

*No 1999001796*  
Women in Transition  
**WIT-NEST**

P. O. Box 11034  
Daytona Beach, FL 32120

(904) 226-8234  
(904) 226-8239 fax

Now Establishing Support For Themselves

**Advisory Board:**

- Min. Inez Stafford, Be Encouraged Ministries
- Patricia Grace Revival Promotions
- Pastor Belinda McElveen, Ground Breakers
- Min. Frances Guity, OFB Ministries
- Barbara Brockington, Resurrecting Lives Ministries
- Evang. Leah Riddick, Community Learning Center
- Brenda Courtney, A Touch of Love Ministries

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March 2, 2001

Division of Corporations  
Corporate Filings  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

RE: **WIT-NEST, INC.**  
Not For Profit Corporation

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SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FL 32304

Dear Sir/Madam:

I am hereby submitting to you the Articles of Incorporation of the above named not for profit corporation for filing. Please find enclosed a check in the amount of \$78.75 to cover the cost of filing.

Should you need anything further, do not hesitate to contact me at (904) 253-1491.

Sincerely,

Inez Stafford, Director

Enc.

*3-14-01*  
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
A NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION**

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a Corporation pursuant to Chapter 617,  
Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for WIT-NEST, INC.

**ARTICLE I  
NAME**

The name of this corporation is: WIT-NEST, INC.

**ARTICLE II  
DURATION**

The period of the duration of this corporation is perpetual unless dissolved according to law. Corporate existence shall commence upon the date filed with the Department of State.

**ARTICLE III  
PURPOSE(S)**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized are for Charitable, Educational, Literacy, and Scientific purposes including for such purposes as making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

The purpose of this organization shall be to enhance the lives of the citizens of the City of Daytona Beach, Volusia County, the State of Florida and wherever their are people in need of social services. The organization shall establish and maintain residential facilities for women in transition.

This organization shall establish, maintain and otherwise operate orphanages, homes for the aged, rescue missions, day-care centers and any and all other facilities necessary to aid the general public, in accordance to the discipline, rules, regulations, rituals, rites, ceremonies and practices which are now being or from time to time hereafter may be followed, prescribed, designated, formulated, promulgated and established by the officers of this organization.

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This organization shall have, hold and possess real and personal property either by purchase, lease or gift, to be used and employed for the purposes and objectives of this corporate body, to mortgage, sell property and to contract for the erection of buildings and for all other matters deemed advisable, to promote and extend the functions and activities of this organization, or all those things which may be deemed advisable at any time and from time to time hereafter by the officers of this organization.

This organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, and for such other purposes as shall be allowed by law.

#### ARTICLE IV

The membership of this corporation shall constitute all persons hereafter named as members of said corporation, and such others as from time to time hereafter, may become members in a manner provided in the By Laws.

#### ARTICLE V

The number constituting the Initial Board of Directors of the corporation is seven (7) and the names and addressees of the persons who are to serve initially.

Inez Stafford, Director  
1048 Audry Drive  
Daytona Beach, FL 32117

Patricia Grace, Director  
1476 Vine Street  
Holly Hill, FL 32117

Pastor Belinda McElveen, Director  
539 Mark Avenue  
Daytona Beach, Florida 32114

Frances Guity, Director  
304 Maple Street, #12  
Daytona Beach, Florida 32114

Leah C. Riddick, Director  
1057 Mason Avenue  
Daytona Beach, FL 32114

Barbara Brockington, Director  
734 Flanders Avenue  
Daytona Beach, Florida 32114

Brenda Courtney, Director  
1417 Mollie Road  
Daytona Beach, FL 32114

This organization is organized under a non-stock basis.

ARTICLE VI

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to one or more organizations described in Section 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future law, or to the Federal, State or Local Code. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles this corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (a) corporation exempt from Federal Income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law (b) a corporation's contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or other corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the Incorporators are:

Inez Stafford, Director  
1048 Audry Drive  
Daytona Beach, FL 32117

Patricia Grace, Director  
1476 Vine Street  
Holly Hill, FL 32117

In witness whereof, the undersigned incorporators has executed these Articles of Incorporation for the use and purposes aforesaid this 8<sup>th</sup> day of MARCH, 2001.

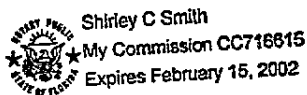
Signature of Incorporators

Inez Stafford  
Inez Stafford, Director

Patricia Grace  
Patricia Grace, Director

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 8<sup>th</sup> day of MARCH, 2001.

Shirley C. Smith  
Notary Public State of Florida at Large  
My commission expires:



**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF  
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE**

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISION OF SECTION 627.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the corporation is WIT-NEST, INC.
2. The name and address of the Registered Agent and office is:

Inez Stafford  
1048 Audry Drive  
Daytona Beach, FL 32117

*Having been named as Registered Agent and to accept service of process for the above named corporation of the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.*

  
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Signature

  
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Date

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