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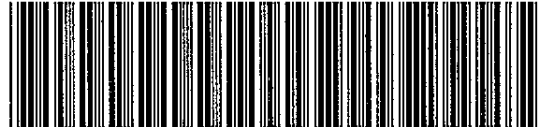
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

SUBJECT: Henry Gordon A.M.E. Church, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☐ \$70.00
Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
Status

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Rev. Sandra Jean Stevens
Name (Printed or typed)

7942 Denham Rd. E
Address

Jacksonville Florida 32208
City, State & Zip

(904) 343-2044
Daytime Telephone number

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

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
HENRY GORDON A.M.E. CHURCH, INC.**

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ARTICLE ONE

The name of the corporation shall be:

Henry Gordon A.M.E. Church, Inc.

ARTICLE TWO

The principal place of business for this corporation shall be:

7951 Dekle Avenue
Jacksonville, FL 32219

ARTICLE THREE

The specific purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The general purpose of this corporation is to foster and encourage religious worship in accordance with the principles of the African Methodist Episcopal Church; that it shall purchase, take, receive, lease take by gift, devise or bequest, or otherwise acquire, own, hold, improve, use, or otherwise deal in and with real or personal property, or any interest therein wherever situated, in trust, for the use and benefit of the African Methodist Episcopal Church. It shall have the right to make conveyance of its property in accordance with the rules of the general body of the African Methodist Episcopal Church and the current edition of "The Doctrine and Discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church"; it being understood that said corporation shall not be required to accept any such donations or gifts not in harmony with the purpose and object of said corporation.

ARTICLE FOUR

The term of existence of the corporation is as follows:

The corporation shall have perpetual existence, unless it becomes in conflict with the laws of the African Methodist Episcopal Church as found in the current edition of "The Doctrine and Discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church" and is dissolved in the manner provided by law. In the event of dissolution of the corporation and after the payment of all debts, and monies or assets remaining shall not inure to benefit of any individual, but shall be held in trust by the Central Florida Annual Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc.

ARTICLE FIVE

The manner in which the Board of Trustees and the Directors shall be appointed is as follows:

The Board of Trustees and Directors shall be appointed in accordance with the current edition of "The Doctrine and Discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church".

ARTICLE SIX

The bylaws that will govern the corporation are as follows:

The Bylaws that will govern this corporation are the laws as are encouched in, "The Doctrine and Discipline of the American Methodist Episcopal Church" and such amendments to said book as is revised and compiled by the General Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc. periodically and thereafter.

ARTICLE SEVEN

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in Section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, unless limited as follows:

The powers and responsibilities of the corporation are limited by the rules and regulations of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc. and the current edition of "The Doctrine and Discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church".

ARTICLE EIGHT

The name and the street address of the initial registered agent is:

Bishop McKinley Young
101 East Union Street, Suite 300
Jacksonville, FL 32202

ARTICLE NINE

The names and addresses of the initial members of the Board of Directors are as follows:

Rev. Sandra J. Stevens, Chairman/Director
7942 Denham Road, East
Jacksonville, FL 32208

Ethel Bouie, Director
1598 West 25th Street
Jacksonville, FL 32209

Perry Gibson, Director
7819 Mattox Avenue
Jacksonville, FL 32219

James Crocket, Director
P.O. Box 26173
Jacksonville, FL 32226

Yolanda Gibson, Director
7819 Mattox Avenue
Jacksonville, FL 32219

Jerome Lucas, Director
1717 West 6th Street
Jacksonville, FL 32209

Beatrice Riley, Director
1018 Bunker Hill Boulevard
Jacksonville, FL 32208

Hattie Lucas, Director
1717 West 6th Street
Jacksonville, FL 32209

The undersigned incorporators have executed these Articles of Incorporation this ____ day of August, 2005.

Rev. Sandra J. Stevens
Rev. Sandra J. Stevens

Perry Gibson
Perry Gibson

James Crockett
James Crockett

Hattie Lucas
Hattie Lucas

Ethel Bouie
Ethel Bouie

Yolanda Gibson
Yolanda Gibson

Jerome Lucas
Jerome Lucas

Beatrice Riley
Beatrice Riley

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.0501 or 617.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered agent, in the State of Florida.

1. The name of the corporation is:

Henry Gordon A.M.E. Church, Inc.
2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is

Bishop McKinley Young
101 East Union Street
Suite 300
Jacksonville, FL 32202

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 provision of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties and I am familiar with and accept the obligation of my position as registered agent.


BISHOP MCKINLEY YOUNG

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