

**Electronic Articles of Incorporation
For**

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WESTERN EVERGLADES STAKEHOLDERS ASSOCIATION INC.

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Florida not-for-profit corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

Article I

The name of the corporation is:

WESTERN EVERGLADES STAKEHOLDERS ASSOCIATION INC.

Article II

The principal place of business address:

1701 E. ATLANTIC BLVD
SUITE 4
POMPANO BEACH, FL. 33060

The mailing address of the corporation is:

1701 E. ATLANTIC BLVD
SUITE 4
POMPANO BEACH, FL. 33060

Article III

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

THE GENERAL PURPOSE OF THE ASSOCIATION IS TO ADVANCE THE INTERESTS OF RESTORATION, PROTECTION, AND PRESERVATION OF THE WESTERN EVERGLADES, INCLUDING ADVOCATING FOR ITS MEMBERS.

Article IV

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is:

AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE BYLAWS.

Article V

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

THOMAS D OATES
1701 E. ATLANTIC BLVD
SUITE 4
POMPANO BEACH, FL. 33060

I certify that I am familiar with and accept the responsibilities of registered agent.

Registered Agent Signature: THOMAS D OATES

Article VI

The name and address of the incorporator is:

THOMAS D OATES
1701 E. ATLANTIC BLVD
SUITE 4
POMPANO BEACH FL 33060

Electronic Signature of Incorporator: THOMAS D. OATES

I am the incorporator submitting these Articles of Incorporation and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that 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. I understand the requirement to file an annual report between January 1st and May 1st in the calendar year following formation of this corporation and every year thereafter to maintain "active" status.

Article VII

The initial officer(s) and/or director(s) of the corporation is/are:

Title: DIR
MIKE ELFENBEIN
13162 DRYSDALE AVE
PORT CHARLOTTE, FL. 33981

Title: DIR
JESSE LEE
14500 COUNTY ROAD 833
CLEWISTON, FL. 33440

Title: DIR
MATTHEW B TAYLOR
5390 ERIE ROAD
PARRISH, FL. 34219

Title: DIR
THOMAS D OATES
1701 E. ATLANTIC BLVD, STE 4
POMPANO BEACH, FL. 33060

Article VIII

The effective date for this corporation shall be:

05/25/2023