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October 12, 2000

PACERS, INC. 208 HART DR. PENSACOLA, FL 32503

SUBJECT: PROGRESSIVE ALLIANCE FOR COMMUNITY ECONOMIC

RESOURCES AND STRATEGIES, INC.

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We have received your document for PROGRESSIVE ALLIANCE FOR COMMUNITY ECONOMIC RESOURCES AND STRATEGIES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name of the entity must be identical throughout the document.

Corporations may file using only the corporate name. Please delete any reference to the "doing business as name" in your document. If you wish to register your fictitious name, you may do so by filing the enclosed application and submitting the appropriate fees to this office.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF PROGRESSIVE ALLIANCE FOR COMMUNITY ECONOMIC RESOURCES AND STRATEGIES, INC. A CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT

A CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT

The undersigned individuals, desiring to form a corporation not for profit under that the provision of Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, hereby subscribe to the following Articles of

ARTICLE I - NAME AND PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Incorporation:

The name of the corporation is Progressive Alliance for Community Economic Resources

And Strategies, Inc., and the principal office of the corporation is 208 Hart Drive, Pensacola Florida 32503. The

mailing address of the corporation is 208 Hart Drive, Pensacola, Florida 32503.

ARTICLE 11 - PURPOSES

The purposes for which the corporation is organized shall be: (a) to organize and execute Community activities geared towards curbing juvenile crime, (b) to provide economic opportunities to the underprivileged sector of the community based on plans of action for community economic Strategies, (c) to foster organizational and community diversity to include the Martin Luther King.

Jr. holiday festivities, (d) to provide community education, training and leadership in youth Development, (e) to embrace developmental training to include coaching, nurturing and mentorship

of local youth, (f) to seek corporate and other financial sponsorship for the promotion of community development, scholarships and celebrations, (g) to seek sponsorship in funding permanent office facilities, furniture, equipment and staff support, (h) to serve as an avenue for obtaining public support on the preservation of historic sites and heritage trails in Escambia County, and (i) to contribute funds to similarly interested organizations which are qualified under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. The beneficiary charitable institutions shall include the Hurst Chapel A.M.E. Church located at 707 North "C" Street, Pensacola, FL 32501.

In line with the above purposes, the corporation shall be guided by the following codes of conduct:

- (a) It can receive and maintain a fund or funds of real or personal property, or both, and, subject to the restrictions and limitations hereinafter set forth, to use and apply the whole or any part of the income therefrom and the principal thereof exclusively for charitable, religious, literary, or educational purposes, either directly or by contributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and its regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended.
- (b) No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, director or officer of the corporation, or any private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporation in effecting one or more of its purposes), and no member, director or officer of the corporation, or any private individual, shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the corporation. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

Any person may become a member of this corporation upon payment of an annual Membership fee in an amount established by the Board of Directors of this corporation.

ARTICLE IV - TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE V - INCORPORATORS AND DIRECTORS

The name and addresses of the incorporators to these Articles of Incorporation and the initial Board Of Directors of the corporation are as follows:

LeRoy Boyd	President	208 Hart Drive, Pensacola, FL 32503
Joe Davis	Vice President	731 Gentian Drive, Pensacola, FL 32503
Rita Saulsberry Milton	Secretary	306 Ariola Avenue, Pensacola, FL 32503
Dorothy Thomas	Treasurer	620 Cessna Drive, Pensacola, FL 32506
Herman Merkman	Member	360 Gamarra Rd, Pensacola, Fl 32503

ARTICLE VI - OFFICERS

The corporation shall have officers consisting of. President, Vice President, Secretary,

public office.

- (c) The corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- (d) The corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing, as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provision of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- (e) The corporation shall not retain any excess business holdings, as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- (f) The corporation shall not make any investments in such manner at to subject it to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provision of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- (g) The corporation shall not make any taxable expenditures, as defined in Section 4945 (d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provision of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- (h) Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and its regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended, or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code and its regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended.

Treasurer, and such other officers as the Board of directors of the Corporation shall in its

Discretion determines necessary or appropriate for accomplishing its objectives. The officers shaft be

Elected by the Board of Directors at its annual meeting.

The initial Board of Directors as listed in Article V above shall serve as the officers who will Manage all affairs of this corporation until the first election.

ARTICLE VII - BOARD OF DIRFCTORS

The Board of Directors shall manage the affairs of Progressive Alliance for Community Economic Resources and Strategies, Inc. The Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of the corporation with the method of election as stated in its by- Laws. The Directors shall have Full power to elect directors to fill vacancies in office, or to fill the Offices of any director, who may resign, die, become disabled or refuse to act. The majority vote of the Directors in office shall be sufficient for the taking of any action within the power of the Corporation.

The initial directors as listed in Article V above consist of six members. The number of Directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time by the by-laws, but in no instance Shall be less than three (3).

ARTICLE VIII - AMENDMENT

The corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment to them and all rights and privileges conferred upon the Members, directors, and officers of the corporation are subject to this reservation.

ARTICLE IX - BYLAWS

The bylaws of the corporation are to be made, altered, amended or repealed by a two-third majority vote of the members of the corporation present and voting at its regular or special meeting, after at least five (5) days written notice if the action proposed to be taken and mailed to each member.

ARTICLE X - DISTRIBUTION ON DISSOLUTION

Upon dissolution of the corporation, or the winding up of its affairs, its assets shall be distributed to charitable, religious, scientific, public safety testing, literary, or educational organizations which would then qua* under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended.

No member, director, or officer of the corporation, nor any private individual, shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the corporation.

ARTICLE XI - REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the registered office of Progressive Alliance for Community Economic Resources and Strategies, Inc., shall be 208 Hart Drive, Pensacola, FL 32503, and the name of the registered agent at that address is LeRoy Boyd. By my Signature below T a Cept duties of registered agent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the undersigned, subscribing incorporators of Progressive Alliance for Community Economic Resources and Strategies, Inc., have				
hereunto set our hands and seals on the dates hereinafter set forth for the				
purpose of forming this corporation not for profit under the laws of the State				
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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of September,				
2000, by LeRoy Boyd, known to me to be the person described as an incorporator				
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