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

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

\$70.00 Filing Fee \$78.75

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Certificate of

Status

\$78.75

Filing Fee

\$87.50

& Certified Copy

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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)

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ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

SUWANNEE COUNTY FIRE DISTRICTS, INC.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

15583 60th Terrace Live Oak, Fl 32060

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

To preserve and protect the citizens of Suwannee County from the devastations of fire, to train and equip a dedicated force for fire suppression, and to provide fire protection, prevention, and education.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

THE DIRECTORS WILL BE APPONITED BY THE OFFICERS.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

The name and addresses:

Joseph D. Bushel, President 7212 175th Drive Live Oak, Fl 32060

James I. O'Neill, Jr., Vice President 19359 76th Street Live Oak, FI 32060

Paige J. Verro, Secretary/Treasurer 15583 60th Terrace Live Oak, Fl 32060

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

Paige J. Verro 15583 60th Terrace Live Oak, FI 32060

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Joseph D. Bushel 7212 175th Drive Live Oak, FI 32060

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.

Signature/Registered Agent