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SUBJECT: NORTH CENTRAL FLORIDA BASEBALL ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED
(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: TIMOTHY THOMAS
Name (Printed or typed)

6232 N.W. 33rd TERRACE
Address

GAINESVILLE, FL 32653
City, State & Zip

(352) 258-9784
Daytime Telephone number

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

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
NORTH CENTRAL FLORIDA BASEBALL ASSOCIATION, INC.
A NOT-FOR-PROFIT ORGANIZATION**

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The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation in compliance with Chapter 617, FL, the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, adopts the following articles of incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation" shall be: North Central Florida Baseball Association, Incorporated.

ARTICLE II - PERIOD

The period of duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes, including for such purposes, the Association shall operate as a non-profit educational organization providing a supervised program of competitive baseball and to foster national sports competition at all times pursuant to section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The Corporation may receive and administer funds for educational and charitable purposes, within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and to that end, the Corporation is empowered to hold any property, or any undivided interest therein, without limitation as to amount or value; to dispose of any such property and to invest, reinvest, or deal with the principal or the income in such manner as, in the judgment of the directors, will best promote the purposes of the Corporation, without limitation, except such limitations, if any, as may be contained in the instrument under which such property is received, these Articles of Incorporation, the By-Laws of the Corporation, or any applicable laws, to do any other act or thing incidental to or connected with the foregoing purposes or in advancement thereof, but not for the pecuniary profit or financial gain of its directors or officers except as permitted under the Florida Not-for-Profit Corporation Law.

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation affecting one or more of its purposes, and no member, trustee, 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 in or intervene in, including the publication or distribution of statements, any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation or the winding up of its affairs, the assets of the Corporation shall be distributed exclusively to one or more charitable or educational organizations which would then qualify under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its Regulations as they now exist or as they may be hereafter amended, or to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE IV - MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner which the directors are elected or appointed shall be regulated by the by-laws.

ARTICLE V – INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The initial street address in the state of Florida of the initial registered office of the Corporation is 6232 N.W. 33rd Terrace, Gainesville, Florida 32653. The name of the initial registered agent at such address is Timothy Thomas.

ARTICLE VI - TERRITORY

The territory in which the operations of the Corporation are principally to be conducted is the United States of America and its territories and possessions, but the operations of the Corporation shall not be limited to such territory.

ARTICLE VII - BOARD

The initial board of directors shall consist of at least three (3) members, who need not be residents of the state of Florida.

ARTICLE VIII – INITIAL DIRECTORS

The names and addresses of the persons who shall serve as directors until the first annual meeting of members, or until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, are as follows:

NAME	ADDRESS
- Timothy Thomas	6232 N.W. 33 rd Terrace, Gainesville, Florida 32653
- Edward Myers	5503 S.W. 92d Way, Gainesville, Florida 32606
- Todd Reagan	4312 N.W. 55 th Way, Gainesville, Florida 32606

ARTICLE IX - INCORPORATOR

The names and address of the initial incorporator is Timothy Thomas, 6232 N.W. 33rd Terrace, Gainesville, Florida 32653.

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has made and subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation at Gainesville, Florida, on the 22 day of JANUARY, 2001.

Timothy Thomas

Timothy Thomas
Signature/ Registered Agent

Timothy Thomas

Timothy Thomas
Signature/Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF ALACHUA

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 22 day of January, 2001.

Victor C. Popp

Notary Public (SEAL)

State of Florida

My Commission Expires: 4/19/2002

