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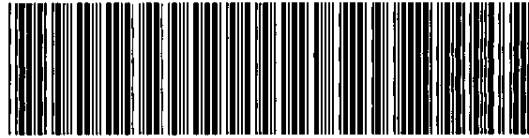
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TO: Amendment Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: The Gifford Florida Youth Orchestra, Inc.

Name of Corporation

DOCUMENT NUMBER: N10000006617

The enclosed Articles of Correction and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Clara Bujol

Name of Contact Person

The Gifford, Florida Youth Orchestra, Inc.

Firm/Company

8 Vista Gardens TRail #102

Address

Vero Beach, FL 32962

City/State and Zip Code

xtalankh@aol.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Crystal Bujol

Name of Contact Person

at (772) 778 - 5118

Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

\$35.00 Filing Fee

\$43.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status

\$43.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy

\$52.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

September 10, 2010

THE GIFFORD FLORIDA YOUTH ORCHESTRA, INCORPORATED
CLARA BUJOL
8 VISTA GARDENS TRAIL #102
VERO BEACH, FL 32962

SUBJECT: THE GIFFORD FLORIDA YOUTH ORCHESTRA, INCORPORATED
Ref. Number: N1000006617

We have received your document for THE GIFFORD FLORIDA YOUTH ORCHESTRA, INCORPORATED and your check(s) totaling \$43.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The current name of the entity is as referenced above. Please correct your document accordingly.

Articles of Correction must be filed within 30 days of the file date of the document that is being corrected. As the time period for filing Articles of Correction has expired, an amendment to the articles of incorporation could be filed at this time.

Please entitle your document Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation.

A certificate must accompany the Restated Articles of Incorporation setting forth one of the following statements: (1) The restatement was adopted by the board of directors and does not contain any amendments requiring member approval; OR (2) If the restatement contains an amendment requiring member approval, the date of adoption of the amendment by the members and a statement that the number of votes cast for the amendment was sufficient for approval.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6925.

Teresa Brown
Regulatory Specialist II

Letter Number: 710A00021587

**AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
FOR
THE Gifford Florida Youth Orchestra, Incorporated**

The restatement was originally adopted by the board of directors on July 1, 2010 and does not contain, any amendments requiring member approval.

Clara Bujil 12-7-10
Signature of Incorporator

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be The Gifford Florida Youth Orchestra, *Incorporated*

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The place of business shall be at the Gifford Community Center, 4855 43rd Avenue, Vero Beach, FL 32967. The mailing address of the corporation shall be: 8 Vista Gardens Trail #102, Vero Beach, FL 32962.

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

Section 1

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are exclusively charitable, religious, educational, literary, and scientific purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

Section 2

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

Section 3

The Mission Statement:

To provide education, experience, and training in various cultural and performing arts, including music, drama, dance, and the vocal arts for the youth of Gifford, Florida (and neighboring Florida communities), with a core focus on mastering stringed instruments.

Section 4

The following objectives are designed to achieve the indicated purposes stated in Section 1 and 2 above:

- A. To provide some relief of the poor, the distressed, and the underprivileged children, youth, and families, primarily of Gifford, Florida, and similar communities by promoting and

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providing opportunities to become skilled in the liberal arts of music, drama, dance, and other forms of creative expression with a special focus on stringed instruments; and

B. To provide sufficient training and performance experiences such that they can be self employed as tutors, teachers, and performers while attending high school, college and other institutions of higher learning; and

C. To provide an opportunity for students of all ages to appreciate cultural enrichment of all cultures and religions; and

D. To provide programs and activities for youth to learn:

- (1) The importance of working together as a team;
- (2) The importance of performing individually and with a group;
- (3) Self discipline;
- (4) The value of obeying rules;
- (5) How to develop and encourage self esteem in self and others; and
- (6) How to redirect emotional issues toward positive results and character development.

E. To provide liberal arts scholarships to assist students in the program to help them attend college or a vocational/technical institution or assist them while they are in the Gifford Youth Orchestra program; and

F. To provide performing arts tutoring, mentoring, and classes to teach the children in the program of the fine art of playing an instrument in the orchestra; performing in dramatic presentations; speech; dance, story telling, vocal training and other forms of liberal arts; and

G. To provide supportive activities to enhance the above with special programs such as:

- (1) Special sports for hand eye coordination;
- (2) Martial arts and/or Movement Meditations for discipline;
- (3) Summer camps to further intensify their music education;
- (4) Health workshops to increase their awareness of healthy practices; and
- (5) Community service for the children, and

H. To provide opportunities for the students to perform in public and there increase their self esteem while helping to eliminate prejudice and discrimination; and combat community deterioration and juvenile delinquency, and

I. To support these programs in the Gifford Community by establishing at least five (maybe more) divisions of Gifford Youth Orchestra, Incorporated:

- (1) The Gifford Tennis Club;
- (2) The Gifford Community Newsletter;
- (3) The Gifford Speech and Drama Club; and
- (4) The Gifford School of Performing Arts;
- (5) The Parent's Association.

J. If we find we need to have more divisions to deliver our services to the youth, children and families of Gifford, Florida and neighboring communities, we will develop them as needed.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

A Board of Directors shall manage the business affairs of this Corporation. The Board of Directors shall be members of the Corporation. Members of the Board of Directors shall be elected to hold office in accordance with the By-laws. The Corporation shall have (3) directors initially. The number of directors may be increased from time to time in accordance with the By-Laws, but shall never be less than three (3).

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

Section 1

The names and addresses of individuals who are to serve as directors for the ensuing year or until the first annual meeting of the corporation are:

Rev. Elaine Armour-Word	2011 Parker	Berkeley,	CA 94704
Rev. Rainbow Johnson	8533 Capital of Texas Highway, #1068	Austin,	TX 78759
Jeryl S. Thompson	214A Palmer Avenue	Costa Mesa,	CA 92627

Section 2

The names and address of individuals who are to serve as officers for the ensuing year or until the first annual meeting of the Corporation are:

Clara Bujol, President	8 Vista Gardens Trail #102	Vero Beach, FL 32962
Lenora Quimby, Secretary	4990 10th Street	Vero Beach, FL 32966
Audrea Perry, Treasurer	4615 43 rd Court	Vero Beach, FL 32967

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

Lenora Quimby	4990 10th Street	Vero Beach, Florida 32966
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ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Clara Bujol	8 Vista Gardens Trail #102	Vero Beach, FL 32962
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ARTICLE VIII ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

The following additional provisions are inserted for the regulation of the affairs of the corporation:

Section 1

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of attempting to influence legislation by propaganda or otherwise, or directly or indirectly participating in, or intervening in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

Section 2

Upon dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding section of any future Federal Tax Code, or shall be distributed to the Federal, State, or local government for 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 principal office of the organization, exclusively for such purposes, or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

Section 3

No compensation shall be paid to any member, office, director, trustee, creator, or organizer of the corporation or substantial contributor to it except as a reasonable allowance for services actually rendered to or for the corporation.

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.

- Lenora Quimby
Signature Registered Agent

8-24-10
Date

Clara Bujol
Signature Incorporator

8-24-10
Date

In witness whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names this tenth day of August, 2010.

Rev. Elaine Armour-
Word

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Rev. Rainbow Johnson

Rev. Rainbow Johnson

Jeryl S. Thompson

Jeryl Thompson

Clara (Crystal) Bujol

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