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Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: St. Johns County School Readiness Coalition, 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
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Tris Bedsole
Name (Printed or typed)

88 Riberia Street

Address

St. Augustine, FL 32084

City, State & Zip

904/823-4680

Daytime Telephone number

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

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Hannie Trus for
Sallyanne Cook

D. BROWN SEP 27 2000

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
ST. JOHNS COUNTY SCHOOL READINESS COALITION, INC.
A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION**

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The undersigned person, desiring to form a Corporation not-for-profit under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, certify as follows:

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of the Corporation is St. Johns County School Readiness Coalition, Inc.
(the "Corporation").

ARTICLE II

Purpose

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

A. The specific and primary purpose for which the Corporation is formed are to operate for the advancement of charity and education pursuant to Chapter 99-357, Laws of Florida, particularly by implementing a comprehensive program of school readiness services for Florida's at-risk birth-to-kindergarten population.

B. The general purposes for which the Corporation is formed are to operate exclusively for such charitable and educational purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws (hereinafter the "Code"), including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as tax-exempt organizations under the Code.

C. The Corporation shall not, as a substantial part of its activities, carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation; nor shall it participate or intervene in (by publication or distribution of any statements or otherwise) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

D. In furtherance of the above purposes, the Corporation shall have and may exercise any and all powers, rights and privileges which a corporation organized under the non-profit corporation laws of the State of Florida by law may now or hereafter have or exercise.

E. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

ARTICLE III

Membership

The authorized number and qualification of the members, the manner of their admission, the different classes of membership, if any, the property, voting, and other rights and

privileges of members, their liability for dues and assessments and the method of collection thereof shall be as set forth in the By-Laws.

ARTICLE IV

Existence

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE V

Subscriber's Name and Residence

The name and address of the subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation is:

Name

Tris Bedsole

Address

88 Riberia Street
St. Augustine, Florida 32084

ARTICLE VI

Board of Directors

The powers of the Corporation shall be exercised, its property controlled and its affairs managed by a Board of Directors (the "Board of Directors"). The number of Directors and the manner of their election or appointment shall be as stated in the By-Laws.

ARTICLE VII

No Financial Benefit to Members

The property of the Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to educational purposes and no part of the net earnings, properties or assets of the Corporation, upon dissolution or otherwise, shall inure to the benefit of any private person or individual, or any member or director of the Corporation, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article II hereof.

ARTICLE VIII

Dissolution

Upon the dissolution or winding up of the affairs of the Corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment of all debts and liabilities of the Corporation, shall be distributed to a not-for-profit fund, foundation, trust, corporation or other organization, which is organized and operated exclusively for educational purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

ARTICLE IX

Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation

Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by any member of the Corporation. The Articles may be amended at any annual meeting of the Corporation, or at any special meeting duly called and held for such purpose, on the affirmative vote of the two-thirds (2/3) of each class of members existing at the time of and present at such meeting.

ARTICLE X

Principal Office, Initial Registered Office and Registered Agent

The street address of the initial principal office of the Corporation and the initial registered office of the Corporation is 88 Riberia Street, St. Augustine, Florida 32084, and the initial registered agent at that address is Tris Bedsole.

ARTICLE XI

Mailing Address

The mailing address of the Corporation is 88 Riberia Street, St. Augustine, Florida 32084.

Tris Bedsole
Tris Bedsole

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF ST. JOHNS

THE FOREGOING instrument was acknowledged before me this 30 day of ^{AUGUST} ~~July~~, 2000, by Tris Bedsole, who (☒) is personally known to me or (☒) has produced Florida driver's license number B324-682-54-971-0 as identification.



Yvonne Ross
MY COMMISSION # CC898339 EXPIRES
December 27, 2003
BONDED THROUGH TROY FAIR INSURANCE, INC.

Yvonne Ross
Signature of Notary

(Name of Notary typed/stamped/printed)
Commission number: _____
Commission expires: _____

ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

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I am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as Registered Agent for
the foregoing corporation.

Tris Bedsole
Tris Bedsole
Registered Agent

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF ST. JOHNS

THE FOREGOING instrument was acknowledged before me this 10 day of ^{AUGUST} ~~July~~,
2000, by Tris Bedsole, who (✓) is personally known to me or (✓) has produced Florida driver's
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