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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

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

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Glenda E. Hood Secretary of State

January 28, 2005

FRANK IRBY 1385 SE 23 ST OKEECHOBEE, FL 34974

SUBJECT: REBUILDING OKEECHOBEE AFTER DISASTER

Ref. Number: W05000004748

We have received your document for REBUILDING OKEECHOBEE AFTER DISASTER and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Complete one of the forms enclosed. Keep the bylaws, they are not filed with this office. If you have questions, don't hesitate to call for help.

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.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

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ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: Rebuilding Okeechobee After Disaster, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPLE OFFICE

The principle place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 425 SW 28th Street, Okeechobee, FL 34974

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

To establish and maintain a network within and on behalf of the faith based communities and secular agencies which will provide a coordinated response to emergencies and disasters.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The directors will be elected from the members of the corporation. The directors shall be elected for two year terms of office and are eligible for as many successive terms as the corporate membership deems appropriate.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

The name(s), address(es) and title(s):

Chairman/Director Jim Hudson 425 SW 28th St., Okeechobee, FL 34974 Vice Chair/Director Jennifer Busbin 1299 SW 39th Lane, Okeechobee, FL 34974 Secretary/Director Lynn Hooks 9892 HWY 441 SE, Okeechobee, FL 34974 Treasurer/Director Malinda Belleville, 1505 S. Parrott Ave., Okeechobee, FL 34974

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street of the registered agent is: Frank Irby 1385 SE 23rd Street

Okeechobee, FL 34974

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ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator:

Jim Hudson 425 SW 28th St.

Okeechobee, FL 34974

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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

2/4/05 Date