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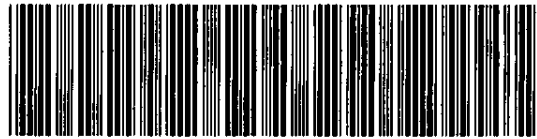
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Department of State  
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SUBJECT: GOD'S PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE, INC.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☐ \$70.00  
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☒ \$78.75  
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☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

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FROM: ELDER TIMOTHY ROUNDTREE

Name (Printed or typed)

16441 NW 20 AVENUE

Address

MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA 33056

City, State & Zip

305-625-1126

Daytime Telephone number

NONE

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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



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March 31, 2010

TIMOTHY ROUNDTREE  
16441 NW 20 AVE  
MIAMI GARDENS, FL 33056

SUBJECT: GOD'S PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE, INC.  
Ref. Number: W10000015967

We have received your document for GOD'S PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The Florida Statutes require an entity to designate a street address for its principal office address. A post office box is not acceptable for the principal office address. The entity may, however, designate a separate mailing address. The mailing address may be a post office box.

The registered agent must sign accepting the designation.

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.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
GOD'S PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE, INC.**

The undersigned, acting as incorporators under the provisions of the Florida Nonprofit Corporation Act set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes; do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE I  
NAME AND LOCATION**

The name of this corporation is the God's People Helping People, Inc. ("the Corporation"). The principal office of the corporation shall be located 16441 NW 20 Avenue, Miami Gardens, Florida 33056, however, the location may fixed and located at such a place within the State of Florida, as the Board of Director shall determine. The Board of Trustees/Directors is granted full power and authority to change said office from one location to another within the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE II  
DURATION**

The period of duration of the Corporation shall be perpetual.

**ARTICLE III  
PURPOSES**

The corporation is organized exclusively for religious, charitable, and educational purposes specified in Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 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.

Other purpose for which the Corporation is formed is:

- (a) To call believers to worship God, loving relationships with one another, proclamation of the gospel of Jesus Christ, and compassionate involvement in service to individual and families;
- (b) To operate as a nonprofit association of churches for the religious purposes as stated herein;
- (c) To strengthen congregations by equipping them to maximize their mission, ministry capabilities and potential;
- (d) To mobilize a network of individuals, churches, businesses and community organizations to provide spiritual, material and human resources in and for communities of need in a way that is redemptive.
- (e) To educate and train vocational Christian workers and lay persons through the establishment and operation of institutes of learning and theological seminaries;
- (f) To credential and help to place pastors, missionaries, and other Christian workers and to hold them accountable for personal life and ministry;
- (g) To produce and distribute Christian literate and other resources to edify and equip the church and to proclaim the gospel to unbelievers;
- (h) To facilitate fellowship, harmony, and cooperation among local congregations and unite them for mutual ministries beyond the scope and ability of the congregation standing along, while respecting the autonomy of such congregations, and, within that scope, to provide direction and coordination of ministries that will accomplish the purpose stated herein.

To engage in any other lawful activity which may hereafter be authorized from time to time by the Board of Trustees; provided, however, that the purposes for which the Corporation is formed shall at all times be consistent with Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as it now exists or as hereafter amended (the "Code"), including within such purposes the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Code.

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**ARTICLE IV  
MEMBERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT OF THE CORPORATION**

- (a) The qualification for members and the manner of their admission to membership shall be regulated by the bylaws of the Corporation. Qualification shall be available only to persons who have interest in the promulgation and furtherance of the teachings of Christian faith in general and of the God's People Helping People, in particular.
- (b) The authority for all affairs of the Corporation shall be in a Board of Trustees consisting of at least (3) directors who shall have and may exercise all the powers of the Corporation as permitted by federal law, state law, these Article of Incorporation, and the Bylaws of the Corporation as from time to time in effect. The members of the Board of Trustees shall be elected or appointed pursuant to the method set forth in the Bylaws of the Corporation but may not exceed twelve. The first Board of Trustees shall be three (c) in number, and their names and addresses being as follows:

**Timothy Roundtree, President  
16441 NW 20<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Miami Gardens, Florida 33056**

**Willie Cephus Kendall, Secretary  
2108 Langley Avenue  
Greenburg, North Carolina 27406**

**Irvin Cederic Williams, Treasurer  
1004 Cedar Bluff Road  
Centerville, Alabama 35960**

- (c) The officers of the Corporation shall be a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer. Other offices and officers may be established or appointed by members of the Corporation at any meeting of the Board of Trustees. The qualifications, the time and manner of electing or appointing, the duties of, the term of office, and the manner of removing officers shall be as set forth in the bylaws. The officers who are to serve until the first election of officers under these Articles of Incorporation are:

**ARTICLE V  
INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation is: Timothy Roundtree, 16441 NW 20<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Miami Gardens, Florida 33056.

