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

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\$87.50

& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR WATER'S EDGE CHURCH, INCORPORATED

The undersigned, acting as Incorporator of a corporation not for profit pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation is "Water's Edge Church, Incorporated" (Water's Edge).

ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AND MAILING ADDRESS

The street address and mailing address of the initial principal office of this corporation is 10219 Altavista Ave.#104, Tampa, FL 33647.

ARTICLE III. – PURPOSE

- (a) This corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for religious and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under said section of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (b) Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from Federal income taxation under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The corporation shall not devote a substantial part of its activities to carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, nor shall it participate in or intervene in the political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- (c) No portion of its net income shall inure in whole or in part to the benefit of any officers, directors, or members of the corporation.

ARTICLE IV. - ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by a Board of Elders (Board of Elders shall be the same as Board of Directors). The election of the Board of Elders shall be conducted as set forth in the by-laws.

ARTICLE V. - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT

The name and address of the Registered Agent is:
Tracy L. Bannister, 10219 Altavista Ave. #104, Tampa, FL 33647

ARTICLE VI. - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is: Tracy L. Bannister, 10219 Altavista Ave. #104, Tampa, FL 33647

ARTICLE VII. - TERM

This corporation shall have a perpetual existence.

ARTICLE VIII .- DISSOLUTION

Upon dissolution of this corporation all of its assets remaining after payment of outstanding debts and all costs and expenses of such dissolution shall be distributed to Suncoast Evangelizing Association, or if that Association is non-functioning or is no longer exempt from Federal income taxation then to another organization which has been determined to be an exempt organization pursuant to Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and which is approved for such distribution. No part of the remaining assets shall be distributed to any member, officer, director or employee of this corporation.

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-Tracy L.

Signature/Incorporator-Tracy L. Bannister