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# **Certificate of Conversion**

For

# Limited Agricultural Association into Florida Not For Profit Corporation

This Certificate of Conversion and <u>attached Articles of Incorporation</u> are submitted to convert the following <u>Limited Agricultural Association into a Florida Not For Profit Corporation</u> in accordance with Sections 604.14 and 617.1809, Florida Statutes.

- 1. The name of the Limited Agricultural Association immediately prior to the filing of this Certificate of Conversion is **Madison County Farm Bureau**, **LAA**.
- 2. The Limited Agricultural Association was initially formed under ss.604.09-604.14, Florida Statues, on **September 12, 1952.**
- 3. The name of the Florida Profit Not For Profit Corporation as set forth in the **attached Articles of Incorporation** is **Madison County Farm Bureau**, **Inc**.

4. <b>FEI/EIN Number</b> : 590817185	Email Address:	Lindsey.La	wson ffbicson	ı
5. If not effective on the date of filing, ente	r the effective date	:	2 AUG CRET	TI
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that the facts stated in this document are true. felony as provided for in s.817 155, F.S.	_	ion constitu	ites a Hiffd degre	e
Signature of Incorporator:	with J-			_
Printed Name: Jeffery Hamrick J.	<u>2</u>	itle:	President	_
Signature(s) of all person(s) required by	Limited Agricul	tural Asso	ociation's Artic	cles of
Association or Bylaws: Signature: July Junguel Ju				
Printed Name Jeffer Hamrick Je				
Address: 2942 S.W. Sundawn Creek Rd (	Greenville, FL	32331		
Title: President Signature: Bulla Grane	,			
Printed Name: Bubba Greene				
Address: P.O. B. 38, Madison, Fl. 3	12341			

Title: Vice President

Signature: Robert P. Searce
Printed Name: RABERT P SEPRCY
Address: 6753 F. U.S. 90 Lee, Fl. 32059
Title: Secretary
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Signature: Printed Name:
Address:
Title: Treasurer
Signature: RW Tem
Printed Name: Richard Torry
Address: 4055E Gus pinder are Madison Fle 32340
Title: Director
Signature: John C. Welt
Printed Name: John C. Webb
Address: 176 SE- PIONERT St., Lee, FIA. 32059
Title: Director
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Printed Name: Carron & Paarlberg
Address: 378 NC Laurel Cakouay, Ee Th 32059
Title: Director
Signature:
Address: 1615 N.W. Concord Church Road Greenville, Fl 32331
Title: Director
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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be MADISON COUNTY FARM BUREAU, INC.

### ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal Office Address:

Mailing Address, if different, is:

233 West Base Street Madison, FL 32340

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## ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

Section 1. To promote, foster and encourage more efficient and progressive agriculture.

<u>Section 2</u>. To enable the farmers and growers of Florida to enjoy the manifold benefits of joint and collective effort.

<u>Section 3</u>. To work for the solution of the problems of the farm, the farm home, and rural community, by the use of recognized advantages of organized action, to the end that those engaged in the various branches of agriculture may have opportunity for happiness and prosperity in their chosen work.

<u>Section 4</u>. To represent, protect and advance the social, economic and educational interests of farmers in Florida.

<u>Section 5</u>. To cooperate with Florida Farm Bureau Federation and through it, with the American Farm Bureau Federation, and with the Agricultural Extension Service in bringing their resources to the farmers of Florida.

<u>Section 6</u>. To do and perform any and all acts and things necessary, proper, convenient or desirable for and to affect the full and complete exercise and enjoyment of any and all of the powers and purposes of the Corporation hereby created.

This Corporation does not contemplate pecuniary gain to the members thereof.

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### **ARTICLE IV DIRECTORS**

The property, affairs, business, and operation of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors, which shall be elected as provided in the Bylaws.

### ARTICLE V OFFICERS

The officers of the Board shall consist of a President, a Vice President, a Secretary, a Treasurer, and such other officers as may be elected or appointed. All officers shall be elected or appointed as provided in the Bylaws.

# ARTICLE VI INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

The officers who are to conduct the business of the Corporation until their successors are elected and qualified are as follows:

President and Director Jeffery Hamrick Jr.
Address 2942 5 W Sundown Creek Rd.
City, State, Zip breenville, F. 32331
Vice President and Director Bussa, Greene
Address Pobox 38
City, State, Zip maxison, F. 32341
Secretary and Director Robert Searces
Secretary and Director Robert Searcy  Address 6753 E. US 1-tung 90
City, State, Zip Lee, F- 32059
Treasurer and Director
Address
City, State, Zip

Director Richard Terry
Address 405 SE Gunpowder Are
City, State, Zip Madison. R. 32340
Director_ John C. Wess
Address 176 SF Pioneer St.
City, State, Zip Lee, Fr. 32059
Director <u>Ginny Paarlberg</u> Address <u>398 NE Laurel Och Wary</u> City, State, Zip <u>Lee</u> , <u>Fr. 32059</u>
Address
City, State, Zip <u>CC</u> , <u>PL</u> . 32059
Director Travis Page
Director Travis Page Address 1615 NW Concord Church Rd.
City, State, Zip <u>Greenville</u> , R. 32340
Director <u>Darrell Tuten</u>
Address 2519 5W Mosely Hale Rd
City, State, Zip Madison. Fe. 32340
Director Dewayne Coscie
Address 1192 NE Alore Auc
City, State, Zip Pinetter, Fr. 32350
Director
Address
City, State, Zip
Director
Address
City, State, Zip

## ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

The <u>name and Florida street address</u> of the Registered Agent is:

Name: Jeffery Hamrick, Jr.

Florida Street Address:

233 West Base Street

Madison, FL 32340

# ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The **name and address** of the Incorporator is:

Name: Jeffery Hamrick, Jr.

Florida Street Address:

233 West Base Street

Madison, FL 32340

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.

Required Signature of Registered Agent

8-21-12 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.

Required Signature of Incorporator

Date