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**TO:** Amendment Section  
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**NAME OF CORPORATION:** Harvest Christian Church of Hernando County Florida

**DOCUMENT NUMBER:** N11000000201

The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

ROBERT HANNUM

(Name of Contact Person)

(Firm/ Company)

7352 BLUE SKIES DRIVE

(Address)

SPRING HILL, FL 34606

(City/ State and Zip Code)

rhannum@harvestspringhill.org

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Robert Hannum

(Name of Contact Person)

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## RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1007, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following Restated Articles of Incorporation.

### ARTICLE I – Name of the Corporation

Harvest Christian Church of Hernando County Florida, Inc.

### ARTICLE II – Place of Business

The Principal place of business of this Corporation is 1202 Kenlake Ave., Spring Hill, FL 34606. The mailing address is PO Box 6059, Spring Hill, FL 34611-6059.

### ARTICLE III – Purpose

We exist to fulfill the Great Commission: “Then Jesus came to them and said, ‘All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.’” Matthew 28:18-20 (NIV), holding Him (Jesus) and His word (The Bible) as our standard and authority.

We do this as a self-governed and self-controlled Church with By-laws adopted in furtherance of these objectives. As used herein the term “Church” is substituted for the name of the Corporation, Harvest Christian Church of Hernando County Florida, Inc.

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and/or scientific purposes under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as Amended (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Revenue Law). No part of the earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, trustees, officers or other private persons, except that the organization 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 the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. 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, or 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.

#### ARTICLE IV –Directors and Officers of the Corporation

Directors will be called Elders. To be considered for eldership, one must be male, be an active and integral part of this local body of believers, and meet the qualifications of Elders contained in Titus 1:6-9 and 1 Timothy 3:1-7. Current elders who meet these qualifications may appoint additional Elders in the spirit of Acts 14:23. These newly appointed elders must then be affirmed by the members of Harvest Christian Church of Hernando County Florida, Inc. before taking office.

Notwithstanding the preceding, if at any time there are less than three (3) elders serving, any male member of the church may be appointed by the elders to serve as a director until such time as there are at least three elders serving.

#### ARTICLE V – Name/Addresses/ Offices of the initial Directors/Officers

Chairman/President – John J. Murphy, 14735 Edgemere Dr, Spring Hill, FL 34609.

Vice Chairman/Vice President – Christopher K. Keats, 3106 Abeline Rd, Spring Hill, FL 34608.

Secretary/Treasurer – Robert H. Hannum, 7352 Blue Skies Dr., Spring Hill, FL 34606.

The initial Directors/Officers will serve in that capacity until the appointment and affirmation of their successors. The number of Directors will not be limited to three.

#### ARTICLE VI – Name and Florida Street Address of the initial Registered Agent,

Robert H. Hannum, 7352 Blue Skies Dr., Spring Hill, FL 34606.

Acceptance of the designation, “Registered Agent” X

  
Robert H. Hannum

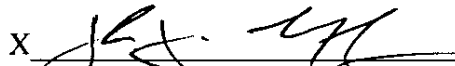
#### ARTICLE VII – Names and addresses of the Incorporators,

John J. Murphy, 14735 Edgemere Dr., Spring Hill, FL 34609.

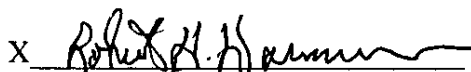
Christopher K. Keats, 3106 Abeline Rd., Spring Hill, FL 34608.

Robert H. Hannum, 7352 Blue Skies Dr., Spring Hill, FL 34606.

Acknowledgement of being “The Incorporators” X

  
John J. Murphy

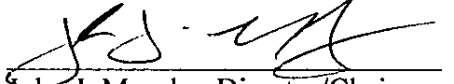
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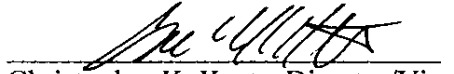
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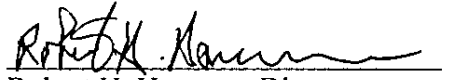
ARTICLE VIII – Dissolution

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets will be turned over to a church or Para church ministry provided that such church or Para church ministry is a qualifying 501 (c) (3) organization under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended.

