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October 12, 2009

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

Re: **Vision of Hope, Inc.**

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed are an executed original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation of Vision of Hope, Inc., and an original and one copy of an executed Certificate Designating the Resident Agent. Our check in the amount of \$78.75 in payment of the following fees is also enclosed:

Filing Fee	\$35.00
Certificate Designating Resident Agent	35.00
Certified Copy	8.75
Total	<u>78.75</u>

Please file these originals and certify and return the copies of the enclosed Articles of Incorporation and Resident Agent Certification.

Yours very truly,



Sheila T. Taylor
Assistant to Angela J. Jones

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Enclosures

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

VISION OF HOPE, INC.

A Not-for-Profit Corporation

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is VISION OF HOPE, INC.

ARTICLE II - DURATION

This corporation shall exist perpetually.

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

(1) VISION OF HOPE, INC., is organized to unleash potential in people with special needs through work and life skills so that they may enjoy a productive life in their community and all other lawful business.

Anything in these articles of incorporation to the contrary notwithstanding, the purpose or purposes for which this corporation is organized are limited to those that will qualify it as an example organization under Internal Revenue code Section 501(c)(3), including, for those purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as tax-exempt organizations under the Internal Revenue Code.

This corporation shall not, as a substantial part of its activities, carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation. This corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of

statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

No part of the net earnings, properties or assets of this corporation, on dissolution or otherwise, shall inure to the benefit of any private person or individual or any member or director of this corporation. On liquidation or dissolution all properties and assets of this corporation remaining after paying or providing for all debts and obligations shall be distributed and paid over to a fund, foundation or corporation organized and operated for charitable or religious purposes designated by the board of directors which shall at the time qualifies as a tax-exempt organization under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3), or as that statute may be amended.

ARTICLE IV - DIRECTORS

There shall be three members of the initial Board of Directors of the corporation. The method of electing Directors shall be as stated in the By-Laws of the corporation. There shall be no less than three members of the Board of Directors. The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial Directors are as follows:

Jane Simmons
5628 Todd Street
Pace, Florida 32571

Angela Lay
5604 Todd Street
Pace, Florida 32571

Genny L. Holley
4936 E. Spencerfield Road
Pace, Florida 32571

ARTICLE V - MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Corporation shall be governed by the By-Laws and the Corporation is formed on a non-stock basis.

ARTICLE VI - REGISTERED OFFICE

AND REGISTERED AGENT

The initial registered office, principal office, and mailing address of the corporation shall be located at 5628 Todd Street, Pace, Florida 32571. The initial registered agent of the corporation at that address shall be Jane Simmons.

ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the subscribers and incorporators to these Articles of Incorporation are:

Jane Simmons
5628 Todd Street
Pace, Florida 32571

Angela Lay
5604 Todd Street
Pace, Florida 32571

Genny L. Holley
4936 E. Spencerfield Road
Pace, Florida 32571

ARTICLE VIII - BY-LAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal By-Laws shall be by majority vote of the Board of Directors or by majority vote of the Members.

ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENT

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by an

affirmative vote of 2/3 of the members of the corporation present at a meeting duly called for that purpose. Notice for a meeting called for the purpose of amending these Articles of Incorporation shall be satisfied if the date, time and place of the meeting is announced at a regular meeting of the corporation at least seven (7) days in advance of the meeting.

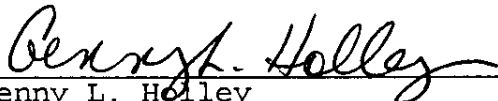
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed my name this the 5th day of ~~September~~ ^{October}, 2009



Jane Simmons



Angela Kay



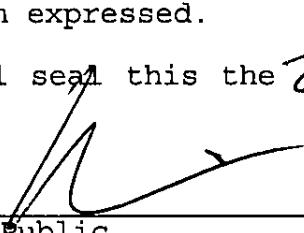
Genny L. Holley

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA

Before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at large, personally appeared Jane Simmons, before me well known and known to me to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation of **Vision of Hope, Inc.**, and being duly sworn acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 21st day of September, 2009.



Notary Public
My commission expires: _____

STATE OF FLORIDA

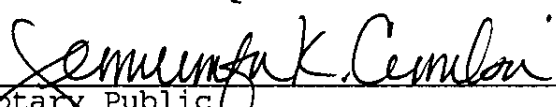
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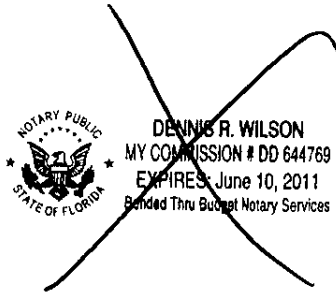
DENNIS R. WILSON
MY COMMISSION # DD 644769
EXPIRES: June 10, 2011
Bonded Thru Budget Notary Services

Before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at large, personally appeared Angela Lay, before me well known and known to me to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation of **Vision of Hope, Inc.**, and being duly sworn acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 24 day of September, 2009.



Notary Public
My commission expires: _____



JENNIFER K. CUMBIE
MY COMMISSION # DD 771645
EXPIRES: July 22, 2012
Bonded Thru Budget Notary Services

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COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA

SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

Before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at large, personally appeared Genny L. Holley, before me well known and known to me to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation of **Vision of Hope, Inc.**, and being duly sworn acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 5th day of ~~September~~ October, 2009.

Sherie Locklin

Notary Public
My commission expires: _____



CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS
FOR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS
WITHIN THIS STATE, AND NAMING AGENT
UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

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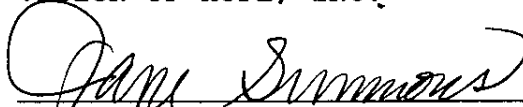
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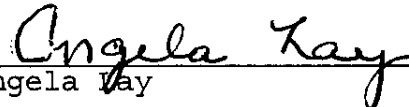
Pursuant to Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following
is submitted:

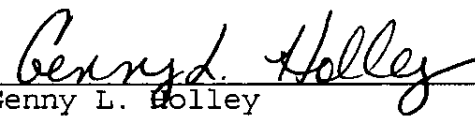
VISION OF HOPE, INC., desiring to organize under the Laws of
the State of Florida with its principal office as indicated in the
Articles of Incorporation at Pace, Santa Rosa County, Florida, has
named Jane Simmons, 5628 Todd Street, Pace, Florida 32571, as
agent to accept service of process within the state.

Dated this the 5th day of October, 2009.

VISION OF HOPE, INC.

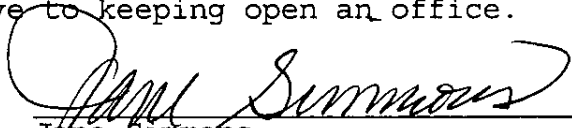

Jane Simmons


Angela Kay


Genny L. Holley

ACCEPTANCE

Having been named to accept service of process for the above
stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I
hereby accept to act in this capacity and agree to comply with the
provisions of the act relative to keeping open an office.


Jane Simmons