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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

FLORIDA MUSIC FOUNDATION, INCORPORATED

The Undersigned, for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation under Florida Statutes Chapter 617, do hereby make and adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

Name of Corporation

The name of this Corporation shall be FLORIDA MUSIC FOUNDATION. The address shall be 207 Office Plaza Drive, Tallahassee, Florida, 32301.

ARTICLE II

Not for Profit

The corporation is a non-profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida. The Corporation is not formed for pecuniary profit. No part of the income or assets of the Corporation is distributable to or for the benefit of its Members, Trustees or Officers, except to the extent permissible under law.

ARTICLE III

Duration

The duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE IV

Purposes

The corporation is organized, and shall be operated exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, and education within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Revenue Law, and for the following purposes:

- (1) Educational with reference to music in Florida primary and secondary schools.
- (2) To provide leadership, support and services to school music programs.
- (3) To advance music education in the State of Florida.
- (4) To exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit corporations, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to acquire by bequest, devise, gift, purchase, lease or otherwise any property of any sort or nature without limitation as to its amount or value, and to hold, invest, reinvest, manage, use, apply, employ, sell, expend, disburse, lease, mortgage, convey, option, donate, or otherwise dispose of such property and the income, principal and proceeds of such property, for any of the purposes set forth herein.
- (5) To do such things as are incidental to the purposes of the Corporation or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish them.

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ARTICLE V

Limitation

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its Members, trustees, or Officers, but 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 IV (Purposes) hereof.

ARTICLE VI

Initial Registered Office and Registered Agent

The address of the initial registered office of the Corporation in the State of Florida is 207 Office Plaza Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32301.

The registered agent of the corporation at the registered office of the Corporation is James T. Perry.

ARTICLE VII

Initial Board of Trustees

The management of the Corporation shall be vested in a Board of Trustees. The number of Trustees constituting the initial Board of Trustees is five (5). The number of Trustees may be increased or decreased from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three. The Voting Members shall elect the Trustees annually. The Bylaws may provide for ex officio and honorary Trustees, and their rights and privileges.

ARTICLE VIII

Officers

The Officers of the Corporation shall consist of a President, President-elect, Secretary and such other Officers and Assistant Officers as may be provided in the Bylaws. Each Officer shall be elected by the Board of Trustees (and may be removed by the Board of Trustees) at such time and in such manner as may be prescribed by the Bylaws.

ARTICLE IX

Incorporators

The name and address of each Incorporator is as follows:

Name	Address
James T. Perry	207 Office Plaza Drive, Tallahassee Florida 32301

ARTICLE X

Bylaws

The Bylaws of the Corporation are to be made and adopted by the Board of Trustees, and may be altered, amended or rescinded by the Board of Trustees.

ARTICLE XI

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, Trustees and Officers are subject to this reservation. The Articles of Incorporation may be amended in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of Florida, as amended from time to time, unless more specific provisions for amendments are adopted by the Corporation pursuant to law.

ARTICLE XII

Indemnification

The Corporation shall indemnify each Officer and Trustee, including former Officers and Trustees, to the full extent permitted by the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE XIII

Bylaws

The power to adopt, alter, amend and repeal the Bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Trustees, but all alterations, amendments and repeals of the Bylaws must be approved by a majority of the Voting Members.

ARTICLE XIV

Limitation of Activities

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

ARTICLE XV

Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue code of 1986, or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the Federal, state, or local government for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the principle office of the organization is then located, exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE XVI

Commencement of Corporate Existence

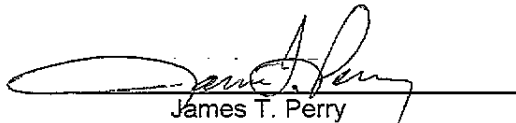
In accordance with the laws of the State of Florida, the date when corporate existence shall commence is April 1, 2001.

ARTICLE XVII

Non-Stock Basis

This corporation is organized on a Non-stock basis. This Corporation shall not issue shares of stock.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the subscribing Incorporator has hereunto set his hand and seal on this 7 day of March, 2001.


James T. Perry

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared JAMES T. PERRY who is to me well known to be the person described in and who subscribed the above and foregoing Articles of Incorporation and he freely and voluntarily acknowledged before me according to law that he made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal at the County and State aforesaid said this 7th day of March, 2001.




Notary Public