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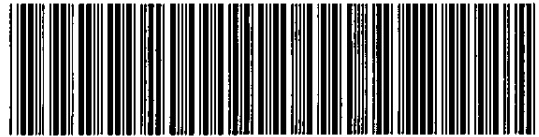
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: _

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Jax Nonprofit News Group Inc.

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Jim Molis

Name (Printed or typed)

P.O. Box 2226

Address

Ponte Vedra, FL 32004

City, State & Zip

(904)338-3277

Daytime Telephone number

director@jaxnonprofitnews.org

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

The name of the corporation shall be:
Jax Nonprofit News Group Inc.

ARTICLE II

The principal street address and mailing address, if different is:

Principal address:
600 E. Devonhurst Lane
Ponte Vedra, FL 32081

Mailing address:
P.O. Box 2226
Ponte Vedra, FL 32004

ARTICLE III – Purpose

1. This corporation is formed exclusively for charitable, literary, scientific and educational purposes 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. The general purposes of the corporation are, and shall be:

- a) Connect nonprofit organizations to peers, individuals and businesses through an online news site. By gathering and disseminating news about nonprofit organizations and topics of interest to them, Jax Nonprofit News Group educates charities and donors on matters related to the nonprofit sector of Northeast Florida.
- b) Increase public participation in matters related to the nonprofit sector by translating and explaining complex nonprofit issues to the public and to the mass media.
- c) Preserve the traditional values of journalism – independence, objectivity, commitment to public service and freedom from conflicts of interest – in online media.
- d) Provide objective news coverage related to matters within the nonprofit sector, including regulations and government funding.
- e) Develop a self-sustaining model of high-quality online journalism.

2. To aid, support, and assist by gifts, contributions, or otherwise, other corporations, community chests, funds and foundations organized and operated exclusively for charitable or educational purposes, no part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual, and no substantial part of the activities of which is carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation.
3. To do any and all lawful activities which may be necessary, useful, or desirable for the furtherance, accomplishment, fostering, or attaining of the foregoing purposes, either directly or indirectly, and either alone or in conjunction or cooperation with others, whether such others be persons or organizations of any kind or nature, such as corporations, firms, association, trusts, institution, foundations, or governmental bureaus, departments or agencies.
4. All of the foregoing purposes shall be exercised exclusively charitable and educational purposes in such a manner that the Corporation will qualify as an exempt organization under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

ARTICLE IV - Members

The corporation shall have no members.

ARTICLE VI – Board of directors

The affairs of this organization shall be managed by a board of directors. The number of directors shall initially be three. The number of directors may be changed in accordance with the Bylaws of the Corporation, but shall never be less than three. The manner of the election of the board of directors shall be regulated by the Bylaws of the Corporation.

ARTICLE VII – Initial registered agent and street address

James D. Molis
600 E. Devonhurst Lane
Ponte Vedra, FL 32081

ARTICLE VIII - Incorporator

James D. Molis
600 E. Devonhurst Lane
Ponte Vedra, FL 32081

ARTICLE IX - 501(c)(3) LIMITATIONS

1. **CORPORATE PURPOSES:** Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal and state income tax under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

2. **EXCLUSIVITY:** The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes.

3. **NO PRIVATE INUREMENT:** The Corporation is not organized nor shall it be operated for the primary purpose of generating pecuniary gain or profit. The Corporation shall not distribute any gains, profits or dividends to the Directors, Officers, or Members thereof, or to any individual, except as reasonable compensation for services actually performed in carrying out the Corporation's charitable and educational purposes. The property, assets, profits and net income of the Corporation are irrevocably dedicated to charitable and educational purposes no part of which shall inure to the benefit of any individual.

4. **LOBBYING AND POLITICAL CAMPAIGNS:** No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in, any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE X - DISSOLUTION: Upon winding up and dissolution of the Corporation, the assets of the Corporation remaining after payment of all debts and liabilities shall be distributed to an organization recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to be used exclusively for charitable and educational purposes. If the Corporation holds any assets in trust, such assets shall be disposed of in such a manner as may be directed by decree of the Circuit Court of the district in which the Corporation's principal office is located, upon petition thereof by the Attorney General or by any person concerned in the liquidation.

ARTICLE XI- INDEMNIFICATION - Any person (and the heirs, executors and administrators of such person) made or threatened to be made a party to any action, suit or proceeding by reason of the fact that he is or was a Director or Officer of the Corporation shall be indemnified by the Corporation against any and all liability and the reasonable expenses, including attorney's fees and disbursements, incurred by him (or by his heirs, executors or administrators) in connection with the defense or settlement of such action, suit or proceeding, or in connection with any appearance therein, except in relation to matters as to which it shall be adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding that such Director or Officer is liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of their duties. Such right of indemnification shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which such Director or Officer (or such heirs, executors or administrators) may be entitled apart from this Article.

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.


Signature/Registered Agent


Date


Signature/Incorporator


Date