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May 25, 2004

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

Re: Articles of incorporation of Wildwood Educational & Recreational Outreach Center

Dear Secretary of State:

Enclosed for filing are the original and one copy of the articles of incorporation of Wildwood Educational & Recreational Outreach Center. I have also enclosed my firm's check in the amount of \$78.75 for the filing fee and a certified copy of the articles of incorporation. A self-addressed, stamped envelope for return of the certified copy is enclosed for your use.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Respectfully yours

Jerri A) Blair

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Enclosures

cc: Pamela Bivins

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF WILDWOOD EDUCATIONAL & RECREATIONAL OUTREACH CENTER TIME.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida-not-for-Profit Corporation Act, do hereby certify:

ARTICLE I. NAME.

The name of the corporation shall be Wildwood Educational & Recreational Outreach Center Inc.

ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE,

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue, Wildwood, FL 34785.

ARTICLE III. DURATION.

The term of existence of the corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE IV. PURPOSES.

The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. These purposes may include the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE V. ACTIVITIES.

Activities of the corporation shall be limited to those activities allowable by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law. These activities, consistent and conforming with its stated purposes, shall include:

- 1. Provision of educational preschool and after-school services to children.
- 2. Counseling and training for employment skills for children and adults.
- 3. Effective parenting classes.
- 4. Reading improvement classes for children.
- 5. Transportation services.

The corporation shall have the powers to act, independently or in cooperation with others, either directly or indirectly, in any and all lawful acts for the furtherance of any or all of the purposes for which the corporation is formed. The corporation may aid or assist other organizations whose activities are such as to further, accomplish, foster, or attain any of such purposes.

ARTICLE VI. PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES.

- 1. This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes, and for the purpose of prevention of cruelty to children, and has not been formed for pecuniary profit or financial gain. No part of the assets, income, or profit of the corporation is distributable to, or incres the benefit of, its directors or officers except to the extent permitted under the Florida not-for-profit Corporation Act.
- 2. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this 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.
- 3. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE VII. MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

Directors of this corporation shall be elected and maintained in a manner consistent with the bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE VII. MEMBERSHIP.

The corporation shall not have or issue stock and shall have no members.

ARTICLE IX. DISSOLUTION.

Upon dissolution of the corporation, 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. Any such assets not so disposed shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of Sumter County, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization(s) as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE X. REGISTERED AGENT.

The name of the registered agent is: James Haugabrook, Jr. 2821 C.R. 238 Wildwood, FL 34785

ARTICLE XI. INCORPORATOR.

The name and address of the incorporator to these articles of incorporation is:

James Haugabrook, Jr. 2821 C.R. 238 Wildwood, FL 34785

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ARTICLE XII. INITIAL DIRECTORS.

The initial directors of the corporation shall be:

Name	<u>Office</u>	Address
Joseph Foster	Vice President	6981 C.R. 219 Wildwood, FL 34785
Cheryl Latimer	Secretary	604 Oak Street Wildwood, FL 34785
Gwen Lewis-Lyals	Treasurer	15449 S.W. 34 th Court Ocala, FL 34473

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Signature of Registered Agent

Date

Signature of Incorporator

Signature of Authorized Officer

Date

Date