

SOUTH FLORIDA HYDROLOGIC SOCIETY

CONSTITUTION

Approved October 15, 2008

ARTICLE I

Name and Objectives

Section 1.

This organization shall be named "South Florida Hydrologic Society".

Section 2.

The objectives of the Society are:

- A forum for the exchange of information related to the unique groundwater and surface water hydrology of South Florida
- Professional networking opportunities for students, scientists, consultants, regulators, and utilities
- Professional development through mentoring and education
- Outreach to the general public on South Florida-related hydrologic issues

ARTICLE II

Membership

Section 1.

The members of the Society shall consist of persons concerned with the science and practice of hydrology.

Section 2.

Various classifications of memberships and qualifications thereof shall be established by the Bylaws of the Society.

ARTICLE III

Governance

The governance of the Society shall be vested in five (5) elected officers and an Executive Board. The composition of this government, the manner of selection, the terms of office, the specific duties, responsibilities, and other matters relevant to such bodies and officers shall be as provided in the Bylaws of the Society. Any responsibility and authority of government of the

Society not otherwise specified in these governing documents shall be reserved for the Executive Board.

ARTICLE IV

Amendments

Amendments to this Constitution may be proposed at any time by petition signed by at least 20 percent of the active Members or by the Executive Board. Adoption of such amendments shall be by ballot in which approval is given by at least three-fourths of the total number of active members. There shall be an intervening Regular Meeting before the balloting and subsequent to the submission of the amendment.

ARTICLE V

Dissolution of Society

In the event it should be deemed advisable to dissolve the Society, all assets at the time of dissolution shall be donated to a worthy hydrologic cause, as selected by the Executive Board.

ARTICLE VI

Bylaws

The Bylaws, consisting of articles as appended hereto, are adopted and may be amended, enlarged, or reduced as provided in the Bylaws.