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ARTICLES OF INCORORATION

In Compliance with Chapter 617.0202, F.S, (Not for Profit)

Articles of Incorporation of the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of the State of Florida, do hereby certify:

Article I: The name of the Corporation shall be Hawthorne Youth Sports Inc.

Article II: The place in this where the principle office of the Corporation is to be located is 6000 SE 205th Street, Hawthorne, FL 32640. The mailing address for the corporation shall be PO Box 2412, Hawthorne, FL 32640

Article III: Said Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational 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. The objective is to educate the local area youth about the skills needed to play youth sports, and basic ideals of teamwork, sportsmanship, and fair play. In all aspects, the Corporation is committed to providing participants the very best educational, sports experience possible. It is the goal of the Corporation that every child with a desire to play youth sports be afforded that opportunity.

Article IV: At each Annual Meeting, the Members of the Corporation shall determine the number of Directors to be elected for the ensuing year and shall elect such number of Directors. All elections of Directors shall be by majority vote of all members present or represented by a properly executed and signed absentee ballot filed with the Secretary prior to the election meeting. Annual Meeting should be held on the second. Friday of December and in any case, its exact time and place shall be pre-announced to the Members.

The Board of Directors may appoint a Nominating Committee consisting of not less than one Director and other appointed Members. The committee shall investigate and consider eligible candidates and submit at the Annual Meeting a slate of candidates for the Board of Directors.

All officers, Directors, and members of any committee must be active Members in good standing.

Article V: The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial trustees of the Corporation are as follows:

Jason Upshaw (PD), 5107 SE 159th Street, Hawthorne, FL 32640, Jeff Pedro (VPD), 22321 East CR 1474, Hawthorne, FL 32640 Damon Messina (SD), 4629 SW 57th Drive, Gainesville, FL 32608, Amber Pedro (TD), 22321 East CR 1474, Hawthorne, Fl 32640

Article VI: No part of the net earning of the Corporation shall insure 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 fourth in Article Third hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation 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. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted not 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, contribution to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. This Corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not furtherance of the purpose of this Corporation.

Article VII: Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempts purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, r the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposal of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principle office of Corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organizations, as said Court, shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

Article VIII: The initial registered agent is Jason Upshaw located at 5107 SE 159th Street, Hawthorne, FL 32640, whose mailing address is PO Box 2412 Hawthorne FL 32640.

Article IX: The Incorporator is

Jason Upshaw
PO Box 2412

Hawthorne, FL 32640

Having been named as registered agent to accept corporation at the place designated in this certification.			
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