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

SUBJECT: Good Samaritan Ministries, 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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☒ \$78.75
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& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Steve Clayton

Name (Printed or typed)

1484 SE Village Green Dr.

Address

Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

City, State & Zip

772-335-7677

1484 SE Village Green Dr. Phone number

rossclayton75@gmail.com

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

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: Good Samaritan Ministries, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal street address
1484 SE Village Green Dr.
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Mailing address, if different is:

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

Good Samaritan Ministries, Inc.'s purpose is to operate a thrift store that makes it possible to provide a ministry that meets the needs of the less fortunate. Our vision is to offer housing, food, childcare, transportation, and tools for employment for single mothers and their children; individuals leaving the penal system, substance abuse addicts, and domestic violence victims.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:

As set forth in the bylaws.

ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

Name and Title: Vito Bitetto, President
Address: 1484 SE Village Green Dr.
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Name and Title: _____
Address: _____

Name and Title: Steve Clayton, Treasurer
Address: 225 SE Aubudon Ave.
Port St. Lucie, FL 34983

Name and Title: _____
Address: _____

Name and Title: Rachel Ross, Secretary
Address: 145 SE Sagamore Terr.
Port St. Lucie, FL 34983

Name and Title: _____
Address: _____

ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Name: Vito Bitetto
Address: 1484 SE Village Green Dr.
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: Vito Bitetto
Address: 1484 SE Village Green Dr.
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

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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

Vito Bitetto

Required Signature of Registered Agent

Vito Bitetto

6/2/11

Date

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

Vito Bitetto

Required Signature of Incorporator

Vito Bitetto

6/2/11

Date

Good Samaritan Ministries, Inc.
Articles of Incorporation Attachment

ARTICLE VIII- ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

1. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as an exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
2. No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed 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 corporation shall consist of the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in, 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 purposes 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.
3. The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.
4. The manner of distribution of assets in this Corporation's winding up is as follows: 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, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or state or local government for public purpose. Any such asset not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purpose or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

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