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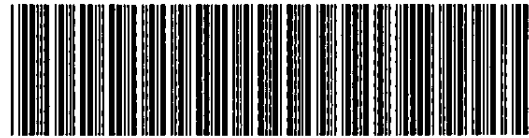
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SUBJECT: Rhema Word Christian Center, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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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☒ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Andrew L Williams Sr.
Name (Printed or typed)

75 Don Polston Drive
Address

Eagle Lake, Florida 33839
City, State & Zip

863-632-1064
Daytime Telephone number

Rhema@tamphay.cc.com
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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February 6, 2012

ANDREW L. WILLIAMS, SR.
75 DON POLSTON DRIVE
EAGLE LAKE, FL 33839

SUBJECT: RHEMA WORD CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC.
Ref. Number: W12000007001

We have received your document for RHEMA WORD CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Section 617.0803, Florida Statutes, requires that the board of directors never have fewer than three directors.

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

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
RHEMA WORD CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC.**

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(A Corporation Not for Profit)

We, the undersigned, with others persons being desirous of forming
A corporation for charitable, religious, and educational purposes, under the
provisions of Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes does agree to the following.

ARTICLE I -- NAME

The name of this corporation is:

RHEMA WORD CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC.

ARTICLE II -- PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of incorporation shall be:

The location of this corporation shall be at:

75 Don Polston Drive Eagle Lakes, Florida 33839

ARTICLES III -- PURPOSE(S)

The specific purpose(s) for which the corporation is organized is (are):

The object, business and purpose of this corporation is religious and
Nonpolitical and shall be devoted to promoting a spirit of religious brotherhood and
A closer association between the members of organization and to uphold and maintain
The Constitution of the United States of America and all the subdivisions there under
And to assist in the maintaining of law and order, to serve and uplift Our community,
county, state, and country. To strengthen the unstable by providing and delivering
materials, training and other helps based on the needs of the people. Our soul purpose is a
holistic approach to developing spiritual based educational and artistic programs
designed to mold individuals into morally responsible citizens in body, mind, and spirit.
To create a forum that will effectively provide an avenue for exploring, developing and
harnessing the potentials that exist within our youth and community. To redirect angry

unproductive and negative behavior, replacing it with a positive life changing direction resulting in prepared, confident, and emotionally well balanced people. To provide a wide variety of well planned and professionally directed activities designed to interrupt patterns of criminal behavior by building self esteem for self-improvement and development of a healthy attitude mentally, physically, and morally. To offset the negative environment with a positive action aimed to prevent crime and build productive citizens, to teach the same to our individual members and to the community at large; Our core issues will be Thomas Brown Bible School / Education , Love Connection Christian Daycare & Learning Center, Character Building / Self Esteem (Personal Development counseling), Anger Management / Conflict Resolution, Employability Skills, Parenting Classes, and G.E.D. Classes. Other interest will be focused on Teen Pregnancy Prevention, Sex and abstinence education, Homeless Shelters for Women, HIV / AIDS Prevention and Education, Domestic Violence (violence free lifestyle), Drugs / Alcohol Prevention. Community Redevelopment focused on housing structure also spiritual and physical redevelopment and creating new businesses, Economic Empowerment through wealth development education and heritage preservation. Also Education, Public Health, Safety and Human Services, Job Services, Economic Development, Community Development Corporations, Homeless Shelters, Transitional Houses Senior Services, Day Care Facilities, Youth Programs, Performing Arts, Music, and to create capital resources private and public. We aim to safeguard and transmit to posterity the purity and righteousness of individual freedom. To Assist in charitable work of any nature deemed beneficial and to the best Interests of the order and to society as a whole and to raise funds for caring the same into effect in any manner allowed by the constitution and the Bylaws of the order and permitted under the laws of the State of Florida and The Constitution of the United States of America.

RECOGNITION OF EXEMPTION FOR TAX EXEMPT STATUS

A.) The organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

B.) No part of the net 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 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, section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

C.) Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501 © (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— MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTOR

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is:

The affairs of the corporation are to be managed by the appointed Executive Director, President Director, and Chairman Director, these initially are the three directors. The Membership of this corporation shall constitute all persons hereinafter named as such other persons of good moral Character, from time to time hereafter may become a member. Members of the Board of Directors shall be members nominated and approved by a majority vote of those Members. The number of directors shall be increased from time to time, by the bylaws but shall never be less than three. The business affairs of The Board of Directors shall manage this corporation. These members are elected and hold office in Accordance with the bylaws.

ARTICLE V —THE STREET ADDRESS OF THE REGISTERED AGENT IS:

The name and Florida Street address of the initial registered agent is:

Andrew L. Williams Sr. 75 Don Polston Drive Eagle Lake, Florida 33839
I am familiar with and accept the appointment of registered agent.

The names and address of the agent who are to serve as Directors and Officers of the Corporation for the ensuing year or until the election of the corporation is:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Andrew L. Williams Sr.	<u>Executive Director</u>	75 Don Polston Drive Eagle Lake, Fl 33839
Andrew L. Williams Sr.	<u>President Director</u>	75 Don Polston Drive Eagle Lake, Fl 33839
Bertha L. Comer-Reynolds	<u>Chairman Director</u>	326 Lake Millsite Rd. E. Bartow Fl 33830
Bertha L. Comer-Reynolds	<u>Treasure</u>	326 Lake Millsite Rd. E. Bartow Fl 33830
Debra C. Ardis	<u>Director</u>	326 Lake Millsite Rd. E. Bartow Fl 33830
Debra C. Ardis	<u>Secretary</u>	326 Lake Millsite Rd. E. Bartow Fl 33830

ARTICLE VI – BY-LAWS

Section 1. The Board of Directors of this corporation may provide such By-Laws the conduct of its business and the carrying out of its purposes as they may deem necessary from time to time.

Section 2. Upon proper notice the By-Laws may be amended, altered or Rescinded by a majority vote of those members of the Board of Directors present at any regular meeting or any special meeting or any called for that purpose.

ARTICLE VII – TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

ARTICLE VIII – DISSOLUTION

In the event of dissolution the residual assets of the organization will be turned Over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations which They are exempt as organizations described in sections 501 (c) (3) and 170-(c) (2) Of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future Law or to the Federal, State or local government for exclusive public purpose.

ARTICLE IX INCORPORATOR

The **name and address** of the Incorporator and Registered agent to these Articles of Incorporation are: **Andrew L. Williams Sr. 75 Don Polston Drive Eagle Lake, Florida 33839** IN WITNESS WHEREOF I, the undersigned registered agent are familiar with and accept the appointment of registered agent, and have hereunto set our Hands and seals this 29 Day of **January** 2012, for purposes of forming this Corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.



Andrew L. Williams Sr. Incorporator



Andrew L. Williams Sr. Register/Agent

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