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RE: People Involved with Nature and the Environment, Inc. (PINE, INC)

Dear Gentlemen or Ladies:

Enclosed is our filing information for the above proposed non-profit corporation.

Attached please find our check #6468 for \$131.35 to cover:

1.	\$35.00	Filing Fee
2.	\$35.00	Designation of Registered Agent
3.	\$52.50	Certified Copy
4.	\$ 8.75	Certificate of Status

Very truly yours,

Thomas R. Dumas, President Licensed Real Estate Broker

Encs. Check #6468

Articles of Incorporation application

cc: Lyman Fletcher

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#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

July 23, 1998

THOMAS DUMAS P.O. BOX 50519 JACKSONVILLE BEACH, FL 32240-0519

SUBJECT: PEOPLE INVOLVED IN NATURE AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Ref. Number: W98000016821

We have received your document for PEOPLE INVOLVED IN NATURE AND THE ENVIRONMENT and your check(s) totaling \$131.25. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name of the entity must be identical throughout the document.

The corporation may only file one name.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6929.

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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**OF** 

# PEOPLE INVOLVED IN NATURE AND THE ENVIRONMENT INC.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a non-profit corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### **ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of this corporation is People Involved in Nature and the Environment Inc.

### **ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 541 E. Monroe St., Jacksonville, FL, 32202.

#### **ARTICLE III - DURATION**

This corporation shall exist perpetually.

#### ARTICLE IV- PURPOSE

The general purposes for which the Corporation is organized are the following:

- a. The purpose for which the corporation is organized is to preserve and enhance the natural environment of the preserve known as Pine Island in Atlantic Beach Florida together with interconnecting Intracoastal waterway properties in Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida, and adjoining waters including, but not limited to "Tresca" Park of Atlantic Beach Islands, Intracoastal, and other properties, marshes and waterways surrounding these islands in Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida, all for the public's benefit and enjoyment in regard to the natural environment of the intracoastal area.
- To engage in and conduct any lawful business for which the corporation may be incorporated under the Florida General Corporation Act. No other purpose limits this general purpose in any way.
- To do such other things as are incidental to the purposes of the Corporation or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish them.

c. To do such other things as are incidental to the purposes of the Corporation or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish them.

# **ARTICLE V - MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

The Director shall be elected by the membership of the non-profit corporation on an annual basis on the date and time and place to be set by by-law. The General Membership shall be determined by those applying for membership and paying a \$25.00 one time fee. Any and all individuals or citizens seeking to be a member of this non-profit corporation shall be deemed members upon meeting the requirements set forth herein and expanded on in the by-laws.

# ARTICLE VI - LIMITATION OF CORPORATE POWERS

There are no limitations of the powers of this corporation other those as provided for in Florida Statute 6617.0302.

# ARTICLE VII - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

Thomas R. Dumas 27 South 32<sup>nd</sup> Ave. Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250 (904) 241-7774

#### ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATORS

The names and the street addresses of the incorporators of these Articles of Incorporations are as follows:

Lyman T. Fletcher, Esquire 541 E. Monroe St. Jacksonville, FL 32202 (904) 353-7733 Patricia Goelz 1359 Beach Avenue Atlantic Beach, FL 32233

Thomas R. Dumas P. O. Box 50519 Jacksonville Beach, FL 32240-0519 (904) 241-7774 Joanna Deloach 804 East Coast Drive Atlantic Beach, FL 32233

Ceylon Rentz 3704 Ponce DeLeon Avenue Jacksonville, FL 32223 (904) 733-4443

# **ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENT**

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporators have executed these Articles of Incorporation, this <u>12</u> day of <u>July</u> , 1998.
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# CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENTREGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED NON-PROFIT CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

- 1. The name of the corporation is: People Involved in Nature and the Environment Inc.
- 2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Thomas R. Dumas 27 South 32<sup>nd</sup> Ave. Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250 (904) 241-7774

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Thomas R. Dumas

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