# **Electronic Articles of Incorporation For**

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FLORIDA REDFOOT TORTOISE SANCTUARY INC.

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

## **Article I**

The name of the corporation is:

FLORIDA REDFOOT TORTOISE SANCTUARY INC.

# **Article II**

The principal place of business address:

141 NE JETTIE TERRACE PORT ST LUCIE, FL. US 34983

The mailing address of the corporation is:

141 NE JETTIE TERRACE PORT ST LUCIE, FL. US 34983

#### **Article III**

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

THE ORGANIZATION IS ORGANIZED EXCLUSIVELY FOR CHARITABLE, RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL, AND SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES UNDER 501(C)3 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE.

#### 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:

GINA B SMITH 141 NE JETTIE TERRACE PORT ST LUCIE, FL. 34983

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

Registered Agent Signature: GINA SMITH

## **Article VI**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

MARK THOMAS 11594 SW FIELDSTONE WAY

PORT ST LUCIE, FL 34987

Electronic Signature of Incorporator: MARK THOMAS

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: P GINA B SMITH 141 NE JETTIE TERRACE PORT ST LUCIE, FL. 34983 US

Title: VP RICHARD N SMITH 141 NE JETTIE TERRACE PORT ST LUCIE, FL. 34983 US

Title: SEC MICHAEL IPPOLITO 5411 NW ARROWHEAD TERRACE PORT ST LUCIE, FL. 34986 US

## **Article VIII**

The effective date for this corporation shall be:

09/09/2024

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