March 19, 1997

Department of State **Division of Corporation** Post Office Box 6327 Taliahassee, Florida 32314 **600002121176--**-03/24/97--01023--002 \*\*\*\*122.50 \*\*\*\*122.50

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS** 

Officers

Dr Roy Philips President

Hosea Butler, Jr

Verbert C. Anderson

Treasurer

Members

Cornellus E. Allen

Reginald Clyne, Esa

T. Willard Fair John A. Hall

Ken Mason

Congresswoman Carrie P. Meek

Garth C. Reeves

Neill Robinson

Dorothea Stewart

David L. Wilson

Elaine H. Black. Executive Director Re: Articles of Incorporation To Be Filed.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation and Certificates Designating Place of Business, and the money order for filing fees for the following:

No	Company Name	MO/Ck No.	Amount
1.	MANATEE TROPICAL LANDSCAPE, INC.	1985	\$122.50
2.	OTHELLO'S CLEANING SERVICES, INC.	216	\$122.50

Please file both the Articles and Certificate of Designation for the corporation and return a file-marked certified copy of each document to the following:

> Jeannette G. Andrews, Esq. **Tools For Change** 6255 Northwest 7th Avenue Miami, Florida 33150

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely

Jeannette G. Andrews, Esq.

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**TOOLS FOR CHANGE** 

BLACK ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COALITION, INC.

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# **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF** 

# MANATEE TROPICAL LANDSCAPE, INC.

The undersigned, incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

# **ARTICLES I: NAME OF THE CORPORATION**

The name of the corporation is **MANATEE TROPICAL LANDSCAPE**, **INC.**, hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation".

# ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The address of the principal office of the corporation is 78 Hibiscus Lane, Key Largo, FL 33037 and mailing address of Corporation is P. O. Box 286, Key Largo, FL 33037.

### ARTICLE III: DURATION OF THE CORPORATION

The period of duration of the Corporation shall be perpetual unless dissolved according to law.

# ARTICLE IV: PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION

The purpose for which the Corporation is organized is to engage in any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under Chapter 607, Florida Statute, as amended.

### **ARTICLE V: AUTHORIZED SHARES**

The Corporation is authorized to issue Five Thousand (5,000) shares of common stock with a par value of \$1.00 per share. All stock shall be of one class. The Board of Directors may authorize the issuance of such stock to such person(s) upon such terms and for such consideration as they may deem appropriate. The consideration may consist of any tangible or intangible property or benefit to the Corporation, including cash, promissory notes, services performed, promises to perform services evidenced by a written contract, or other securities of the Corporation.

#### **ARTICLE VI: PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS**

The Corporation elects to have preemptive rights. Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new or reissued stock of the Corporation, shall have the right to purchase his pro-rata share thereof at the price at which it is offered to others.

#### ARTICLE VII: INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the Corporation's initial registered office 78 Hibiscus Lane, Key Largo, FL 33037, and the registered agent at that office is DAVID CARL PFEIFFER.

#### **ARTICLE VIII: INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The Corporation shall have **two (2)** directors constituting the initial Board of Directors. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by the bylaws.

The initial Board of Directors of the Corporation shall be comprised of:

ENOS MITCHELL 78 Hibiscus Lane Key Largo, FL 33037 DAVID C. PFEIFFER 87380 Overseas Highway Islamorada, FL 33036

## **ARTICLE IX: INCORPORATOR**

The incorporator of the Corporation is as follows:

**DAVID C. PFEIFFER** 87380 Overseas Highway Islamorada, FL 33036

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, DAVID CARL PFEIFFER, the undersigned incorporator, have
signed these Articles of Incorporation on this $9\%$ day of $\%$ , 1997, and
acknowledged the same to be my act.
DAVID CARL PFEIFFER
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STATE OF FLORIDA)

COUNTY OF DADE )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 19th day of Much 1997 by DAVID CARL PFEIFFER, who personally appeared before me at the time of notarization, and who is personally known to me or who produced a FLORIDA DRIVER'S LICENSE as identification.

**NOTARY PUBLIC:** 

PRINT: Stanley B. Lewis
STATE OF FLORIDA AT LARGE



STANLEY B LEWIS My Commission CC407757 Expires Sop. 16, 1908 Bonded by HA! 600-422-1555

# CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 48.091 and 607.0501 of the Florida Statutes the following is submitted, in compliance with said Acts:

First—That MANATEE TROPICAL LANDSCAPE, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal office 78 HIBISCUS LANE, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at City of KEY LARGO, County of MONROE, State of Florida, has named DAVID CARL PFEIFFER, at 78 Hibiscus Lane, in the City of Key Largo, County of MONROE, State of Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

-Acceptance of Agent-

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, 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 Lam familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

DAVO CARL PREIFFER

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ATE: 3/19/9