**ARTICLE VI  
REGISTERED OFFICE**

The address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is 16441 NW 20<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Miami Gardens, Florida 33056, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Timothy Roundtree. The written consent of such person to serve as registered agent is attached hereto.

## **ARTICLE VII BYLAWS**

The Board is authorized to make, alter, amend, or repeal the Bylaws of the Corporation, and members shall have the authority to make, alter, amend, or repeal such Bylaws only as provided therein.

## **ARTICLE VIII LIMITATIONS**

The Corporation shall have no capital stock and no part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure in whole or in part to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any officer, Board member or other individual having a personal or private interest in the activities of the Corporation, or to any person or organization other than an organization which is exempt from federal income taxation under Sections 501(a) and 501(c) (3) of the Code, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered, to make reimbursement for reasonable expenses incurred in its behalf, and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes stated in Article III.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Code or (b) by a corporation the contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c) (2) of the Code.

## **ARTICLE IX TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING BOARD MEMBERS**

1. No contracts or other transactions between the Corporation and any other corporation, and no act of the Corporation shall in any way be affected or invalidated by the fact that any Board member of the Corporation is peculiarly or otherwise interested in, or is a trustee, director or officer of, such other corporation.
2. Any Board member, individually, or any firm of which any Board member may be a member, may be a party to, or may be pecuniarily or otherwise interested in, any contracts or transactions of the Corporation; provided, that the fact that such Board member or such firm is so interested shall be disclosed to or shall have been known by the Board or a majority thereof.
3. The Corporation shall not lend any of its assets to any member of the Corporation, nor to any Board member, nor guarantee to any person or organization the payment of a loan by a Board member or staff of the Corporation.

## **ARTICLE X DISTRIBUTION UPON DISSOLUTION**

Upon any dissolution of the Corporation under provisions of the laws of the State of Florida for nonprofit corporations, all of its assets remaining after payment of creditors shall be distributed to one Or more organizations selected by the Board which are qualified as exempt from taxation under the provisions of Sections 501(a) and 501(c)(3) of the Code, of any successor statutes, and which further the purposes set forth in Article III. In no event shall any of the Corporation's assets be distributed to the officers or Board members of the Corporation.

**ARTICLES XI  
LIMITED LIABILITY**

The liability of a volunteer trustee of the church shall be limited, eliminated, or assumed to the extent as is authorized under the relevant laws of the state in which it formed, except to the extent such limitation, elimination, or assumption of liability is inconsistent with the status of the church as an organization described in Section 501 (c)(3) of the Code or results in the imposition of tax under Section 4958 of the Code. No amendment or repeal of these Articles shall apply to or have any effect on the liability or alleged liability of any member of the Board or officer of this church for or with respect to any acts or omissions of such trustee occurring prior to the effective date of any such amendment or repeal.

**ARTICLE XII  
AMENDMENTS**

The corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation by the affirmative vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the Board of Trustees, which Vote must be ratified by a two-third (2/3) vote of the members of the Corporation upon (30) days' written or electronic notice to each member of the Corporation. If any member of the Corporation does not vote on ratification of the proposed amendment within 45 (forty-five) days, then that member is presumed to be voting in approval of the proposal.

**ARTICLE XIII  
CONSENT TO SERVE AS REGISTERED AGENT**

I, Timothy Roundtree, of 16441 NW 20 Avenue, Miami Gardens, Florida 33056 hereby consent to serve as the Registered Agent, in the State of Florida for God's People Helping People, Inc. I understand that as agent for said Corporation, it will be my responsibility to receive service of process in the name of said Corporation; to forward all mail to said Corporation; and to immediately notify the office of the Secretary of State in the event of my resignation, or of any changes in the registered office of the Corporation for which I am agent.

In witness whereof, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Article of Incorporation this March 25, 2010.

  
Registered Agent/Incorporator.

*Timothy Roundtree*

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