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#### **COVER LETTER**

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

SUBJECT: Putram County Faith-Based HIV/AIDS COALITION, 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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FROM: Stephanie MCRae-Garrison
Name (Printed or typed)

700 FOREST GIEN DRIVE APT #2

Palatka, FL. 32177 City, State & Zip

(386) 538 - 6881 Daytime Telephone number

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

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF PUTNAM COUNTY FAITH-BASED HIV/AIDS COALITION, IN

#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is: Putnam County Faith-Based HIV/AIDS Coalities

### ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal street address is: 800 Madison St. Palatka, FL 32177. Mailing address P. O. Box 253 Palatka, FL. 32178.

#### **ARTICLE III – PURPOSE**

Section 3.1. The purpose for which this Corporation will exist is charitable and educational within the meaning of Section 501(C) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law. This corporation is non-profit and is organized for the purpose of preventing the spread of HIV/AIDS within the community and improving support services to those affected and infected by the disease through outreach, education and linkage to services.

Section 3.2. Not withstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation:

- a. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its directors, officers or other private persons, except that this 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 these articles.
- b. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporations shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, (except as otherwise provided by Section 501(h) of Internal Revenue Code), and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publication and distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- c. The Corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by:
  - 2. An organization exempt from taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereinafter be amended, or
  - 3. An organization, contributions to which are deductible under 170(c) (2) of the Internal Code and its Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereinafter be amended.
- d. Upon dissolution of the Corporation or the winding up of its affairs, the assets of the Corporation shall be distributed exclusively to charitable organizations which would then qualify under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.

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

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed shall be provided for in the Corporation's Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE V - DURATION

The period of duration of the Corporation shall be perpetual.

## <u>ARTICLE VI – MEMBERS</u>

The Corporation shall have no members.

#### ARTICLE VII- INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the corporation is four (4), and the names and addresses of those people who are to serve as the initial Directors are:

Name

Address

Stephanie McRae-Garrison 700 Forest Glen Dr. Apt#2 Palatka, FL. 32177

Jonathan Williams

211 Stillwell Ave. Palatka, FL. 32177

Beatrice Rembert

1011 Old Gainesville Hwy Interlachen, FL. 32148

Shirley Eubanks

2819 Peters Street Palatka, FL, 32177

# <u>ARTICLE VII – INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS</u>

The name and Florida Street address of the registered agent is:

Name

Address

Stephanie McRae-Garrison 800 Madison St. Palatka, FL. 32177

#### <u>ARTICLE VIII – INCORPORATOR</u>

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name

Address

Stephanie McRae-Garrison

700 Forest Glen Dr. Apt#2 Palatka, FL. 32177

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand, this I day of JWA

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.