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October 3, 2003

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

Re: PUTNAM COUNTY COMMUNITY BAND, INC.

Gentlemen and Ladies:

I am enclosing an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation and Designation of Registered Agent of PUTNAM COUNTY COMMUNITY BAND, INC., a Florida corporation not for profit. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$78.75 as payment for the following amounts:

\$35.00 - Filing Fee 8.75 - Certified Copy 35.00 - Resident Agent Designation

I would appreciate your returning the certified copy to me at your earliest convenience. Thank you for handling this.

Sincerely,
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Leonard Alterman

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

#### OF PUTNAM COUNTY COMMUNITY BAND, INC.

The undersigned natural persons, for the purpose of organizing and incorporating a Florida not for profit corporation adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation.

### ARTICLE I

The name of this Corporation is PUTNAM COUNTY COMMUNITY BAND, INC.

#### ARTICLE II

This is a non-profit corporation organized solely for general charitable purposes pursuant to Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act.

# ARTICLE III

The specific and primary purposes for which this Corporation is formed are to promote the enjoyment of music, to engage in playing an performing instrumental music and to provide an opportunity for its members to further their musical education and playing ability, to perform music publicly for the enhancement of the community and to promote music appreciation.

The general purposes for which this Corporation is formed are to operate exclusively for such charitable and educational purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations qualifying as tax-exempt organizations under that Code.

This Corporation shall not, as a substantial part of its activities, carry out propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation; nor shall it participate or intervene by publication or distribution of any statements or otherwise in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

#### ARTICLE IV

The property of this Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to the charitable purposes set forth herein and no part of the net income or assets of this Corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any Director, Officer, or Member thereof, or to the benefit of any private individual.

#### ARTICLE V

The street address of the principal office of the Corporation is c/o Leonard Alterman, 9116 Cypress Green Drive, Suite 207, Jacksonville, Florida 32256.

The name of the Registered Agent for service of process of that office shall be Leonard Alterman.

#### ARTICLE VI

The powers of this Corporation shall be exercised, its property controlled, and its affairs conducted by a Board of Directors. The Directors named in Article VI shall hold office until the first meeting of the Directors. There shall be at least (3) Directors constituting the Board of Directors who shall be elected as provided in the bylaws of the corporation. The names and addresses of each person who is to serve as a member of the initial board of directors are:

- (1) Leonard Alterman 9116 Cypress Green Drive, Suite 207 Jacksonville, Florida 32256
- (2) David Vezzetti 940 South Moody Road Palatka, Florida 32178
- (3) Ethel Donaldson Parnell 4110 Crill Avenue Palatka, Florida 32177
- (4) Corbin Armstrong 2419 Crill Avenue Palatka, Florida 32178

#### ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the Incorporator of this Corporation is as follows:

Leonard Alterman 9116 Cypress Green Drive, Suite 207 Jacksonville, Florida 32256

#### ARTICLE VIII

Upon the dissolution or winding up of this Corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the Corporation, shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation, or Corporation organized and operated exclusively for a charitable purpose which has established its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax law.

#### ARTICLE IX

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by amendment approved by a majority vote of the Directors of this Corporation at any meeting of the Directors of the Corporation.

#### ARTICLE X

The Corporation shall not engage in any activities which would disqualify it as a tax exempt organization under the United States Internal Revenue Code.

#### ARTICLE XI

The Corporation shall have all powers granted corporations not-for-profit under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes as the same may be amended from time to time. In addition, the Board of Directors may grant such further powers to the Corporation as it may deem appropriate in the Corporation's Bylaws or otherwise as long as such powers are not in conflict with any applicable law. However, despite anything herein to the contrary, the Corporation shall exercise only such powers and conduct only such activities as are in furtherance of one or more of the exempt purposes of organizations set forth in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code as that section may from time to time be amended.

# ARTICLE XII

The Board of Directors may from time to time establish provisions for memberships in the Corporation separate from the Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE XIII

It is the policy of this corporation not to discriminate on any basis prohibited by law in admitting members or in any other manner.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the incorporators of the Corporation, have caused these Articles of Incorporation to be signed this 3rd day

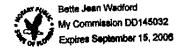
of October, 2003.

Leonard Alterman, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA )

SS:
COUNTY OF DUVAL )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by Leonard Alterman this 3rd day of October, 2003 who \_\_\_\_\_ produced as identification \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_ who is personally known to me and who did not take an oath.



Notary Public
State of Florida at Large
My Commission expires:

#### ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

I, Leonard Alterman, hereby acknowledge that I am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as registered agent for the above named corporation.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 2003.

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