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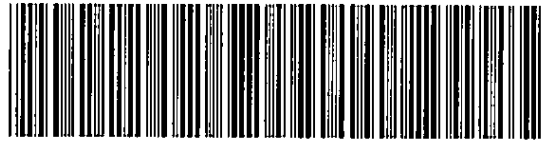
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

January 31, 2019

MARY ANNE NEWMAN  
3496 RED OAK CIRCLE E  
ORANGE PARK, FL 32073

SUBJECT: ASSOCIATES OF VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA FLORIDA  
ASSOCIATION INC.  
Ref. Number: N04000003066

We have received your document for ASSOCIATES OF VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA FLORIDA ASSOCIATION INC. and your check(s) totaling \$52.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The document you submitted has been prepared pursuant to profit statutes (chapter 607, Florida Statutes). As the entity was originally filed as a nonprofit corporation, this document should be filed pursuant to chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

We are enclosing the proper form(s) with instructions for your convenience.

Please return 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) 245-6050.

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TO: Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations

NAME OF CORPORATION: Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America Florida Association, Inc

DOCUMENT NUMBER: N 04000003066

The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

MARY Anne Newman

(Name of Contact Person)

Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America Florida Association, Inc.

(Firm/ Company)

3496 Red Oak Circle East

(Address)

Orange Park, FL 32073

(City/ State and Zip Code)

Newmanmaryanne@yahoo.com

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Mary Anne Newman

(Name of Contact Person)

at 904 591-4544

(Area Code) (Daytime Telephone Number)

Enclosed is a check for the following amount made payable to the Florida Department of State:

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Mailing Address

Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations  
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Tallahassee, FL 32314

Street Address

Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations  
Clifton Building  
2661 Executive Center Circle  
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Articles of Amendment  
to  
Articles of Incorporation  
of

Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America Florida Association, Inc.  
(Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State)

NO 4 000003066

(Document Number of Corporation (if known))

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this *Florida Not For Profit Corporation* adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporation:

The new name must be distinguishable and contain the word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the abbreviation "Corp." or "Inc." "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name.

B. Enter new principal office address, if applicable:

(Principal office address MUST BE A STREET ADDRESS)

3496 Red Oak Circle East  
Orange Park, FL 32073

C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable:

(Mailing address MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX)

P.O. Box 626  
Orange Park, FL 32067-0626

D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered office address in Florida, enter the name of the new registered agent and/or the new registered office address:

Name of New Registered Agent:

Mary Anne Newman

3496 Red Oak Circle East

(Florida street address)

New Registered Office Address:

Orange Park  
(City)

Florida

32073

(Zip Code)

New Registered Agent's Signature, if changing Registered Agent:

I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of the position.

Mary Anne Newman  
Signature of New Registered Agent, if changing

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If amending the Officers and/or Directors, enter the title and name of each officer/director being removed and title, name, and address of each Officer and/or Director being added:

(Attach additional sheets, if necessary)

Please note the officer/director title by the first letter of the office title:

P = President; V = Vice President; T = Treasurer; S = Secretary; D = Director; TR = Trustee; C = Chairman or Clerk; CEO = Chief Executive Officer; CFO = Chief Financial Officer. If an officer/director holds more than one title, list the first letter of each office held. President, Treasurer, Director would be PTD.

Changes should be noted in the following manner. Currently John Doe is listed as the PST and Mike Jones is listed as the V. There is a change, Mike Jones leaves the corporation, Sally Smith is named the V and S. These should be noted as John Doe, PT as a Change, Mike Jones, V as Remove, and Sally Smith, SV as an Add.

Example:

☒ Change      PT      John Doe

☒ Remove      V      Mike Jones

☒ Add      SV      Sally Smith

Type of Action (Check One)	Title	Name	Address
1) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	P	Suzanne Blohm-Weber	158 A Fenimore lane Palm Coast FL 32137
2) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	V	Rose Ledford	524 NW 6 <sup>th</sup> Terrace Cape Coral FL 33993
3) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	S	Connie Nieciecki	2217 E Callaway Heights Panama City FL 32404
4) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	T	Mary Yeomans	9792 Old Federal Rd Gainesville FL 32601
5) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	P	Mary Anne Newman	3496 Red Oak Cir E Orange Park FL 32063
6) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	V	Joy Klein	12690 Headwater Cir Wellington FL 33414

