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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

### INSPIRE! CENTER FOR WOMEN'S ENRICHMENT, INC. (A Not-For-Profit Corporation)

These Articles of Incorporation are signed and acknowledged by the incorporator for the purpose of forming a not-for-profit corporation under the provisions of Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes known as the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, as follows:

### ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is Inspire! Center for Women's Enrichmentalist.

ARTICLE II DURATION

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The term of this corporation is fixed in perpetuity and is to commence when these Articles of Incorporation are filed with the Florida Department of State.

#### ARTICLE III POWERS, MISSION, AND PURPOSE

This corporation is organized is to exercise any and all powers for which a Florida not-for-profit corporation may be established under Florida law.

The mission of this corporation is to be a focal point of feminine energy, where creativity flourishes, transformation unfolds, and the adventure of Life is shared for the benefit of all.

The purpose of this corporation is to benefit women and girls, and through them their families and the entire community, by offering opportunities for personal growth, creative expression, cultural exploration, education, avocations, and entrepreneurship.

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of this 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 Article III hereof. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this 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. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

## ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected shall be as follows: The term of each director shall be one year. A director may be re-elected for one or more terms. Any vacancy occurring on the board of directors shall be filled by a majority vote of the remaining directors.

#### ARTICLE V REGISTERED AGENT

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent and registered office is:

Name

Street Address

Madeline Ebelini

7790 Knightwing Circle Ft. Myers FL 33912

### ARTICLE VI INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

Madeline Ebelini

**Director and President** 

Cheryl Armstrong

**Director and Vice-President** 

Tara Schurdell

**Director and Secretary** 

Sandra Caceus

Director and Treasurer

Elba Plaza

Director

Marion Ahlstedt

Director

ARTICLE VII
AMENDMENT

These Articles may be amended by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of all directors.

ARTICLE VIII
INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is:

**Name** 

**Street Address** 

Madeline Ebelini

7790 Knightwing Circle

Ft. Myers FL 33912

#### ARTICLE IX PRINCIPLE OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principle office and mailing address for this corporation is

7790 Knightwing Circle Fort Myers FL 33912

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Date

Signature of Incorporator

Printed Name of Registered Agent

Madeline Ebelini

Printed Name of Incorporator

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