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#### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

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SUBJECT: Tri-County Friendship House Inc.

(PROPOSED CORFORATE 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
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Certificate of

Status

**U\$78.75** 

Filing Fee

& Certified Copy

**△**\$87.50

Filing Fee, Certified Copy

& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Michael E. Williams

Name (Printed or typed)

Post Office Box 7990

Sebring, Florida 33872 City, State & Zip

863-452-9933

Daytime Telephone number

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

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, F. ORIDA

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## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Jim Smith Secretary of State

September 16, 2002

MICHAEL E WILLIAMS PO BOX 7990 SEBRING, FL 33872

SUBJECT: TRI-COUNTY FRIENDSHIP HOUSE INC.

Ref. Number: W02000026909

We have received your document for TRI-COUNTY FRIENDSHIP HOUSE INC., however, upon receipt of your document no check was enclosed. Please send a check or money order payable to the Department of State for \$78.75.

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.)

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) 245-6919.

Letter Number: 702A00052826

Beth Register Corporate Specialist Supervisor New Filings Section

#### ARTICLES FOR INCORPORATION

Pursuant to Chapter 496 F.S. and Chapter 617.0202, F.S. the below are current Articles of Incorporation

#### Article I

The name of the organization shall be Tri-County Friendship House Inc. located in the State of Florida.

#### Article II

The physical location of Tri-County Friendship House Inc. shall be 1993 United States Highway Twenty-Seven South, Sebring, Florida 33870. The mailing address shall be United States Post Office Box 7990, Sebring, Florida 33872-0117.

#### Article III

All business shall abide by Local, State and Federal Laws. The organization shall serve communities where blood-borne illnesses/infections exist with the potential to be life threatening. The organization reserves the right to assist on a three-month period those persons who meet the criteria of homeless, near homeless or below the low-income level and not currently receiving similar aid from any Local, State or Federal Agencies. Each client shall be evaluated on a quarterly basis if they wish to continue services. Services are to include, but are not limited to, Food Bank Assistance, Counseling, Group Counseling, Clothing Assistance, Education Materials, Aid with completion of forms and documents (not offering legal advise), Assistance with Rent or Utility Bills (depending on available funding), Referral Service for services and items not supplied by Tri-County Friendship House Inc.

#### Article IV

The Directors shall be nominated and approved by a 2/3 vote of the Executive Board. The term of their service shall be one year with renewal requiring a simple majority vote from the Executive Board. The Executive Board shall be established at the time of the formation of this corporation. New members to the Executive Board shall be nominated and approved by a 2/3 vote of the Executive Board. Their length of service shall be five years. Only the Executive board with a 2/3 majority may remove the Executive Director, Member of the Board of Directors or removal of a member of the Executive Board. Any other employee can be removed with a simple majority of the Board of Directors.

#### Article V

The Executive Board shall be made of the following positions: President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, Member-at-large. The start of this board shall be: President-Michael. E. Williams, 2525 South U.S. Highway 27 #H40, Avon Park, Florida, 33825.

Vice-President shall be: Art Harriman 436 Palmetto Avenue, Sebring, Florida 33870. The Treasurer shall be Janice Williams, 437 Whippoorwill Drive, Sebring, Florida, 33875. Member-at-large shall be Douglas Ginter, 2027 Sugue Avenue, Sebring Florida 33870. The Executive Director shall attend all Executive Board and Board of Director's Meetings, not as a voting member but for informational purposes.

### Article VI

The Registered Agent shall be Michael E. Williams residing at 2525 South U.S. Highway 27 #H40, Avon Park, Florida 33865. I heraby an family with a scrept the detection of the second states.  Article VII
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The Incorporator shall be Michael E. Williams residing at 2525 South U.S. Highway 27 #H40, Avon Park, Florida, 33865.

Signature of Register Agent	Printed Name	9 /rz/s= Date
Signature of Incorporator	Michael Williams Printed Name	9/12/13 Date
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Verified FLDL (	Notary Name 10452 - S45 - 62 - 103-0	Date

