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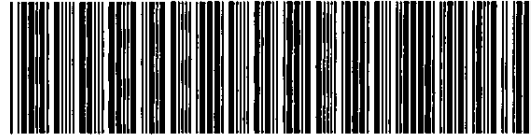
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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

**SUBJECT:** Central Florida Fruit Society, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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☒ \$78.75  
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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Carol A. Wilson  
Name (Printed or typed)

633 Buckminster Circle  
Address

Orlando, FL 32803  
City, State & Zip

407-488-9991  
Daytime Telephone number

ghjcarol@gmail.com  
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  
CENTRAL FLORIDA FRUIT SOCIETY, INC.**

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In compliance with the requirements of the Florida Statutes, Chapter 617, the undersigned serves as incorporator, for the purpose of forming a not-for-profit corporation and does hereby certify:

**Article I**

**Name of Corporation**

The name of this corporation is Central Florida Fruit Society, Inc. (hereinafter called the "Corporation").

**Article II**

**Initial Principal Office**

The initial principal office of the Corporation is located at 3201 Corrine Drive, Orlando, FL 32803. The mailing address is P.O. Box 4337, Orlando, FL 32802-4337.

**Article III**

**Registered Office and Registered Agent**

The street address for the initial registered office of the Corporation is 633 Buckminster Circle, Orlando, Florida 32803. The name of the initial registered agent at that address is Carol A. Wilson.

**Article IV**

**Purposes and Powers**

This Corporation does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit to its board members, and the purposes for which it is formed are exclusively for educational and charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or under any corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

The specific purposes of this corporation shall be to raise awareness and educate members and the general public about:

- the many tropical, sub-tropical and temperate fruits which can be grown in the Central Florida region,
- the acquisition, propagation, site selection, cultivation and harvest of these fruiting plants including organic cultivation methods,
- the use of fruiting plants in the creation of an edible landscape,
- storage and preparation of home-grown fruits for consumption.

Except as limited by the Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws, the Corporation will have and exercise all rights and powers in furtherance of its purposes as are or may hereafter be conferred on not-for-profit corporations pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes and in accordance with other applicable laws.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, this Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

## **Article V**

### **Membership**

This corporation shall have members. The eligibility, rights and obligations of members are defined in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

## **Article VI**

### **Board of Directors**

The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by its Board of Directors. Directors are elected or appointed as prescribed in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

The names and addresses of the initial directors are:

Audrey M. Jones, President  
6512 Garden Spring Ct.  
Orlando, FL 32818

Carol A. Wilson, Treasurer  
633 Buckminster Circle  
Orlando, FL 32803

Katie Prescott, Secretary  
2839 Antioch Way  
Orlando, FL 32807

William Stone  
615 Arvern Dr.  
Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Herb von Kluge  
7575 Dr. Phillips Blvd. Suite 310  
Orlando, FL 32819

Peter von Lersner  
586 Eagles Crossing Pl.  
Lake Mary, FL 32746

## **Article VII**

### **Dissolution**

A majority of the Board of Directors may authorize the dissolution of the Corporation. After dissolution is authorized, the Corporation must file Articles of Dissolution, in compliance with Section 617.1403, Florida Statutes, with the Department of State.

Upon the dissolution or winding up of this Corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the Corporation shall be distributed to a not-for-profit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational or scientific purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

## **Article VIII**

### **Duration**

This Corporation shall exist perpetually.

## **Article IX**

### **Amendments**

A majority vote of the Board of Directors may amend the Articles of Incorporation.

**Article X**

**Bylaws**

The Bylaws of this Corporation shall be adopted by the incorporator on behalf of the Corporation and may be altered, amended or rescinded by a majority vote of the Board of Directors.

**Article XI**

**Incorporator**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Carol A. Wilson  
633 Buckminster Circle  
Orlando, FL 32803

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, for the purpose of forming this Corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, the undersigned, constituting the incorporator of this Corporation, executed these Articles of Incorporation this 12th day of December, 2014.


  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Carol A. Wilson, Incorporator

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR  
THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT  
UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

Pursuant to Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That Central Florida Fruit Society, Inc., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its initial principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, at 3201 Corrine Drive Orlando, FL 32803, has named Carol A. Wilson, whose address is 633 Buckminster Circle, City of Orlando, County of Orange, State of Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

Having been named to accept service of process for the corporation named above, at the place designated in this certificate, I agree to act in that capacity and to comply with the provisions of the Florida Not For Profit Business Corporation Act relative to keeping open the registered office.

  
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Carol A. Wilson, Registered Agent

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