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SUBJECT: SUNCOAST NEIGHBORHOOD TASK FORCE, 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  
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FROM:

RALPH WILLIAMS

Name (Printed or typed)

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Address

NORTH FORT MYERS, FLORIDA 33917

City, State & Zip

941-543-2912

OR

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**Articles of Incorporation  
of  
Suncoast Neighborhood Task Force, Inc.**

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**A Corporation Not for Profit**

We, the undersigned, with other persons, being desirous of forming a corporation for educational, charitable and scientific purposes, under provisions of Chapter 612 of Florida Statutes do agree as follows:

**Article I.**

This corporation shall be known as Suncoast Neighborhood Task Force, Inc.

**Article II.**

The registered office of the Corporation shall be Suncoast Baptist Church, 2033 Laurel Ln., North Fort Myers, Florida 33917 and the registered agent at the same address shall be Ralph William, Pastor.

**Article III.**

The purposes for which the Suncoast Neighborhood Taskforce, Inc. is organized are exclusively religious, charitable, scientific, literary and educational within the meaning of section 501 C (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1936 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

The purpose of the Suncoast Neighborhood Taskforce, Inc is to assure that Suncoast neighborhood is a safe, secure community in which to live and that residents have a voice in decisions which may affect their quality of life.

And

To exercise all of the rights, powers and privileges afforded corporations not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida as they presently exist and may hereafter be amended.

**Article IV.**

Membership in the corporation shall be open to any person who has an active interest in furthering the goals of the organization. At least two-thirds of the members will reside, own property, or work in the Suncoast neighborhood. Classes of membership shall be as established in the Bylaws.

Section 1. The officers of this corporation shall consist of a chairperson, a co-chairperson, a secretary, a treasurer, and such other officers as may be provided for in the Bylaws.

Section 2. The names of the persons who are to serve as the initial officers of the corporation until the first meeting of the Board of Directors are:

Chairperson: James Gillespe

Chairperson: Terri Schlosser

Secretary: Susan Gillespe

Treasurer: Susan Gillespe

The officers shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Corporation, or as provided in the Bylaws. Officers shall serve two year terms.

#### **Article V.**

The corporation shall exist perpetually.

#### **Article VI.**

The address of the Corporation shall be

Suncoast Baptist Church  
2076 Laurel Lane  
North Fort Myers, Florida 33917

#### **Article VII.**

The names and addresses of the subscribers to these article are:

James Gillespe, Chairperson  
2020 Lakeville Road  
North Fort Myers, Florida 33917

Susie Gillespe  
2020 Lakeville Road  
North Fort Myers, Florida 33917

Grace Ladue  
7711 Hart Road, NE

**Article VIII.**

Section 1. The business affairs of the corporation shall be managed by the Board. The Board shall consist of the officers and committee chairpersons. Board members shall serve terms as provided for in the Bylaws.

**Article IX.**

Section 1. The Board of Directors of the corporation may provide such Bylaws for the conduct of its business and the carrying out of its objectives as they may deem necessary.

Section 2. Upon proper notice, the Bylaws may be amended, altered or rescinded by a majority vote of the members of the corporation in attendance at the meeting at which the changes are voted upon.

**Article X.**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended at a special meeting called for that purpose or at the annual meeting by a two-thirds vote of members present at any regular meeting. Notice must be mailed to all members at least 14 days prior to the vote.

**Article XI.**

This Corporation is not organized for profit or organized in an activity ordinarily carried on for profit, and no part of its net earning shall inure to the benefit of any private shareholder.

Approved June 19, 2000

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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.*

Ralph Williams  
Signature/Registered Agent

8-14-00  
Date

[Signature]  
Signature/Incorporator

08-14-2000  
Date

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