

# Department of The Secretary of State

To all whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, ELAINE F. MARSHALL, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the following and hereto attached to be a true copy of

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**OF** 

OLDE RALEIGH VILLAS CONDOMINIUM OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

the original of which was filed in this office on the 28th day of September, 2000.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 28th day of September, 2000.

Elaine I. Marshall

Secretary of State

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OF

# OLDE RALEIGH VILLAS CONDOMINIUM OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.,

#### A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

The undersigned, being a natural person of the age of twenty-one years or more, acting as incorporator for the purpose of creating a non-profit corporation under the laws of the State of North Carolina, as contained in Chapter 55A of the General Statutes of North Carolina, and the several amendments thereto, does hereby set forth:

#### **ARTICLE I**

### NAME

The name of the corporation (hereinafter called "Association") is OLDE RALEIGH VILLAS CONDOMINIUM OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

#### ARTICLE II

#### **DURATION**

The period of duration of the Association shall be perpetual.

#### ARTICLE III

#### **PURPOSES**

The purposes for which the Association is organized is to be a condominium management association for the maintenance, care and management of the Common Elements in a Condominium located in the City of Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina and more particularly described on Exhibit A attached to that Declaration of Condominium of Olde Raleigh Villas Condominium now recorded, or to be contemporaneously recorded, in the Office of the Register of Deeds, Wake County, North Carolina, and to undertake the performance of the acts and duties incident to the administration of the operation and management of the Condominium in accordance with the terms, provisions, conditions, restrictions and authorizations contained in these Articles of Incorporation, the Declaration of Condominium recorded on the public records of Wake County at the time the referenced property is submitted to a plan of condominium ownership, and the Bylaws of the Association; and to own, operate, lease, sell, trade and otherwise deal with such property, whether real or personal, as may be necessary or convenient in the administration of the Condominium, and as provided by law.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### **POWERS**

The Association shall have all of the powers and privileges granted to Non-Profit Corporations under the law pursuant to which this Association is chartered, and all of the powers and privileges which may be granted unto said Association as an association or unit owner's association under any other applicable laws of the State of North Carolina, including the North Carolina Condominium Act, as from time to time amended, and all of the powers and privileges granted to the Association under the Declaration of Condominium previously referred to

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## ARTICLE V

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

The Association shall have one class of members and the qualification of the members, the manner of their admission to membership, termination of such membership, and voting rights shall be as follows:

- Section 1. The Owners of all Condominium Units in the Condominium shall be members of the Association, and no other person or entities shall be entitled to membership, except as provided in Section 5 of this Article V.
- Section 2. Membership shall be established by the acquisition of fee title to a Condominium Unit in the Condominium, or by acquisition of a fee ownership interest therein, whether by conveyance, devise, judicial decree or otherwise, and the membership of any party shall be automatically terminated upon his being divested of all title to, or his entire fee ownership interest in, any Condominium Unit, except that nothing herein contained shall be construed as terminating the membership of any party who may own two or more Condominium Units, so long as such party shall retain title to, or a fee ownership interest in, any Condominium Unit.
- Section 3. The interest of a member in the funds and assets of the Association cannot be assigned, hypothecated or transferred in any manner, except as an appurtenance to his Condominium Unit. The funds and assets of the Association shall belong solely to the Association subject to the limitation that the same be expended, held, or used for the benefit of the membership and for the purposes authorized herein, in the Declaration of Condominium, and in the Bylaws which shall be hereafter adopted.
- Section 4. On all matters which the membership shall be entitled to vote, each Condominium Unit shall have a vote equal to its appurtenant allocated interest in the Common Elements as set forth in the Declaration of Condominium. The vote of each Unit may be cast or exercised by the Owner or Owners of each Condominium Unit in such manner as may be provided in the Bylaws hereafter adopted by the Association. Should any member own more than one Condominium Unit, such member shall be entitled to exercise or cast the votes associated with each Condominium Unit owned in the manner provided by said Bylaws.
- Section 5. Until such time as the property described in Exhibit "A" to the Declaration of Condominium to be filed, and the improvements constructed thereon, are submitted to a Plan of Condominium Ownership by the recordation of the Declaration of Condominium, the membership of the Association shall be comprised of the three (3) individuals named herein as the initial Board of Directors of the Association, and each such individual shall be entitled to cast one vote on all matters on which the membership shall be entitled to vote.
- Section 6. Notwithstanding the foregoing voting rights may be suspended and conditions established determining those entitled to exercise a vote pursuant to the Declaration of Condominium and Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### **EARNINGS**

