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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

of

# GULFCOAST CHRISTIAN CENTER, INCORPORATED



We, the undersigned persons of the State of Florida, each being competent to contract, hereby form ourselves and our successors into a corporation not for profit under the Laws of the State of Florida, and do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation shall be Gulfcoast Christian Center, Incorporated

# **ARTICLE II**

The principal place of business shall be located at 10412 Soaring Eagle Drive, in Hillsborough County, Florida.

#### **ARTICLE III**

#### Purpose

The general nature, object and purpose of this corporation is as follows:

- A. To establish and maintain a place for the worship of Almighty God, our Heavenly Father; to provide for Christian fellowship for those of like precious faith, where the Holy Ghost may be honored according to our distinctive testimony; to assume our share of responsibility and the privilege of propagating the gospel of Jesus Christ by all available means, both at home and abroad.
- B. To perpetuate, promulgate, and support the doctrines of the General Council of the Assemblies of God, and it, and all its property, both real and personal, shall be subject to the laws, usage and ministerial appointments of the General Council of the Assemblies of God, Springfield, Missouri, and the Peninsular Florida District Council, Lakeland, Florida, as are now or shall be from time to time established, made, and declared by the lawful authority of the said councils.
- C. The corporation shall have the power to acquire and hold title in fee simple, in trust, or otherwise, to both real and personal property, and to improve, encumber, sell, convey, and dispose of all such property in conformity with the By-Laws of said corporation, and each and every power and right granted to Corporations Not for Profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

# ARTICLE IV

# Membership

The members of the corporation shall be all members in good standing at any given time of the Gulfcoast Christian Center, Inc. Provided, however, neither the incorporators nor the members of the corporation shall have any vested right, interest or privilege of, in or to the assets, functions, affairs or franchises of this corporation, or any right, interest or privilege which may be inheritable, or which shall continue after his membership ceases in the forenamed corporation.

# ARTICLE V

#### Term

This corporation shall exist perpetually or until dissolved by due process of law. Should this corporation cease to exist as a legal entity and its charter be terminated, title to all its property automatically shall become vested in the Peninsular Florida District Council of the Assemblies of God, Inc., of Lakeland, Florida in the same manner as it holds title to any other property.

# ARTICLE VI

#### Subscribers

The names and places of residence of the original incorporators and subscribers to these Articles are as follows:

Jeremy Slay 10412 Soaring Eagle Drive

Riverview, Florida 33569

Ruth Slay 10412 Soaring Eagle Drive

Riverview, Florida 33569

Billy Brummitt 710 S. Kings Ave.

Brandon, Florida 33511

#### ARTICLE VII

#### Officers

The officers who are to manage the affairs of this corporation shall be as follows: A president, a vice-president, and a secretary, which three officers shall be the trustees of the corporation, and such other officers as shall be provided for in the bylaws, all of whom shall constitute and be the official board of directors. They shall be elected from time to time in accordance with the bylaws, and each shall hold office until his successor is elected and qualified. The president shall sign and the secretary shall attest all legal contracts authorized by the members of this corporation and the laws of the State of Florida.

# ARTICLE VIII

#### First Officers

The names of the officers who are to manage the affairs of this corporation, and the office which they will respectively hold until their successors are elected and qualified, and are as follows:

Jeremy Slay 10412 Soaring Eagle Drive

Riverview, Florida 33569

Ruth Slay 10412 Soaring Eagle Drive

Riverview, Florida 33569

Billy Brummitt 710 S. Kings Ave.

Brandon, Florida 33511

Each of these is a member of the board of directors.

#### ARTICLE IX

By-Laws

The bylaws of this corporation are to be made, altered or rescinded by a majority of the qualified members present and voting at any properly called business meeting of the corporation.

#### ARTICLE X

#### Amendment

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every Amendment must first be approved by the official board of directors, then approved at a duly constituted meeting of the member by a majority of those entitled to vote thereon.

#### **ARTICLE XI**

The registered agent is Jeremy Slay, who is a resident of the state of Florida and a director of the corporation, and the address of its initial registered office is 10412 Soaring Eagle Drive, which is physically located in the county of Hillsborough.

# **ARTICLE VII**

The name and address, including street and number, of the incorporator is:

Jeremy Slay 10412 Soaring Eagle Drive Riverview, Florida 33569

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.

Ruth Slay

Billy Brummitt

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

Before me, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared Jeremy Slay, Ruth Slay, and Billy Brummitt, to me known and known to be the persons described in and who executed the fore-going Articles of Incorporation, and they acknowledged before me that they executed the same freely and voluntarily for the uses and purposes therein stated.

WIT JESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this

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PEGGY S. BRUMMITT

MY COMMISSION # CC 949151

EXPIRES: June 25, 2004

Bonded Thru Nolary Public Underwriters

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