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Re: MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC. (Not-for-profit)

Gentlemen/Ladies:

Enclosed are two copies of the Articles of Incorporation for the not-for-profit corporation referenced above, along with a check in the amount of \$122.50 made payable to the Secretary of State.

Kindly file the original in your office and return a certified copy to our office.

Sincerely,

Jamie B. Greusel

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The undersigned incorporator to these Articles of The Incorporation, being competent to contract, hereby states the desire to form a corporation not-for-profit under the Name of the State of Florida.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC.

We, the undersigned, hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of becoming a corporation not for profit under Chapter 617, Laws of the State of Florida, providing for the formation, liability, rights, privileges and immunities of a corporation not for profit.

ARTICLE I NAME OF CORPORATION

The name of the corporation is MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC.

ARTICLE II PURPOSE

The purpose for which the Marco ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC. is organized is to foster and promote in interest in the natural, civil, literary, social and

ecclesiastical history of the State of Florida in general and Marco Island in particular through research study and discussion;

desirable to further the major objectives of this coporation and other not-for-profit purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 of the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

ARTICLE III TERM OF EXISTENCE

The existence of the corporation shall date from the approval of this Charter by the Secretary of State of Florida, and shall continue in perpetuity. If, for any reason, the corporation shall cease to exist as a legal entity, and its charter shall expire or be terminated, the property both real and personal owned by the corporation shall be sold and all proceeds shall be donated to one or more non-profits charitable organizations under the laws of

the State of Florida which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Section 501(c) and 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future law, or to the Federal, State or local government for exclusive public purpose.

ARTICLE IV MEMBERSHIP

Any person or persons interested in the promotion of social relationships of male residents of the greater Marco Island, Florida area are eligible for membership. Admission and membership shall be upon application to and acceptance by the members of the corporation.

ARTICLE V

The initial address of the principal office of this corporation is 1104 N. Collier Blvd., Marco Island, Florida 33937. The Board of Directors may, from time to time, move the principal office to any other address in Florida.

ARTICLE VI SUBSCRIBERS

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

Jamie B. Greusel

1104 N. Collier Blvd. Marco Island, FL 33937

ARTICLE VII

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a President, a Vice President, a Treasurer, Secretary and Corresponding Secretary. Each of said officers shall be elected by the Board of Directors for one year and all terms of office shall be for one year. The past President shall serve as a ex-officio member of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VIII DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have five directors initially.

The number of directors, may, from time to time, be increased by By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors and the Directors, shall serve as officers until the first election whereafter Directors shall be elected or appointed as provided for in the Bylaws. The interim Directors and Officers are:

- 1. President Betsy Perdichizzi
- 2. Vice President Marion Nicolay
- 3. Secretary Greta Osterback
- 4. Corresponding Secretary Dolores Lyon
- 5. Treasurer William Tyson

ARTICLE IX BY-LAWS

By-Laws of the corporation shall be adopted by the Board of Directors and may be amended or rescinded by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X AMENDMENTS

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the stockholders, and approved at a stockholder's meeting by a majority of the stock entitled to vote thereon, unless all the stockholders and all the directors sign a written statement manifesting their intentions that a certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

ARTICLE XI

This corporation is organized under a non-stock basis.

Witness my hand and seal at Marco Island, Collier County, Florida, this 1996.

JAMIE B. GREUSEL

COUNTY OF COLLIER STATE OF FLORIDA

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 1996 by ______ who is personally known to me or who has produced ______ (type of identification) as identification and who did (did not) take an oath.

(SEAL)

Notary Public (typed name)
My Commission Expires:
Commission #

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT AND PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, AND ACCEPTANCE OF AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In compliance with Section 48.091 and 607.0501, Florida Statutes the following is submitted:

MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC. desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at Marco Island, Florida 33937, has named Jamie B. Grousel, Berry & Greusel, 1104 N. Collier Blvd., Marco Island, Florida 33937 as its agent to accept, service of process within Florida.