The date of adoption of these restated articles of incorporation was June 19, 2011.

  
John J. Murphy, Director/Chairman


  
Christopher K. Keats, Director/Vice Chairman

  
Robert H. Hannum, Director

CERTIFICATION: The undersigned, being all of the Directors, on this 19th day of June, 2011 hereby certify the following: 1) that these restated articles of incorporation include amendments to the articles of incorporation, 2) that the Directors unanimously adopted a resolution approving these restated articles of incorporation, 3) that on the 19th day of June, 2011 the members entitled to vote on the amendments to the articles of incorporation, voted as follows; 26 in favor and 0 opposed, and 4) that the number of votes cast in favor of the amendments to the articles of incorporation was sufficient for approval.

  
John J. Murphy, Director/Chairman

  
Christopher K. Keats, Director/Vice Chairman

  
Robert H. Hannum, Director

Articles of Amendment  
to  
Articles of Incorporation  
of

Harvest Christian Church of Hernando County Florida, Inc.

(Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State)

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(Document Number of Corporation (if known))

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this **Florida Not For Profit Corporation** adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

**A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporation:**

*The new name must be distinguishable and contain the word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the abbreviation "Corp." or " Inc." "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name.*

**B. Enter new principal office address, if applicable:**  
(Principal office address **MUST BE A STREET ADDRESS**)

1202 Kenlake Ave.

Spring Hill, FL 34606

**C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable:**  
(Mailing address **MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX**)

PO BOX 6059

Spring Hill, FL 34611-6059

**D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered office address in Florida, enter the name of the new registered agent and/or the new registered office address:**

Name of New Registered Agent:

New Registered Office Address:

(Florida street address)

\_\_\_\_\_, Florida  
(City) (Zip Code)

**New Registered Agent's Signature, if changing Registered Agent:**

*I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of the position.*

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Signature of New Registered Agent, if changing

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**If amending the Officers and/or Directors, enter the title and name of each officer/director being removed and title, name, and address of each Officer and/or Director being added:**

*(Attach additional sheets, if necessary)*

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**E. If amending or adding additional Articles, enter change(s) here:**  
(attach additional sheets, if necessary). (Be specific)

See Attachment 1

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ATTACHMENT 1

Harvest Christian Church of Hernando County Florida, Inc.

**Article III – Purpose** was amended to change the organizational status to a 501 (c) (3) corporation. The following paragraph was added to Article III.

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and/or scientific purposes under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as Amended (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Revenue Law). No part of the earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, trustees, officers or other private persons, except that the organization 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 the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

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, or 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.

**Article IV – Directors and Officers of the Corporation** was amended to correct a Scripture reference and to add an additional paragraph.

In the first paragraph, the Scripture, 1 Timothy 3:17, was corrected to be 1 Timothy 3:1-7.

The added paragraph is as follows:

Notwithstanding the preceding, if at any time there are less than three (3) elders serving, any male member of the church may be appointed by the elders to serve as a director until such time as there are at least three elders serving.

**Article VIII – Dissolution** was added to comply with 501 (c) (3) requirements.



In the event of dissolution, the residual assets will be turned over to a church or Para church ministry provided that such church or Para church ministry is a qualifying 501 (c) (3) organization under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended.

An additional section, CERTIFICATION, was added to certify when and by how many votes these Restated Articles of Incorporation were adopted by the members of the corporation entitled to vote.

The date of each amendment(s) adoption: June 19, 2011

*(date of adoption is required)*

Effective date if applicable: June 19, 2011

*(no more than 90 days after amendment file date)*

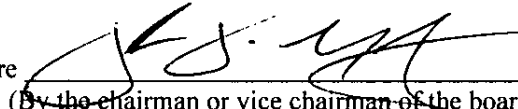
Adoption of Amendment(s)

**(CHECK ONE)**

- ☒ The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment(s) was/were sufficient for approval.
- ☐ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors.

Dated June 19, 2011

Signature



*(By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator – if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)*

John J. Murphy

*(Typed or printed name of person signing)*

Chairman

*(Title of person signing)*