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## I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area Aegean Islands

## II. NAME

i. Full name (original language) Διονιδεῖοι

ii. Full name (transliterated) *Dionideioi*

## III. DATE

i. Date(s) 100 - 50 BC

## IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

ii. Name elements

Personal:	Διονιδεῖοι, <i>Dionideioi</i> - From the Greek personal name Διονιδας, <i>Dionidas</i> (LGPV s.v. no. 1). The compound name Διονιδεῖοι, <i>Dionideioi</i> suggests either a founder or a benefactor of the association, (cf. Thomsen (forthcoming), Gabrielsen 1997 p. 126-7, Maiuri 1916 p. 141, Poland 1909 p. 73-6).
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**Note** The character of the association is greatly reminiscent of other associations described as κοινὸν, *koinon*, although the descriptive term has been omitted in this case.

## V. SOURCES

i. Source(s) SEG 15:497

Online Resources	<a href="#">SEG 15:497</a> <a href="#">AGRW no. 14861</a>
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Honourific dedicatory inscription in Greek
i.c. Physical format(s)	An fragmentary block of marble.

### XIII. EVALUATION

<b>i. Private association</b>  <b>Note</b>	Probable  The use of a personal name element, and the dedicatory-honourific context of the attested inscriptions make the private character of the association certain, although a descriptive term might be lacking. It is possible that the association would have had other name elements that are now lost due to the fragmentary nature of the inscription.
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