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Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: Lakeland Lodge, #52 F&AM-PHA, 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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☐ \$78.75
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☐ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Lakeland Lodge, #52 F&AM-PHA, Inc.

Name (Printed or typed)

P.O. Box 1424

Address

Lakeland, Florida 33802

City, State & Zip

(863) 683-4692

Daytime Telephone number

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

February 25, 2009

LAKELAND LODGE #52 F&AM-PHA, INC.
P.O. BOX 1424
LAKELAND, FL 33802

SUBJECT: LAKELAND LODGE, #52 F&AM-PHA, INC.
Ref. Number: W09000009113

We have received your document for LAKELAND LODGE, #52 F&AM-PHA, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The Florida Statutes require an entity to designate a street address for its principal office address. A post office box is not acceptable for the principal office address. The entity may, however, designate a separate mailing address. The mailing address may be a post office box.

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 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) 245-6934.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
Of
LAKELAND LODGE, #52 F&AM-PHA, INC.

We, the undersigned subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation, each a natural person, competent to contract, hereby make, subscribe, acknowledge and file these Articles for the purpose of becoming a Corporation not for profit pursuant to Chapter 617.0202, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the corporation shall be Lakeland Lodge, #52 F&AM-PHA, Inc.1

ARTICLE II: PLACE OF BUSINESS

The principal place of business shall be in the County of Polk, State of Florida as determined by the membership of the corporation. The mailing address is: P.O. Box 1424, Lakeland, Florida, 33802. **PRINCIPAL ADDRESS LAKELAND LODGE #52 F&AM-PHA, INC.
1015 N. VIRGINA AVE.
LAKELAND FLA. 33805**

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE

The organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and/or scientific purposes under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The charitable purposes for which this corporation not for profit is organized are as follows:

1. To support Little Ledge Teams with uniforms.
2. To serve as a Big Brother to young men in the Community.
3. To feed the hungry and provide food boxes to families during Thanksgiving and Christmas.
4. To advocate and support fellow deceased brother's spouses and children.

5. To be charitable to community projects of interest.

ARTICLE IV: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of the directors and each directors shall hold office for a term determined by the board of directors and until his successor is duly elected and qualified or until his death, resignation or removal from office.

ARTICLE V: OFFICERS

The officers of the corporation shall be the Worshipful Master, Senior Warden, Junior Warden, Treasurer, Secretary and other officers as provided by the By-Laws. The name of the office and the persons who are to serve as officers are as follows:

Andrew Bowers-Worshipful Master

Edward Euline Jr.-Senior Warden

Laverale King-Junior Warden

Raymond J. Robinson-Treasure

Monreo Jackson-Secretary

ARTICLE VI: REGISTERED AGENT

The registered agent of this corporation shall be Andrew Bowers, 1717 BellGrove Street, Lakeland, Florida 33805

ARTICLE VII: BASIS OF OPERATION

No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distribution in furtherance of the purpose set forth in the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under

section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE VIII: DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the organization, 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 federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

ARTICLE IX: SUBSCRIBERS

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we the undersigned subscribers, all natural persons competent to contract, set hereunto our hands and seals, acknowledge and file these Articles of Incorporation under Chapter 617.0202, Florida Statutes, this 21 day of

Feb, 2009.

Andrew Bowers

Andrew Bowers
1717 BellGrove Street
Lakeland, Florida 33805

Edward Euline Jr.

Edward Euline Jr.
640 Lake Swoope Dr.
Lake Alford, Florida 33850

Laverale King

Laverale King
145 Osprey Height Drive
Winter Haven, Florida 33880

Raymond J. Robinson

Raymond J. Robinson
1205 Alameda Drive South
Lakeland, Florida 33805

Monreo Jackson

Monreo Jackson
858 Harmony Hill Loop
Lakeland, Florida 33805

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept services-of process for this corporation not for profit, at the place designated in these Articles, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all Statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

Andrew Bowers

Andrew Bowers

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF POLK

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority, Andrew Bowers, Edward Euline Jr., Laverale King, Raymond J. Robinson and Monreo Jackson, who, known to me to be the individuals heretofore described in and who executed the above and foregoing instrument, acknowledged before me that they signed, sealed, and delivered the same at the time and place, in the manner and for the uses and purposes as therein set forth and contained.

Witness my hand and official seal on this 21. day of

February, 2009.

Harry Oldham III
NOTARY PUBLIC

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My commission expires:

