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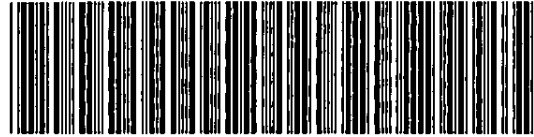
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To: Department of State
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

Subject: The Healing & Empowerment Center, Inc.
(Proposed Corporate Name)

Enclosed are one original and two copies of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for \$87.50 paying for the Filing Fee, a Certified Copy, and a Certificate of Status.

From: Anna M. Richard
3724 Grand Prix Drive
Sebring, FL 33872
(863) 658-1189
2healandempower@gmail.com

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In compliance of Chapter 617, F.S., Corporation Not for Profit

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Article I – Name: The name of the corporation shall be:

The Healing & Empowerment Center, Inc.

Article II – Principle Office: Principal street and mailing address:

The Healing & Empowerment Center, Inc.
Anna M. Richard
3724 Grand Prix Drive
Sebring, FL 33872

Article III – Purpose: The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

To provide trauma-informed and evidence-based mental health services complemented with creative therapeutic tools and techniques to fit the uniqueness of each individual that have experienced psychological trauma. We will offer diverse empowerment groups for youth, including increase of self-esteem, making healthy life-choices, and gaining skills to address trauma exposure connected with violence, stress, anxiety, and depression. Mentoring and targeted case management services will be available to children and families in order to enhance their opportunity to live healthy and safe lives.

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Article IV – Purposed Clause:

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, 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, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

Article V - Dissolution Clause:

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 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 VI - Manner of Election: The manner of which the directors are elected and appointed:

As stated in the bylaws.

Article VII – Initial officers and/or directors:

Name and Title: Davis-Deuth, Muriah J. - *Chair*
Address: 344 Boeing Street NW
Lake Placid, FL 33852
Phone: (863) 840-0671

Name and Title: Kinchen, Lisa M. - *Secretary*
Address: 1351 Ponce de Leon Street
Lake Placid, FL 33852
Phone: (863) 464-1801

Name and Title: Richard, Anna M. - *Treasurer*
Address: 3724 Grand Prix Drive
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Article VIII – Registered Agent:

Name: Anna M. Richard
Address: 3724 Grand prix Drive
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(863) 658-1189

Article IX – Incorporator:

Name: Muriah Davis-Deuth
Address: 344 Boeing Street NW
Lake Placid, FL 33852
(863) 840-0671

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.

 2/3/2015

Required Signature of Registered Agent

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.

 2/3/2015

Required Signature of Incorporator

Date: