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

SUBJECT: Rooted Gard	ens INC		
SUBJECT.	(PROPOSED CORPO	DRATE NAME – <u>MUST IN</u>	CLUDE SUFFIX)
Enclosed is an original a	and one (1) copy of the Art	icles of Incorporation and	a check for:
□ \$70.00 Filing Fee	☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	□\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy	⊠ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate
		ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED	
FROM:	Gabriel Limonta Nan	ne (Printed or typed)	_
600 Northern Way Apt 1506			
		Address	

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

Winter Springs, FL 32708

glimonta2011@gmail.com

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

City. State & Zip

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

ROOTED GARDENS INCORPORATED

ARTICLE I — NAME

The name of the Corporation is Rooted Gardens Inc. (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation").

ARTICLE II — REGISTERED OFFICE ADDRESS

The principal office of the Corporation is to be located at 600 Northern Way, 1506 Winter Springs, FL 32708. The name and address in the Corporation's initial agent for service of process is: Gabriel Limonta, 600 Northern Way, 1506 Winter Springs, FL 32708

ARTICLE III — PURPOSE

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 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 specific purposes of the Corporation are to promote the creation and maintenance of renewable and sustainable community gardens to assist in providing fresh, nutritious food to needy individuals in local communities, and to encourage individuals through education to grow their own foodstuff.

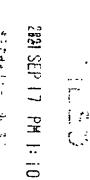
ARTICLE IV — TERMS OF EXISTENCE

The effective date upon which the Corporation shall come into existence shall be the date of filing of these Articles, and it shall exist perpetually thereafter unless dissolved according to law.

ARTICLE V — EXEMPTION REQUIREMENTS

At all times the following shall operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the Corporation:

1. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, 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.



- 2. 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.
- 3. 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 VI — INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

- A. The initial number of directors of the Corporation shall be three
- B. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished over time by the Board of Directors in accordance with the Bylaws of the Corporation, but there shall always be at least three directors.
- C. Nothing in this Article shall be construed to preclude the directors from serving the Corporation in any other capacity and receiving compensation therefor.
 - D. The initial officers and/or directors of the corporation are:

Title: Chair/President

Gabriel Limonta, 600 Northern Way, 1506, Winter Springs, FL 32708

Title: Director

Paul Webster, 1001 Wheeler Pl, Oviedo, FL 32765

Title: Director/Treasurer

Daniel Delgado, 1474 Trailhead Pt, Winter Springs, FL 32708

ARTICLE VII — REGISTERED AGENT

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

Gabriel Limonta 600 Northern Way, 1506 Winter Springs, FL 32708

ARTICLE VIII — INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Gabriel Limonta 600 Northern Way, 1506 Winter Springs, FL 32708

ARTICLE IX — BYLAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal Bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X — DISSOLUTION

- A. Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all of the liabilities of the Corporation, dispose of all the assets of the Corporation in a manner not inconsistent with the purposes of the Corporation, including to such organizations or organizations organized and operated exclusively for tax-exempt purposes, as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, as the Board of Directors shall determine.
- B. Any assets not disposed of by the Board of Directors as provided herein, shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for tax-exempt purposes or to such organizations, which are organized and operated exclusively for tax-exempt purposes, and which qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

I have subscribed my name and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third-degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

Gabriel Limonta, Incorporator

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

09/13/21

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Gabriel Limonta, Registered Agent