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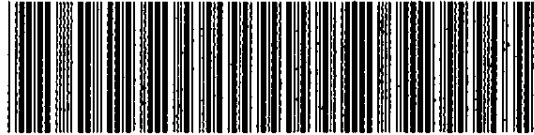
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## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** Swamp the Polls, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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

☐ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
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& Certificate

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Matthew Stephen Martz  
Name (Printed or typed)

12169 182nd rd n  
Address

Jupiter, Florida 33478  
City, State & Zip

561-758-3848  
Daytime Telephone number

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

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

### **ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

Swamp the Polls, Inc.

### **ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal street address and mailing address, if different is:

The principal office for the transaction of business of this corporation is to be located at 4000 SW 23rd St, Apt 3-106, Gainesville Florida 32608

### **ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

To conduct and transact generally the business of a non-profit corporation and to do all things and exercise all powers and perform all functions that a non-profit corporation is authorized or empowered to do, exercise, or perform under and by virtue of the laws of Florida, or that it may be by law hereafter authorized to do, exercise, or perform; to organize, promote, or perform educational and education-related activities, voter engagement and civic participation activities, and all other activities salient to the particular and general goals of the corporation, and do all the above things as a nonprofit corporation and insofar as is consistent with the laws of Florida.

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 section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

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

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

Matthew Stephen Martz shall be the president upon inception. Additional directors may be appointed at the sole discretion of the current president, Matthew Stephen Martz. Successors of the current president are appointed by the current president.

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

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

The number of directors of the corporation is three; the following are the names and residences of the persons appointed to act as directors until their successors are appointed:

President, Matthew Stephen Martz, 12169 182<sup>nd</sup> Rd N, Jupiter FL 33478  
Vice President, Kyle Robisch, 6 Fraternity Row, Gainesville FL 32612  
Chairperson, Michael Jerauld, 4000 SW 23<sup>rd</sup> St, Apt 3-106, Gainesville FL 32608

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

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

The registered agent for service of process upon the corporation is Matthew Stephen Martz and his Florida street address is 12169 182nd Rd N., Jupiter FL 33478.

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Matthew Stephen Martz and his Florida street address is 12169 182nd Rd N., Jupiter FL 33478.

**ARTICLE VIII DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION**

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

**ARTICLE IX CAPITALISATION**

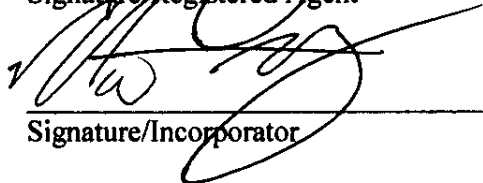
No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions 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.

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*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.*

  
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Signature/Registered Agent

6/23/2008  
Date

  
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Signature/Incorporator

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