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Department of State
Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: Fern Park Associates, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
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& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Debbie R Driskell

Name (Printed or typed)

237 Fernwood Blvd.

Address

Fern Park FL 32730

City, State & Zip

407-831-2411

Daytime Telephone number

debdriskell@seminolecares.org

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

OF

FERN PARK ASSOCIATES, INC.

(A Not for Profit Corporation)
In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

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ARTICLE I – NAME AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The name of this corporation is Fern Park Associates, Inc.

ARTICLE II – PRINCIPLE OFFICE

The principal place of business is located at 237 Fernwood Boulevard, Suite F,
Fern Park, Florida 32730.

ARTICLE III – PURPOSE

This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes for the welfare of the general public, including, for such purposes the management, evaluation, consultation, education and delivery of behavioral healthcare services for adults and children. The purposes for which this Corporation is organized shall be limited to those which are strictly charitable and educational within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The Corporation shall have all powers now or hereafter granted by law, and in addition thereto shall have all powers lawfully necessary or required to carry out its purposes and objects. All of the assets or earnings shall be used exclusively for the

purposes hereinabove set out, including payment of expenses incidental thereto. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation 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 as stated in this Article. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

This corporation shall have a perpetual existence, unless dissolved by law or as provided by Chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE IV – MANNER OF ELECTION

The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its property controlled and its affairs conducted by a Board of Directors. The number of directors of the corporation shall not be less than three (3). All members shall be over the age of 21 years. The

officers of the corporation, as provided by the By-Laws of the corporation, shall be elected by the directors of the corporation, in the manner therein set out, and shall serve until their successors are elected and have qualified. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time and their election and appointment shall be as specified in the bylaws of the Corporation, provided that the Corporation shall always have at least three (3) directors. The Corporation shall not have any members.

ARTICLE V: INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

Name and Title: Debbie R Driskell, President
237 Fernwood Blvd., Suite F
Fern Park FL 32730

Name and Title: Scott C Griffiths, Vice-President/Treasurer
237 Fernwood Blvd., Suite F
Fern Park, FL 32730

Name and Title: Parissa M Sadri, Secretary
237 Fernwood Blvd., Suite F
Fern Park, FL 32730

ARTICLE VI – INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The county in the State of Florida where the principal office for the transaction of the business of this corporation is to be located in the County of Seminole, at 237 Fernwood Boulevard, Suite F, Fern Park, Florida 32730, and the initial Registered Agent of this corporation is Fern Park Associates, Inc., Barbara Foy, 237 Fernwood Blvd., Suite F, Fern Park, Florida 32730.

ARTICLE VII: BYLAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the board of directors of the Corporation.

ARTICLE VIII - AMENDMENT

These articles of incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law.

ARTICLE IX – DISSOLUTION

Upon the 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 to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE X – INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: Debbie R Driskell, President
Address: 237 Fernwood Blvd., Suite F
Fern Park FL 32730

CERTIFICATE

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.

Barbara Foy

Barbara Foy, Registered Agent

4.24.12

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.

Debbie R Driskell

Debbie R Driskell, Incorporator

4.24.12

Date

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STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF SEMINOLE

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by FERN PARK ASSOCIATES, INC., DEBBIE R. DRISKELL, this 24 day of April A.D., 2012, personally known to me or who provided _____ as identification.

(Affix Notarial Seal)

Laurie A Reid
Notary Public, State of Florida

