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**COVER LETTER**

**TO:** Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** First Providence Community Church, Inc.  
(Name of Surviving Corporation)

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

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to following:

Robert E. Jones  
(Contact Person)

First Providence Community Church, Inc.  
(Firm/Company)

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(Address)

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**ARTICLES OF MERGER**  
(Not for Profit Corporations)

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The following articles of merger are submitted in accordance with the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, pursuant to section 617.1105, Florida Statutes.

**First:** The name and jurisdiction of the surviving corporation:

| <u>Name</u>                                    | <u>Jurisdiction</u> | <u>Document Number</u><br>(If known/ applicable) |
|--|---------------------|--|
| <u>First Providence Community Church, Inc.</u> | <u>Florida</u>      | <u>N11000000599</u>                              |

**Second:** The name and jurisdiction of each merging corporation:

| <u>Name</u>   | <u>Jurisdiction</u> | <u>Document Number</u><br>(If known/ applicable) |
|---|---------------------|--|
| <u>The Providence Church, Inc.</u>                      | <u>Florida</u>      | <u>N97000000467</u>                              |
| <u>The Full Gospel Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc.</u> | <u>Florida</u>      | <u>N98000003641</u>                              |
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**Third:** The Plan of Merger is attached.

**Fourth:** The merger shall become effective on the date the Articles of Merger are filed with the Florida Department of State

**OR**    /    /    (Enter a specific date. NOTE: An effective date cannot be prior to the date of filing or more than 90 days after merger file date).

*(Attach additional sheets if necessary)*

**Fifth: ADOPTION OF MERGER BY SURVIVING CORPORATION**  
**(COMPLETE ONLY ONE SECTION)**

**SECTION I**

The plan of merger was adopted by the members of the surviving corporation on \_\_\_\_\_.  
The number of votes cast for the merger was sufficient for approval and the vote for the plan was as follows:  
\_\_\_\_\_ FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST

**SECTION II**

**(CHECK IF APPLICABLE)** ☐ The plan or merger was adopted by written consent of the members and executed in accordance with section 617.0701, Florida Statutes.

**SECTION III**

There are no members or members entitled to vote on the plan of merger.  
The plan of merger was adopted by the board of directors on January 18, 2013. The number of directors in office was 5. The vote for the plan was as follows: 5 FOR 0 AGAINST

**Sixth: ADOPTION OF MERGER BY MERGING CORPORATION(s)**  
**(COMPLETE ONLY ONE SECTION)**

**SECTION I**

The plan of merger was adopted by the members of the merging corporation(s) on \_\_\_\_\_.  
The number of votes cast for the merger was sufficient for approval and the vote for the plan was as follows: \_\_\_\_\_ FOR \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST

**SECTION II**

**(CHECK IF APPLICABLE)** ☐ The plan or merger was adopted by written consent of the members and executed in accordance with section 617.0701, Florida Statutes.

**SECTION III**

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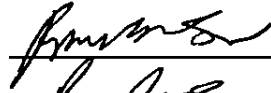
**Seventh: SIGNATURES FOR EACH CORPORATION**

Name of Corporation

Signature of the chairman/  
vice chairman of the board  
or an officer.

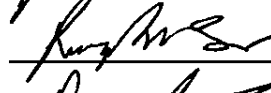
Typed or Printed Name of Individual & Title

First Providence Community Church, Inc.




Russell A. Wright, Sr., President

The Providence Church, Inc.



Russell A. Wright, Sr., President

The Full Gospel Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc.



Russell A. Wright, Sr., President

## PLAN OF MERGER

The following plan of merger is submitted in compliance with section 617.1101, Florida Statutes and in accordance with the laws of any other applicable jurisdiction of incorporation.

The name and jurisdiction of the surviving corporation:

Name

### Jurisdiction

First Providence Community Church, Inc.

## Florida

The name and jurisdiction of each merging corporation:

Name

### Jurisdiction

The Providence Church, Inc.

## Florida

The Full Gospel Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc.

## Florida

The terms and conditions of the merger are as follows:

The Providence Church, Inc., and The Full Gospel Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc., will merge into First Providence Community Church, Inc. The directors and officers of First Providence Community Church, Inc., will continue to serve in their current capacities. All debts and obligations of the merged entities will become debts and obligations of the surviving entity, and all assets of the merged entities will become assets of the surviving entity.

A statement of any changes in the articles of incorporation of the surviving corporation to be effected by the merger is as follows:

None.

Other provisions relating to the merger are as follows:

None.