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Florida Department of State Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: Redland Citizens for Incorporation, Inc.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find the original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the above referenced corporation, together with a check in the amount of \$78.75 representing your filing fee and fees for certified copies. Accordingly, a self-addressed, stamped envelope has been provided for your convenience in returning the certified copy to my office.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me.

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# NON-PROFIT ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF REDLAND CITIZENS FOR INCORPORATION, INC.

The undersigned, desiring to form a corporation under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, for the purposes hereinafter stated, hereby make, subscribe and acknowledge before a notary public and file with the Secretary of State of Florida, these Articles of Incorporation, as follows:

#### I. NAME

The name of this corporation shall be REDLAND CITIZENS FOR INCORPORATION,

INC.

#### II. **DURATION**

The term of existence of this corporation is perpetual, from the date hereo

# III. <u>STATUS</u>

The corporation is a not-for-profit corporation.

### IV. <u>AUTHORIZATION</u>

This corporation shall be governed according to the laws promulgated under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes.

## V. PURPOSE OF BUSINESS

The purposes for which this Corporation is formed are:

A. To educate the voting public, its elected representatives and other organizations of the issues affecting the lives of livelihood of the Citizenry of Miami-Dade County in the State of Florida and to promote the incorporation as a municipality under the laws of the State of Florida such area of the "Redlands" of South Miami-Dade County as may be the will of members of this corporation.

B. To take any other action which is allowed under the laws of the State of Florida and those in the United States of America for non profit corporations.

# VI. <u>INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT</u>

The address of the initial registered office of this corporation is located at 65 N.W. 16th Street, Homestead, Florida 33030, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at this address is STEVEN D. LOSNER.

# VII. <u>DIRECTORS</u>

This corporation shall have six (6) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than three (3). The names and addresses of the initial Board of Directors of this corporation are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
William H. Losner	20251 S.W. 272nd Street Homestead, Florida 33031
Steve Sapp	27451 S.W. 170th Avenue Homestead, Florida 33031
James Humble	26600 S.W. 182nd Avenue Homestead, Florida 33030
Craig Wheeling	c/o Brooks Tropical Post Office Box 900160 Homestead, Florida 33090-0160
Robert L. Shekels, Jr.	28100 S.W. 194th Court Homestead, Florida 33031
Claudio Rosario	10505 S.W. 56th Street Miami, Florida 33165

The directors named in these Articles of Incorporation as the first Board of Directors shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the members, at which an election of directors shall be held. Thereafter the term of office of each director shall be one (1) year and until the qualification of a successor in office of such director.

# VIII. MANAGEMENT, PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a president, vice president, secretary and a treasurer, and such additional and assistant officers as shall be provided for in the By-Laws, under the supervision of the Board of Directors. The officers shall be elected by the Board of Directors, or as provided in the By-Laws. The officers shall serve for a period of one (1) year or until their successors are elected or appointed.

The principal office of this corporation shall be initially located at 20251 S.W. 272nd Street, Miami, Florida 33031 and the initial mailing address shall be 20251 S.W. 272nd Street, Homestead, Florida 33031.

# IX. <u>INCORPORATOR</u>

The name and address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation is:

Steven D. Losner 65 N.W. 16th Street Homestead, Florida 33030

# X. MEMBERS

The members of this corporation shall consist of the initial directors named herein and such other persons as are approved for membership by the Board of Directors as provided in the By-Laws.

# XI. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors shall be a self perpetuating body whose members shall be chosen only from among the members of this corporation. In the event any vacancy shall occur because of death, resignation, incapacity to act, or removal of a director, the then remaining directors, shall, within a reasonable time, fill the vacancy, or vacancies.

# XII. <u>INDEMNIFICATION</u>

This corporation shall indemnify any of its agents, officers or directors to the full extent permitted by law.

# XIII. <u>BY-LAWS</u>

In furtherance and not in limitation of the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida, the Board of Directors are hereby authorized to adopt, alter, amend or repeal By-Laws at their pleasure, so long as such By-Laws are in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida and the Code.

# XIV. AMENDMENTS

This corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained herein in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by law, and all rights conferred on members herein are granted subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has hereunto set his hand and seal, this 23 day of June, 1999.

Steven D. Losner, Incorporator

#### RESIDENT AGENT CERTIFICATE

In pursuance of Chapter 48.901, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

First: That REDLAND CITIZENS FOR INCORPORATION, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its initial office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, in the City of Miami, County of Miami-Dade, State of Florida, has named STEVEN D. LOSNER as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

Steven D. Losner, Resident Agent

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