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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
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SUBJECT: Rebuild Polk After Disaster, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Lynda R. Mack
Name (Printed or typed)

331 S. Florida Ave, Suite 400
Address

Lakeland, FL 33801-4626
City, State & Zip

863-603-4831
Daytime Telephone number

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
For
Rebuild Polk After Disaster, Inc.
(A Corporation Not for Profit)

The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt the following articles of incorporation for such corporation.

ARTICLE I
Name

The name of the corporation shall be Rebuild Polk After Disaster, Inc., hereinafter known as RPAD.

ARTICLE II
Principal Office

The initial principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation shall be 5759 Lake Victoria Drive, Lakeland, FL 33813-4709.

ARTICLE III
Purpose

The purpose for which this corporation is organized shall be to operate exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3), including but not limited to improvement of the condition of the poor, the underprivileged and the victims of discrimination and alienation.

ARTICLE IV
Duration/Membership

The corporation shall have perpetual existence unless dissolved according to law. The qualification for members, if any, and the manner of their admission are provided for in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE V
Manner of Election

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed are provided for in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE VI
Initial Registered Agent and Registered Office

The initial registered agent for this corporation shall be Lynda R. Mack and the initial registered office of the registered agent shall be located at 331 S. Florida Ave., Suite 400, Lakeland, FL 33801-4626.

ARTICLE VII
Prohibition against Issuance of Stock
& Distribution of Income

This corporation shall never have or issue any stock, nor shall this corporation distribute any part of its income to its members, directors, or officers. Nothing herein, however, shall be construed to prohibit the payment by the corporation of compensation in a reasonable amount to the members, directors, or officers for services rendered, nor shall anything herein be construed to prohibit the corporation from making any payments or contributions of benefits and monies as permitted by Section 617.011, Florida Statutes. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as it is currently and shall hereafter be in force and effect.

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ARTICLE VIII
Disposition of Assets

Upon dissolution of this corporation, the remaining assets of the corporation shall be transferred to one or more corporations, societies, or organizations engaged in activities substantially similar to those of this corporation, and as shall at the time qualify as exempt organizations under Sections 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Code or Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine.

ARTICLE IX
Incorporators

The name and address of the Incorporators are:

Stew Gaylord
445 Durrell Circle, SE
Winter Haven, FL 33884

Cedric Cox
114 Seville Rd.
Auburndale, FL 33823

Alice Ray-Overstreet
5759 Lake Victoria Drive
Lakeland, FL 33813-4709

Lynda R. Mack
844 Glendale Street
Lakeland, FL 33803

Dated the 26th day of January, 2005.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the incorporators of this corporation, have executed these Articles of Incorporation.

Signature of Incorporators

Stew Gaylord
Stew Gaylord

Cedric H. Cox
Cedric Cox

Alice Ray-Overstreet
Alice Ray-Overstreet

Lynda R. Mack
Lynda R. Mack

ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have accepted the designation as Registered Agent for Rebuild Polk After Disaster, Inc. and agree to serve as its agent to accept service of process within this State at its Registered Office.

Lynda R. Mack
Lynda R. Mack

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF POLK

Before me, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared Stew Gaylord, Cedric Cox, Alice Ray-Overstreet, and Lynda R. Mack, to me known to be the identical individuals described herein and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation of Rebuild Polk After Disaster, Inc. and they acknowledged before me, according to law, that they signed and executed the same for the purposes set forth therein. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 20th day of January, 2005.

Sandra M. Honeycutt
Notary Public, State of Florida

My commission expires:



Sandra M. Honeycutt
MY COMMISSION # DD255402 EXPIRES
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