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SUBJECT: Citrus Park Christian School of Hillsborough County, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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## Articles of Incorporation of

### Citrus Park Christian School of Hillsborough County, Inc.

The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

#### **Article 1**

The name of the corporation is CITRUS PARK CHRISTIAN SCHOOL OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, INC.

#### Article 2

The street address of the principle place of business of the corporation is 7705 GUNN HIGHWAY, TAMPA, FLORIDA 33625

#### Article 3

This corporation is organized as a Christian school exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Revenue Law) including for such purposes, but not limited to, the providing of a preschool, elementary, and secondary Christian education to children in an atmosphere in which God's Word is taught; the equipping of students to lead a Christ-centered life by putting their trust in God first; and the engaging in any other activity not prohibited to corporations under the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Act that is in furtherance of Section 501(c)(3) tax-exempt purposes.

#### **Article 4**

The corporation shall not have members. The affairs of the Corporation shall be conducted, and all corporate authority shall be exercised, by or under the authority of the board of directors.

#### Article 5

The corporation shall have a minimum of three (3) directors. The qualifications,

duties, and method of election of directors shall be stated in the bylaws of the corporation. The names and addresses of the initial members of the board of directors are:

Melanie Diaz 15614 Berea Drive

Odessa, Florida 33556

Chris Buck 5410 Breathless Lane

Lutz, Florida 33558

Ron Hockman 14141 Stonegate Drive

Tampa, Florida 33624

Lisa Kurial 3104 Lakestone Drive

Tampa, Florida 33618

Desiree Ullo 14506 Mirasol Manor Court

Tampa, Florida 33626

Ann Morrick 10519 Greensprings Drive

Tampa, Florida 33626

Mark Musser 16205 Swenson Terrace

Lutz, Florida 33549

#### Article 6

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, after paying or making provision for payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, all of the remaining assets of the corporation shall be distributed exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, religious, or educational purposes as shall at the time qualify as an organization exempt from Federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

#### Article 7

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.

#### Article 8

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its 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 tax-exempt purposes of the corporation set forth in Article 3.

#### Article 9

The corporation shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national or ethnic origin. The corporation shall admit students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students and shall be racially nondiscriminatory in the administration of all of its policies and programs.

#### Article 10

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 7705 GUNN HIGHWAY, TAMPA, FLORIDA 33625, and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation is KAREN K. JEFFERS.

#### Article 11

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, except that the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

#### Article 12

The name of the incorporator is WILLARD L. BRAY, and the address of the incorporator is 16603 HANNA ROAD, LUTZ, FLORIDA 33549.

#### Article 13

The period of the duration of the corporation is perpetual unless dissolved according to law.

In Witness Whereof, the undersigned, being the incorporator of this corporation, has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 20th day of November, 2013.

#### **Acceptance By Registered Agent**

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above named 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.

Nov. 20, 2013

Date