

N09000010559

(Requestor's Name)

(Address)

(Address)

(City/State/Zip/Phone #)

PICK-UP WAIT MAIL

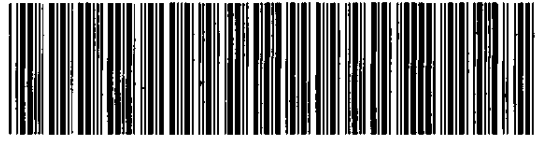
(Business Entity Name)

(Document Number)

Certified Copies _____ Certificates of Status _____

Special Instructions to Filing Officer:

Office Use Only



400161749514

10/15/09--01024--024 **78.75

SECRETARY OF STATE
TALAHASSEE, FLORIDA

09 OCT 29 PM 12: 57

APPROVED
AND
FILED

10/15/09 2 VH

COVER LETTER

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

SUBJECT: _____

S.W.A. G. G. A. A., Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

\$70.00
Filing Fee

\$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
Status

\$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

\$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Fannie Strickland
Name (Printed or typed)

3520 Whitehall Drive #106
Address

West Palm Beach, FL. 33401
City, State & Zip

(561) 324-5556
Daytime Telephone number

Fstrick3520@gmail.com
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

October 19, 2009

FANNIE STRICKLAND
3520 WHITEHALL DRIVE #106
WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401

SUBJECT: S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC., SWAGGA COMMUNITY YOUTH CENTER
Ref. Number: W09000046463

We have received your document for S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC., SWAGGA COMMUNITY YOUTH CENTER and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Entities may file using only the entity's name. Please delete any reference to the "doing business as name" in your document. If you wish to register your fictitious name, you may do so by filing an application and submitting the appropriate fees to this office.

An effective date **may** be added to the Articles of Incorporation **if a 2010 date is needed**, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. **A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.**

Please return the corrected original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6962.

Valerie Herring
Regulatory Specialist II
New Filing Section

Letter Number: 509A00033356

The undersigned, desiring to form a not for profit corporation under the provisions of Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, agree to the following:

ARTICLE I: NAME OF ORGANIZATION

The name of this corporation shall be, S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC.

ARTICLE II: PRINCIPLE OFFICE

The initial principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 3520 Whitehall Drive #106 West Palm Beach, Florida 33401.

ARTICLE III: PURPOSES

Section 1. S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC. is organized for charitable, educational and religious purposes as described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (Code) or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Section 2. The mission of S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC. is to protect, conserve, and restore community of Mangonia Park, through participation and cooperation of local concerned citizens and city council decision makers to meet the educational, spiritual and cultural needs for this and succeeding generations.

Section 3. This organization was formed to encourage youth involvement in the maintenance and restoration of the community, reduce gang and drug related violence and provide educational resources.

Section 4. S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC. shall have the following powers:

- * to establish policies for the Youth Center
- * to adopt and amend bylaws
- * to form standing and advisory groups or committees on any issues
- * to designate a bank in which S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC. funds will be deposited
- * to apply for, receive, and expend funds
- * to appoint and fix salaries of employees of S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC.
- * to adopt and carry into effect such measures as are deemed proper and expedient to promote the objectives of S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC.
- * notwithstanding any other provisions herein, to carry out any activities and exercise all authority not prohibited by these Articles or applicable law.

ARTICLE IV: MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. Membership in S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC. will be open to all interested parties, subject to the membership classifications and qualifications as set forth in the Bylaws.

Section 2. S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC. Board of Directors shall initially include three members. The number of Directors may be changed from time to time, pursuant to the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three.

Section 3. Members of the Board of Directors shall be elected and hold office in accordance with the Bylaws.

SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

09 OCT 29 PM 12:57

APPROVED
AND
FILED

ARTICLE V: BYLAWS

Section 1. The Board of Directors shall initially adopt Bylaws for the conduct of the business of S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC.

ARTICLE VI: AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended as provided by law. No amendments are permitted which would cause any loss of the corporation's status under section 501 (c) (3) of the Code.

ARTICLE VII: RESTRICTIONS ON ACTIVITIES

Section 1. Except as permitted by the election authorized under Section 501(h) of the Code, no substantial part of the activities of S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC. shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

Section 2. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC. , shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under the Code or (b) by an organization's contributions which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Code.

Section 3. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the Statement of Purpose hereof. The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to [your 501(c)(3) exempt purpose(s)] 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 VIII: DISTRIBUTION UPON DISSOLUTION

Upon dissolution of S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC., its residual assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c) (3) of the Code, or shall be distributed to the Federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any residual assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction in Florida exclusively for such purposes as the court shall determine.

ARTICLE IX: INITIAL BOARD MEMBERS/OFFICERS

The initial members of the Board of Directors of S.W.A.G.G.A.A., INC. are:

Name Address Title

Tanya Hamilton
660 Avenue O
Riviera Beach, Fl. 33404
Director of Youth Enrichment

Michael E. Strickland
3520 Whitehall Drive #106
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401
Executive Director

Fannie Strickland
3520 Whitehall Drive #106
West Palm Beach, Fl. 33401
Administrative Director

ARTICLE X: INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND INCORPORATOR AND STREET ADDRESS

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

Fannie J. Strickland
3520 Whitehall Drive #106
West Palm Beach, Fl. 33401
Registered Agent

Michael E. Strickland
3520 Whitehall Drive #106
West Palm Beach, Fl. 33401
Incorporator

SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

09 OCT 29 PM 12: 57

APPROVED
AND
FILED

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the undersigned, have hereunder set our hands and seals this 23rd day of October, 2009, for the purpose of forming this corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.



Signature-Registered Agent

10/23/2009

Date



Signature-Incorporator

10/23/2009

Date