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July 10, 2013

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

RE: Sober Viking Recovery Services, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please accept for filing the enclosed Articles of Incorporation and Certificate of Designation of Registered Agent/Registered Office for the captioned non-profit corporation. Also enclosed is my Trust Account check in the amount of \$78.75 made payable to the Florida Department of State which represents your required filing fees and the fee for a certified copy.

After filing the Articles of Incorporation and Certificate of Designation of Registered Agent/Registered Office, please provide me with a certified copy of each document for my client. A photocopy of the Articles of Incorporation and Certificate of Designation of Registered Agent/Registered Office and a self-addressed, postage pre-paid, return envelope are both enclosed for your use and convenience.

Thank you and please let me know if I need to provide you with anything further in order to incorporate Sober Viking Recovery Services, Inc.

Sincerely,

David L. Hancock, Esq.

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION of SOBER VIKING RECOVERY SERVICES, INC.

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#### ARTICLE I - CORPORATE NAME

The name of this corporation is Sober Viking Recovery Services, Inc.

#### ARTICLE II - PURPOSES OF CORPORATION

This corporation is organized under Florida Statutes Chapter 617, the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act. This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, or any corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The charitable purposes of this corporation will include providing a safe, supportive environment for all qualified persons suffering from the chronic disease of chemical dependency and experiencing mental health disorders and also providing quality, ethical, and effective recovery treatment and medical, psychiatric, educational, therapeutic, and counseling services to said qualified persons regardless of those persons ability to pay. Such charitable purposes shall also include all purposes not prohibited by the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act.

#### ARTICLE III - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation are:

Principal Place of Business: 1850 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Suite C-8

Vero Beach, Florida 32960

Mailing Address: 1850 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Suite C-8 Vero Beach, Florida 32960

#### ARTICLE IV - MEMBERSHIP

The corporation is authorized to have members as permitted by the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act and the corporation may issue membership certificates. If the corporation has members, no part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members. Members, if any, shall have no voting or other rights except as provided in these Articles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE V - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The name and physical and mailing address of the initial registered agent of the corporation is David L. Hancock, Esq., 2145 15<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Vero Beach, Florida 32960.

#### ARTICLE VI - INCORPORATORS

The name(s) and street address(es) of the incorporator(s) of these Articles of Incorporation are:

Name

Address

David L. Hancock

2145 15<sup>th</sup> Avenue Vero Beach, Florida 32960

#### ARTICLE VII - EFFECTIVE DATE

The effective date of these Articles of Incorporation shall be the date of filing of these Articles of Incorporation and the corporate existence shall be deemed to commence on that date.

#### ARTICLE VIII - DIRECTORS OF CORPORATION

The Board of Directors of this corporation shall consist of not less than five (5) nor more than eleven (11) individuals. The Directors shall be elected or appointed for a term of one year. The Board of Directors shall be composed of persons having an interest in the charitable purposes of the Corporation, by contributing funds for the needs and programs or services of the corporation or by providing medical, psychiatric, educational, therapeutic, and counseling services or expertise. Notwithstanding the foregoing, not less than twenty percent (20%) of the members of the Board of Directors shall be members of the general public. All corporate powers where corporation must be exercised by or under the authority of, and the affairs of the corporation managed under the direction of, the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall seed annually such officers as permitted by the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act.

#### ARTICLE IX - NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, or any corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, directors, 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 II 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 of Incorporation, 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.

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 any 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 any 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(s) as the aforesaid court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

The undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation on the 10th day of July, 2013.

David L. Hancock, Incorporator

2145 15th Avenue

Vero Beach, Florida 32960

### CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT AND REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF FLORIDA STATUTES, CHAPTER 617, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

- 1. The name of the corporation is: Sober Viking Recovery Services, Inc.
- 2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is: David L. Hancock, Esq.

Street Address:

Mailing Address:

2145 15th Avenue

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Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

David L. Hancock, Esq.

Dated: July 10 , 2013

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