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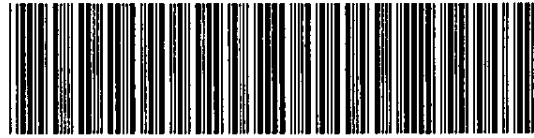
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Kiwanis Club of Starke Foundation, 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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☒ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Linda Lee
Name (Printed or typed)

PO Box 125
Address

Starke, FL 32091
City, State & Zip

904-966-3022
Daytime Telephone number

lindakiwanis@embarqmail.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)

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ARTICLE I:

That the name of said corporation shall be **Kiwanis Club of Starke Foundation, Inc.**

ARTICLE II:

The principal office of the corporation for the transaction of business is to be located at 434 W. Call Street, Starke, Florida 32091 with a mailing address of PO Box 125, Starke, Florida 32091 and is within the County of Bradford, State of Florida.

ARTICLE III:

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE IV:

(a) The purposes for which said corporation is formed are to assist needy person, particularly young people; to assist worthy youth in attaining vocational excellence, and to aid handicapped persons in regaining happy, useful lives through the expending of funds directly for such purposes or by the furnishing of funds to other organizations organized for charitable, scientific research, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children, all within the purview of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and the Regulations there under.

(b) The specific purposes are:

- To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.
- To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.
- To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business, and professional standards.
- To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.
- To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.
- To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and goodwill.

ARTICLE V:

This Corporation is organized pursuant to the General Non-Profit Corporation Law of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE VI: OFFICERS:

The affairs of the corporation shall be administered by a President, a Vice President, A Secretary, a Treasurer, and such other officers as the Board of Directors may from time to time designate. The names and addresses of the officers, who shall serve until the first election of officers in accordance with the By-Laws of the corporation, are as follows:

President:
Michael Reddish 21203 NW 74th Ave, Starke, FL 32091

Vice-President:
Sherry Ruszkowski 1700 E Call St, Starke, FL 32091

Secretary:
Christina Crews 1450 S. Walnut St, Starke FL 32091

Treasurer:
Linda J. Lee 19859 NW 71st Ave, Starke FL 32091

ARTICLE VII: Board of Directors

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall consist of not less than six (6) elected directors and the above officers. Directors and Officers shall be elected to the Board of Directors annually, at the annual meeting of the corporation. The name and address of the directors who shall serve until the first election of directors is conducted in accordance with the By-Laws of the corporation are as follow:

Martin Slaughter	1200 Butler Rd, Starke FL 32091
Virginia Walkup	127 Cygnet Ln, Melrose FL 32666
Brenda Farnsworth	1318 Bessent Rd, Starke FL 32091
Phillip Johns	PO Box 460, Starke FL 32091
Warren Carver	9298 NW 219th St, Starke FL 32091
Steve Futch	403 S Cherry St, Starke, FL 32091

ARTICLE VIII:

The authorized number and qualifications of members of the corporation, the different classes of membership, if any, the property, voting, and other rights and privileges of members, and their liability to dues or assessments and the method of collections thereof, shall be set forth in the bylaws.

ARTICLE IX:

This Corporation does not contemplate the distribution of gains, profits or dividends to the members thereof, and is organized for non-profit purposes; no part of any net earnings or assets thereof shall inure to the benefit of any members or any other individual.

ARTICLE X:

In the event of the dissolution of these corporations, after paying or adequately providing for the debts or obligations of this corporation, the directors, or persons in charge of liquidation, shall grant, convey, assign and transfer the remaining assets of this corporation unto:

- (1) A state, a territory, a possession of the United States, or any political subdivision of any of the foregoing; or to the United States or the District of Columbia, to be used exclusively for public purposes.
- (2)
 - a. Created or organized in the United States or in any possession thereof, or under the law of the United States, any state or territory, the District of Columbia, or any possession of the United States;
 - b. Organized and operated exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literacy, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals;
 - c. No part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual; and
 - d. No substantial part of the activities of which is carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation.

The assets transferred to any organization listed above shall be used within the United States, or any of its possessions, exclusively for the purposes specified in subparagraph (b).

No such organization listed above shall qualify for distribution unless such organization shall be an organization, association, fund or foundation organized and operated exclusively for charitable, religious, scientific or educational purposes which is a tax-exempt, non-profit corporation under the United States the United States Internal Revenue code, and which is recognized as such by the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

If the corporation holds any assets in trust at the time of dissolution thereof, such assets shall be disposed of in such manner as may be directed by decree of the Superior Court in the county in which the dissolved corporation had its principal office, upon petition therefore by the Attorney General, or any person concerned in the liquidation.

ARTICLE XI:

- (a) The corporation and its members will at all times abide and be governed and controlled by the Bylaws and Policies of Kiwanis International now in force or hereafter from time to time adopted, insofar as any provision of such Bylaws may be applicable;
- (b) the corporation will comply with all such conditions and requirements as Kiwanis International may prescribe;
- (c) no amendments to the Articles of Incorporation or corporate bylaws or change in the purpose of the corporation shall be made without the consent of Kiwanis International;
- (d) Foundations sponsored by Kiwanis groups shall sign agreements similar to those signed by clubs, providing that whenever requested by the Board of Trustees of Kiwanis International, the corporation shall dissolve or change its form of organization, and they shall not be required to include such provision in the articles of incorporation.

ARTICLE XII: Registered Agent

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

Linda J. Lee 19859 NW 71st Ave, Starke, FL 32091

ARTICLE XIII: Incorporator

The name and address of the Incorporator is:


Michael Reddish 21203 NW 74th Ave, Starke, FL 32091

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF the persons who are to act in the capacity of first directors of this corporation have hereunto set their hands this 28th day of February 2012.



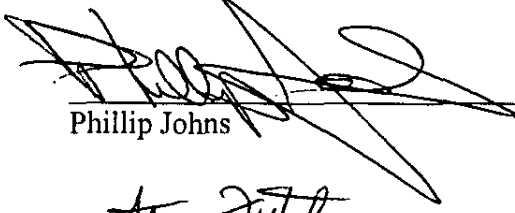
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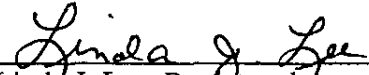


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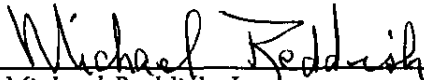
Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity



Linda J. Lee, Registered Agent

February 28, 2012
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.



Michael Reddish, Incorporator

February 28, 2012
Date