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SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

SUBJECT: Gainesville Warriors, 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,  
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& Certificate

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**FROM: Robert R. Atwood

Name (Printed or typed)

P. O. Box 141111

Address

Gainesville, Florida 32614

City, State &amp; Zip

352-246-6905

Daytime Telephone number

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



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ROBERT R. ATWOOD  
POST OFFICE BOX 141111  
GAINESVILLE, FL 32614

SUBJECT: GAINESVILLE WARRIORS, INC.  
Ref. Number: W06000047410

We have received your document for GAINESVILLE WARRIORS, 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):

Florida law requires the street address of the principal office and, if different the mailing address of the entity. A post office box is not acceptable for the principal office.

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

An effective date may be added to the Articles of Incorporation if a 2007 date is needed, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.

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) 245-6973.

Claretha Golden  
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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:

Gainesville Warriors, Inc.

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**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

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

3426 NW 43<sup>rd</sup> Street, Suite B  
Gainesville, Florida 32606

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, educational and athletic purposes. The mission of the corporation is to provide young male and female athletes ages 9-17 years old the opportunity to improve their basketball, softball, and baseball skills through preparation, conditioning, and training in fundamentals, while providing opportunities for competitive play at the national and or international levels of amateur competition.

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 this article. 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, 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, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Upon 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, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The Board of Directors, consisting of not fewer than three (3) and not more than seven (7) persons, elected by the Board of Directors, or otherwise in such manner and for such terms not exceeding three (3) years, as the Bylaws may provide.

Each director must possess the qualifications for voting membership in the Corporation.

a) The Board of Directors shall have and exercise all the powers necessary to control the work and policy of the organization in all its details, including the appointment of Standing and Special Committees. No contract, debt or obligation shall be binding unless contracted under authority of the Board.

b) The Board of Directors shall have the power to fill, for the unexpired terms, all vacancies occurring in their number between annual elections. They shall have the authority to make Bylaws for the governance of the organization, not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation.

#### **ARTICLE V BYLAWS**

The first Board of Directors of the corporation shall adopt Bylaws consistent with these Articles of Incorporation. Thereafter, the Bylaws may be altered, amended, or rescinded by the directors in the manner provided by such Bylaws

#### **ARTICLE VI INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS**

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

Robert R. Atwood, 4373 NW 61st Terrace, Gainesville, Florida 32605, President  
Robin D. Atwood, 4373 NW 61st Terrace, Gainesville, Florida 32605, Vice President  
Renee Todd, 8619 NW 10th Place, Gainesville, Florida 32606, Treasurer/ Secretary

#### **ARTICLE VII INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

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

Robert R. Atwood  
4373 NW 61st Terrace  
Gainesville, Florida 32605

#### **ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Robert R. Atwood  
P. O. Box 141111  
Gainesville, Florida 32614

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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

11/10/06  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Incorporator

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