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CUSTOMER NO: 7336055

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CUSTOMER: Mr. Dustin Carfield-7336055
Nextstar Funding
702 Oak Street
P.O. Box 880189/zip 80488
Steamboat Sprin, CO 80487

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FOREIGN FILINGS

NAME: NEXTSTAR FUNDING, LLC

XXXX QUALIFICATION (TYPE: LL)

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

- CERTIFIED COPY
- XX PLAIN STAMPED COPY
- CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

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CONTACT PERSON: Angie Glisar -- EXT# 1124

EXAMINER: _____

APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608.503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

- 1. Next Star Funding, LLC
(Name of foreign limited liability company)
- 2. Colorado
(Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized)
- 3. EIN # 02-0576609
(FEI number, if applicable)
- 4. 3/14/02
(Date of Organization)
- 5. perpetual
(Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual")
- 6. none
(Date first transacted business in Florida. (See sections 608.501, 608.502, and 817.155, F.S.))
- 7. 702 Oak Street
Steamboat Springs CO 80488
(Street address of principal office)

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8. If limited liability company is a manager-managed company, check here

9. The name and usual business addresses of the managing members or managers are as follows:

- R. Dustin Carfield PO Box 880189
- Steamboat Springs CO 80488
- Peter K. Smith "
- "

10. Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than 90 days old, duly authenticated by the official having custody of records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A photocopy is not acceptable. If the certificate is in a foreign language, a translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be submitted.)

11. Nature of business or purposes to be conducted or promoted in Florida: mortgage
brokerage business

R. Dustin Carfield
Signature of a member or an authorized representative of a member.
(In accordance with section 608.408(3), F.S., the execution of this document constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury that the facts stated herein are true.)
R. Dustin Carfield
Typed or printed name of signee

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415 or 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is:

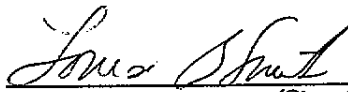
Next Step Funding, LLC

2. The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent and office are:

<u>Corporation Service Company</u>		
(Name)		
<u>1201 Hays Street</u>		
Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)		
<u>Tallahassee</u>	<u>FL</u>	<u>32301</u>
(City/State/Zip)		

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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.



(Signature) Louise B. Smith, Assistant Secretary

- \$ 100.00 Filing Fee for Application
- \$ 25.00 Designation of Registered Agent
- \$ 30.00 Certified Copy (optional)
- \$ 5.00 Certificate of Status (optional)



STATE OF COLORADO

DEPARTMENT OF STATE CERTIFICATE

I, DONETTA DAVIDSON, Secretary of State of the State of Colorado,
hereby certify that, according to the records of this office,

NEXTSTAR FUNDING, LLC
(Colorado LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)
File # 20021063929

was filed in this office on March 14, 2002 and has complied with the applicable provisions
of the laws of the State of Colorado and on this date is in good standing and authorized and
competent to transact business or to conduct its affairs within this state.

Dated: April 17, 2002

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Donetta Davidson

SECRETARY OF STATE