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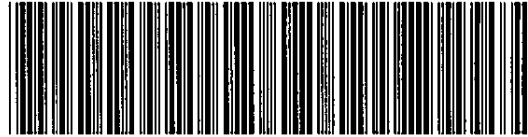
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TO: Amendment Section
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NAME OF CORPORATION: ZION COMMUNITY CHURCH

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The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

OTIS WRIGHT III

(Name of Contact Person)

ZION COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Firm/ Company)

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(Address)

JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32206

(City/ State and Zip Code)

otis.wright12@att.net

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Articles of Amendment
to
Articles of Incorporation
of

ZION COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State)

N01000003493

(Document Number of Corporation (if known))

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this **Florida Not For Profit Corporation** adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporation:

N/A

The new name must be distinguishable and contain the word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the abbreviation "Corp." or "Inc." "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name.

B. Enter new principal office address, if applicable:

(Principal office address **MUST BE A STREET ADDRESS**)

N/A

C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable:

(Mailing address **MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX**)

N/A

D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered office address in Florida, enter the name of the new registered agent and/or the new registered office address:

Name of New Registered Agent: N/A

(Florida street address)

New Registered Office Address:

N/A

(City)

Florida N/A

(Zip Code)

New Registered Agent's Signature, if changing Registered Agent:

I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of the position.

Signature of New Registered Agent, if changing

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If amending the Officers and/or Directors, enter the title and name of each officer/director being removed and title, name, and address of each Officer and/or Director being added:

(Attach additional sheets, if necessary)

Please note the officer/director title by the first letter of the office title:

P = President; V= Vice President; T= Treasurer; S= Secretary; D= Director; TR= Trustee; C = Chairman or Clerk; CEO = Chief Executive Officer; CFO = Chief Financial Officer. If an officer/director holds more than one title, list the first letter of each office held. President, Treasurer, Director would be PTD.

Changes should be noted in the following manner. Currently John Doe is listed as the PST and Mike Jones is listed as the V. There is a change, Mike Jones leaves the corporation, Sally Smith is named the V and S. These should be noted as John Doe, PT as a Change, Mike Jones, V as Remove, and Sally Smith, SV as an Add.

Example:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change	<u>PT</u>	<u>John Doe</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>V</u>	<u>Mike Jones</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add	<u>SV</u>	<u>Sally Smith</u>

<u>Type of Action</u> (Check One)	<u>Title</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
1) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>D-T</u>	<u>NANCY MCMILLIAN</u>	<u>938 E. UNION STREET</u> <u>JACKSONVILLE, FL 32206</u>
2) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>O</u>	<u>JAMES FORD</u>	<u>646 STANWICK ROAD</u> <u>JACKSONVILLE, FL 32209</u>
3) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>D-PA</u>	<u>DEVONDA BAILEY</u>	<u>3464 NATALIE MEL LANE</u> <u>JACKSONVILLE, FL 32218</u>
4) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>O</u>	<u>VALARIE GREEN</u>	<u>938 E. UNION STREET</u> <u>JACKSONVILLE, FL 32206</u>
5) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>D</u>	<u>ERIC MYERS</u>	<u>11341 BLOOSOM RIDGE DR.</u> <u>JACKSONVILLE, FL 32218</u>
6) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>O</u>	<u>ROBERT WALER</u>	<u>938 E. UNION STREET</u> <u>JACKSONVILLE, FL 32206</u>

E. If amending or adding additional Articles, enter change(s) here:
(attach additional sheets, if necessary). (Be specific)

ARTICLE II-DIRECTORS

SECTIONS 1-CHANGE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FROM 6 TO 7, NO MORE THAN 9.

APPOINTMENT OF THE TERM OF DIRECTORS AT AN ANNUAL MEETING-CHANGE FROM JANUARY 31ST TO
BY APRIL 30TH.

SECTION 4-NUMBER OF DIRECTORS-CHANGE FROM 8 TO 9.

SECTION 10- COMPENSATION-ADDITION- THE COMPENSATION FOR THE PASTOR/BISHOP SHALL BE A
SALARY OF \$1250.00 PER MONTH AND A HOUSING ALLOWANCE OF \$1400.00 PER MONTH AND ANY
ANY ADDITIONAL ALLOWANCE NOT LIMITED TO A LOVE OFFERING, ANNIVERSARY GIFT, OR SPEAKING
ENGAGEMENTS.

ARTICLE III-OFFICERS (CHANGE THE SPELLING OF TREASURER TO TREASURER

ADDITION ARTICLE IV-MARRIAGES

AMENDMENT FOR ZION COMMUNITY CHURCH CONCERNING MARRIAGES

ZION COMMUNITY CHURCH RECOGNIZES THAT EVERY HUMAN BEING IS VALUABLE IN THE SIGHT OF GOD
AND WE SEEK TO MINISTER TO ALL MEN AND WOMEN IN THE SPIRIT OF JESUS CHRIST. OUR MOST
IMPORTANT FOUNDATIONAL BELIEF IS THAT WE LIVE IN HARMONY WITH GOD'S HOLY WORD.

