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Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 ****122.50 *****78.75 Tallahassee, FL 32314 u Floridas' Gulf Coast Leal Estate Guide, Inc.
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix) Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for : \$70.00 \$78.75 **\$78.75 \$87.50** Filing Fee, Filing Fee Filing Fee Filing Fee & Certified Copy Certified Copy & Certificate of Status & Certificate of Status ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF FLORIDAS' GULF COAST REAL ESTATE GUIDE, INC.

The undersigned subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation is a natural person competent to contract and hereby form a Corporation for profit under Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE 1 - NAME

The name of the Corporation is FLORIDAS' GULF COAST REAL ESTATE GUIDE, INC., (hereinafter, "Corporation").

ARTICLE 2 - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The address of the principal office of this Corporation is:

1829 Tamiami Trail N. Naples, FL 34102

and the mailing address is the same.

ARTICLE 3 - PUPOSE OF CORPORATION

The Corporation shall engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE 4 – INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator of this Corporation is:

Robert A. Grananta 3575 31st Avenue SW Naples, FL 34117

ARTICLE 5 – OFFICERS

The officers of the Corporation shall be:

President: Robert A. Granata
Vice-President: Christine Granata
Secretary: Robert A. Granata
Treasurer: Christine Granata

ARTICLE 6 - DIRECTOR(S)

The Director(s) of the Corporation shall be:

Robert A. Granata Christine Granata

ARTICLE 7 - CORPORATE CAPITALIZATION

- 7.1 The maximum number of shares that this Corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time is ONE THOUSAND (1000) shares of common stock, each share having a par value of ONE DOLLER (\$1.00)
- 7.2 No holder of shares of stock of any class shall have any preemptive right to subscribe to or purchase any additional shares of any class, or any bonds, or convertible securities of any nature; provided, however, that the Board of Director(s) may, in authorizing the issuance of shares of stock of any class, confer any preemptive right that the Board of Director(s) may deem advisable in connection with such issuance.
- 7.3 The Board of Director(s) of the Corporation may authorize the issuance from time to time of shares of its stock of any class, whether now or hereafter authorized, or securities convertible into shares of its stock of any class, whether now or hereafter authorized, for such consideration as the Board of Director(s) may deem advisable, subject to such restrictions or limitations, if any, as may be set forth in the bylaws of the Corporation.
- 7.4 The Board of Director(s) of the Corporation may, be Restated Articles of Incorporation, classify or reclassify any unissued stock from time to time by setting or changing the preferences, conversions or other rights, voting powers, restrictions, limitations as to dividends, qualifications, or term or conditions of redemption of the stock.

ARTICLE 8 – SUB-CHAPTER S CORPORATION

- The Corporation may elect to be an S Corporation, as provided in Sub-Chapter S of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- 8.2 The Shareholders of this Corporation may elect and, if elected, shall continue such election to be a S Corporation as provided in Sub-Chapter S of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, unless the shareholders of the Corporation unanimously agree otherwise in writing.
- After this Corporation has elected to be an S Corporation, none of the shareholders of this Corporation, without the written consent of all the shareholders of this Corporation shall take any action, or make any transfer or other disposition of the shareholders' share of stock in the Corporation, which will result in the termination or revocation of such election to be an S Corporation, as provided in Sub-Chapter S of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- Once the Corporation has elected to be an S Corporation, each share of stock issued by this Corporation shall contain the following legend:

"The share of stock represented by this certificate cannot be transferred if such transfer would void the election of the Corporation to be taxed under Sub-Chapter S of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended."

ARTICLE 9 – POWERS OF CORPORATION

The Corporation shall have the same powers of an individual to do all things necessary or convenient to carry out its business and affairs, subject to any limitations or restrictions imposed by applicable law or these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE 10 - TERM OF EXISTENCE

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE 11- REGISTERED OWNER(S)

The Corporation, to the extent permitted by law, shall be entitled to treat the person in whose name any share or right is registered on the books of the Corporation as the owner thereto, for all purposes, and except as may be agreed in writing by the Corporation, the Corporation shall not be bound to recognize any equitable or other claim to, or interest in, such share or right on the part of any other person, whether or not the Corporation shall have notice thereof.

ARTICLE 12 – REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The name and street address of the initial registered agent is:

Robert A. Granata 3575 31st Avenue SW Naples, FL 34117

<u>ARTICLE 13 – EFFECTIVE DATE</u>

These Articles of Incorporation shall be effective immediately upon approval of the Secretary State, State of Florida.

ARTICLE 14 - AMENDMENT

The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or in any amendment hereto, or to add any provision to these Articles of Incorporation, or to any amendment hereto, in any manner now or hereafter prescribed or permitted by the provisions of any applicable statute of the State of Florida, and all rights conferred upon shareholders on these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment hereto are granted subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, acknowledged and files the foregoing Articles of Incorporation under the laws of the State of Florida, this DATE.

Signature/Incorporator

Date

Having been names 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 any duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Signature/Registered Agent

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