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RE: Gulf Coast Forum, Inc.

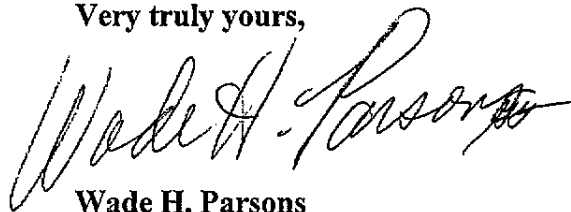
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Gentlemen:

With regard to the above-referenced non-profit corporation enclosed please find the Articles of Incorporation along with my check for filing in the amount of \$122.50.

Should you need anything further, please advise.

Very truly yours,



Wade H. Parsons

WHP:gg

Enclosures: As stated

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

FOR

GULF COAST FORUM, INC.

A FLORIDA NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION

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The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the corporation shall be GULF COAST FORUM, INC.

ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal place of business and the mailing address of this corporation shall be:

1853 Victoria Avenue
Fort Myers, FL 33901

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE(S)

The specific purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

To provide educational information to the general public regarding estates, probate, trusts and related matters

ARTICLE IV: MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is as follows:

As provided within the by-laws of this corporation.

ARTICLE V: LIMITATION OF CORPORATE POWERS

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in Section 617.0302, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VI: INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and the street address of the initial registered agent are:

Wade H. Parsons, Esq. 1853 Victoria Avenue
Fort Myers, FL 33901

ARTICLE VII: INCORPORATORS

The name and street address of the incorporator for these Articles of Incorporation is:

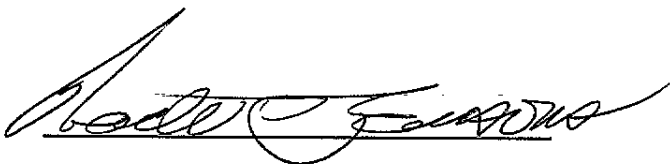
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ARTICLE VIII: BY-LAWS

By-laws shall be hereafter adopted at the first meeting of the Board of Directors. Such by-laws may be amended, repealed, in whole or in part, by the directors in the manner provided in the by-laws.

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 5th day of December, 1998.

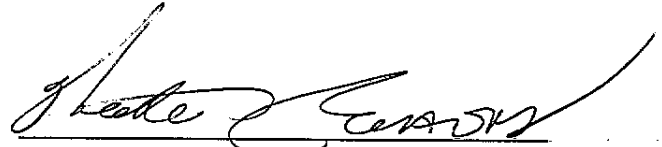
Signature of Incorporator:



Wade H. Parsons
Typed name of incorporator

ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT DESIGNATED
IN ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Wade H. Parsons, Esq., is authorized to transact business in this State, having a business office identical with the registered office of the corporation named above and having been designated as the Registered Agent in the above and foregoing Articles, is familiar with and accepts the obligations of the position of Registered Agent under Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes.


Wade H. Parsons, Esq.

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