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## Nonprofit Corporate Renewal

Business Name GRAND FIRS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

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Nature of Business Homeowner Association

Fee \$10.00

Place of Business Address 8503 229th St Ct E

Graham WA 98338

**Contact Address** 

#### **Registered Agent Information**

Name GRAND FIRS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION Phone ()-

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#### **Mailing Address**

#### **Governing Person Information**

Name President Mark Jones
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Graham WA 98338

Name Treasurer Tyler Sang

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Name Secretary Mandy Kreuger Johnson

Address 8216 229th St Ct E

Graham WA 98338

Name Vice President Rob Ihrig
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Graham WA 98338

#### **Purpose**

Homeowner Association

#### Signed By

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Cost

\$10.00

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June 20, 2006

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF GRAND FIRS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

Michael R. Mastro, for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation under Chapter 24.03 of the Revised Code of Washington, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### ARTICLE I Name

The name of the corporation is the GRAND FIRS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, hereinafter referred to as the "Association."

## ARTICLE II Duration

The period of duration of the Association is perpetual.

# ARTICLE III Purposes

The Association is organized exclusively as a homeowners association within the meaning of Section 528 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue law). This Association does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit to its members.

The specific purposes for which this Association is formed are to provide for the maintenance, preservation, and architectural control of the buildings, grounds, and Common Areas within a residential development (the "Property") located in Pierce County, Washington that is commonly referred to as the plat of Grand Firs.

The Property is subject to a certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions recorded on January 10, 2006 under Pierce County Auditor's File No. 200601101098 (the "Declaration"), which authorizes the formation of the Association. The Association will promote the health, safety, and welfare of the residents within the Property, all in accordance with the provisions of the Declaration.

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## ARTICLE IV Powers

Without limiting the foregoing, the Association has the authority to exercise any powers conferred by the Declaration, or Bylaws, as currently enacted or hereafter amended or superseded; exercise all other powers that may be exercised in this state by the same type of corporation as the Association; and exercise any other powers necessary and proper for the governance and operation of the Association.

ARTICLE V
Dissolution

The Association may be dissolved with the assent given in writing and signed by eighty percent (80%) of the votes in the Association that are allocated. Upon dissolution of the Association, other than incident to a merger or consolidation, the assets of the Association will be dedicated to an appropriate public agency to be used for purposes similar to those for which this Association was created. In the event that such dedication is not accepted, or in the event that there is not an appropriate public agency, such assets will be granted, conveyed, and assigned to any nonprofit corporation, association, trust or other organization or allocated in an undivided interest to each Owner of a Lot within the property to be devoted to such similar purposes.

#### ARTICLE VI Registered Office and Agent

The address of the initial registered office of the Association is 510 Rainier Avenue South, Seattle, WA 98144. The name of the registered agent at that address is Michael Mastro.

# ARTICLE VII Management

A Board of Directors will manage the affairs of the Association. The right to make, alter, or repeal the Bylaws of the Association is vested in the Board of Directors as set forth in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE VIII
Directors

The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Association is three (3), and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as Directors until the earlier of: (i) the first annual meeting of the members; or (ii) until their successors are elected and qualified are as follows:

Michael Mastro 510 Rainier Avenue S. Seattle, WA 98144

Linda Mastro 510 Rainier Avenue S. Seattle, WA 98144

James Selden John L. Scott Real Estate 11515 Canyon Road E. Puyallup, WA 98373

The number, qualifications, terms of office, manner of election, time and place of meetings, and powers and duties of the Directors are prescribed in the Bylaws.

# ARTICLE IX Limitation of Director Liability

A Director of the Association is not personally liable to the Association or its members for monetary damages for conduct as a Director, except for liability of the Director: (i) for acts or omissions which involve intentional misconduct by the Director or a knowing violation of law by the Director; or, (ii) for any transaction from which the Director will personally receive a benefit in money, property, or services to which the Director is not legally entitled. If the Washington Nonprofit Corporation Act is amended to authorize corporate actions further eliminating or limiting the personal liability of Directors, then the liability of a Director of the Association is eliminated or limited to the fullest extent permitted by the Washington Nonprofit Corporation Act, as amended. Any repeal or modification of the foregoing paragraph by the Members of the Association will not adversely affect any right or protection of a Director of the Association existing at the time of such repeal or modification.

### ARTICLE X Indemnification of Directors and Officers

The Association indemnifies its Directors and Officers against all liability, damage, and expenses arising from or in connection with service as Directors and Officers with this Association to the maximum extent and under all circumstances permitted by law.

# ARTICLE XI Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator is Michael R. Mastro at 510 Rainier Avenue South, Seattle, WA 98144.

# ARTICLE XII Earnings

No part of the net earnings of the Association inures to the benefit of any Member or other individual other than by acquiring, constructing, or providing management, maintenance, and care of Association property, and other than by a rebate of excess membership dues, fees, or assessments.

## ARTICLE XIII Members

Every Owner of a Lot is a member of this Association. Membership is appurtenant to and may not be separated from ownership of any Lot that is subject to assessment. Natural persons, partnerships, corporations, trusts, or other lawful business entities may own or have an ownership interest in a Lot.

## ARTICLE XIV Amendment

These Articles may be amended by the assent of sixty-seven percent (67%) of the entire membership; provided, however, that the Board of Directors has the authority to appoint a new registered agent, and the Directors shall be appointed or elected as stated in the Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE XV Terms

The terms used in these Articles of Incorporation have the same meaning as in the Declaration.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, for the purpose of forming this Association under the laws of the State of Washington, the undersigned, constituting the incorporator of this Association, has executed these Articles of Incorporation this day of 2006.

INCORPORATOR

Michael R. Mastro

# CONSENT TO APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT FOR GRAND FIRS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

I, Michael R. Mastro, do hereby consent to serve as Registered Agent in the State of Washington, for Grand Firs Homeowners Association, a Washington nonprofit corporation. I understand that as agent for the corporation, it will be my responsibility to receive service of process in the name of the corporation, to forward all mail to the corporation, and to immediately notify the office of the Secretary of State in the event of my resignation or of any changes in the registered office address of the corporation for which I am agent.

DATED this 20

MICHAELR. MASTRO

Registered Office Address:

510 Rainier Avenue South Seattle, WA 98144