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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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

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SUBJECT: Orlando Fire Trust, Inc.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Margarita R. Flores  
Name (Printed or typed)  
400 S. Orange Avenue, 7th Floor  
Address  
Orlando, Florida 32801  
City, State & Zip  
(407) 246-2379  
Daytime Telephone number

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 the corporation shall be:

ORLANDO FIRE TRUST, INC.

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## ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

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

400 South Orange Ave. 7th Floor  
Orlando, Fl. 32801

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## ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

To perform services as well as encourage Fire Safety and Public Education Programs to the Community, to administer various fund raising projects to improve quality of Fire Service, provide Educational Programs and scholarships to the immediate family of OFD sworn personnel, exercise all Powers permitted on Non-Profit Corporation under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes.

## ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

Selection of officers was based on highest rank (Fire Chief) and second highest rank (Deputy Fire Chief) for President and Vice-President. The other officers are current employees holding the Fire Fiscal Manager and Accounting Specialist positions.

## ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

The name(s), address(es) and title(s):

Charlie B. Walker, Jr. 2938 Grandola Dr.. Orlando, Fl. 32811  
Robert Pearce 3345 Carla St. Orlando, Fl. 32806  
Paz A. Lookhoff 232 Sawyerwood Pl. Oviedo, Fl. 32765  
Margarita R. Flores 735 Alabama Woods Lane, Orlando, Fl. 32824

## ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

Margarita R. Flores  
400 S. Orange Avenue  
Orlando, Fl. 32801

## ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Paz A. Lookhoff  
400 S. Orange Avenue  
P.O. Box 4990

Orlando, Florida 32802-4990

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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.

Margarita R. Flores  
Signature/Registered Agent

7/31/02  
Date

Paz A. Lookhoff  
Signature/Incorporator

7/31/02  
Date

IV) The corporation shall have all the powers granted to not for profit corporations under the laws of the State of Florida, which are necessary, or convenient to affect any and all purposes for which the corporation is organized. In no event, however, shall the corporation have or exercise any power which would cause it not to qualify as a tax-exempt organization under Section 501C (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as it now exists, or as it may be amended from time to time or to be ineligible to receive a charitable contribution under Section 170 of the Internal Revenue Code as it may be amended from time to time; nor shall the corporation engage directly or indirectly in any activity which would cause the loss of such qualification. No part of the assets or the net earnings, current or accumulated, of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of any private individual.