## Here are some of the Founding Principles of the Sarasota Freedom Lovers

- 1. We believe that all men and women are created equal under natural or common law.
- 2. We believe that common or natural law is a living, ever-changing set of principles that evolve as people and societies learn and grow.
- 3. We believe that freedom and liberty are two of the most important and valuable possessions of free, living men & woman.
- 4. We believe that it is our responsibility to preserve and expand access to freedom and justice for all.
- 5. We believe that each of us has complete control over our personal choices with regard to all aspects of our lives as long as those choices do not infringe upon the rights and choices of others.
- 6. We believe that we, and only we, are in complete control of our bodies, minds, and spirits and that no one has any right to coerce us to comply with anything that we do not agree with and/or voluntarily agree to.
- 7. We believe that our right to contract with others for lawful purposes and that does not infringe upon the rights or health of others, is unlimited and that government has NO right or authority to interfere or insert itself into our affairs.
- 8. We believe that helping others whenever possible is the right thing to do.
- 9. We believe in doing what is right even when no one is watching.
- 10. We believe in second chances.
- 11. We believe that operating and acting from a position of love is one of the highest expressions of what makes humans humane.
- 12. We believe that we are obligated to defend ourselves and our loved ones whenever any of these things are infringed upon.
- 13. We believe in exercising the principle of non-aggression in all matters right up to the point when someone attempts to use aggression or force to make us comply with something we do not agree to.