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## Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church

214 Myrtle Avenue New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32168
Pastor: E. Kenneth Harley
Phone: 386/426-0118

January 2, 2008

Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Inc.

To Whom It May Concern:

Please find enclosed an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check in the amount of \$87.50 for Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Inc.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me at 386/747-0845.

Yours in Christ,

Kenneth Harrey

**Pastor** 



January 23, 2008

KENNETH HARLEY, PASTOR PLEASANT GROVE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH 214 MYRTLE AVENUE NEW SMYRNA BEACH, FL 32168

SUBJECT: PLEASANT GROVE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.

Ref. Number: W08000003476

We have received your document for PLEASANT GROVE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH, 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):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

#### Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

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.

Please return the corrected 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) 245-6879.

Letter Number: 108A00004707

Ruby Dunlap Regulatory Specialist II New Filing Section

### Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church

214 Myrtle Avenue New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32168
Pastor: E. Kenneth Harley
Phone: 386/426-0118

January 28, 2008

Ruby Dunlap Regulatory Specialist II Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church of Volusia County, Inc.

Dear Ms. Dunlap:

Pursuant to your letter please find the revised Articles of Incorporation for Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church of Volusia County, Inc. Enclosed is one original and a copy.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me at 386/747-0845.

Yours in Christ,

Kenneth Harley

Pastor

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION PLEASANT GROVE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH OF VOLUSIA COUNTY, INC.

In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church of Volusia County, Inc.

#### ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 214 N. Myrtle Avenue, New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32168

#### ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The general character and nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation is follows:

- 1) As a faith based organization exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Revenue Law), including, but not limited to, for such purposes as the establishing and maintaining of religious worship, the building, maintaining and operating of churches, parsonages, schools, chapels, radio programs, television programs, rescue missions, print shops, day care centers, camps, nursing homes, and cemeteries, and any other ministries that the Church may be led of God to establish.
- 2) To acquire by purchase, lease or otherwise, lands and interest in lands, and to own, hold, improve, develop and manage any real estate so acquired, and to erect, or cause to be erected, on any lands owned, held or occupi9es, and to encumber or dispose of any lands or interest in lands, and any building or other structures, at any time owned or held by the corporation. To buy, sell, mortgage, exchange, lease hold for investment or otherwise, use and operate, real estate of all kinds improved or unimproved, or nay right or interest therein.
- 3) To acquire, by purchase, lease, manufacture otherwise, any personal property deemed necessary or useful in the equipment, furnishing, improvement, development or management of any property, real or personal, at any time owned, held or occupies by the corporation, and to invest, trade, lease, rent, encumber or dispose of any personal property at any time owned or held by the corporation.
- 4) To contract debts and borrow money, issue and sell or pledge bonds, debentures, notes and other evidence of indebtedness, and toe execute such mortgages, transfer or corporate property, or other instruments to secure payment of corporate indebtedness as required.
- 5) To purchase the corporate assets of any other corporation and engage in the same or other character of business.
- 6) To become a partner with any person or persons, corporation, or any other business entity and engage in the same or other character of business.

- 7) To guarantee, endorse, purchase, hold, sell, transfer, mortgage, pledge or otherwise acquire or dispose of the shares of capital stock of, or any bonds, securities, or other evidences of indebtedness created by any other corporation of the State of Florida or nay other state or government, and while owner or such stock to exercise all the rights, powers and privileges of ownership, including the right to vote such stock.
- 8) To enter into, make, perform and carry out contract and agreements of every kind, for any lawful purpose, without limit as to amount of any firm, association or corporation, or calculated to facilitate the same.
- 9) To carry on any or all operations and business, and to promote its objective within the State or Florida or elsewhere without restriction as to place or amount; and to have, use, exercise and enjoy all of the general powers of like corporations.
- 10) To do any or all these things herein set forth to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, and in any part to the world as principals, agents, contractors or otherwise, alone or in company with others, and to do and perform all such things and act as may be necessary, profitable or expedient in carrying on any of the business or acts above named.

The intention that none of the objects and powers as hereinabove ser forth, except where otherwise specified in tie Article, shall be in anyway limited or restricted by references to or inference from the terms of any other objects powers, or clauses of this Article or any other Articles; but that the objects and powers specified in each of the clauses of this Article shall be regarded as independent objects and powers.

#### ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The Corporation shall have five (5) Directors/Trustees initially. The number of Directors/Trustees may be increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than three (3). Officers shall be elected by the membership at its annual business meeting.

#### ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

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

Name William Booth	Address 410 S. Duss Street, New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32168 579 Hamilton: Street, New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32168	Title Trustee
	570 Hamilton Grant New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32108	
Alphonso Brown	379 Hamilton Street, New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32108	Trustee
Willie Felton	2620 Turnbull Estates Drive, New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32168	Trustee
Zetora Mathis	509 Oleander Street #35, New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32168	Trustee
Mary Murrell	637 Greenlawn Terrace #37, New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32168	Trustee

#### ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

E. Kenneth Harley 2911 Gillmar Street Deltona, Florida 32738.

#### ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The **name and address** of the Incorporator is:

E. Kenneth Harley 2911 Gillmar Street Deltona, Florida 32738 OB FEB -4 AM 8: 43

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#### ARTICLE VIII EFFECTIVE DATE

These Articles of Incorporation shall be effective the date they are filed with the State of Florida Division of Corporations.

#### ARTICLE IX TERMS OF EXISTENCE

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence

#### ARTICLE X BYLAWS

The Bylaws of the Corporation shall be made, altered, amended, or repealed by the affirmative vote of the majority of the Members of the Corporation.

#### ARTICLE XI AMENDMENT

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be proposed by the Board of Directors/Trustees and adopted by the affirmative vote of a majority of the Members of the Corporation.

#### ARTICLE XII INDEMNIFICATION

The Corporation shall indemnify any officer and director, or any former officer or director, to the full extent permitted by law.

#### ARTICLE XIII INTERNAL REVENUE CODE 501 (c) (3) PROVISION

This organization is organized exclusively for religious, educational, and charitable purposes with the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Assets of the Corporation shall be dissolved of in accordance with the requirements of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code as may be amended from time to time.

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

<u> 1/2 5/08</u> Date

Signature/Incorporator

<u>|/23/09</u> | Date