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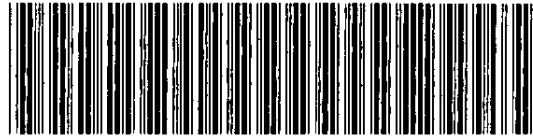
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## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** AMERICA'S YOUTH FIRST 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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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** CHERYL COOPER  
Name (Printed or typed)

10415 NORVELL RD  
Address

SPRINGHILL FL 34608  
City, State & Zip

352 686-4078  
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 this corporation shall be **Americas Youth First Inc.**

**ARTICLE II    PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The place in this state where the principal office of the corporation is to be located in the City of Springhill in Hernando County. The principal street address : **4142 Mariner Blvd. #212, Springhill, FL 34609**

**ARTICLE III    PURPOSE**

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable purposes. Including for such purposes , the making and distribution to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(30 of the Internal Revenue Code or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. To this end , the corporation will focus on promoting youth activities such as performing arts, sports, music and art. All funds, whether income or principal, and whether acquired by gift or contribution or otherwise, shall be devoted to said purposes.

**ARTICLE IV    MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which directors are appointed or elected is as stated in the bylaws of said corporation.

**ARTICLE V    INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS**

The initial names and addresses and titles of the directors and officers are as follows:

Kevin Lira	5113 Roble Av.	Springhill, FL 34608	Executive Director
Cheryl Cooper	10415 Norvell Rd.	Springhill, FL 34608	Secretarial Director
Gary Strickland	14270 Surfside Circle,	Springhill, FL 34606	Director of membership
Sumer Babinsack	12487 Harper St	Springhill, FL 34609	Financial Director

**ARTICLE VI    MEMBERS**

The Corporation shall have no voting members. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of a Board of Directors, whose operations in governing the corporation shall be defined by the statute and by the corporation's by-laws. No Director shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation.

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## **ARTICLE VII Limitations**

At all times the following shall operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the corporation, notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

1. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to any member of the corporation not qualifying as exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Nor to any other private persons, excepting solely such reasonable compensation that the corporation shall pay for services actually rendered to that corporation, or allowed by the corporation as a reasonable allowance for authorized expenditures incurred on behalf of the corporation;
2. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall constitute the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence 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; and
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 or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
4. The corporation shall not lend any of its assets to any officer or director of this corporation or guarantee to any person the payment of a loan by an officer or director of this corporation.

## **ARTICLE VII DEBT OBLIGATION AND 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 VIII DISSOLUTION OF COMPANY**

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 INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The Name and address of the registered agent is :  
Cheryl Cooper  
10415 Norvell Rd  
Springhill, FL 34608

**ARTICLE XI INCORPORATOR (S)**

The name and address of the incorporator(s) are :  
Cheryl Cooper                      Kevin Lira  
10415 Norvell Rd                  5113 Roble Av  
Springhill, FL 34608              Springhill, FL 34608

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Having been named as registered agent to accept services 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.

Cheryl Cooper  
Signature Registered Agent

08-25-08  
Date

Kevin Lira  
Signature Incorporator

8-25-08  
Date

Cheryl Cooper  
Signature Incorporator

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