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TO: Amendment Section
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NAME OF CORPORATION: VIKING MUSIC PATRONS ASSOCIATION, INC.

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The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

EMELY THOEN-RIVERO
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(Firm/ Company)

11021 SW 124 STREET
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MIAMI, FL 33176
(City/ State and Zip Code)

arvidavmpa@gmail.com
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For further information concerning this matter, please call:

EMELY THOEN-RIVERO at (305) 215-7133
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Enclosed is a check for the following amount made payable to the Florida Department of State:

- ☒ $35 Filing Fee
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Articles of Amendment
to
Articles of Incorporation
of

VIKING MUSIC PATRONS ASSOCIATION, INC.
(Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State)

N07000009688
(Document Number of Corporation (if known))

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this ***Florida Not For Profit Corporation*** adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporation:

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The new name must be distinguishable and contain the word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the abbreviation "Corp." or " Inc." "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name.

B. Enter new principal office address, if applicable: _______________________
(Principal office address MUST BE A STREET ADDRESS)
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C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable: _______________________
(Mailing address MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX)
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D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered office address in Florida, enter the name of the new registered agent and/or the new registered office address:

Name of New Registered Agent: _______________________

____
(Florida street address)

New Registered Office Address:

_______________________, Florida _____________
(City) *(Zip Code)*

New Registered Agent's Signature, if changing Registered Agent:
I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of the position.

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Signature of New Registered Agent, if changing

If AMENDING the Officers and/or Directors, please list all officers/directors of the corporation as you now want the record to be. Please indicate the title(s), name and address for each officer/director.
(*Our database can index up to 6 officers/directors. If you have more than 6 officers/directors, please list them on an additional sheet.*)

Title(s)	Name	Address
1) P	EMELY THOEN-RIVERO	11021 SW 124 STREET MIAMI, FL 33176
2) VP	CLAUDIA BRITO	13311 SW 195 ST MIAMI, FL 33177
3) S	ERIKA ANDRADE	13762 SW 171 LANE MIAMI, FL 33177
4) T	LILLIAN PETERSON	6863 SUNSET DRIVE MIAMI, FL 33143
5)		
6)		

If REMOVING an officer and/or director, please list the title(s) and name of the officer/director to be removed:

Title(s)	Name	Title(s)	Name
1)		4)	
2)		5)	
3)		6)	

E. <u>If amending or adding additional Articles, enter change(s) here</u>:
(attach additional sheets, if necessary). (Be specific)

SEE ATTCHED AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES: III, IV, VIII, IX, AND XI.

Amendments:

#1 AMEND ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

DELETE:

To raise funds for the purchase of various materials (musical instruments, field trip uniforms, music, etc.) and to underwrite activities for orchestra and keyboard groups at Arvida Middle School.

ADD:

A.) The authority to engage in and transact, within and without the State of Florida or the Unites States, *any* and all lawful activities permitted under the laws of the United States and /or the State-of Florida for which corporations may be incorporated under Chapter 617.0202 of the Florida Statutes;

B.) The Corporation may more particularly engage in the following businesses and/or activities:

1). To consolidate the interests of the parents into an active organization for the express purpose of furthering the Orchestra and Keyboard Music Programs of Arvida Middle School.

2). To help raise money and promote worthy projects that will serve to augment the budget set by the Miami Dade County, Florida Board of Education.

3). To increase the appreciation of a sound music program through the Orchestra and Keyboard Music Programs in Arvida Middle School and the community.

4). To do any and all lawful activities which be necessary, useful, or desirable for the furtherance, accomplishment, fostering, or attaining of the foregoing purpose, 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, such as corporations, firms associations, trusts, institutions, foundations, or governmental bureaus, departments or agencies.

5). All of the foregoing purposes shall be exercised exclusively for charitable and educational purposes in such manner that the Corporation qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of future United State Internal Revenue law.

#2, AMEND ARTICLE IV – MANNER OF ELECTION

ADD:

1. The Board of Directors shall consist of not fewer than three (3) members in accordance with Section 617.0803 of the Florida Statue, and no more than a maximum number determined by the Bylaws of the corporation as amended from time to time.

2. The Board of Directors shall govern the corporation, and shall have all the rights and powers of a Board of Directors under the laws of Florida and of the United States, as well as such other rights and authority and herein granted. Such rights and powers shall include, but not limited to, the power to adopt and amend the Bylaws and other corporate governing documents (except these Articles of Incorporation), by a majority vote, in any way not consistent with the Articles of Incorporation, the laws of Florida, or the laws of the United States.

3. The term of each member of the Board of Directors shall be established in the Bylaws.

4. Directors shall be elected by the remaining Directors by a majority vote, upon the expiration of a Director's term or a vacancy for any reason. If the Board of Directors is unable to select a successor Director(s), such successor(s) shall be appointed by the appropriate court of the parish in which the principal Florida Office of the corporation is located.

#3 AMEND ARTICLE VIII - SECTION 501(c) (3) LIMITATIONS

ADD:

a. CORPORATE PURPOSE: 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 of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

b. EXCLUSIVITY; The Corporation is organized exclusively for fund raising and promoting worthy educational music programs.

c. NO PRIVATE INNURMENT: 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. The property, assets, profits, and net income of the Corporation are irrevocably dedicated to fund raising purposes and promoting worthy educational musical programs, no part of which shall inure to the benefit of any individual.

d. LOBBY 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.

#4 AMEND ARTICLE IX – MEMBERSHIP

ADD:

The membership shall consist of those parents or guardians who have children currently enrolled in the Orchestra and Keyboard Music Programs, the music teacher, and a faculty advisor as designated by the principal at Arvida Middle School. The membership shall also include affiliate members: parents or guardians of alumni, and interested adult community members who support the Viking Music Patrons Association, Inc.

#5 AMEND ARTICLE X – DISSOLUTION

ADD:

Upon dissolution of the Viking Music Patrons Association, Inc., assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c) 3 of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

#6 AMENDS ARTICLE XI – BY LAWS

ADD:

The Initial By-laws of this corporation shall be adopted by the Director(s) and shall be altered, amended or repealed from time to time by the Board of Directors.

The date of each amendment(s) adoption: 01\19\2012

Effective date if applicable: 01\19\2012

(no more than 90 days after amendment file date)

Adoption of Amendment(s) **(CHECK ONE)**

☑ The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment(s) was/were sufficient for approval.

☐ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors.

Dated 1/19/2012

Signature Emely Thoen-Rivero

(By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator – if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)

EMELY THOEN-RIVERO

(Typed or printed name of person signing)

PRESIDENT

(Title of person signing)