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Department of State  
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SUBJECT: Sumter D.A.R.T. Logistics 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:

Lorri L. Schiller-Holt  
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City, State & Zip

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

**Articles of Incorporation of**

**SUMTER D.A.R.T. LOGISTICS, INC.  
A Florida Not for Profit Corporation**

**ARTICLE I:  
NAME OF CORPORATION**

The name of this corporation is Sumter D.A.R.T. Logistics, Inc.

**ARTICLE II:  
PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS**

The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation is:

720 E. Southland Avenue  
Bushnell, FL 33513

**ARTICLE III:  
PURPOSES**

This is a nonprofit corporation organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code and solely for general charitable and educational purposes pursuant to the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes. The purposes for which this corporation is formed are exclusively charitable and educational, and consist, but are not limited to, the following:

1. To aid, support, and provide logistical support, disaster relief, and disaster assistance to any community; local, city, county, state, federal, and/or any other municipality; charitable organization or any other organization and/or entity, during times of emergencies, disaster, distress, and/or for public service in the public interest within the Southeastern United States or any other location as otherwise approved by the Board of Directors.
2. To do any and all lawful activities which may be necessary, useful, or desirable for the furtherance, accomplishment, fostering, or attaining the foregoing purposes, either directly or indirectly, and either alone or in conjunction or cooperation with others, whether such others be persons or organizations of any kind or nature.

**ARTICLE IV:  
COMMENCEMENT AND DURATION**

The existence of the Corporation will commence on the date of filing of these articles of Incorporation by the Department of State of the State of Florida. The term of existence of the

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Corporation is perpetual.

**ARTICLE V**  
**INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

1. The initial Board of Directors shall consist of three (3) members. The number of directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time as provided in the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three (3). The affairs of the corporation are to be managed by a Board of Directors. The names and addresses who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Ronnie N. Graves  
720 E. Southland Avenue  
Bushnell, FL 33513

Daniel J. Hickey  
720 E. Southland Avenue  
Bushnell, FL 33513

Douglas Holt  
712 Lark Avenue  
Brooksville, FL 34601

2. The Board of Directors shall serve indefinite terms until they resign or are removed as set forth in the Bylaws of the corporation. Any other changes to the Board of Directors shall be governed by the Bylaws of the corporation.

**ARTICLE VI**  
**MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS**

The initial officers of the corporation shall be the President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. The following persons shall serve as corporate officers:

President: Ronnie N. Graves  
Vice-President: Daniel J. Hickey  
Secretary/Treasurer: Lorri L. Schiller-Holt

The corporate offices shall serve indefinite terms until they resign or are removed as set forth in the Bylaws of the corporation. Any changes to the officers of the corporation shall be governed by the Bylaws of the corporation.

**ARTICLE VII**  
**MEMBERSHIP**

The qualifications for members and the manner of their admission shall be regulated by the Bylaws of the corporation.

**ARTICLE VIII**  
**BYLAWS**

The Board of Directors, by majority vote, are authorized to establish Bylaws for the corporation not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation, and to amend same from time to time.

**ARTICLE IX**  
**DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS**

Upon the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

**ARTICLE X**  
**AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES**

Amendments to these articles of incorporation may be proposed by a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors. Amendments may be adopted by the vote of two-thirds of the Board of Directors.

**ARTICLE XI**  
**REGISTERED AGENT**

The name and address of the initial Registered Agent of the Corporation is:

Lorri L. Schiller-Holt  
172 Lark Avenue  
Brooksville, FL 34601

**ARTICLE XII**  
**INITIAL INCORPORATORS**

The name and address of the Incorporators are:

Ronnie N. Graves  
720 E. Southland Avenue  
Bushnell, FL 33513

Daniel J. Hickey  
720 E. Southland Avenue  
Bushnell, FL 33513

Douglas Holt  
172 Lark Avenue  
Brooksville, FL 34601

Lorri L. Schiller-Holt  
172 Lark Avenue  
Brooksville, FL 34601

**ARTICLE XIII**  
**501(c)(3) LIMITATIONS**

1. CORPORATE PURPOSES: Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal and state income tax under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

2. EXCLUSIVITY: The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes.


3. NO PRIVATE INUREMENT: The Corporation is not organized nor shall it be operated for the primary purpose of generating pecuniary gain or profit. The Corporation shall not distribute any gains, profits or dividends to the Directors, Officers, or Members thereof, or to any individual, except as reasonable compensation for services actually performed in carrying out the Corporation's charitable and educational purposes. The property, assets, profits and net income of the Corporation are irrevocably dedicated to charitable and educational purposes no part of which shall inure to the benefit of any individual.

4. LOBBYING AND POLITICAL CAMPAIGNS: No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of 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 any candidate for public office.

We, the undersigned, being the incorporators of this corporation, for the purpose of forming this nonprofit charitable corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida have executed these articles of incorporation on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2005.

  
RONNIE N. GRAVES

  
DANIEL J. HICKEY

  
DOUGLAS HOLT

  
LORRI L. SCHILLER-HOLT

**CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE AS REGISTERED AGENT**

I, **LORRI L. SCHILLER-HOLT**, having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for **SUMTER D.A.R.T. LOGISTICS, INC.**, at the place designated in the Articles of Incorporation, certify I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

**DATED** this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2005.

  
**LORRI L. SCHILLER-HOLT**

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