

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

SUBJECT: Front Porch Florida - Governor's Community Revitalization  
Council for Greater South Central Neighborhood  
ST. Petersburg, Inc.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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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: David T. Welch  
Name (Printed or typed)

1523 16<sup>th</sup> ST. So.  
Address

ST. Petersburg, FL 33705  
City, State & Zip

(727) 898-6144  
Daytime Telephone number

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

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of this Corporation is FRONT PORCH FLORIDA GOVERNOR'S COMMUNITY REVITALIZATION COUNCIL FOR GREATER SOUTH CENTRAL NEIGHBORHOOD ST. PETERSBURG, INC. Hereinafter referred to as the "CR-24" or "Council"

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this Council shall be 1523 16<sup>th</sup> Street South - St. Petersburg, FL 33705, which is located in the city of St. Petersburg, County of Pinellas, State of Florida.

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The primary purposes of the Council are: to serve as the channel through which residents and businesses within the Front Porch Florida targeted area have input in designing and implementing programs and services that will provide economic and community development and improve the total quality of life for individuals living or working within the Front Porch community; to act as a forum and channel to incorporate input from the community in the process; and to facilitate collaborative partnerships with federal, state, and local government and other local, regional and national groups, both private and public, and to support the continued efforts to alleviate the root causes of poverty, despair, and distress.

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

In the nomination and election or appointment of Council Members, every effort shall be made to secure representation from throughout the jurisdiction of the Council and representing the diversity of the communities it serves. Nominations for open Council seats will take place within the neighborhood of the vacancy. The neighborhood will choose from a list of candidates submitted by nominations from the community to replace their Council Member whose term is expiring. The current Council Member may be included on the list of candidates. A list of new Council Members shall be sent to the members of the Council at its meeting. Voting member Organizations will chose their representatives. All new members are ratified at the next scheduled council meeting unless notified thereof.

**ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS**

The name and addresses of the Initial Directors are:

David Welch	1601 16 <sup>th</sup> St. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33705 (Chair)
Ernest Fillyau	2366 7 <sup>th</sup> Ave. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33712 (Vice Chair)
Leigh Covington	1616 21 <sup>st</sup> St. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33712 (Recording Secretary)
Marva Dennard	2326 Melrose Ave. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33712 (Correspondence Sec.)
LaVerne Roberts	6708 Canton St. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33712 (Treasurer)
Kiambu Mudada	1085 16 <sup>th</sup> Ave. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33705 (Parliamentarian)

Directors are elected in accordance with bylaws.

**ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is David Welch, 1601 16<sup>th</sup> St. South, St. Petersburg, FL. 33705

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Article VII: INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator are:

David Welch	1601 16 <sup>th</sup> St. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33705	<i>[Signature]</i>
Leigh Covington	1616 21 <sup>st</sup> St. South #322	St. Petersburg, FL 33712	<i>[Signature]</i>
Marva Dennard	2326 Melrose Ave. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33712	<i>[Signature]</i>
Kiamba Mudada	1085 16th Avenue South	St. Petersburg, FL 33705	<i>[Signature]</i>
Ernest Fillyau	2366 7 <sup>th</sup> Ave. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33712	<i>[Signature]</i>
LaVerne Roberts	6708 Canton St. South	St. Petersburg, FL 33712	<i>[Signature]</i>

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

Signature/Registered Agent *[Signature]* Date 8-03-01

Signature/Incorporator *listed above* Date

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