Electronic Articles of Incorporation For

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FIRST STOP COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Florida not-forprofit corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

Article I

The name of the corporation is:

FIRST STOP COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Article II

The principal place of business address:

927 W. MAIN STREET AVON PARK, FL. US 33825

The mailing address of the corporation is:

927 W. MAIN STREET AVON PARK, FL. US 33825

Article III

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

A COMPREHENSIVE VEHICLE DESIGNED TO MAXIMIZE OPPORTUNITIES THAT RAISE THE ECONOMIC, EDUCATIONAL, CULTURAL AND HEALTH INDEXES OF THE GEOGRAPHICAL AREAS SERVED, ALL IN A MANNER CONSISTENT WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 501(C)(3).

Article IV

The manner is which directors are elected or appointed is:

BOARD MEMBERS SHALL BE ELECTED BY A MAJORITY VOTE.

Article V

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

LORETTA D BATES 927 W. MAIN STREET AVON PARK, FL. 33825 I certify that I am familiar with and accept the responsibilities of registered agent.

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Registered Agent Signature: LORETTA D. BATES

Article VI

The name and address of the incorporator is:

LOUIS E. BATES SR. 927 W. MAIN STREET AVON PARK, FLORIDA 33825

Incorporator Signature: LOUIS E. BATES SR

Article VII

The initial officer(s) and/or director(s) of the corporation is/are:

Title: D ROBERT SPENCER 878 S. JEAN AVENUE AVON PARK, FL. 33825 US

Title: D WILLIAM SAYLES 740 MUSTANG AVENUE LAKE PLACID, FL. 33852 US

Title: D WALTER COLEY 2416 W. HAMPTON ROAD AVON PARK, FL. 33825 US

Title: D ALFONZO BOATWRIGHT 1216 CAROLINA AVENUE AVON PARK, FL. 33825 US

Title: D HERBERT MURPHY 4521 LEUCADENDRA DRIVE SEBRING, FL. 33871 US

Article VIII

The effective date for this corporation shall be:

01/10/2003