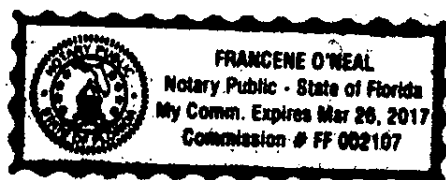
WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20 day of June, 2014.

[Notary Seal]

Francene O'Neal  
Notary Public- State of Florida

Print Name: FRANCENE O'NEAL

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**ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT**

**FOR**

**WEST PALM BEACH PARKS AND CEMETERY FOUNDATION, INC.**

Having been named as Registered Agent and to accept service of process for the West Palm Beach Parks and Cemetery Foundation, Inc. at the place designated in the Articles of Incorporation, I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as Registered Agent as specified in the provisions of Florida Statutes.



Christine Thrower

Date: 6/20, 2014