This is to Certify That Articles of Incorporation of

FRIENDS OF THE ROUGE

were duly filed in this office on the 17TH day of APRIL, 1986, in conformity with Act 162, Public Acts of 1982.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Department, in the City of Lansing, this 17TH day of APRIL, 1986.

Director
CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
For use by Domestic Corporations

(Please read instructions and Paperwork Reduction Act notice on last page)

Pursuant to the provisions of Act 284, Public Acts of 1972, as amended (profit corporations), or Act 162, Public Acts of 1982, as amended (nonprofit corporations), the undersigned corporation executes the following Certificate:

1. The present name of the corporation is: FRIENDS OF THE ROUGE

2. The corporation identification number (CID) assigned by the Bureau is: 705-904

3. The location of its registered office is:

   13325 Farmington Road  
   Livonia, Michigan 48150

4. Article II of the Articles of Incorporation is hereby amended to read as follows:

   The purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are: 1) To promote river restoration so that the Rouge River supports clean water uses, including fishing, boating, and swimming. 2) To promote Rouge River corridor development that would provide recreational opportunities such as canoeing, nature study, picnicking, fishing, swimming, walking, biking, and golfing. 3) To provide for citizen participation in river restoration and preservation activities. 4) To educate citizens about problems and opportunities of the Rouge River and its watershed. 5) To advocate actions that restore and develop the potential of the Rouge River. 6) To foster cooperation among all citizens, agencies, private interests, and governments concerned with the restoration and preservation of the Rouge River.

   Said organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, or scientific purposes under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

   No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth hereof.

   No substantial part of the activities of the association shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
ARTICLE II (continued)

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or by an organization contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Code.

Upon dissolution of the organization, the officers shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the association, dispose of the remaining assets of the organization to such organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, education, religious, or scientific purposes which at the time qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Code.
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
For use by Domestic Nonprofit Corporations

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Pursuant to the provisions of Act 162, Public Acts of 1982, as amended, the undersigned corporation executes the following Articles:

ARTICLE I
The name of the corporation is: FRIENDS OF THE ROUGE

ARTICLE II
The purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are: To promote river restoration so that the Rouge River supports clean water uses, including fishing, boating, and swimming. 2) To promote Rouge River corridor development that would provide recreational opportunities such as canoeing, nature study, picnicking, fishing, swimming, walking, biking, and golfing. 3) To provide for citizen participation in river restoration and preservation activities. 4) To educate citizens about problems and opportunities of the

ARTICLE III

The corporation is organized upon a NONSTOCK (stock or nonstock) basis.

1. If organized on a stock basis, the total number of shares which the corporation has authority to issue is _____________________________________________. If the shares are, or are to be, divided into classes, the designation of each class, the number of shares in each class, and the relative rights, preferences and limitations of the shares of each class are as follows: