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SUBJECT: HOPE FOR ALL 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 :

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FROM: Brent Bonham  
Name (Printed or typed)

5131 Gunn Highway  
Address

Tampa, Florida 33624  
City, State & Zip

813-961-7278  
Daytime Telephone number

brentbonham77@aol.com ✓  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**For**  
**HOPE FOR ALL PEOPLE, Inc.**

We, the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of this country, hereby associate ourselves together for the purposes of becoming a corporation, not for profit, under Chapter 617, Laws of the State of Florida, providing for the formation, liability, rights, privileges and immunities of a corporation, not for profit, do hereby certify:

**Article I**  
**NAME OF CORPORATION**

The name of the corporation shall be **HOPE FOR ALL PEOPLE, Inc.**, and is hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation".

**Article II**  
**PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation is:

Hope For All People, Inc.  
5131 Gunn Highway  
Tampa, Florida 33624

**Article III**  
**POWERS**

The Corporation shall have all the statutory powers of a corporation, not for profit, and all of the powers and duties set forth in the By-laws. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the Florida Statutes, and By-laws, 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 of 1986 and (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

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## **ARTICLE IV GENERAL NATURE AND PURPOSE OF BUSINESS**

The general nature and purpose of the affairs to be conducted by this Corporation shall be the relief of the poor, distressed, or the underprivileged. The Corporation shall receive, manage and disburse gifts, bequests and other funds for the benefit of the Corporation and it's clients. The Corporation shall maintain suitable buildings and facilities necessary for the satisfactory operation of the Corporation.

This Corporation shall also be empowered to further scientific, educational, civic and charitable purposes with the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) and Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and in this connection to solicit, collect, and otherwise raise money for charitable purposes: to expend, contribute, disburse, and otherwise handle and dispose of the same for such purposes either directly or by contributions to other agencies, organizations, or institutions organized for the same purposes or similar purposes; to assist in harmonizing and making more efficient the work of charitable organizations in the State of Florida and the Hillsborough County Community, by cooperation with and assisting such organizations, and by receiving by gift, Will or otherwise, money or other proper means and by distributing it as may be deemed best for the promotion of charity in such communities; and to invest and manage the property of the organization; especially to coordinate the efforts of conservation for needy people; and to do any and all other things necessary in connection with or incidental to any of the foregoing.

## **ARTICLE V EXISTENCE**

This Corporation shall exist perpetually unless dissolved according to the Laws of the State of Florida.

## **ARTICLE VI REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT**

The registered office of the Corporation shall be at the principal place of business of **Hope For All People, Inc..** The Executive Director shall be the registered agent of the Corporation. Mr. Brent Bonham shall serve as the first registered agent. The first registered address shall be: 5131 Gunn Highway, Tampa, Florida 33624.

## **ARTICLE VII BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The business of the Corporation shall be conducted by the Board of Directors, hereinafter referred to as the Board. The Board shall be comprised of (8) members, each elected for a three year term beginning March 15, 2010. The Board shall appoint all officers of the Corporation necessary for appropriate operation. The Board shall use due diligence in oversight of the Corporation.

The Board shall formulate, cause to be implemented and evaluate the operating policies of the Corporation. Means of evaluating the programs of the Corporation for their effectiveness shall be originated and implemented. The Board is responsible to ensure proper use of all funds.

The Board Members and their initial term are listed below. After the initial term of appointment expires for each Board Member, that position shall be filled by a majority vote of the current members of the Board in attendance. Each term of service shall be three (3) years from the date of election. There are no term limitations.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>TERM EXPIRES</u>
➤ <b>Ernest Ray Roberts, Sr</b>  4807 Tannery Avenue Tampa, Florida 33624	Chairman of the Board	March 1, 2013
➤ <b>Brent Bonham</b>  13604 S. Village Drive Tampa, Florida 33618	Executive Director	March 15, 2013
➤ <b>Jency M. Bonham</b>  13604 S. Village Drive Tampa, Florida 33618	Secretary/Treasure	March 1, 2012

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| ➤ <b>Amir Mahdiah</b>                                 | Board Member | March 15, 2012 |
| 3932 Eden Roc Circle<br>Tampa, Florida 33634          |              |                |
| ➤ <b>Ann Roberts</b>                                  | Board Member | March 15, 2012 |
| 4807 Tannery Avenue<br>Tampa, Florida 33624           |              |                |
| ➤ <b>Susan Tormaschy</b>                              | Board Member | March 1, 2012  |
| P.O. Box 25783<br>Tampa, Florida 33622                |              |                |
| ➤ <b>Tom Suri</b>                                     | Board Member | March 15, 2011 |
| 6409 Amundson Street<br>Tampa, Florida 33634          |              |                |
| ➤ <b>James Kakoullis</b>                              | Board member | March 15, 2011 |
| 2210 North Euclid Circle<br>Clearwater, Florida 33764 |              |                |

## **ARTICLE VIII CORPORATE EARNINGS**

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its Board Members, 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 IV hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be for the purposes 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 provisions 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 income 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 IX DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION**

Upon 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. Exempt purposes selected by the Board must correspond to published purposes of the Corporation. Assets may be used for programs and /or physical facilities to house appropriate programs. Exempt purposes may be located in the State of Florida or the Hillsborough County Florida Community. At no time shall any assets of the Corporation at the time of dissolution be inured to the benefit of any Board Member or Officer of the Corporation.

## **ARTICLE X RACIAL NONDISCRIMINATORY POLICY**

It is the stated policy of the Corporation that it does not discriminate in either the dissemination of goods or services or the hiring of personnel on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin.