WE HIGHLY ESTEEM THE MARRIAGE COVENANT. THIS GIFT FROM GOD HAS BEEN GIVEN TO US ALONG
WITH THE CLEAR TEACHING IN SACRED SCRIPTURE, AND WE AFFIRM THAT THIS GIFT, WHICH PERTAINS
TO OUR LIVES' MOST INTIMATE RELATIONSHIPS, IS EXPRESSED THROUGH A UNION THAT IS LIFE-LONG,
MONOGAMOUS AND GENDER SPECIFIC. THE IMPORTANCE OF GENDER IN DEFINING THE MARRIAGE
COVENANT IS AFFIRMED THROUGH-OUT THE BIBLE, INCLUDING THE SPECIFIC TEACHINGS OF JESUS
CHRIST HIMSELF (SAINT MATTHEW 19:4-6). OUR PUBLIC TEACHING AND PRACTICE IS BASED ON WHAT
THE BIBLE TEACHES ON HOMOSEXUALITY OR THE LGBT LIFESTYLES. CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE IS BETWEEN
ONE MAN AND ONE WOMAN. WE BELIEVE THAT THIS IS GOD'S DESIGN FOR HUMANITY ESTABLISHED

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(CONTINUED)

AT CREATION. THE ACT OF HOMOSEXUALITY OR THE LGBT LIFESTYLE IS A SIN ACCORDING TO GOD'S HOLY WORD. GOD'S INTENT IN CREATION WAS THAT MALE AND FEMALE WOULD BE COMPLIMENTARY, THAT THE PRIVELEDGE OF SEXUAL EXPRESSION WOULD BE BETWEEN MALE AND FEMALE ONLY, AND THIS EXPRESSION WOULD ONLY BE IN THE CONTEXT OF MARRIAGE. BOTH HETEROSEXUAL, HOMOSEXUAL, AND THE LGBT SEXUAL BEHAVIOR OUTSIDE OF MARRIAGE VIOLATES THE HUMAN SPIRIT AND DISTORTS GOD'S INTENT FOR OUR LIVES. THE HOLY SCRIPTURES CONDEMNS HOMOSEXUAL OR THE LGBT PRACTICE (GENESIS 19:4-10; LEVITICUS 18:22; 30:13, ROMANS 1:26-28; AND FIRST TIMOTHY 1:8-10), AND WE FOLLOW THIS INSTURCTION AND THE EXAMPLE OF JESUS. WHILE THE WORLD'S SYSTEMS ARE BEING CONTINUALLY EFFECTED. BY CULTURAL AND SOCIOLOGICAL CHANGES, WE WILL NOT COMPROMISE OR DEVIATE FROM THE STANDARDS SET BY GOD. WE DO NOT ENDORSE OR CONSECRATE HOMOSEXUALS OR LGBT INDIVIDUALS TO THE HOLY OFFICE OF BISHOP, OR CONDONE THE ORDINATION INTO THE HOLY OFFICE OF DEACONS, ELDERS(PRIESTS), FOR TO DO SO IS BOTH DISHONORING TO GOD AND A BETRAYAL OF OUR FAITH. THE ORDINATION OF THE PRACTICING HOMOSEXUAL OR THE LGBT INDIVIDUAL TO ANY CHURCH OFFICE CONTRADICTS THE CLEAR MANDATE OF GOD. THERFORE ZION COMMUNITY CHURCH WILL NEVER ACCEPT OR BLESS ANY SAME-SEX UNIONS, OR UNIONS OF THE LGBT LIFESTYLES OF ANY KIND IN MARRIAGE OR GRANT THOSE LIVING SUCH A LIFESYLE APOSTOLIC SUCCESSION INTO HOLY OFFICE.

ZION COMMUNITY CHURCH STANDS AGAINST ANY FORM OF EVIL, INCLUDING PREJUDICE, BIGOTRY AND VIOLENCE. WE BELIEVE THAT MORAL DISAGREEMENT IS NOT A LICENSE FOR SLANDER OR HARRASSMENT OF ANY CONTRARY GROUP BUT WE CANNOT AFFRIM SAME SEX UNIONS OR THE UNIONS OF THE LGBT INDIVIDUALS AS GOD'S WILL FOR THE FOLLOWERS OF JESUS CHRIST. MEMBERSHIP, AND OUTGROWTH REQUIRES ACCEPTING THE LORDSHIP AND LEADERSHIP OF JESUS CHRIST IN ONE'S LIFE.

The date of each amendment(s) adoption: 04/21/2015, if other than the date this document was signed.

Effective date if applicable: 04/21/2015
(no more than 90 days after amendment file date)

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Adoption of Amendment(s) (CHECK ONE)

- ☒ The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment(s) was/were sufficient for approval.
- ☐ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors.

Dated 04/26/2015

Signature Otis Wright, III
(By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator -- if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)

OTIS WRIGHT III

(Typed or printed name of person signing)

PRESIDENT/PASTOR

(Title of person signing)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me
this 26th day of April, 2015 by Otis Wright III,
Personally Known.



VALARIE S GREEN
MY COMMISSION # FF 025094
EXPIRES: June 10, 2017
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