No part of the net earnings of the Association shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its Directors, Officers or other private persons, except that the Association shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and expenses incurred and to make payment and distribution in furtherance of the purposes as set forth herein.

#### ARTICLE VII

# **ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

Directors shall be appointed or elected as specified in the Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### **INDEMNIFICATION**

Every Director and every Officer of the Association shall be indemnified by the Association against all expenses and liabilities, including counsel fees, reasonably incurred by, or imposed upon, him in connection with any proceeding to which he may be a party, or in which he may become involved, by reason of his being, or having been, a Director or Officer of the Association, whether or not he is a Director or Officer at the time such expenses are incurred, except in such cases wherein the Director or Officer is adjudged liable or guilty of willful misfeasance or malfeasance in the performance of his duties; provided that, in the event of any claim for reimbursement or indemnification hereunder based upon a settlement by the Director or Officer seeking such reimbursement or indemnification, the indemnification herein shall only apply if the Board of Directors approves such settlement and reimbursement as being in the best interests of the Association. The foregoing right of indemnification shall be in addition to, and not exclusive of, all other rights of indemnification to which such Director or Officer may be entitled by law or otherwise. The Board of Directors by Bylaw provision is authorized to establish further criteria for indemnification of Officers and Directors.

#### ARTICLE IX

#### FHA/VA APPROVALS

So long as Declarant controls the Association, as set forth in the Declaration, and if these Articles of Incorporation and other constituent documents of the Condominium have been approved by the Veterans Administration or the Federal Housing Administration, then the following actions will require prior approval of the Veterans Administration or Federal Housing Administration: annexation of additional properties, mergers and consolidations, mortgaging of the Common Elements, dissolution and amendment to these Articles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE X

#### DISSOLUTION

The Association may be dissolved with the assent given in writing and signed by members comprising at least eighty (80%) percent of the votes allocated in the Association as provided in N.C.G.S. §47C-2-118 et seq. or such amended or substitute law then in effect. Assets shall be distributed in a manner that is not inconsistent with N.C.G.S. §55A-14-03 or such amended or substitute law then in effect.

#### ARTICLE XI

#### <u>AMENDMENTS</u>

Amendment of these Articles shall require the assent of sixty-seven (67%) percent of the votes of the allocated interests in the Association; provided that should additional property later be brought within the jurisdiction of this Association, pursuant to the Declaration, it shall not be necessary to amend these Articles to reflect such additional property.

#### ARTICLE XII

# REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The address of the initial registered office of the Association shall be 3419 Sir Colleton Court, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina 27612 and the name of the initial registered agent at that address shall be Henry MacNair.

#### ARTICLE XIII

#### PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The address of the principal office of the Association shall be 3419 Sir Colleton Court, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina 27612.

# ARTICLE XIV

# **INITIAL DIRECTORS**

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors shall be three (3) and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first meeting of the Association, or until their successors are elected and qualified are:

<u>NAME</u>	STREET ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIP
Henry MacNair Cheryl Kilborn Michelle Tycast	3419 Sir Colleton ( 3419 Sir Colleton ( 3419 Sir Colleton (	Court Raleigh, NC 27612

#### ARTICLE XV

#### INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is Alison R. Cayton, Manning, Fulton & Skinner, P.A., 3605 Glenwood Avenue, Suite 500, Raleigh, North Carolina 27612.

This is to certify that on the <u>37+1</u> day of <u>Notice</u>, 20+0, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Alison R. Cayton, who, I am satisfied, is the person named in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, this <u>arta</u> day of <u>arta 100</u>.

Notary Public O

My Commission Expires: ( ) 1 2 2 2004

