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Articles of Incorporation

In compliance with chapter 617,F.S. (Not for Profit)

Article I Name

Families Of The Shield Inc.

Article II Principal Office

1585 Adview RD Palm Bay FL 32909

Article III Purpose

The Corporation, a non-profit, charitable corporation, is organized and will be operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, (or the corresponding provisions of any future Internal Revenue Code).

The organization will without restriction provide assistance by all manner and means to law enforcement personnel as well as immediate family members who have suffered loss as a result of disaster, violence, injury, financial distress, or any other calamity. Relief provided will be by those means the organization feels is in its sole discretion to be appropriate. In the case of common disaster or unusual tragedy, the organization may expand the scope of its services to include other members of the public in its sole discretion.

This Corporation is also organized to promote, encourage, and foster any other similar charitable and educational activities, and to engage in any and all lawful activities incidental to the foregoing purposes, except as restricted herein. Said powers shall include, but not be limited to, the power to sue and to be sued; the power to enter into contracts; the right to receive property by device or bequest, subject to the laws regulating the transfer of property by Will, and otherwise acquiring and hold all property, real or personal, including shares of stock, bonds and securities of other corporations; to convey, exchange, lease, mortgage, encumber, transfer upon trust or otherwise dispose of any or property, real or personal; the power to borrow money, contracts debts and issue bonds, notes and debentures and to secure payment in performance of its obligations; provided, however, that the corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activity or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the primary purpose(s) of the Corporation

<u>Article IV Restrictions and Requirements</u>

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, Director, officer of the corporation, or any private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporation affecting one or more of its purposes). No part of the activities of the corporation shall be carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in or intervene in

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(including the publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501@(3) of the internal Revenue Code and its regulations as they now exists or as they may hereafter be amended, or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170@(2) of such Code and Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.

Article V Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501©(3) of the internal revenue code, or 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 disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the corporation resides.

Article VI Manner Of Election

Appointed by Founder

Article VII Initial Directors And/Or Officers

John A. Pasko 1585 Adview Rd Palm Bay FL 32909- Founder Cary Sargent 1132 Hailey ST W. Melbourne FL 32906-President Ronald Ward 558 Almond Ave. N.W. Pam Bay FL 32907-Treasurer

Article VIII Initial Registered Agent and Street Address

John A. Pasko 1585 Adview RD Palm Bay FL 32909

<u>Article VIIII Incorporator</u>

John A. Pasko 1585 Adview RD Palm Bay FL 32909

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Signature/Registered Agent

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Signature/Incorporator

Date

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