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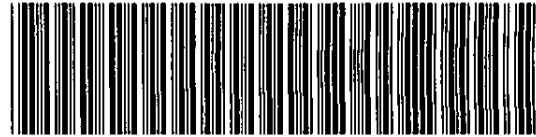
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Cecil B. Williams  
11538 Summer Brook Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

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

April 16, 2012

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I attached payment and Articles of Incorporation for: **Southern Food Policy Advocates, Inc.**

## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** Southern Food Policy Advocates, Inc  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00  
Filing Fee

☒ \$78.75  
Filing Fee &  
Certificate of  
Status

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Cecil B. Williams  
Name (Printed or typed)

11538 Summer Brook Court  
Address

Jacksonville, Florida 32258  
City, State & Zip

904-619-0623  
Daytime Telephone number

cbwms@comcast.net  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be: **Southern Food Policy Advocates, Inc.**

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

Principal street address  
11538 Summer Brook Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

Mailing address, if different is:

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The objectives and purpose of Southern Food Policy Advocates, Inc are to be a Florida policy and advocacy organization committed to improving the health and well being of Floridians by addressing systems issues concerning food, nutrition and fitness. This will be accomplished through 1) Legislative and administrative advocacy at the federal, state, and local levels to strengthen public nutrition and fitness programs. 2) Policy-oriented research that assesses economic impacts. 3) Promotion and outreach to further public education about key nutrition issues, nutrition programs, fitness issues, and fitness programs. 4) Technical assistance and training that empowers advocates and community members to engage in nutrition, food, and fitness policy. and 5) Local, state, and regional partnerships with advocates and community-based organizations to collectively identify and address critical nutrition, food, and fitness issues facing Floridians See Attached

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION** The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:

The number of directors on the Board of Directors shall be no less than three (3) and no more than eleven (11), provided that the total number of Directors shall be an odd number. The Executive Director shall appoint the initial Board of Directors, which initial Board shall consist of three (3) Directors. The number of Directors may be changed from time to time by amendment to the Bylaws but no decrease in the number of Directors shall have the effect of shortening the term of any incumbent Director. A Director shall hold office for a term of one (1) year, or until he or she dies, resigns or is removed by a majority vote of the Directors

**ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS**

Name and Title: Cecil B. Williams, President  
Address: 11538 Summer Brook Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

Name and Title: Cynthia Bradford, Secretary  
Address: 3100 University Boulevard South  
Jacksonville, Florida 32216

Name and Title: Michael Wimberly, Treasurer  
Address: 12869 Bay Plantation Drive  
Jacksonville, Florida 32223

Name and Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT**

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Name: Cecil B. Williams  
Address: 11538 Summer Brook Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: Cecil B. Williams  
Address: 11538 Summer Brook Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

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*Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity*



Required Signature of Registered Agent

April 15, 2012

Date

*I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.*



Required Signature of Incorporator

April 15, 2012

Date

Said corporation is organized 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.

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, 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 corporation 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.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names this day 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2012.