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Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: GC	M Foundation			
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)				
Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for:				
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FROM: Michael Wright

Name (Printed or typed)

238 SW 4th Avenue

Address

Gainesville, FL 32601

City, State & Zip

(352) 316-2939

Daytime Telephone number

Status

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

GCM FOUNDATION, INC. A FLORIDA NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION

ARTICLE ONE

Name

The name of the Corporation shall be GCM Foundation, Inc. (Foundation).



Principal Office and Address

The address of the principal office of the Foundation is 238 SW 4th Avenue, Gainesville, FL 32601, and the mailing address of the Foundation is 238 SW 4th Avenue, Gainesville, FL 32601.

ARTICLE THREE

Duration

The term of existence of the Foundation is perpetual; and the corporate existence will commence upon the filing of these articles with the Department of State.

ARTICLE FOUR

Purpose

The purpose for which the Foundation is organized is exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the *Internal Revenue Code*, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

The purpose for which the Foundation is organized is exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under *Florida Statutes* Section 617.0301, or the corresponding section of any future Florida Statutes annotated.

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation 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 in the Bylaws of the corporation. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activities prohibited to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the *Internal Revenue Code*, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the *Internal Revenue Code*, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (c) that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.



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ARTICLE FIVE

Directors

The method of election of the directors of the Foundation is set forth in the Bylaws. The name and address of the initial Board of Directors are:

Cornelia Odom 4949 NW 79th Road

Gainesville, FL 32653

Samuel A. Mutch 2114 NW 40th Terrace, Suite A-1,

Gainesville, Florida 32605

Michael Wright. 238 SW 4th Avenue

Gainesville, FL 32601

ARTICLE SIX

Registered Office and Agent

The initial registered office of the Foundation shall be located at 238 SW 4th Avenue Gainesville, FL 32601. The initial registered agent of the Foundation at that address shall be Michael Wright.

ARTICLE SEVEN

Incorporator

The name and residence address of the woman who is the initial incorporator of the corporation is as follows:

<u>Name</u> Address

Cornelia Odom 4949 NW 79th Road, Gainesville, FL 32653

ARTICLE EIGHT

Dissolution of Foundation

Upon the dissolution of the Foundation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the *Internal Revenue Code*, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the Foundation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

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Upon dissolution, any Foundation assets remaining after the payment or discharge of all Foundational liabilities; the return, transfer, or conveyances of assets held on conditions requiring the same; and the transfer or conveyance of assets received and held subject to limitations permitting their use only for charitable, religious, eleemosynary, benevolent, educational, or similar purposes shall be distributed the Gainesville Community Ministry in accordance with section 501(c)(3), and all other pertinent sections, of the *Internal Revenue Code*.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Cornelia Odom have subscribed my name on January 3, 200 9 2009, in Gainesville, Florida.

Cornelia Odom, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ALACHUA

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Cornelia Odom who is personally known to me, and who being sworn, deposes and states that she has executed the foregoing for the purposes stated therein.

Feature WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State last aforesaid this 3 day of January 2009.



Notary Public, State of Florida

CONSENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named as a Registered Agent for this Corporation at the registered office designated in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, the undersigned accepts the designation.

Prepared by The Law Office of Samuel A. Mutch, P.A. 2114 NW 40th Terrace, Suite A-1 Gainesville, Florida 32605