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IT TAKES MORE THAN A VILLAGE, INC.

109 Sherwood Drive Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411 (561) 753-3987

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

SUBJECT: It Takes More Than A Village, Inc.

(Proposed Corporate Name - Must Include Suffix)

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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: Miriam Guillory (It Takes More Than A Village, Inc.)
Name (Printed or typed)

109 Sherwood Drive
Address

Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411
City, State, Zip

(561) 753-3987
Daytime Telephone Number



Secretary of State

October 9, 2002

MIRIAM GUILLORY 109 SHERWOOD DRIVE ROYAL PALM BEACH, FL 33411

SUBJECT: IT TAKES MORE THAN A VILLAGE, INC.

Ref. Number: W02000029182

We have received your document for IT TAKES MORE THAN A VILLAGE, 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.)

Section 617.0803, Florida Statutes, requires that the board of directors never have fewer than three directors.

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.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of this corporation shall be: It Takes More Than A Village, Inc.

ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The corporation's registered office is located at:

109 Sherwood Drive * Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411

ARTICLE III: DURATION

The period of existence of this corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE IV: PURPOSE

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that also qualify as Section 501(c)(3) exempt organizations. To this end, the corporation shall provide assistance for after school programs, academic preparedness, summer camp participation, awareness of and exposure to cultural activities and spiritual support and guidance. All funds, whether income or principal, and whether acquired by gift or contribution or otherwise, shall be devoted to said purposes.

ARTICLE V: LIMITATIONS

At all times the following shall operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the corporation:

- 1. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to any member of the corporation not qualifying as exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, nor to any Director or officer of the corporation, nor to any other private persons, excepting solely such reasonable compensation that the corporation shall pay for services actually rendered to the corporation, or allowed by the corporation as a reasonable allowance for authorized expenditures incurred on behalf of the corporation;
- 2. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall constitute the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, or any initiative or referendum before the public, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including by publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office; and
- 3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended.
- 4. The corporation shall not lend any of its assets to any officer or director of this corporation or guarantee to any person the payment of a loan by an officer or director of this corporation.

ARTICLE VI: DIRECTORS/MEMBERS

The manner of election of Directors, their terms of office and other provisions will be duly set forth in the Bylaws of the corporation.

The corporation shall have **no voting members**. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of a Board of Directors, whose operations in governing the corporation shall be defined by statute and by the corporation's by-laws. No Director shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation.

ARTICLE VII: NAMES OF DIRECTORS

The corporation's first Board of Directors shall be comprised of the following natural persons:

Marcus Guillory Lea Jefferson Elizabeth Thomas Erica Brown

ARTICLE VIII: DEBT OBLIGATIONS AND PERSONAL LIABILITY

No member, officer or Director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the members, officers or Directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

ARTICLE IX: DISSOLUTION

Upon the time of dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed by the Board of Directors, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all debts, obligations, liabilities, costs and expenses of the corporation, for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

ARTICLE X: REGISTERED AGENT

The Registered Agent for the corporation is:

Miriam Guillory
109 Sherwood Drive * Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411

ARTICLE XI: INCORPORATOR

The incorporator of this corporation is:

Jo Ann Rose

141 Granada Street * Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411

Incorporator

signature/date

Registered Agent

signature/date

IT TAKES MORE THAN A VILLAGE

Miriam Guillory 109 Sherwood Drive Royal Palm Beach, Fl 33411

I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as Registered Agent for <u>IT TAKES MORE THAN</u>

A VILLAGE, INC.

Registered Agent Signature/date

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