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**TO:** Amendment Section Division of Corporations

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| DOCUMENT NUMB   | ER: N09000006141                             |                      |                      |                                |   |  |
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### Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of

# The Acoustic Music Society of Southwest Florida NC (Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State) N0900006141

| (Document Number of Co   | rporation (if known)  |
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| Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida St the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation   | natutes, this Florida Not For Profit Corporation adopts on:             |
| A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporate   | oration:  |
| The new name must be distinguishable and contain the abbreviation "Corp." or "Inc." "Company" or "Co." m   | word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the ay not be used in the name. |
| B. Enter new principal office address, if applicable: (Principal office address MUST BE A STREET ADDRE   | ESS)  |
| C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable: (Mailing address MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX)  D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered new registered agent and/or the new registered offi | SECRETAR SE ANSE  |
| D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered new registered agent and/or the new registered offi  | office address in Florida, enter the name of the ice address:           |
| Name of New Registered Agent:  | NA  |
| New Registered Office Address:   | (Florida street address)  |
|  | , Florida (City) (Zip Code)   |
| New Registered Agent's Signature, if changing Registe I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. position.   |   |
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Signature of New Registered Agent, if changing

## If amending the Officers and/or Directors, enter the title and name of each officer/director being removed and title, name, and address of each Officer and/or Director being added: (Attach additional sheets, if necessary)

| <u>Title</u>                     | <u>Name</u>  | Address                            | Type of Action |
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## Articles\_of

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR A NOT FOR PROFIT ORGANIZATION WHICH IS NOT A PRIVATE FOUNDATION.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF the Acoustic Music Society of Southwest Florida, Inc.

The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a corporation under the Not for Profit Corporation Act of the State of Florida, adopt the following articles of incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I The name of the corporation is the Acoustic Music Society of Southwest Florida. Inc.

The period of duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE III The Corporation is organized for charitable and educational purposes, specifically for the presentation, encouragement and appreciation of American bluegrass and related acoustic string music genres. The Corporation may receive and administer funds for educational Corporation may receive and administer funds for educational and charitable purposes, within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. To that end, the Corporation is empowered to hold any property, or any undivided interest therein, without limitation as to amount or value; to dispose of any such property and to invest, reinvest, or deal with the principal or the income in such manner as, in the judgment of the directors, will best promote the purposes of the Corporation, without limitation, except such limitations, if any, as may be contained in the instrument under which such property is received, these Articles of Incorporation, the By-Laws of the Corporation, or any applicable laws, to do any other act or thing incidental to or connected with the foregoing purposes or in advancement thereof, but not for the pecuniary profit or financial gain of its directors or officers except as permitted under the Not-for-Profit directors or officers except as permitted under the Not-for-Profit Corporation Law.

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation affecting one or more of its purposes, and no member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence

ARTICLE IV
The qualifications for members and the manner of their admissions shall
ARTICLE V
The initial street address

The initial street address in the state of Florida of the initial registered office of the Corporation is 8141 Country Road, #101, Ft. Myers, FL 33919. The name of the initial registered agent at this address is Cameron J. Anholt.

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The principal territory in which the operations of the Corporation are to be conducted is the United States of America and its territories and possessions, but the operations of the Corporation shall not be limited to such territory.

ARTICLE VII The initial board of directors shall consist of at least three (3) members, who need not be residents of the state of Florida.

affairs, assets of the Corporation or the winding up of its affairs, assets of the Corporation shall be distributed exclusively to one or more charitable, religious, scientific, literary, or educational organizations which 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 be hereafter amended, or to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas 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

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The names and addresses of the persons who shall serve as directors until the first annual meeting of members, or until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, are as follows:

NAME

**ADDRESS** 

Robert Shea, Richard Spottswood, Leslie Weidenhammer, Cameron J. Anholt,

PO box 267401 Bonita Springs\_Fl. 34136 510 Harbour Drive, Naples, Florida 34103 2919-14th Ave NE. Naples, Florida 34120 8141 Country Road #101, ft. Myers, Florida 33919

ARTICLE IX

The names and addresses of the initial incorporators are as follows:

Robert Shea, Richard Spottswood, Leslie Weidenhammer. Cameron Anholt,

ADDRESS 720 110th Ave N. Naples, Florida 34108 510 Harbour Drive, Naples, Florida, 34103 2919 14th Ave NE. Naples, Florida 34120 8141 Country Road #101, Ft. Myers, Florida 33919

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have made and subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation at [ ] on [ ].

STATE OF [ COUNTY OF [

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this [ Page 2

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| The date of each amendmen                             | t(s) adoption: October 8th, 2009   |
|---|--|
| Effective date <u>if applicable</u> :                 | (date of adoption is required) October 8th, 2009   |
| <del></del>   | (no more than 90 days after amendment file date)   |
| Adoption of Amendment(s)                              | (CHECK ONE)  |
| ☑ The amendment(s) was/we was/were sufficient for app | re adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment(s) roval.   |
| There are no members or adopted by the board of di    | members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were rectors.   |
| Dated Octo  | Deber 8th, 2009  Especif E. Shea   |
| (By   | the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors re not been selected, by an incorporator – if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary) |
|   | Robert E. Shea   |
|   | (Typed or printed name of person signing)  |
|   | (Title of person signing)  |

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