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Date: August 27, 2009

Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32302

Re:

Zellwood Station Veterans Club, Inc.

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find for filing original and one copy of articles of incorporation. Check enclosed: \$78.75

Very truly yours,

GEORGE C. KELLEY, P.A.

GCK:jrs Enclosures

Articles of Incorporation of Zellwood Station Veterans Club, Inc., a Florida Not For Profit Corporation

The undersigned persons, acting as incorporators of a corporation not for profit under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, as set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

Article I

The name of the corporation is Zellwood Station Veterans Club, Incinc

Article II

The corporation shall have a perpetual existence subject to the laws and provisions of the State of Florida.

Article III

The corporation is a not for profit corporation, an organization of past or present members of the USAF. The purposes for which the corporation is organized are

- (a) This specific organization shall act as a veterans organization under Section 501(c)(19) of the Internal Revenue Code.
 - (b) The primary purposes for which this corporation is formed is as follows:
 - 1. To promote the social welfare of the community (i.e., to promote the common good and general welfare of the people of the community);
 - 2. To assist disabled and needy war veterans and members of the USAF and their dependents, and the widows and orphans of deceased veterans;
 - 3. To provide entertainment, care, and assistance to hospitalized veterans or members of the USAF;
 - 4. To carry on programs to perpetuate the memory of deceased veterans and members of the USAF and to comfort their survivors;
 - 5. To conduct programs for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes;
 - 6. To sponsor or participate in activities of a patriotic nature;
 - 7. To provide insurance benefits for members or their dependents; or
 - 8. To provide social and recreational activities for members.
- (c) The general purposes for which this corporation is formed are to operate exclusively for the aforesaid purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(19) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations which qualify as tax-exempt organizations under that Code.
 - (d) The organization requires of its membership the following:
 - 1. No part of the net earnings may inure to the benefit of any member.
- 2. The corpus or income cannot be diverted or used other than to fund a veterans' post or organization for charitable purposes or as an insurance set-aside.
- 3. The trust income is not unreasonably accumulated, and a substantial portion of the income is distributed to such veteran organization.

4. It is organized exclusively for one or more of those purposes enumerated above for which a veterans' organization itself may be organized.

Article IV

The corporation is organized upon a nonstock basis as defined in Section 617.011 of the Florida Statutes. The corporation shall have a membership distinct from the board of directors. The authorized number and qualifications of the members of the corporation, the manner of their admission, the different classes of membership, if any, the property, voting, and other rights and privileges of members, and their liability for dues and assessments and the method of collection thereof, shall be as regulated in the bylaws.

Article V

The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its property controlled, and its affairs conducted by a board of directors.

The names and residential addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Frank Lowry 3995 Parway Road Zellwood, FL 32798 Leon G. Piggott 3733 N. Citrus Circle Zellwood, FL 32798

Florence Michaelis 3652 Parway Road Zellwood, FL 32798 Lee Michaelis 3652 Parway Road Zellwood, FL 32798

Lorraine Roulston 2600 Lake Grassmere Circle Zellwood, FL 32798

Article VI

The initial street address of the principal office of this Corporation is to be: 3995 Parway Road, Zellwood, FL 32798.

Article VII

The name and address of each incorporator are:

Frank Lowry 3995 Parway Road Zellwood, FL 32798 Leon G. Piggott 3733 N. Citrus Circle Zellwood, FL 32798 Florence Michaelis 3652 Parway Road Zellwood, FL 32798 Lee Michaelis 3652 Parway Road Zellwood, FL 32798

Lorraine Roulston 2600 Lake Grassmere Circle Zellwood, FL 32798

Article VIII

The board of directors shall elect the following officers: president, vice president, treasurer, and trustee, and such other officers as the bylaws of this corporation may authorize the directors to elect from time to time. Initially, such officers shall be elected at the first annual meeting of the board of directors. Until such election is held, the following persons shall serve as corporate officers:

Chairman/Director Frank Lowry

3995 Parway Road Zellwood, FL 32798

Vice Chairman/Director Leon Piggott

3733 N. Citrus Circle Zellwood, FL 32798

Secretary/Director Florence Michaelis

3652 Parway Road Zellwood, FL 32798

Treasurer/Director Lee Michaelis

3652 Parway Road Zellwood, FL 32798

Director at Large Lorraine Roulston

2600 Lake Grassmere Circle

Zellwood, FL 32798

The method of the election of the directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Article IX

Subject to the limitations contained in the bylaws and any limitations set forth in the Not For Profit Corporation Act of Florida described above, concerning corporate action that must be authorized or approved by the members of the corporation, the bylaws of this corporation may be adopted, either by a resolution of the board of directors or by following the procedure set forth therefore in the bylaws.

Article X

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or member thereof, or to the benefit of any private individual.

Article XI

Upon the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the corporation, shall be distributed to a not for profit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for religious or charitable purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section **501(c)(19)** of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

Article XII

Amendments to these articles of incorporation may be proposed by a resolution adopted by the board of directors and presented to a quorum of members for their vote. Amendments may be adopted by a vote of at least two-thirds of a quorum of members of the corporation.

We, the undersigned, being the incorporators of this corporation, for the purpose of forming this not for profit charitable corporation under the Laws of Florida, have executed these articles of incorporation of 82109 (date).

Frank Lowry

Leon/Piggott

Florence Michaelis

Lee Michaelis

Lorraine Roulston

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE

the foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of <u>like act</u>, 2009, by Frank Lowry, who is personally known to me or who has produced a Florida Drivers License as identification

SIGNATURE OF NOTARY

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE (Lest, 2009, by Leon Piggott, who is personally known to me day of or ____ who has produced a Florida Drivers License as identification Notary Public State of Florida SIGNATURE OF NOTAR My Commission DD674677 Expires 07/18/2011 STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE day of <u>Cufest</u>, 2009, by Florence Michaelis, who is <u>personally known</u> to me or ___ who has produced a Florida Drivers License as identification Notary Public State of Florida Elaine L Lowry My Commission DD674677 Expires 07/18/2011 STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE THE FOREGOING instrument was acknowledged before me this Alay of Occupant, 2009, by Lee Michaelis, who is personally known to me or ___ who has produced a Florida Drivers License as identification Notary Public State of Florida Elaine L Lowry My Commission DD674677 Expires 07/18/2011 STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE

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My Commission DD674677 Expires 07/18/2011

Elaine L Lowry

SIGNATURE OF NOTARY

Certificate Designating Place Of Business Or Domicile For The Service Of Process Within Florida, Naming Agent Upon Whom Process May Be Served

In Compliance With Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, The Following Is Submitted:

First--That Zellwood Station Veterans Club, Inc.

Desiring To Organize Or Qualify Under The Laws Of The State Of Florida, With Its Principal Place Of Business At City Of Apopka, State Of Florida, Has Named **Frank Lowry**, Located At 3995 Parway Road, Apopka, FL 32798, As Its Agent To Accept Service Of Process Within Florida.

Signature_

Frank Lowry

Chairman/Director

Date: 8

Having Been Named To Accept Service Of Process For The Above Stated Corporation, At The Place Designated In This Certificate, I Hereby Agree To Act

In This Capacity, And I Further Agree To Comply With The Provisions Of All Statutes Relative To The Proper And Complete Performance Of My Duties.

Signature

Frank Lowry

Resident Agent

ate: X/Z/

2009