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

Subject:

North Central Florida FCC, Inc.

(incorporation of nonprofit corporation)

To whom it may concern:

Enclosed is an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for \$70.00 (\$35 filing fee + \$35 designation of registered agent).

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Tara Boonstra (incorporator and registered agent)

2735 N.W. 21st Street Gainesville, FL 32605

352-514-1862

online\_tara@yahoo.com

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR NORTH CENTRAL FLORIDA FCC, INC.

Article I: NAME. The name of the corporation is North Central Florida FCC, Inc.

Article II: **PLACE OF BUSINESS**. The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation is 2735 N.W. 21<sup>st</sup> Street, Gainesville, FL 32605.

Article III: **PURPOSE**. The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes, including 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. Specifically, the corporation is organized for the purpose of supporting families who intend to adopt children from Asia and families with children adopted from Asia.

Article IV: **RESTRICTIONS**. (A) 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 Article III. (B) 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. (C) Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the 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 V: MANNER IN WHICH DIRECTORS ARE ELECTED OR APPOINTED TO THE BOARD. The manner in which directors and officers are elected or appointed shall be set forth in the bylaws.

Article VI: INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS.

Tara Boonstra, President 2735 N.W. 21st Street Gainesville, FL 32605

Karen Schofield, Vice President 4121 NW 34th Drive Gainesville, FL 32605

Gwen Waite, Treasurer P.O. Box 385 Melrose, FL 32666

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Katielaine Islam, Secretary 5350 NE 200th Terr. Williston, FL 32696

Jennifer Miller, Director of Events 11324 NW 35th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606

Article VII: REGISTERED AGENT. The registered agent is Tara Boonstra. 2735 N.W. 21st Gainesville, FL 32605

I am familiar with and accept the responsibilities of registered agent.

Article VIII: INCORPORATOR. The incorporator is Tara Boonstra. 2735 N.W. 21st Street

Gainesville, FL 32605

Article IX: DISSOLUTION. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(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.