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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

ARTICLE I NAME
The name of the corporation shall be: CIGAR COTTAGE GALLERY WC INC

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal <u>street</u> address:	Mailing address, if different is:
501 SHREVE ST	3541 PEACE RIVER DR
PUNTA GORDA, FL 33950	PUNTA GORDA, FL 33983

ARTICLE III PURPOSE
The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: PLEASE SEE ATTACHED.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed: _____
AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE BYLAWS.

ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

Name and Title:	BRENDA J. BERDNIK	Name and Title:	BETH LANE WILLIAMS
Address:	PRESIDENT, DIRECTOR	Address:	VICE PRESIDENT, DIRECTOR
	3541 PEACE RIVER DR		1210 MCGREGOR ST
	PUNTA GORDA, FL 33983		PUNTA GORDA, FL 33950
Name and Title:	VICKI GLYNN	Name and Title:	
Address:	SEC. TREAS. DIRECTOR	Address:	
	4430 MEAGER CIR		
	PORT CHARLOTTE, FL 33948		
Name and Title:		Name and Title:	
Address:		Address:	

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Address: _____ Address: _____

ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Name: BETH LANE WILLIAMS

Address: 1210 MCGREGOR ST

PUNTA GORDA, FL 33950

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: BETH LANE WILLIAMS

Address: 1210 MCGREGOR ST

PUNTA GORDA, FL 33950

ARTICLE VIII EFFECTIVE DATE:

Effective date, if other than the date of filing: _____ (OPTIONAL)

(If an effective date is listed, the date must be specific and cannot be more than five days prior or 90 days after the filing.)

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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 :

Beth Lane Williams

Required Signature of Registered Agent

2/16/24
Date

I submit this document 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.

Beth Lane Williams

Required Signature of Incorporator

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Date

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Article III

The mission of this organization is to provide a venue to display local artists' works, thus offering opportunities for both community members and visitors to view and support creative processes.

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, literary, 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.

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. 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.

Upon the 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.

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