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Type of Action  
(Check One)

Title

Name

Address

1) ☐ Change

S

Mary Brown

96468 Starfish Dr  
Yulee FL 32097

☒ Add

☐ Remove

2) ☐ Change

T

Kim Biddle

2331 Minorcan Way  
M. daleburg FL 32068

☒ Add

☐ Remove

3) ☐ Change

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E. If amending or adding additional Articles, enter change(s) here:  
(attach additional sheets, if necessary). (Be specific)

See attached documents - Amended Articles  
of Incorporation

## **Purposes:**

The Corporation is organized and will be operated exclusively for one or more of the following purposes:

1. The Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America, Florida Association, is organized for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations described under section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future tax code. The primary mission of the Corporation is to support our Veterans of all generations and our communities by providing education and scientific research information of serious concerns to veterans, their families and the community.
  - a. To help foster, encourage, and promote the improvement of the condition of the Vietnam-era veteran, their families, and other generations of veterans;
  - b. To promote physical and cultural improvement, growth and development, self-respect, self-confidence, and usefulness of all veterans, their families, and our community;
  - c. To eliminate discrimination experienced by Vietnam-era veterans, their families, and other generations of Veterans, to develop channels of communication which will assist veterans, their families, and others, and to maximize self-realization and enrichment of their lives and enhance life fulfillment;
  - d. To study, on a non-partisan basis, proposed legislation, rules, or regulations introduced in any federal, state or local legislative or administrative body, which may affect the social, economic, educational, or physical welfare of the Vietnam-era veterans, their families, or other generations of veterans, and on a very limited basis encourage people to help improve the quality of life of the Vietnam-era veteran, their families, and other generations of veterans especially in the areas of employment, education, training, and health;
  - e. To conduct and publish scientific and educational research on a non-partisan basis, pertaining to the relationship between Vietnam-era



veterans and the American society, the Vietnam War experience, the role of the United States in securing peaceful co-existence for the world community, and other matters which affect the social, economic, educational, or physical welfare of the Vietnam-era veteran, their families, or other generations of veterans;

- f. To assist disabled and needy veterans including their dependents, and the widows and orphans of deceased veterans. In furtherance of the corporate purposes, the Corporation shall have all the general rights and powers conferred upon nonprofit corporations by the Associates of the Vietnam Veterans of America Florida Association Corporation Act as now in effect or as may hereafter be amended, including, but without limitation, the rights and powers to receive gifts, devises, bequests and contributions in any form, and to use, apply, invest and reinvest, the principal or income there from or to distribute the same for the above purposes;
- g. The corporation will at no time participate in any lobbying or substantial legislative activity except on a limited basis to inform its members of pending legislation so that as individual citizens they may contact their state or local legislators.

2. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation, nor will the Corporation carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax as an organization described in section 501(c)(3) of the Code contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(3) of the Code.

**Dissolution clause:** Upon the dissolution of the corporation, all liabilities of the corporation shall first be paid, after which assets shall be distributed 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. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are exempt from such taxes as are imposed on the

**Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America Florida Association, Inc.**



P. O. Box 626  
Orange Park, FL. 32067-0626

December 1, 2018

Subject: Group Exemption under Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc. IRC 501 (c) 3.

The Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America Florida Association, Inc. agrees to abide by the Articles of Incorporation and By Laws of the National Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America, 8719 Colesville Rd., Silver Spring MD 20910. We further agree to fall under the supervision of the National Corporation, abide by their policies and procedures as well as their disciplinary policies in existence now and in the future.

Signed this first day of December 1, 2018.

Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America Florida Association, Inc.

Mary Anne Newman

AVVA Florida Association President

P. O. Box 626

Orange Park, FL. 32066-0626

904-591-4544

The date of each amendment(s) adoption: \_\_\_\_\_, if other than the date this document was signed.

Effective date if applicable: December 1, 2018  
(no more than 90 days after amendment file date)

**Note:** If the date inserted in this block does not meet the applicable statutory filing requirements, this date will not be listed as the document's effective date on the Department of State's records.

Adoption of Amendment(s) (CHECK ONE)

- ☐ The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment(s) was/were sufficient for approval.
- ☒ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors.

Dated December 1, 2018

Signature Mary Anne Newman  
(By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator - if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)

MARY Anne Newman  
(Typed or printed name of person signing)

President  
(Title of person signing)