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## **ARTICLE XI INDEMNIFICATION OF DIRECTORS**

All Directors and Officers shall be indemnified by the Corporation against all expenses and liabilities including attorney's fees (including appellate proceedings) reasonably incurred in connection with any proceedings or settlements thereof in which they may become involved by reason of holding such office in accordance with Florida Statutes Section 607.9834 and other provisions of Section 607.

The Corporation may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of all Directors and Officers against any liability asserted against them or incurred by them in their capacity as Directors or Officers arising out of their status as such.

## **ARTICLE XII BY-LAWS**

The By-laws of the Corporation may be made, altered, amended or rescinded at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors, provided notice of the proposed change is given in the notice of the previous meeting and the proposal has been read at the previous meeting. A sixty percent (60%) vote of the Board of Directors present is required.

## **ARTICLE XIII AMENDMENTS**

The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation by a sixty percent (60%) majority vote of the Board of Directors present. The same procedure for amending the By-laws must be followed to amend, alter, change or repeal any provisions of the Articles of Incorporation.

## **ARTICLE XIV SCRIPTURAL BELIEFS**

**HOPE FOR ALL PEOPLE, Inc.** stands for the whole Bible rightly divided. The New Testament is the only rule for government and discipline.



## **Doctrinal Commitments**

1. Repentance – Mark, 1:15; Luke 13:3; Acts 3:19.
2. Justification – Romans 5:1; Titus 3:7.
3. Regeneration – Titus 3:5.
4. New Birth – John 3:3; 1 Peter 1:23; 1 John 3:9.
5. Sanctification subsequent to Justification – Romans 5:2; 1 Corinthians 1:30; 1 Thessalonians 4:3; Hebrews 13:12.
6. Holiness – Luke 1:75; 1 Thessalonians 4:7; Hebrews 12:14.
7. Baptism with the Holy Spirit subsequent to cleansing; the enduement of power for service – Matthew 3:11; Luke 24:49, 53; Acts 1:4-8.
8. The speaking in tongues as the Spirit gives the utterance as the initial evidence of the baptism of the Holy Spirit – John 15:26; Acts 2:4; Acts 10:44-46; Acts 19:1-7.
9. Spiritual gifts – 1 Corinthians 12:1, 7, 10, 28, 31; 1 Corinthians 14:1.
10. Fruit of the Spirit – Romans 6:22; Galatians 5:22-23; Ephesians 5:9; Philippians 1:11.
11. Tithing and giving – Genesis 14:18-20; Genesis 28:20-22; Malachi 3:10; Luke 11:42; 1 Corinthians 9:6-9; 1 Corinthians 16:2; Hebrews 7:1-21.
12. Premillennial second coming of Jesus.  
First, to resurrect the dead saints and to catch away the living saints to Him in the air. 1 Corinthians 15:52; 1 Thessalonians 4:15-17; 2 Thessalonians 2:1.  
Second, to reign on the earth a thousand years – Zechariah 14:4; 1 Thessalonians 4:14; 2 Thessalonians 1:7-10; Jude 14, 15; Revelation 5:10; Revelation 19:11-21; Revelation 20:4-6.
13. Resurrection – John 5:28-29; Acts 24:15; Revelation 20:5-6.
14. Eternal life for the Righteous – Matthew 25:46; Luke 18:30; John 10:28; Romans 6:22; 1 John 5:11-13.
15. Eternal punishment for the wicked. No liberation or annihilation – Matthew 25:41-46; Mark 3:29; 2 Thessalonians 1:8-9; Revelation 20:10-15; Revelation 21:8.

## **Practical Commitments**

16. Total abstinence from all liquor or strong drinks – Proverbs 20:1; Proverbs 23:29-32; Isaiah 28:7; 1 Corinthians 5:11; 1 Corinthians 6:10; Galatians 5:21.
17. against the use of tobacco in any form, opium, morphine, etc - Isaiah 55:2; 1 Corinthians 10:31-32; 2 Corinthians 7:1; Ephesians 5:3-8; James 1:21.
18. Christian day of worship – Romans 14:5-6; Colossians 2:16-17; Matthew 28:1; Acts 20:7; 1 Corinthians 16:12.

**ARTICLE XV  
INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the first Chairman of the Board of Directors and subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation shall be Ernest Ray Roberts, Sr., 4807 Tannery Avenue, Tampa, Florida 33624.

**ARTICLE XVI  
REGISTERED AGENT ACCEPTANCE**

Pursuant to Article VI, I accept the appointment of Registered Agent for this Corporation.

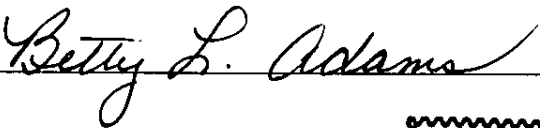
  
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Brent Bonham, Executive Director

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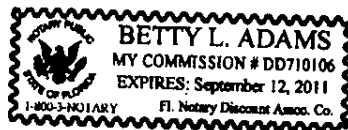
STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 26 day of March, 2010, before me, the officer duly authorized, personally, appeared: to me well known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged before me that he executed said instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State aforesaid, this the day and year last written.

  
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NOTARY PUBLIC  
My commission expires:



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**ARTICLE XVII  
SUBSCRIBERS**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, undersigned subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation, have set my hand and seal this 26 day of March, 2010.

Ernest Roberts Sr  
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Brent Bonham  
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Amir Mahdieh  
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Susan Tormaschy

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Tom Suri

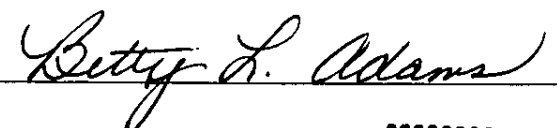
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James Kakoullis

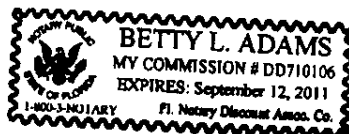
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