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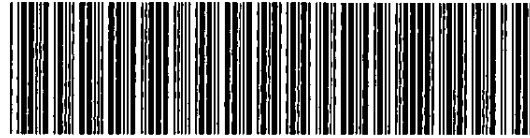
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SUBJECT: Sarasota Community Studio, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Timothy Dutton
Name (Printed or typed)

1695 Lowe Drive
Address

Sarasota, Florida
City, State & Zip

941 726 2900
Daytime Telephone number

allison.h.pinto@gmail.com
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
OF
SARASOTA COMMUNITY STUDIO, INC.

The undersigned incorporator(s) hereby executes and acknowledges these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of the corporation shall be:

SARASOTA COMMUNITY STUDIO, INC.

ARTICLE II

Principle Office and Mailing Address

The mailing address of this corporation shall be:

1443 15th Street
Sarasota, Florida 34236

ARTICLE III

Purposes

(a) This corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code Revised 2006, as amended, (the "Code") or any statute of similar import. The purpose of the Sarasota Community Studio is:

- 1) To promote the thriving of all children in the Central-Cocoanut neighborhood, and the neighborhood as a whole.
- 2) To facilitate systems change in the broader City of Sarasota / Sarasota County, in order to optimize the well-being of children and neighborhoods.
- 3) To discover and invent methods and practices of community change that will be useful to Central-Cocoanut as well as neighborhoods and communities beyond Central-Cocoanut.

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In order to carry out the foregoing purposes, this corporation shall engage in a number of activities, including but not limited to the following:

- A. Develop a Community Change Initiative / Place Based Initiative focused on the Central-Cocoanut neighborhood that emphasizes:
 - 1) Community-building efforts oriented around the capacities and leadership of neighborkids.
 - 2) Identification, development and coordination of services to promote child/neighborhood well-being.
 - 3) Community consultation / liaison to address policy / systems issues affecting neighborkids and the neighborhood.
 - 4) Community data gathering / visualization / analysis for ongoing awareness and monitoring of child and neighborhood well-being.
 - 5) Neighbor-led process of continuous reflection on the well-being of neighborkids and the neighborhood as a whole, to inform the decisions and actions of neighbors and the neighborhood, as well as entities beyond the neighborhood whose decisions and actions influence the well-being of the neighborkids / neighborhood.
 - 6) Communication processes that promote the continuous circulation of relevant information throughout the neighborhood, and between the neighborhood and broader community.
 - B. Analyze organizational / government laws, rules, regulations and allocations relating to child and neighborhood well-being.
 - C. Consult / liaise and provide technical assistance to associations and institutions whose decisions and actions affect child and neighborhood well-being.
 - D. Train and provide technical assistance to neighborhoods and communities interested in developing community change initiatives oriented around the capacities and leadership of neighborkids.
- (b) Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, no part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any director, officer, employee or member of this corporation or any private individual and no director, officer, employee or member of this corporation or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets upon dissolution of this corporation.
- (c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of the Articles of Incorporation, no substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation and this corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements for) any political campaigns on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for public office.

- (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activity not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or any statute of similar import, or regulations issued thereunder from time to time or any organization to which contributions are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code, or any statute of similar import, or regulations issued thereunder from time to time.
- (e) Upon dissolution of this corporation or the winding up of its affairs, the assets of the corporation shall be distributed exclusively to one or more charitable, religious, scientific, literary or educational organizations that would then qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or any statute of similar import, or regulations issued thereunder from time to time and no director, officer, or member or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the assets.

ARTICLE IV

Existence of Corporation

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE V

Registered Office and Registered Agent

The initial registered office of this corporation shall be located at 1443 15th Street, Sarasota, Florida 34236, and the initial registered agent of this corporation at such office shall be Allison Pinto. This corporation shall have the right to change such registered office and such registered agent from time to time, as provided by law.

ARTICLE VI

Board of Directors

The Board of Directors of this corporation shall consist of not less than three (3) nor more than twelve (12) members, the exact number of directors to be fixed from time to time by the members or the bylaws. The business and affairs of this corporation shall be managed by the Board of Directors, which may exercise all such powers of this corporation and do all such lawful acts and things as are generally permissible by law. A quorum for the transaction of business at meetings of the directors shall be a majority of the number of directors determined from time to time to comprise the Board of Directors, and the act of a majority of the directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the directors. Subject to the bylaws of this corporation, meetings of the directors may be held

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within or without the State of Florida. The members of this corporation may remove any director from office at any time with or without cause.

ARTICLE VII

Initial Board of Directors

The initial Board of Directors of this corporation shall consist of four (4) members, such members to hold office until their successors have been duly elected and qualify. The name and street address of each director are:

Allison Pinto, Ph.D.
1443 15th Street
Sarasota, Florida 34236

Adrielle Langston
1497 15th Street
Sarasota, Florida 34236

Barbara Stroud, Ph.D.
5153 Tyrone Boulevard
Sherman Oaks, California 91423

Glenda Williams
3924 Central Ave.
Sarasota, Florida 34234

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ARTICLE VIII

Incorporator

The name and street address of the incorporator making these Articles of Incorporation are:

Name:
Timothy C. Dutton

Address:
1695 Lowe Drive
Sarasota, Florida 34236

ARTICLE IX

Bylaws

Except as provided in the initial bylaws of this corporation, the bylaws of this corporation may be made, altered or rescinded from time to time in whole or part by a majority vote of the Directors of this corporation present at any meeting of the Board of Directors duly called and convened; provided, however, that a quorum is present at the meeting of the Board of Directors and notice of the proposed

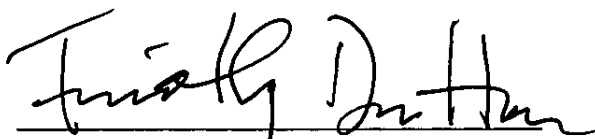
action with respect to the bylaws shall have been mailed or communicated electronically to all members of the Board of Directors at least ten (10) days before the meeting.

ARTICLE X

Amendment of Articles of Incorporation

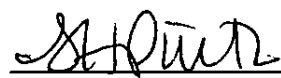
These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by resolution adopted by the majority of the Board of Directors of this corporation present at any meeting duly called and convened; provided, however, that unless ten (10) days advance notice of the amendment or amendments to be considered at such meeting shall have been given in writing by mail or electronically to each Director prior to such meeting, or such notice shall have been waived in writing, these Articles may be amended only by resolution adopted by two-thirds vote of the Directors present at such meeting.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles for the uses and purposes therein stated.


Incorporator, Timothy Dutton

7-11-12
Date

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.


Registered Agent, Allison Pinto

7/11/12
Date

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