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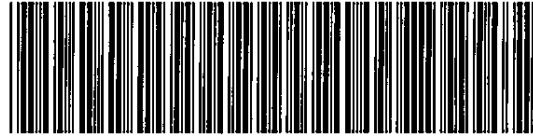
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
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SUBJECT: Marion Lowell Ministries, Inc.

(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
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Filing Fee &
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: John F. Steiner, D.Min.

Name (Printed or typed)

36621 Sundance Drive

Address

Grand Island, FL 32735

City, State & Zip

352-357-3154

Daytime Telephone number

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

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

Article of Incorporation of the undersigned, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of The State of Florida, in compliance with Chapter 617, F.S. do hereby certify:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Marion Lowell Ministries, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

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

Marion Lowell Ministries, Inc.,
C/o Dr. John F. Steiner
36621 Sundance Drive
Grand Island, FL 32735

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ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes. Marion Lowell Ministries, Inc., is a faith-based therapeutic/rehabilitative treatment program. This program is designed initially to provide inmates at the Lowell Correctional Institution, Ocala, Florida, with intensive drug and alcohol rehabilitation, life skills education, and inmate/family reconciliation and restoration. This ministry is conducted on a voluntary participation basis, and is available to all inmates regardless of race, religion, creed, nationality or gender. This ministry may be expanded to other correctional institutions in the future and is not exclusive to Lowell Correctional Institution.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

Initial Directors/Officers are appointed by the Incorporator. The appointed Directors/Officers will determine the rules for establishing election and/or appointment of future directors/officers, and will establish a Constitution and/or Bylaws that expresses those rules.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

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

Dr. John F. Steiner, D. Min., Incorporator, Director
36621 Sundance Drive
Grand Island, FL 32735

Ms. Dora Mae Daniel
P.O. Box 318
Lowell, FL 32663

Ms. Ruth Hassan
6325 Berkshire Pass
Leesburg, FL 34748

Mr. Waymon Johnson
138 E. Washington St.
Hawthorne, FL 32640

ARTICLE VI

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or 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 III hereof. 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 or in opposition to any candidate for public office. 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 VII DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, to the following tax-exempt corporation:

The Florida Baptist Convention
Department of Church and Community Ministries
1230 Hendricks Ave.
Jacksonville, FL 32207

ARTICLE VIII INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

Mrs. Pamela M. Steiner
36621 Sundance Drive
Grand Island, FL 32735

ARTICLE IX INCORPORATOR

The **name and address** of the Incorporator is:

Dr. John F. Steiner
36621 Sundance Drive
Grand Island, FL 32735

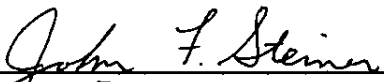
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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.



Signature/Registered Agent

Pamela M. Steiner

11/4/06
Date



Signature/Incorporator

John F. Steiner

11/4/06
Date

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