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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State  
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SUBJECT: American Society of Community Services, 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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FROM: Nancy E. Turner  
Name (Printed or typed)

130 South Monroe  
Address

Arcadia, Fla. 34266  
City, State & Zip

863-990-6750  
Daytime Telephone number

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Glenda E. Hood  
Secretary of State

August 12, 2005

NANCY E. TURNER  
130 SOUTH MONROE  
ARCADIA, FL 34266

SUBJECT: AMERICAN SOCIETY OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC.  
Ref. Number: W05000038312

We have received your document for AMERICAN SOCIETY OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

You must list the corporation's principal office and/or a mailing address in the document.

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) 245-6047.

Carolyn Lewis  
Document Specialist  
New Filings Section

Letter Number: 505A00051847

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

*American Society of Community Services, Inc.*

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

*130 S. Monroe Ave. Arcadio, Fl. 34266*

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

**ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS**

List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):

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**ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

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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.*

*Nancy L. Turner*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Registered Agent

*08/09/05*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*Jaqueline W. Tucker*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Incorporator

*08/09/05*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC.**

**I, THE UNDERSIGNED, acting as the incorporator of a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.**

**ARTICLE I NAME**

**The name of the corporation shall be:  
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC.**

**ARTICLE II NATURE OF BUSINESS**

**This is a nonprofit corporation, organized solely for the general educational purposes Pursuant to the Florida corporations not for Profit law set forth in Section 617 of the Florida Statutes.**

**ARTICLE III DURATION**

**The term of existence or the corporation is perpetual.**

**ARTICLE IV GENERAL AND SPECIFIC PURPOSES**

**The specific and primary purposes for which this corporation is formed are:**

- a) For the advancement of education and any other related or corresponding Charitable purposes by the distribution of its funds for such funds in the Community.**
- b) To operate a school, youth camp teaching sports and recreational activities, Which include instructional activities such as: fishing, football, baseball, Cheerleading, rodeo, scouts, baton twirling, marching flags, dancing poise and execution trick roping, and other programs that service the community with youth, aged, disabled, and challenged.**

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- c) To operate exclusively in any manner for such educational purpose as will Qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, or under any corresponding provisions of any corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, covering the distributions to organizations qualified as tax exempt organization under the Internal Revenue Code, including private foundations and private operating foundations.

## **ARTICLE V      MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS**

- a) **Board of Directors.** The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its Properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by a Board of Trustees. The number of Trustees of the corporation shall be three (3), provided , however, that such number may be changed by a bylaw duly adopted by its members.

The Trustees named herein as the first Board of Trustees shall hold office until the first meeting of members, at which time an election of Trustees shall be held.

Trustees elected at the first annual meeting, and at all times thereafter, shall serve for a term of one (1) year until the annual meeting of members following the election of Trustees and until the qualifications of the successors in office. Annual meetings shall be held at 7:00 p.m. on July 27<sup>th</sup> of each year at 130 South Monroe Avenue, Arcadia, Florida, or at such place or places as the Board of Trustees may designate from time to time by resolution.

Any action required or permitted to be taken by the Board of Trustees under any provision of law may be taken without a meeting, if all members of the Board shall individually or collectively consent in writing to such action. Such written consent or consents shall be filed with the minutes of the proceeding of the Board, and any such action by written consent shall have the same force and effect as if taken by unanimous vote of Trustees. Any certificate or other document filed under any provision of law which relates to action so taken shall state that the action was taken by unanimous written consent of the Board of Trustees without a meeting, and that the Articles of Incorporation and by Bylaws of the corporation authorize the Trustees to so act. Such a statement shall be prima facie evidence of such authority.

Profit Law of the State of Florida concerning corporate action that must be authorized or approved by the members of the corporation, Bylaws of this corporation may be made, altered, rescinded, added to, or new Bylaws may be adopted, either by resolution of the Board of Trustees, or by following the procedure set forth therefore in the Bylaws.

The names and address of such initial members of the Board of Trustees are as Follows:

Name	Address
Nancy E. Turner	1278 S.E. Lake Road Arcadia, Florida 34266
Patricia W. Anthony	5400 Riverside Drive #3437 Punta Gorda, Florida 33982

Jacqueline W. Tucker

4816 N.W. County Road 661  
Arcadia, Florida 34266

The term "Trustee" is synonymous with the term "Director" throughout these Articles of Incorporation.

