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Division of Corporations  
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Tallahassee, FL 32301

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Subj: Incorporation of SEA ROCKET CHAPTER OF FLORIDA, INC.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed please find the following:

1. The original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the subject corporation. Please certify one copy and return it to the undersigned.

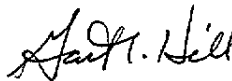
2. My check in the amount of \$78.75 to cover the filing fees.

3. Designation of Resident Agent.

Kindly acknowledge filing of these Articles of Incorporation, in compliance with Florida law and return the certified copy of the Articles of the Incorporation to the undersigned at Atlantic Legal Services, Inc., 1592 N. HWY A1A, Satellite Beach, FL 32937, telephone number (407) 773-2020.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



Gail Hill

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
SEA ROCKET CHAPTER OF FLORIDA, INC.

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation is  
SEA ROCKET CHAPTER OF FLORIDA, INC.

ARTICLE II. DURATION

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III. PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of:

1. The purpose of the Corporation is to gather information and educate the public through published materials, conferences, meetings, lectures, and liaison with individuals and organizations about native plants and native plant communities of the State of Florida, and their preservation, conservation and restoration.

2. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, literacy, scientific and educator purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c) (3) of such Code.

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3. No part of the earnings of the Corporation shall insure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensations for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in these Articles of Incorporation.

4. 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 and distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

5. Notwithstanding and 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, (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or (c) by a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

6. 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 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 the Court of Common Pleas 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.

#### ARTICLES IV. MEMBERS AND DIRECTORS

The qualifications of members and directors are the manner of admission of members together with the manner of election or appointment of directors shall be regulated by the bylaws.

#### ARTICLE V. INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation is 2155 Reynard Place, Merritt Island, FL 32952 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is GAIL HILL.

#### ARTICLE VI. INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have four directors initially. The

number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the bylaws but shall never be less than three. The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation are:

GAIL HILL  
2155 Reynard Place  
Merritt Island, Fl 32952

KITRESSA STONE  
200 S. Banana River Drive  
Merritt Island, FL 32952

JANICE VACULA  
6311 Quarter Horse Cir.  
Cocoa, FL 32926

PAMELA KNOTT  
23 Orange Ave.  
Rockledge, FL 32955

#### ARTICLE VII. PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal office of the corporation is located at 2155 Reynard Place, Merritt Island, Florida 32952 and the mailing address of the corporation is P. O. Box 1095, Cocoa, Fl 32923-1095.

#### ARTICLE VIII. INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the person signing these articles are:

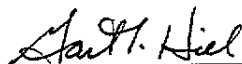
GAIL HILL  
2155 Reynard Pl.  
Merritt Island, Fl 32952

#### ARTICLE IX. AMENDMENTS

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation,

or any amendment hereto, by a majority vote of the Board of Directors, and any right conferred upon the members subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned subscriber has executed these articles of incorporation on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1999.



GAIL HILL  
Subscriber

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF BREVARD

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County named above to take acknowledgments, personally appeared GAIL HILL, to me known to be the person described as subscriber in and who executed the forgoing Articles of Incorporation, and who acknowledged before me that she subscribed to those Articles of Incorporation.

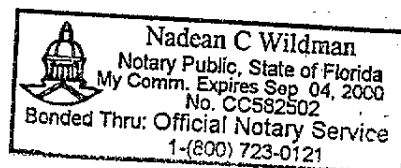
WITNESS my hand and official seal on the County and State named above this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1999.



Notary Public

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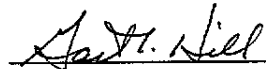
DESIGNATION  
AS  
REGISTERED AGENT

In compliance with Section 48.091, and Section 607.034,  
Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That SEA ROCKET CHAPTER OF FLORIDA, INC., desiring to  
organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its  
principal office at 2155 Reynard Place, City of Merritt Island,  
Brevard County, Florida 32952, has named GAIL HILL, located at  
2155 Reynard Place, City of Merritt Island, Brevard County,  
Florida 32952, as its agent to accept service of process within  
this state...

ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Having been named to accept service of process for the above  
named Corporation, at the place designated in this certificate,  
the undersigned agrees to act in this capacity, and agrees to  
comply with the provisions of Florida law relative to keeping the  
designated office open.

  
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GAIL HILL  
Registered Agent

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