

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

SUBJECT: A Firm Foundation
(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 of
Status

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Alisa P. Seymore
Name (Printed/or typed)

3432 Uphill Terrace
Address

Jacksonville, FL 32225-4315
City, State & Zip

(904) 745-7966
Daytime Telephone number

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION Of

A Firm Foundation Inc. of Jacksonville

Article I

Name

The name of the Corporation is A Firm Foundation, Inc. of Jacksonville

Article II

Duration

This corporation shall have perpetual existence commencing on the date of this filing of these Articles with the Department of State.

Article III

Purpose

- a. The primary purpose of this organization is charitable within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or such other provisions of state or federal law as may be applicable from time to time. This corporation is a not-for-profit corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. It is not organized for private gain of any person. The specific purpose of this corporation are:
 - (1) To provide consultation & case management services to socially and economically disadvantaged young adults 16-21
 - (2) To provide independent living skills training and professional development skills to further education and enhance standards living.
- b. To exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit corporations.
- c. Provided, however, that the corporation shall not engage in any action which is not permitted to be carried on by nonprofit under the Internal Revenue Code and no part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, directors, or officers; but the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation to these people for services rendered, and to make and distributions in furtherance of its stated purpose.

Article IV

Qualifications of Members

The qualifications of members of this corporation and the manner of their admission shall be regulated by the bylaws of said corporation.

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Article V

Initial registered Office and Agent

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is
3432 Uphill Terrace
Jacksonville, FL. 32255.

The name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at this address is
Alisa P. Seymore.

Article VI

Initial Board of Directors

This corporation shall have **three (3)** Directors constituting the initial Board of Director's. The Bylaws shall provide the method of election of all Directors, and the number of Directors may be raised or lowered by amendment of the bylaws but shall in no case be less than three (3). The name and address of the initial Board of Directors of the incorporation

Alisa P. Seymore
3432 Uphill Terrace
Jacksonville, FL. 32225

Marichal B. Seymore
3432 Uphill Terrace
Jacksonville, FL. 32225

Zellene Pollard
3432 Uphill Terrace
Jacksonville, FL 32225

Article VIII

Incorporators

The name and address of the incorporator signing these articles is:
Alisa P. Seymore
3432 Uphill Terrace
Jacksonville Florida 32225.

Article VIII

Indemnification

The Corporation shall, to the fullest extent permitted by the Florida Corporation Act, as the same may be amended and supplemented, indemnify any and all persons whom it shall have power to indemnify under the said provisions from and against any and all the expense, liabilities, or matters referred to in or covered by said provisions, and the indemnification provided for herein shall not be entitled under any Bylaw, vote of stockholders, or disinterested directors, or otherwise, both as to action in his or her official capacity and as to action while holding such office, and shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee, or agent and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, and administrators of such a person.

Article IX

Amendment

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, by a majority vote of the Board of Directors, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

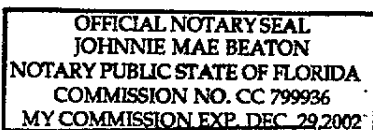
Alisa P. Seymore
Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF DUVAL

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgements in the State and County set forth above personally appeared **Alisa P. Seymore**, known to be and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and she acknowledged before me that she executed those Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and seal in the State and County above, this 4th day of October, 2000.

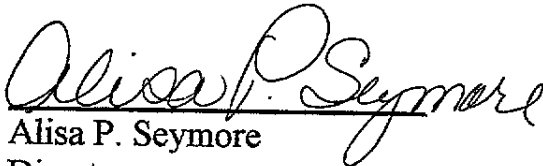


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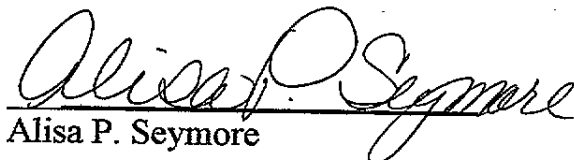
**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT AND
PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS
WITHIN FLORIDA, AND ACCEPTANCE OF AGENT UPON WHOM
PROCESS MAY BE SERVED**

In compliance with Sections 48.091 and 607.034, Florida Statutes the following is submitted:

FIRST, that **A Firm Foundation Inc.** /of Jacksonville desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principle place of business at **3432 Uphill Terrace, Jacksonville, Florida 32225** has named Alisa P. Seymore as its agent to accept service or process within Florida. Dated this 4 day of October 2000


Alisa P. Seymore
Director

SECOND, that having been named to accept service of process for the above named corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity and I further agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all provision of all statutes relative to the proper performance of duties.


Alisa P. Seymore

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