- (b) Corporate Officers. The Board of Trustees shall elect the following officers: President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, and such other officers as the Bylaws of the corporation may authorize be elected at the first annual meeting of the Board of Trustees. Until such election is held, the following persons shall serve as corporate officers:

NAME	ADDRESS
NANCY E. TURNER	1278 S.E. LAKE ROAD ARCADIA, FLORIDA 34266
PATRICIA W. ANTHONY	5400 RIVERSIDE DR. #3437 PUNTA GORDA, FL. 33982
JACQUELINE W. TUCKER	4816 N.W. COUNTY RD. 661 ARCADIA, FLORIDA 34266

## ARTICLE SIX EARNINGS & ACTIVITIES OF CORPORATION

- (a) No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, Be distributable to its members, trustees, officers or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and Distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Four hereof.
- (b) 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 (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- © 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 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law or (b) by a corporation, contributions To which are deductible under Section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.
- (c) 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.

## **ARTICLE SEVEN    DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS**

Under dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Trustees shall, after paying of making provision for the payment of all liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, education, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954(or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law), as the Board of Trustees shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the corporation is located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as such Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

## **ARTICLE EIGHT    MEMBERSHIP**

- (a) The corporation shall have one class of members and no more than one Membership may be held by any one person. The rights and privileges of all members shall be equal. Each member shall be entitled to vote.
- (b) Any person paying the dues provided for by the bylaws and agreeing to be Bound by the Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws of the corporation and By such rules and regulations as the Trustees may from time to time adopt, is eligible for membership.
- (c) A prospective member shall be eligible for membership upon presentation of an Approved application by membership committee for approval and acceptance by the Board of Trustees.

## **ARTICLE NINE    SUBSCRIBERS**

The names and residence addresses of the Subscribers of the corporation are as follows:

NAME	ADDRESS
Nancy E. Turner	1278 S.E. Lake Road Arcadia, Florida 34266
Patricia W. Anthony	5400 Riverside Dr. #3437 Punta Gorda, Fl. 33982
Jacqueline W. Tucker	4816 N.W. County Road 661 Arcadia, Florida 34266

## **ARTICLE TEN            AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS**

Subject to the limitations contained in the Bylaws, and any limitations set forth in the Corporations not for Profit Law of the State of Florida, concerning corporate action that must be authorized or



approved by the members of the corporation, Bylaws of this corporation may be made, altered, rescinded, added to, or new Bylaws may be adopted, either by a resolution of the Board of Trustees, or by following the procedure set forth therefore in the Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE ELEVEN DEDICATION OF ASSETS

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to educational purposes, and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or member thereof, or to the benefit of any private individual.

#### ARTICLE TWELVE REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The address of the corporation's registered office shall be 130 South Monroe, Arcadia, Florida 34266, and the name of the registered agent shall be Nancy E. Turner.

#### ARTICLE THIRTEEN AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

Amendment to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees and presented to a quorum of members for their vote.


*Article Fourteen - Principal Address*

*130 South Monroe Ave. Arcadia, FL 34266*

We, the undersigned, being the subscribers and incorporators of this corporation for the purpose of forming this nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, have executed these Article of Incorporation, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 2005.

  
NANCY E. TURNER SUBSCRIBER

  
PATRICIA W. ANTHONY SUBSCRIBER

  
JACQUELINE W. TUCKER SUBSCRIBER

STATE OF FLORIDA;

COUNTY OF DeSOTO

BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY, PERSONALLY APPEARED NANCY E. TURNER, PATRICIA W. ANTHONY, AND JACQUELINE W. TUCKER, TO ME PERSONALLY KNOWN TO BE THE PERSONS WHO EXECUTED THE FOREGOING ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, AND THEY ACKNOWLEDGED TO AND BEFORE ME THAT THEY EXECUTED SUCH INSTRUMENT.

IN WITNESS HEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND SEAL THIS 1<sup>st</sup> DAY OF August, 2005.

  
NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:

6-17-09

