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SUBJECT: West Orange Center for the Arts, Inc.  
(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

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Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

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Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Kenneth J. Anderson  
Name (Printed or typed)

2108 New Victor Rd.  
Address

Ocoee, FL 34761  
City, State & Zip

(407) 291-7633  
Daytime Telephone number

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

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

### WEST ORANGE CENTER FOR THE ARTS, INC.

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation which is desiring to be organized as a Non-Profit Corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation of such corporation:

**Article I:** The name of the corporation shall be **West Orange Center for the Arts, Inc.**

**Article II:** The principal place of business shall be Winter Garden, in the county of Orange, the state of Florida. The initial street address will be 2108 New Victor Road, Ocoee, FL 34761.

**Article III:** The purposes for which the corporation is organized are for charitable and educational purposes. The objects and purposes of the corporation shall be to advance the arts and arts education through the production and/or presentation of professional-quality dramatic, musical, operatic and/or children's theater to as great an extent and at as low a cost as possible within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. In addition, the corporation shall advance the visual, dance, film and music arts through presentations of regional and national artists, provide instruction and working environments to nourish the growth of local artists of all ages and conduct activities to support these purposes all within the meaning of the aforementioned Internal Revenue Codes or any corresponding future federal tax codes.

**Article IV:** The manner in which the Directors are elected or appointed shall be subject to the Bylaws of the Corporation as adopted by a majority of the eligible voting board members. The initial Board of Directors shall consist of three community volunteers. Additional Directors shall be nominated to the full board, or through an authorized nominating committee of the board, and shall be elected to terms as dictated by the Bylaws, and by a majority vote of eligible Directors.

**Article V:** The name and addresses of the initial Directors are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Mr. Jerry Alan Ball	504 English Lake Drive Winter Garden, FL 34787
Mr. Brandon Philpot	632 Bourne Place Orlando, FL 32801
Dr. Edward Posnak	509 Delaney Park Drive Orlando, FL 32808

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**Article VI:** No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that 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 III hereof. 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 publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

**Article VII:** Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed 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 a court of competent jurisdiction 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 VIII:** The name and address of the initial registered agent is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Kenneth J. Anderson	2108 New Victor Road Ocoee, FL 34761

**Article IX:** The name and address of the incorporator is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Kenneth J. Anderson	2108 New Victor Road Ocoee, FL 34761

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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.

Kenneth J. Anderson  
Signature/Registered Agent

4-18-01  
Date

Kenneth J. Anderson  
Signature/Incorporator

4-18-01  
Date

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