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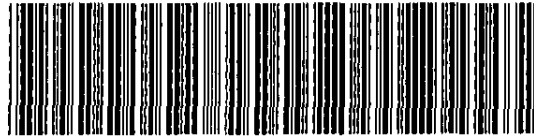
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**Certificate of Conversion**

For

**Limited Agricultural Association into Florida Not For Profit Corporation**

This Certificate of Conversion and **attached Articles of Incorporation** are submitted to convert the following **Limited Agricultural Association into a Florida Not For Profit Corporation** 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 **Marion County Farm Bureau, LAA**.
2. The Limited Agricultural Association was initially formed under ss.604.09-604.14, Florida Statutes, on **06/12/1967**
3. The name of the Florida Profit Not For Profit Corporation as set forth in the **attached Articles of Incorporation** is **Marion County Farm Bureau, Inc.**
4. **FEI/EIN Number:** 590674589      **Email Address:** Natalie.Carroll@mcfc.com
5. If not effective on the date of filing, enter the effective date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed this 21<sup>ST</sup> day of August, 2012

**Required Signature for Florida Not For Profit Corporation:** Individual signatory affirms that the facts stated in this document are true. Any false information constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

Signature of Incorporator: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: James C LeFebvre Title: President

**Signature(s) of all person(s) required by Limited Agricultural Association's Articles of Association or Bylaws:**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: James C LeFebvre

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: President

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: Todd S. Dailey

Address: 1420 SE 10th Ave, Ocala FL 34471

Title: Vice President

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Secretary

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Signature: DAL

Printed Name: D.A. Lewis, Jr.

Address: 2930 SE 41<sup>st</sup> Place, Ocala, FL 34480

Title: Treasurer

Signature: Adolf Alfred Kury

Printed Name: ADOLF ALFRED KURY

Address: 10850 N.E. HWY 315, FORT MCOSY, FL. 32134

Title: Director

Signature: J. A. Boyer

Printed Name: Jones A. Boyer

Address: 4214 SE 11<sup>th</sup> Place, Ocala, FL 34471

Title: Director

Signature: Henry C. Spears DUM

Printed Name: Henry C. Spears DUM.

Address: PO Box 279 Citra, FL 32113

Title: Director

Signature: Samuel B. Love Jr

Printed Name: Samuel B. Love Jr

Address: 10825 SE Sunset Harbor Rd Summerfield, FL 34491

Title: Director

Signature: Samuel B. Howard

Printed Name: SAMUEL B. HOWARD

Address: P.O. Box 2340 Silver Springs, FL 34489

Title: Director

Signature: Jeff Vermeulen

Printed Name: JEFF VERMEULEN

Address: 2951 E. Hwy 318, Citra, FL 32113

Title: Director

Signature: Tavis Douglass

Printed Name: Tavis Douglass

Address: P.O. Box 903 Citra, FL 32113

Title: Director

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Director

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Director

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Director

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

**ARTICLE I NAME**

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

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**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

Principal Office Address:

5800 SW 20<sup>th</sup> Street  
Ocala, FL 34474

Mailing Address, if different, is:

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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.

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

Section 3. 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.

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

Section 5. 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.

Section 6. 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.

#### **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 James C. Letils Jr.  
Address P.O. Box 1055  
City, State, Zip Sparr, FL 32192

Vice President and Director Todd Dailey  
Address 1420 SE 10<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
City, State, Zip Ocala, FL 34471

Secretary and Director Sarah Joe Thomas  
Address 18413 SW 69<sup>th</sup> Loop  
City, State, Zip Dunnellon, FL 34432

Treasurer and Director D.A. Lewis Jr.  
Address 2930 SE 41<sup>st</sup> Place  
City, State, Zip Ocala, FL 34480

Director Jim Boyer  
Address 4214 SE 11<sup>th</sup> Place  
City, State, Zip Ocala FL 34471

Director Tavis Douglass  
Address P.O. Box 903  
City, State, Zip Citra, FL 32113

Director Sam Howard  
Address P.O. Box 298  
City, State, Zip Sparr, FL 32192

Director Adolf A. Kunz  
Address 10850 NE County Road 315  
City, State, Zip Ft. McCoy, FL 32134

Director Samuel Love  
Address 10825 SE Sunset Harbor Rd.  
City, State, Zip Summerfield, FL 34491

Director Joy Papy  
Address 4912 NW 27<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
City, State, Zip Ocala, FL 34475

Director Russell Randall  
Address 450 SW 210<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
City, State, Zip Dunnellon, FL 34431

Director Jerry Spears  
Address P.O. Box 279  
City, State, Zip Citra, FL 32113

Director Jeff Vermillion  
Address 2951 E Hwy 318  
City, State, Zip Citra, FL 32113

**ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT**

The **name and Florida street address** of the Registered Agent is:

Name: **James LeFils, Jr.**

Florida Street Address: 5800 SW 20<sup>th</sup> Street  
Ocala, FL 34474

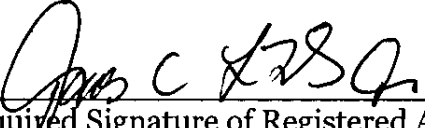
**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

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

Name: **James LeFils, Jr.**

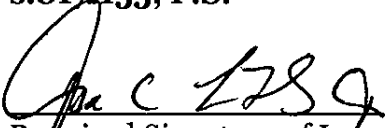
Florida Street Address: 5800 SW 20<sup>th</sup> Street  
Ocala, FL 34474

**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.**

  
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Required Signature of Incorporator

8/21/12  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date