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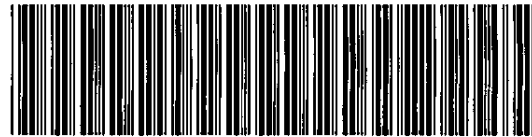
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ARTICLES  
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INCORPORATION

In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not For Profit)

*Article I---- Name:*

*The name of the corporation shall be*

*Greater Faith Tabernacle, Inc.*

*Article II---- Principal Office:*

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

4107 Willow Pond  
Marianna, Florida 32448

*\* Article III----Purpose \**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The purpose for which this organization is formed is exclusively for charitable, education, religious, literary and scientific purposes as described in the non- profit public benefit law within the meaning of 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

To establish and maintain a church and worship center.

To establish and maintain a multicultural arts, education, vocational skills training institute, with a emphasis on job creation, skills training, Theology, wealth creation for low to moderate income individuals, at risk youth, the general public, the needy, and the residents of Jackson, Washington, Holmes, and all surrounding Counties.

To facilitate thru arts and cultural activities, health HIV/AIDS and disease control awareness through workshops, seminars, fairs outreach, and other programs targeted to minority and low income populations.

To exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the state of Florida upon nonprofit corporations, including without limitation the generality of the foregoing, to acquire by donation, contribution, bequest, devise, gift, purchase, lease or otherwise any property of any sort or nature without limitation as to its lease or otherwise any property of any sort or nature without limitation as to its amount or value, and hold, invest, reinvest, manage, use, apply, employ, sell, expend, disburse, lease, mortgage, convey, option, donate, or otherwise dispose of such property and income, principal and proceeds of such property, for any of the purposes set forth herein.

To do such things as are incidental to the purposes of the corporation or desirable to accomplish them.

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, education, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code

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#### **ARTICLE IV- MANNER OF ELECTION**

**The manner in which the directors are appointed:**

**Directors are elected or appointed by majority vote and direct appointment from incorporator/Founder/ chairperson of the board.**

#### **ARTICLE V--- INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS:**

**The name(s), address(es) and title(s):**

**Elder Earl S. Reed  
4107 Willow Pond  
Marianna, Florida 32448  
President/CEO/Chairman of the Board**

**Melody M. Reed  
4107 Willow Pond  
Marianna, Florida 32448  
Secretary**

**Tyrone Ware  
4107 Willow Pond  
Marianna, Florida 32448**

**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 Third 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, 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 tax code (b) by a corporation**

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contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

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

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

Earl S. Reed  
4107 Willow Pond  
Marianna, Florida 32448

**ARTICLE VII----- DISSOLUTION:**

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be disbursed 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.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto  
subscribed our names this 19<sup>th</sup> day  
of Feb 2007.

**ARTICLE VIII \_\_\_\_ INCORPORATOR:**

The name and address of the incorporators are:

Jordan Williams  
Trinity Enterprises/Contracting  
988 Marcy Dr. #10  
Orlando, Florida 32808

**ARTICLE VIII-TERM OF EXISTENCE;**

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

**ARTICLE X- EFFECTIVE DATE:**

These articles of Incorporation shall be effective immediately upon approval of the secretary of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE XI-CAPITAL STOCK;**

This Corporation shall have no capitol stock and shall be composed of members rather than shareholders.

**ARTICLE XII-LIABILITIES FOR DEBTS;**

Neither the members nor the members of the board of Directors of the Corporation shall be liable for the debts of the corporation

**ARTICLE XIII-INDEMNIFICATION;**

The Corporation shall indemnify a director or officer of the Corporation who was wholly successful, on the merits or otherwise, in the defence of any proceeding to which the director or officer was a party because the director the director or officer is or was a director or officer of the Corporation against reasonable attorney fees and expenses incurred by the director or officer of the connection with the proceeding. The corporation may indemnify an individual made a party to a proceeding because the individual is or was a director, officer, employee, or agent of the Corporation against liability if authorized in the specific case after determination, in the manner required by the board of directors, that indemnification of the directors, officer, employee, or agent, as the case may be, is permissible in the circumstances because the director, officer, employee or agent has met the standard of conduct set fourth by the board of directors. The indemnification and advancement of attorney fees and expenses for directors, officers, employees, and agents of the Corporation shall apply when such persons are serving at the Corporation's request while a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee, or agent of another foreign or domestic Corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise, wheather or not for profit, as well as in their official capacity with the corporation. The Corporation may also pay for or inburse the reasonable attorney fee and expenses incurred by a director, officer, employee, or agent of the corporation who is a party of a proceeding in advance of final disposition of the proceeding. the Corporation also may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of an individual arising from the individual's status as a director, officer, employee, or agent of the Corporation, wheather or not the corporation would have power to indemnify the individual against the same liability under the law. All references in these Articles of Incorporation are deemed to include any amendment or successor thereto, nothing contained in these Articles of incorporation shall limit or preclude the exercise of any right relating to indemnification or advance of attorney fees and expences to any person who is or was a director, officer, employee, or agent of the coropoaion or the ability of the corporation otherwise to indemnify or advance expense to any such person by contract or in any other manner. If any

word, clause, or sentence of the forgoing provisions regarding idemnification or advancement of the attorney fees or expences shall be held invalid as contrary to law or public policy, it shall be sever able and the provisions remaining shall not be otherwise affected. All references in these Articles of Incorporation to "director," "officer," "employee," and agent" shall include the heirs, executors, administrators and personal representatives of such persons.

#### ARTICLE XIII-QUALIFICATION OF MEMBERSHIP;

The catagories of membership,qualification,for membership and the manner of admission shall be as set fourth in and regulated B y the Laws of the Corporation.

#### ARTICLE XV-VOTING RIGHTS;

Members of the Corporation will have such voting rights as are provided in the By Laws of the Corporation

#### ARTICLE XVI-AMENDMENT;

These ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION may be amended in the manner provided by Law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board Of directors,proposed by them to the members, and approved at a members meeting by a majority of the members, unless all the directors and all the members sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

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#### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT IN ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

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

02 / 19 / 2007  
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SIGNATURE/INCORPORATOR

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