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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

SUBJECT: Sarasota African American Chamber of Commerce Incorporated
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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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

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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FROM: Lonnie Ward
Name (Printed or typed)

1180 52nd St.
Address

Sarasota Fla 3
City, State & Zip

941-360-8145
Daytime Telephone number

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

SARASOTA AFRICAN AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE INCORPORATED

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

1180 52nd ST.
SARASOTA FLORIDA 34234

ARTICLE III PURPOSE(S)

The specific purpose(s) for which the corporation is organized is(are):

TO ASSIST AND MOTIVATE THE ECONOMIC GROWTH OF SARASOTA

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is:

THE METHOD OF ELECTION OF THE DIRECTORS WILL BE STATED IN THE BYLAWS

ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

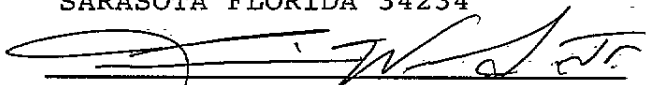
The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent are:

LONNIE WARD, JR.
1180 52nd ST.
SARASOTA FLORIDA 34234

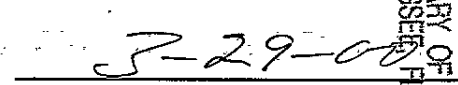
ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:

LONNIE WARD, JR.
1180 52nd ST,
SARASOTA FLORIDA 34234



Signature/Incorporator



Date

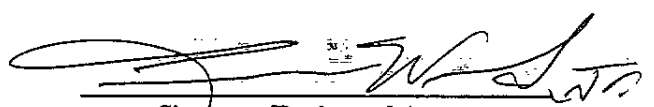
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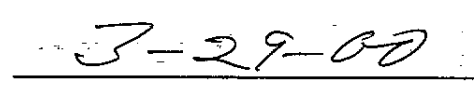
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(An additional article must be added if an effective date is requested.)

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation 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.



Signature/Registered Agent



Date