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## COVER LETTER

Department of State  
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**SUBJECT:** PA CHARITIES, INC.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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**FROM:** CINDY EZELL  
Name (Printed or typed)

2300 VIRGINIA AVE., RM 107

Address

FORT PIERCE, FLORIDA 34982

City, State & Zip

(772) 462-1071

Daytime Telephone number

PA\_FINANCE@PASLC.ORG

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

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

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
PA Charities, Inc.

**A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION**

The undersigned incorporator(s), in order to form a non-profit corporation under the laws of the state of Florida, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

ONE: the name of this corporation shall be:

PA Charities, Inc.

TWO: The principle place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

2300 Virginia Ave, Rm 107  
Fort Pierce, FL 34982

THREE: This corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

The specific purposes for which this corporation is organized are:

- A. The purposes for which the PA Charities, Inc. is organized are exclusively charitable and educational within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.
- B. The Corporation shall not distribute any gains, profits or dividends to the Directors, Officers, or Members thereof, or to any individual, except as reasonable compensation for services actually performed in carrying out the Corporation's charitable and educational purposes. No 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 the opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, 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.

- C. 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 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 the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organizations, as the Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.
- D. To solicit, collect and otherwise raise money to fund those aims and goals, of the PA Charities, Inc. which are exclusively charitable and within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

FOUR: The manner in which the Directors are elected is as follows:

The Offices and Directors will be elected in the same manner as the Offices and Directors of the organization and hold the same office as held in the PA Charities, Inc. as per By-Laws Article IV.

FIVE: The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, unless limited as follows:

No additional limits.

SIX: These Articles on Incorporation may be amended as follows:

- A. At any regular or special meeting of the Corporation, at which a quorum is present, by affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting, providing the Trustees have previously considered the merits of the amendments.
- B. No amendment shall be put to a vote unless written notice thereof stating the proposed amendment shall have been given to each member, by mail or personal delivery, at least two weeks prior to the meeting at which the vote on the proposed amendment is to be taken.

SEVEN: The names and the street addresses of the 4 initial directors/officers:

- 1. Dickerson, Susan, 2300 Virginia Ave., Rm 107, Fort Pierce, Florida 34982; Director/President
- 2. Fogal, Derek 2300 Virginia Ave., Rm 107, Fort Pierce, Florida 34982; Director/Vice-President

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3. Knight, Oneika 2300 Virginia Ave., Rm 107, Fort Pierce, Florida 34982;  
Director/Secretary
4. Ezell, Cindy 2300 Virginia Ave., Rm 107, Fort Pierce, Florida 34949; Director/Treasurer

EIGHT: The name and street address of the initial registered agent of this corporation is:

Cindy Ezell  
2300 Virginia Ave, Rm 107  
Fort Pierce, FL 34982

NINE: The name and address of the incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 6th day of February, 2015.

Cindy Ezell  
2300 Virginia Ave, Rm 107  
Fort Pierce, FL 34982

Signature of Incorporator:

Cindy Ezell 2/6/15

Cindy Ezell

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Having been named as registered agent and accept service of process for the above state 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 and accept the obligation of my position as registered agent.

Signature of Registered Agent:

Cindy Ezell 2/6/15

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