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

SUBJECT:	Rivers 2 Nations, Inc.	
	(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – <u>MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX</u>)	

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

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\$78.75 Filing Fee

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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Esperanza Rita Crisler

Name (Printed or typed)

11630 Twin Creeks Drive

Address

Fort Pierce, FL 34945

City, State & Zip

(772) 465-5266

Daytime Telephone number

rita@rivers2nations.cva

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

Nonprofit Corporation Articles of Incorporation of

RIVERS 2 NATIONS, INC.

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

Article I: Name

The name of the corporation shall be: RIVERS 2 NATIONS, INC.

Article II: Principal Office

Street Address 11630 Twin Creeks Drive Fort Pierce, FL 34945 Mailing Address P.O. Box 13352 Fort Pierce, FL 34979

Article III: PURPOSE

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and religious purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Service.

The purposes of this corporation will include, but are not limited to:

- Advancing the Completion of the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20) through spreading the gospel and planting churches among unreached peoples.
- Increasing awareness among the Body of Christ, locally and globally, through education and information about the Biblical mandate to complete the Great Commission.
- Challenging the Body of Christ to greater strategic involvement in the completion of the Great Commission.
- Equipping, sending and resourcing teams and individuals to carry out the Great Commission among unreached peoples throughout the world.

ARTICLE IV: TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have perpetual existence unless it shall be dissolved according to the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE V: MANNER OF ELECTIONS

Members of the initial board of directors shall serve until the first annual meeting, at which qualified successors may be elected as provided in the bylaws.

ARTICLE VI: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The management of the affairs of the corporation shall be vested in a board of directors, as defined by the corporation's bylaws. The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is five (5). Their names and addresses are as follows:

Kenneth James Crisler 11630 Twin Creeks Drive Fort Pierce, FL 34945 Joseph Michael Silva, 1285 SE Coral Reef Street Port Saint Lucie, Florida 34983

Esperanza Rita Crisler 11630 Twin Creeks Drive, Fort Pierce, FL 34945 Thomas Raymond Fischer 9026 SW Sawgrass Way Palm City, Florida 34990

Marina Lucia Silva, 1285 SE Coral Reef Street Port Saint Lucie, Florida 34983

Article VI: LIMITATIONS

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, 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 in Article III hereof.

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, this 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.

Article VII: DEDICATION OF ASSETS

Upon the dissolution, termination, or winding up 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 VIII: REGISTERED AGENT

Esperanza Rita Crisler 11630 Twin Creeks Drive, Fort Pierce, FL 34945

ARTICLE IX: INCORPORATOR

Kenneth James Crisler 11630 Twin Creeks Drive Fort Pierce, FL 34945

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.

Signature of Registered Agent **Printed Name of Registered Agent**

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.

lature of incorporator

Printed Name of Incorporator