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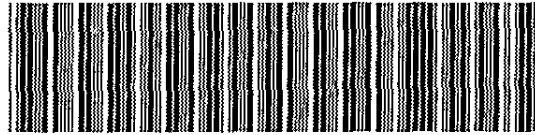
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SUBJECT: Okeechobee Substance Abuse Coalition, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☐ \$70.00
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Michelle Sutton
Name (Printed or typed)

203 SE 2nd Avenue
Address

Okeechobee, FL 34974
City, State & Zip

863-467-3000
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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

OKEECHOBEE SUBSTANCE ABUSE COALITION, Inc.

ARTICLE I

REGISTERED AGENT NAME: JIM VENSEL

THE ASSIGNED REGISTER AGENT IS JIM VENSEL.

I JIM VENSEL ACCEPT THIS DESIGNATION.

2002 S. PARROTT AVE
OKEECHOBEE, FL 34974


JIM VENSEL

The name of this corporation shall be Okeechobee Substance Abuse Coalition, Inc.
located at 1600 SW 2nd Ave. Okeechobee, Florida 34974

ARTICLE II

PURPOSE

This corporation is organized exclusively for educational purposes more specifically to address drug/alcohol abuse focusing on under age drinking. To this end, the corporation shall at all times be operated exclusively for educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, 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 of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended. All funds, whether income or principal, and whether acquired by gift or contribution or otherwise, shall be devoted to said purposes.

ARTICLE III

EXEMPTION REQUIREMENTS

At all times shall the following operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the corporation:

1. The corporation shall not afford pecuniary gain, incidentally or otherwise to its members. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member of the corporation, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporation affecting one or more of its purposes. Such net earnings, if any, of this corporation shall be used to carry out the nonprofit corporate purposes set forth in Article II above.

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2. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall constitute the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence state, county and city legislation, or any initiative or referendum before the public, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including by publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended.

ARTICLE IV

DURATION

The duration of the corporate existence shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE V

MEMBERSHIP/ADVISORY BOARD DIRECTORS

The corporation shall have one or more classes of diversified members, as provided in the corporation's bylaws. The management of the affairs of the corporation shall be vested in an Executive Advisory Board, as defined in the corporation's by-laws. No Director shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation.

The number of Directors constituting the first Executive Advisory Board is 5, their names and addresses being as follows:

Jim Vensel-President of the Advisory Board.
2002 So. Parriott Ave.
Okeechobee, Florida, 34974

George Roberson-Vice President
275 SW 25th St.
Okeechobee, FL. 34974

Shelly McKay, P.A.
207 SW 2nd Ave.
Okeechobee, FL. 34974

P. J. Rader, LCAM, PB—Treasurer/Accountant
1600 SW 2nd Ave.
Okeechobee, FL. 34974

**Mary Johns-Secretary
1025 Billy Joe's Way
Okeechobee, FL. 34974**

Members of the first Executive Advisory Board shall serve until the first annual meeting, at which they may be re-elected or successors are duly elected and qualified, or removed as provided in the by-laws.

ARTICLE VI

PERSONAL LIABILITY

No (member) officer or Director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the (members) officers or Directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

ARTICLE VII

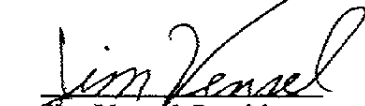
DISSOLUTION

At the time of dissolution of the corporation, the Executive Advisory Board Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all debts, obligations, liabilities, costs and expenses of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation. In no case, shall disposition be made, which would not qualify as a educational contribution under Section 170(c)(1) or (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, in such manner as the Executive Advisory Board Directors shall determine.

ARTICLE VIII

INCORPORATOR(S)

The incorporators(s) of this corporation is/are:


Jim Vensel-President


Date: 4-12-07


George Roberson-Vice-President

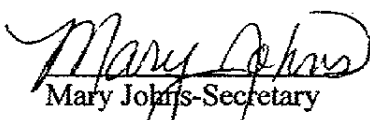
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Date: 4/13/07


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Date: 4/16/7


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Date: 4/13/07

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