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March 29, 2002

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

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Re: Upper Tampa Bay Alliance, Inc.
Articles of Incorporation

Dear Sir of Madam:

Enclosed are the original Articles of Incorporation for Upper Tampa Bay Alliance, Inc., along with my personal check no. 2230 in the amount of \$78.75 as payment for the Filing Fee and Certificate of Status.

Thank you for your time and cooperation. Please do not hesitate to call me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Robert L. Argus, Jr.

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## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

April 10, 2002

ROBERT L. ARGUS 12027 BREWSTER DRIVE TAMPA, FL 33626

SUBJECT: UPPER TAMPA BAY ALLIANCE, INC.

Ref. Number: W02000010080

We have received your document for UPPER TAMPA BAY ALLIANCE, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The document must contain written acceptance by the registered agent, (i.e. "I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as Registered Agent.)

The registered agent must sign accepting the designation.

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6928.

Tim Burch
Document Specialist
New Filing Section

Letter Number: 202A00021244

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

## Upper Tampa Bay Alliance, Inc.

The undersigned incorporator makes, subscribes, acknowledges and files with the Florida Department of State these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a Florida corporation pursuant to the Florida Statutes, Chapter 617.

#### ARTICLE I.

## NAME

The name of this corporation is Upper Tampa Bay Alliance, Inc.

## ARTICLE II.

## Place of Business

This street address of the initial place of business of this corporation is 10123 Kingsbridge Avenue, Tampa, Florida 33626.

#### ARTICLE III.

#### PURPOSE

The purposes for which this corporation is organized is to improve the quality of life of the people of the Upper Tampa Bay Area of Hillsborough County, Florida, by unifying the various religious, civic, educational and business interests to deal with issues of concern that affect the entire community..

#### ARTICLE IV.

## Director Election

Directors of the Corporations shall be elected at an Annual Meeting.

#### ARTICLE V.

## INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 12027 Brewster Drive, Tampa, Florida 33626 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is Robert L. Argus, Jr.

#### ARTICLE VI.

## INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator is:

Robert L. Argus, Jr. 12027 Brewster Drive Tampa, FL 33626

#### ARTICLE VII.

# AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

These Articles of Incorporation or any provision herein may be amended, changed or repealed at any time by a resolution, adopted by a majority vote of the Board of Directors at any annual or special meeting.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this  $29^{nd}$  day of March, 2002.

Robert L. Argus, Jr.

# ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as Registered Agent for Upper Tampa Bay Alliance, Inc.

Robert L. Argus, Jr. 12027 Brewster Drive

Tampa, FL 33626