

206000077956

(Requestor's Name)

(Address)

(Address)

(City/State/Zip/Phone #)

☐ PICK-UP ☐ WAIT ☐ MAIL

(Business Entity Name)

206-75185

(Document Number)

Certified Copies \_\_\_\_\_ Certificates of Status \_\_\_\_\_

Special Instructions to Filing Officer:

AL

Office Use Only

#125-CF

#30-CC

150. cf

5. cert conversion



100076921211

08/04/06--01003--008 \*\*155.00

2006 AUG -4 A 11:20  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

FILED

**COVER LETTER**

**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** 1st Choice Funding, LLC.

(Name of Resulting Florida Limited Company)

The enclosed Certificate of Conversion, Articles of Organization, and fees are submitted to convert an "Other Business Entity" into a "Florida Limited Liability Company" in accordance with s. 608.439, F.S.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to:

Tami' A. Phillips, Esq.

(Contact Person)

PhillipsMathis, LLC.

(Firm/Company)

4801 S University Drive, 102

(Address)

Davie, FL 33328

(City, State and Zip Code)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Tami' A. Phillips, Esq.

(Name of Contact Person)

at ( 954 ) 252-5117

(Area Code and Daytime Telephone Number)

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

☐ \$150.00 Filing Fees  
(\$25 for Conversion  
& \$125 for Articles  
of Organization)

☒ \$155.00 Filing Fees  
and Certificate of  
Status

☐ \$180.00 Filing Fees  
and Certified Copy

☐ \$185.00 Filing Fees,  
Certified Copy, and  
Certificate of Status

**STREET ADDRESS:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
Clifton Building  
2661 Executive Center Circle  
Tallahassee, FL 32301

**MAILING ADDRESS:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

**FILED**  
2008 AUG -4 A 11:20  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

**Certificate of Conversion**  
For  
**"Other Business Entity"**  
Into  
**Florida Limited Liability Company**

This Certificate of Conversion **and attached Articles of Organization** are submitted to convert the following **"Other Business Entity"** into a **Florida Limited Liability Company** in accordance with s.608.439, Florida Statutes.

1. The name of the "Other Business Entity" immediately prior to the filing of this Certificate of Conversion is:  
1st Choice Funding, Inc.

(Enter Name of Other Business Entity)

2. The "Other Business Entity" is a corporation  
(Enter entity type. Example: corporation, limited partnership, sole proprietorship, general partnership, common law or business trust, etc.)

first organized, formed or incorporated under the laws of Florida  
(Enter state, or if a non-U.S. entity, the name of the country)

on May 31, 2006

(Enter date "Other Business Entity" was first organized, formed or incorporated)

3. If the jurisdiction of the "Other Business Entity" was changed, the state or country under the laws of which it is now organized, formed or incorporated:

4. The name of the Florida Limited Liability Company as set forth in the **attached Articles of Organization**:

1st Choice Funding, LLC.

(Enter Name of Florida Limited Liability Company)

FILED  
2006 AUG -4 A 11:20  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA  
SECRETARY OF STATE

5. If not effective on the date of filing, enter the effective date:\_\_\_\_\_.  
(The effective date: 1) cannot be prior to nor more than 90 days after the date this document is filed by the Florida Department of State; AND 2) must be the same as the effective date listed in the attached Articles of Organization, if an effective date is listed therein.)

Signed this 20 day of July 2006.

Signature of Authorized Person: Eric Jones

Printed Name: Eric Jones Title: Eric Jones

**Fees:**

Certificate of Conversion:	\$25.00
Fees for Florida Articles of Organization:	\$125.00
Certified Copy:	\$30.00 (Optional)
Certificate of Status:	\$5.00 (Optional)

2006 AUG -4 A 11: 20  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

FILED

## ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF 1<sup>ST</sup> CHOICE FUNDING, LLC.

The undersigned certify that we have associated ourselves together for the purpose of becoming a limited liability company under the laws of the State of Florida, providing for the formation, rights, privileges, and immunities of limited liability companies for profit. We further declare that the following Articles shall serve as the Charter and authority for the conduct of business of the limited liability company.

### ARTICLE I. NAME AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The name of the limited liability company shall be 1<sup>st</sup> Choice Funding, LLC., and its principal office shall be located at 2915 Plunkett Street, 11 in the City of Hollywood, County of Broward, State of Florida, but it shall have the power and authority to establish branch offices at any other place or places as the members may designate.

