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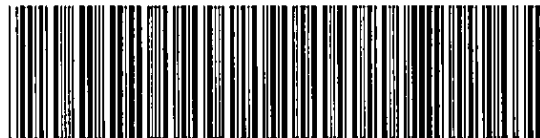
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SUBJECT: Blue-Green Connections, Inc.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for:

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FROM: VICKI LOVE  
Name (Printed or typed)

1185 Nelson Street  
Address

Dunedin, FL 34698  
City, State & Zip

409-562-9444  
Daytime Telephone number

~~vicki~~ vicki@bluegreennconn.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 Blue-Green Connections, Inc.**

The undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the State of Florida (Chapter 617, F.A.C.), do hereby certify:

**First:** The name of the Corporation shall be Blue-Green Connections, Inc.

**Second:** The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is 1 Eagle Lane, Palm Harbor, FL 34683. The mailing address is 1185 Nelson Street, Dunedin, FL 34698

**Third:** The correspondence name and email address are:

Name: Vicki Love E-Mail Address: valhays2000@yahoo.com

**Fourth:** Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The corporation will do the following:

- Further the understanding of the health of, threats to, and sustainable use of land and waters through both education and support to research
- Promote the sustainable use of land and waters through education and other initiatives
- Promote and conduct restoration and clean-up activities
- Engage with a broad and diverse set of interested parties to facilitate communication, data gathering and information sharing and to stimulate cooperation and unity of effort

**Fifth:** The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial directors of the corporation are as follows:

Title: Director	Name: Ray Bouchard	Address: 2215 Cedar Drive, Dunedin, FL 34698
Title: Director	Name: Tracy Love Tippin	Address: 1 Eagle Lane, Palm Harbor, FL 34683
Title: Director	Name: Vicki Love	Address: 1185 Nelson Street, Dunedin, FL 34698

**Sixth:** The manner in which directors and officers are elected or appointed is provided in the bylaws of the corporation.

**Seventh:** No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Third hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise 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.

**Eighth:** In the event that circumstances require 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 the 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. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

**Ninth:** The name and address of the initial registered agent is:

Name: Vicki Love Address: 1185 Nelson Street, Dunedin, FL 34698

5/14/2019 Vicki Love  
Date Signature

**Tenth:** The name and address of incorporator is:

Name: Vicki Love Address: 1185 Nelson Street, Dunedin, FL 34698

5/14/2019 Vicki Love  
Date Signature

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I am familiar with the position of registered agent as defined in Florida Statute 617 and accept the responsibilities as the registered agent filing for the incorporation of Blue-Green Connections, Inc.

Vicki Love

*Vicki Love 5/31/2019*

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