Date: 1/W/m/cu 12 /946

JAMIE/B. GREUSEL

Having been named to accept Service of Process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

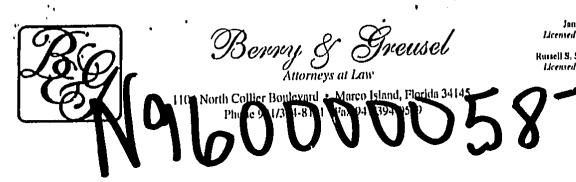
JAMIE B. GREUSEL

This instrument prepared by:

BERRY & GREUSEL, Attorneys at Law 1104 N. Collier Blvd. Marco Island, Florida 33937 (813) 394-8111

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April 15,1997

State of Florida Department of State Corporate Division P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 600002147936--9 -04/18/97--01077--011 ******35.00 ******35.00

Re: MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC. File #3386

Gentlemen/Ladies:

Enclosed are two original Articles of Amendmentato the Articles of Incorporation for the corporation for the corporation referenced above and a check in the amount of \$35.00.

Kindly file the original and return a certified copy to our office.

Sincerely,

Jamie B. Greusel

Mary Constants

JBG/mh Enclosure



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

April 28, 1997

BERRY & GREUSEL % JAMIE GREUSEL 1104 NORTH COLLIER BLVD. MARCO ISLAND, FL 34145

SUBJECT: MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC.

Ref. Number: N96000005875

We have received your document for MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$35.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

If there are <u>NO MEMBERS ENTITLED TO VOTE</u> on a proposed amendment, the document must contain: (1) a statement that there are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment and (2) the date of adoption of the amendment by the board of directors.

Please return 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 (904) 487-6916.

Carol Mustain Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 297A00021857

Articles of Amendment

<u>to</u>

Articles of Incorporation of

Marco Island Historical Society, Inc.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 617.1006 Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its Articles of Incorporation.

FIRST: Amendment Adopted.

Article IV <u>Membership</u> is deleted in its entirety and in its place , is inserted:

Any person or persons of good character interested in the preservation of the history and heritage of the community of Marco Island, Florida are eligible for membership. Admission and membership shall be upon application to and acceptance by the members of the corporation.

SECOND: The date of adoption of the Amendment was April 1, 1997.

There are no members entitled to vote on the amendment.

THIRD: The Amendment was duly adopted by the Board of Directors. on 04/01/97.

MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC.

By: William J. Tyson

Print Name William J. Tyson

Title Theasurer

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ACCOUNT NO. : 07210000032

REFERENCE : 391841 81597A

AUTHORIZATION

COST LIMIT : \$ PREPAID

ORDER DATE : May 14, 1997

ORDER TIME : 3:37 PM

CUSTOMER NO:

ORDER NO. : 391841-005

CUSTOMER: Jamie B. Greusel, Esq

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Chamber Of Commerce Plaza 1104 North Collier Boulevard Marco Island, FL 34145

DOMESTIC AMENDMENT FILING

NAME: MA

MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL

SOCIETY, INC.

EFFICTIVE DATE:

XX ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

XX CERTIFIED COPY
PLAIN STAMPED COPY
CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

CONTACT PERSON: Karen B. Rozar

EXAMINER'S INITIALS:

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Articles of Incorporation of

Marco Island Historical Society, Inc.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 617.1006 Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its Articles of Incorporation.

FIRST: Amendment Adopted.

Article II: <u>Purpose</u> is amended to add the following: Said organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) and political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Upon the dissolution of the organization, 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 disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the organization 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.

SECOND: The date of adoption of the Amendment was April 1, 1997. There are no members entitled to vote on the Amendment,

THIRD: The Amendment was duly adopted by the Board of Directors.

MARCO ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC.

Print Name: WILLIAM J. TYSON

Title: Treasurer