

**Electronic Articles of Incorporation  
For**

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HOKORI ZEN CENTER INC.

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Florida not-for-profit corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

**Article I**

The name of the corporation is:

HOKORI ZEN CENTER INC.

**Article II**

The principal place of business address:

112 E, PINE ST.  
LAKELAND, FL. 33801

The mailing address of the corporation is:

3906 WHISTLEWOOD CIRCLE  
LAKELAND, FL. 33811

**Article III**

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

HOKORI ZEN CENTER INC IS A RELIGIOUS INSTITUTION IN THE ZEN  
BUDDHIST DENOMINATION. THE PURPOSE OF OUR INSTITUTION IS TO  
HOLD SERVICES AND PRACTICES ASSOCIATED WITH THE RELIGIOUS  
PRACTICE OF ZEN BUDDHISM.

**Article IV**

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is:

AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE BYLAWS.

**Article V**

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

GREGORY A HICKS  
3906 WHISTLEWOOD CIRCLE  
LAKELAND, FL. 33811

I certify that I am familiar with and accept the responsibilities of registered agent.

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Registered Agent Signature: GREGORY A HICKS

### **Article VI**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

GREGORY A. HICKS  
3906 WHISTLEWOOD CIRCLE

LAKELAND, FL 33811

Incorporator Signature: GREGORY A HICKS

### **Article VII**

The initial officer(s) and/or director(s) of the corporation is/are:

Title: P  
GREGORY A HICKS  
3906 WHISTLEWOOD CIRCLE  
LAKELAND, FL. 33811

Title: VP  
JOY L HICKS  
2600 HARDEN BLVD #369  
LAKELAND, FL. 33803

Title: ST  
JANEEN N HICKS  
3906 WHISTLEWOOD CIRCLE  
LAKELAND, FL. 33811