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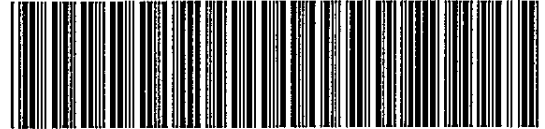
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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
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SUBJECT: HILLSBOROUGH ADVOCATES FOR IMPROVED  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)  
TRANSIT

Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for:

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FROM: GLORIA MILLS  
Name (Printed or typed)

4123 Henderson Blvd  
Address

Tampa, FL 33629  
City, State & Zip

(813) 281-2123  
Daytime Telephone number

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Glenda E. Hood  
Secretary of State

October 9, 2003

GLORIA MILLS  
4123 HENDERSON BLVD.  
TAMPA, FL 33629

SUBJECT: HILLSBOROUGH ADVOCATES FOR IMPROVED TRANSIT  
Ref. Number: W03000029227

We have received your document for HILLSBOROUGH ADVOCATES FOR IMPROVED TRANSIT. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

The name of the corporation must contain a corporate suffix. This suffix may be: CORPORATION, CORP., INCORPORATED, or INC. Sections 617.0401(1)(a) and 617.1506(1), Florida Statutes, prohibits the use of the word COMPANY or CO. in the name of a non-profit corporation.

An effective date may be added to the Articles of Incorporation if a 2004 date is needed, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.

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) 245-6934.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
HILLSBOROUGH ADVOCATES FOR IMPROVED TRANSIT, INC.  
(A CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT)  
4123 Henderson Blvd  
Tampa, FL 33629

WE, undersigned being desirous of forming a corporation for religious, charitable and philanthropic purposes, under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes do hereby adhere to the following:

ARTICLE ONE

The name of this corporation shall be HILLSBOROUGH ADVOCATES FOR IMPROVED TRANSIT, INC. (A CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT).

ARTICLE TWO

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be 4123 Henderson Blvd, Tampa, FL 33629.

ARTICLE THREE

"This corporation is organized exclusively for educational purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code."

"Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation contributions to which the deductible under 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law)."

"Upon winding up and dissolution of this corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts and obligations of the corporation, the remaining assets shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, and or scientific purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code."

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#### ARTICLE FOUR

Directors are elected or appointed after an interview for a term of one (1) year.

#### ARTICLE FIVE

The names and addresses of the three Directors/Officers are:

Gloria Mills  
4608 W Longfellow  
Tampa, FL 33629

Ted Hull  
607 S Albany  
Tampa, FL 33606

Pierre Mathurin  
3409 W Caracus  
Tampa, FL 33614

#### ARTICLE SIX

The street address of the initial registered office and the name of the initial Registered Agent of this corporation shall be:

Gloria Mills  
4123 Henderson Blvd  
Tampa, FL 33629

  
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Gloria Mills, Registered Agent

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ARTICLE SEVEN

The name and address of the incorporator executing these Articles of Incorporation is:

Gloria J Mills  
4123 Henderson Blvd  
Tampa, FL 33629

In witness whereof, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation  
this 10th day of October, 2002.

  
Gloria J Mills, Incorporator

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