igardner Nurseries & Landscaping, Inc 1100 Rising Sun Boulevard

Winter Springs, Florida 32708

March 2, 2000

Florida Dept. of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Incorporation of Baumgardner Nurseries & Landscaping, Inc. Re:

Dear Sir or Madam:

I have enclosed one original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the abovereferenced new corporation, together with my check in the amount of \$78.75, as follows:

\$35.00 Filing Fee \$35.00 Designation of Registered Agent \$ 8.75 Certificate of Status

Upon filing, kindly fax a copy of the Articles as filed, together with the Certificate of - must be answered Status, to the following fax number: 407-977-8784 manually.

Thank you.

John F. Baumgardner

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The undersigned, acting as Incorporator, desiring to form a corporation for profit pursuant to the Florida Business Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation.

ARTICLE I – Name of Corporation

The name of this Corporation is BAUMGARDNER NURSERIES & LANDSCAPING, INC.

ARTICLE II - Principal Office

The principal place of business and mailing address of this Corporation is 1100 Rising Sun Boulevard, Winter Springs, Florida 32708.

ARTICLE III - Duration

This corporation shall begin its corporate existence as of the filing of these Articles of Incorporation and shall exist perpetually unless dissolved by operation of law.

ARTICLE IV - General Purpose

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business authorized and not prohibited by the Florida Business Corporation Act, as the same may be from time to time amended.

ARTICLE V - Shares

This corporation is authorized to issue one thousand (1,000) shares of capital stock, which shall be designated Common Shares with a par value of One and No/100 Dollars (\$1.00). The Directors of the Corporation are authorized and empowered to issue the capital stock of the Corporation as they in their discretion shall determine.

ARTICLE VI - Initial Officers and Directors

- A. This corporation shall have one (1) director initially.
- B. The number of directors of this corporation may be increased or decreased from time to time pursuant to Bylaws adopted by the shareholders, but shall never be less than one (1).

C. The name and address of the initial member of the Board of Directors of this Corporation who shall hold office until successors are duly elected and have qualified is:

John F. Baumgardner 1100 Rising Sun Boulevard Winter Springs, Florida 32708

D. The name and address of the initial Officers of this Corporation who shall hold office until their successors are duly elected and have qualified is:

President

John F. Baumgardner 1100 Rising Sun Boulevard Winter Springs, Florida 32708

Secretary

John F. Baumgardner 1100 Rising Sun Boulevard Winter Springs, Florida 32708

ARTICLE VII - Registered Agent

The name and address of the initial Registered Agent of this Corporation are:

John F. Baumgardner 1100 Rising Sun Boulevard Winter Springs, Florida 32708

ARTICLE VIII - Incorporator

The name and address of the Incorporator of this Corporation are:

John F. Baumgardner 1100 Rising Sun Boulevard Winter Springs, Florida 32708

ARTICLE IX - Bylaws

The power to adopt, alter, or repeal Bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X - Indemnification

This Corporation shall indemnify any Officer or Director, or any former Officer or Director, to the full extent permitted by the Florida Business Corporation Act.

ARTICLE XI - Amendment

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation at Winter Springs, Florida, this
John F. Baumgardner/Incorporator
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF <u>Seminale</u>
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of March, 2000, by John F. Baumgardner, who is \overline{\mathbb{Z}} personally known to me, or \overline{\mathbb{D}} who has produced Fla. Driver's License #
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ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation at the place designated in these Articles of Incorporation, 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.

ohn F. Baumgardner, Registered Agent