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CUSTOMER: Ms. April Haley  
LIVINGSTON PATTERSON  
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46 N. Washington Blvd.

Sarasota, FL 34236

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NAME: GULFCOAST WHEELS, INC.

EFFECTIVE DATE:

XX ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
       CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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CONTACT PERSON: Janine Lazzarini

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF  
GULF COAST WHEELS, INC.**

**Article I - Name**

The name of this corporation is Gulfcoast Wheels, Inc.

**Article II - Capital Stock**

This corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of \$1.00 par value common stock.

**Article III - Mailing Address and Principal Office**

The mailing address and principal address of the corporation is 46 N. Washington Blvd., #1, Sarasota, Florida 34236.

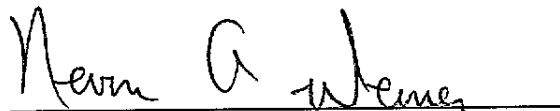
**Article IV - Initial Registered Office and Agent**

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 46 North Washington Blvd., #1, Sarasota, Florida, 34236 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is Nevin A. Weiner.

**Article V - Incorporator**

The name and address of the person signing these Articles is Nevin A. Weiner, 46 North Washington Blvd., #1, Sarasota, Florida, 34236.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 29th day of November, 1999.



NEVIN A. WEINER  
Incorporator

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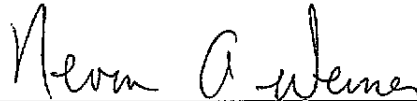
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**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT,  
ACCEPTANCE, AND DESIGNATION OF CORPORATE OFFICE**

SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The undersigned, NEVIN A. WEINER, having a street address of 46 N. Washington Blvd., #1, Sarasota, Florida 34236, having been appointed by the directors of GULFCOAST WHEELS, INC., as registered agent, states as follows:

1. The address of the registered agent shall be 46 North Washington Boulevard, Suite 1, Sarasota, Florida 34236, and shall notify the Department of State of any change in address of this office or the name of the registered agent at this address.
2. He accepts the appointment and consents to serve as registered agent of the corporation pursuant to Section 617.023, Florida Statutes.



NEVIN A. WEINER