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SUBJECT: The	Residers (PROPOSED CORPORA	Lay MinitER NAME - MUST INCLU	SHIES I	<u>-</u> nc
Enclosed is an original a	nd one(1) copy of the Artic	cles 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, Certified Copy & Certificate	

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

IN COMPLIANCE WITH CHAPTER 617, F.S., (NOT FOR PROFIT)

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ARTICLE I-NAME

THE NAME OF THIS CORPORATION SHALL BE THE REFINERS' WAY MINISTRIES INC.

ARTICLE II-PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

THE INITIAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SHALL BE:
815 LAKEVIEW DRIVE
DEFUNIAK SPRINGS, FL 32433

THE INITIAL MAILING ADDRESS SHALL BE:
815 LAKEVIEW DRIVE
DEFUNIAK SPRINGS, FL 32433

ARTICLE III-PURPOSE

THE PURPOSE OF THIS CORPORATION SHALL BE:
TO FOLLOW THE LEADERSHIP OF THE HOLY SPIRIT TO ADVANCE
THE KINGDOM OF GOD UNTIL THE RETURN OF THE LORD.

SAID CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED EXCLUSIVELY FOR CHARITABLE, RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL, AND SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES, INCLUDING, FOR SUCH PURPOSES, THE MAKING OF DISTRIBUTIONS TO ORGANIZATIONS THAT QUALIFY AS EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS UNDER SECTION501(C)(3)OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE.

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 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.

ARTICLE IV-MANNER OF ELECTION

THE INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS WERE NOMINATED AND ELECTED BY MAJORITY VOTE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BODY.

THE PROCEDURES FOR RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS ARE STATED IN THE BYLAWS OF THE CORPORATION.

ARTICLE V - INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

NAME	ADDRESS
D-JAMES K SMITH	776 CJ LAIRD RD
	PONCE DE LEON, FL 32455
D-JOHNNY LIGHTNER	PO BOX 1609
	DEFUNIAK SPRINGS, FL 32435
D-CHRISTOPHER M NOWLING	1801 COY BURGESS LOOP
	DEFUNIAK SPRINGS, FL 32433
D-ERIC J JOINER	1619 WALTON ROAD
	DEFUNIAK SPRINGS, FL 32433
T-LISA C SMITH	776 CJ LAIRD ROAD
	PONCE DE LEON, FL 32455
S-CANDY L NOWLING	1801 COY BURGESS LOOP
	DEFUNIAK SPRINGS, FL 32433

ARTICLE VI-DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION

IN THE EVENT OF DISSOLUTION, ASSETS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTD 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, STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT FOR EXCLUSIVE 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 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 VII-INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

THE NAME OF THE INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT IS LISA C SMITH

THE STREET ADDRESS OF THE INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT IS 776 CJ LAIRD ROAD PONCE DE LEON, FL 32455.

ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION BY REGISTERED AGENT
HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT TO ACCEPT THE SERVICE
OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION, AT THE PLACE
DESIGNATED IN THESE ARTICLES, I AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE
APPOINTMENT AND AGREE TO ACTIN ITS CAPACITY.

LISA C SMITH, REGISTERED AGENT

ARTICLE VIII- INCORPORATOR

THE NAME OF THE INCORPORATOR IS LISA C SMITH

THE STREET ADDRESS OF THE INCORPORATOR IS 776 CJ LAIRD ROAD PONCE DE LEON, FL 32455.

LISA C SMITH, INCORPORATE

ARTICLE VIIII-EFFECTIVE DATE

THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE **DECEMBER 10, 2007.**