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### G.R.O.W., Incorporated

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August 31, 2000

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

SUBJECT: G.R.O.W., Incorporated

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for \$78.75.

Sincerely,

Jacqueline I. Reason 703 5<sup>th</sup> Place S.W.

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#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

October 30, 2000

JACQUELINE I. REASON 703 5TH PLACE SW VERO BEACH, FL 32962

SUBJECT: G.R.O.W., INCORPORATED

Ref. Number: W00000026000

We have received your document for G.R.O.W., INCORPORATED 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 designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

#### Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

The purpose contained in your articles of incorporation should be more specific. Please correct your articles to reflect the specific purpose for which the corporation is being organized.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6929.

Joey Bryan Document Specialist

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION for GIVING REWARDING OPPORTUNITIES TO WORK (G.R.O.W.), Incorporated

The undersigned person(s), acting as incorporator(s) of an NOT-FOR-PROFIT corporation organized under the laws of Florida, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### ARTICLE I CORPORATE NAME

The name of this NOT-FOR-PROFIT corporation is GIVING REWARDING OPPORTUNITIES TO WORK (G.R.O.W.), Incorporated. GIVING REWARDING OPPORTUNITIES TO WORK (G.R.O.W.) is an acronym for Giving Rewarding Opportunities to Work.

#### ARTICLE II INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The mailing address of the not-for-profit corporation's initial principal office is:

c/o Gifford Community Center 4855 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue Vero Beach, FL 32967

## ARTICLE III PURPOSE

To provide opportunities for career training, guaranteed employment, and/or small business/managment ownership, as well as various support services, to individuals currently viewed as "unemployable". Support services will include, but not be limited to, child care and transportation.

## ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which directors will be elected will be in the manner as stated in By-Laws.

## ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The street address of the not-for-profit corporation's initial registered agent and street address is:

Jacqueline I. Reason
Giving Rewarding Opportunities To Work (G.R.O.W.), Incorporated
703 5th Place S.W.
Indian River County
Vero Beach, FL 32962

#### ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR

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

Jacqueline I. Reason 703 5<sup>th</sup> Place S.W. Vero Beach, FL 32962

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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 statues 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.

Jacqueline I. Reason, Registered Agent

Date

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