### ARTICLE II. PURPOSES AND POWERS

In addition to the powers authorized by the laws of the State of Florida for limited liability companies, the general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted, and which the limited liability company is authorized to transact, shall be as follows:

1. To engage in any activity or business authorized under the Florida Statutes.
2. In general, to carry on any and all incidental business; to have and exercise all the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida, and to do any and all things set forth in these Articles to the same extent as a natural person might or could do.
3. To purchase or otherwise acquire, undertake, carry on, improve, or develop, all or any of the business, good will, rights, assets, and liabilities of any person, firm, association, or corporation carrying on any kind of business of a similar nature to that which this limited liability company is authorized to carry on, pursuant to the provisions of these Articles; and to hold, utilize, and in any manner dispose of the rights and property so acquired.
4. To enter into and make all necessary contracts for its business with any person, entity, partnership, association, corporation, domestic or foreign, or of any domestic or foreign state, government, or governmental authority, or of any political or administrative subdivision, or department, and to perform and carry out, assign, cancel, or rescind any of such contracts.
5. To exercise all or any of the limited liability company powers, and to carry out all or any of the purposes, enumerated in these Articles and otherwise granted or permitted by law,

FILED

while acting as agent, nominee, or attorney-in-fact for any persons or corporations, and perform any service under contract or otherwise for any corporation, joint stock company, association, partnership, firm, syndicate, individual, or other entity, and in this capacity under this arrangement develop, improve, stabilize, strengthen, or extend the property and commercial interest of the property and to aid, assist, or participate in any lawful enterprise in connection with or incidental to the agency, representation, or service, and to render any other service or assistance it may lawfully do under the laws of the State of Florida, providing for the formation, rights, privileges, and immunities of limited liability companies for profit.

6. To do everything necessary, proper, advisable, or convenient for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any of the objects, or the furtherance of any of the powers set forth in these Articles, either alone or in association with others incidental or pertaining to, or going out of, or connected with its business or powers, provided the same shall not be inconsistent with the laws of the State of Florida.

The several clauses contained in this statement of the general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted shall be construed as both purposes and powers of this limited liability company, and statements contained in each clause shall, except as otherwise expressed, be in no way limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clause. They shall be regarded as independent purposes and powers.

Nothing contained in these Articles shall be deemed or construed as authorizing or permitting, or purporting to authorize or permit the limited liability company to carry on any business, exercise any power, or do any act which a limited liability company may not, under Florida laws, lawfully carry on, exercise, or do.

### ARTICLE III. EXERCISE OF POWERS

All limited liability company powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of this limited liability company shall be managed under the direction of, the members of this limited liability company. This Article may be amended from time to time in the regulations of the limited liability company by a unanimous vote of the members of the limited liability company.

### ARTICLE IV. MANAGEMENT

Management of this limited liability company is reserved to its members, whose names and addresses are as follows: Eric Jones

2915 Plukett Street, 11  
Hollywood, FL 33020.

**FILED**  
2006 AUG -4 A 11: 20  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

#### **ARTICLE V. MEMBERSHIP RESTRICTIONS**

Members shall have the right to admit new members by unanimous consent. Contributions required of new members shall be determined as of the time of admission to the limited liability company.

A member's interest in the limited liability company may not be sold or otherwise transferred except with unanimous written consent of all members.

On the death, retirement, resignation, expulsion, bankruptcy, or dissolution of a member, or the occurrence of any other event that terminates the continued membership of a member in the limited liability company, the remaining members shall have the right to continue the business on unanimous consent of the remaining members.

#### **ARTICLE VI. DURATION**

This limited liability company shall exist until dissolved in a manner provided by law, or as provided in the regulations adopted by the members.

#### **ARTICLE VII. INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT**

The address of the initial registered office of the limited liability company is 4801 South University Drive, Suite 102, Davie, FL 33328, City of Davie, County of Broward, State of Florida, and the name of the company's initial registered agent at that address is PhillipsMathis, LLC.

The undersigned, being the original members of the limited liability company, certify that this instrument constitutes the proposed Articles of Organization of 1<sup>st</sup> Choice Funding, LLC.

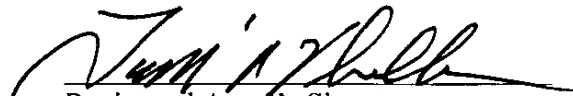
Executed by the undersigned at 4801 S University Drive, Suite 102, Davie, FL 33328 on July  
\_\_\_\_\_ 2006.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
ERIC JONES

FILED

2006 AUG -4 A 11: 20

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at 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 as provided for in Chapter 608, F.S.

  
Registered Agent's Signature

SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA