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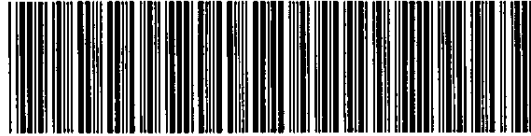
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PATRICIA SCIMONE-ALMASY  
6652 NINE IRON COURT  
WESLEY CHAPEL, FL 33544

SUBJECT: BE THERE FOR ME, INC.  
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We have received your document for BE THERE FOR ME, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The effective date is not acceptable since it is not within five working days of the date of receipt.

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**SUBJECT:** Be There For Me, 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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Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee &  
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☒ \$78.75 + 8.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy x2

☐ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
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& Certificate

= \$87.50

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

*Check 2114*

**FROM:** Patricia Scimone-Almasy  
Name (Printed or typed)

6652 Nine Iron Court  
Address

Wesley Chapel, FL 33544  
City, State & Zip

813-918-3205  
Daytime Telephone number

patscimone@aol.com

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

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

Articles of Incorporation  
Of  
**BE THERE FOR ME, INC.**

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We, the undersigned, residents and citizens of the United States of America, of full age and majority, and being desirous of forming a Non Profit Corporation for, charitable, and educational purposes under the provisions of Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, Nonprofit Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

**ARTICLE I**  
**CORPORATE NAME and OFFICE**

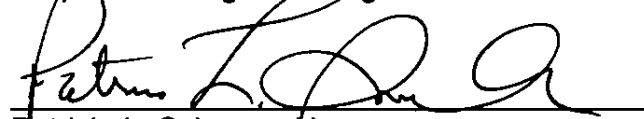
The name of this corporation is Be There For Me, Inc.  
The location of the office and the mailing address of the corporation is 6652 Nine Iron Court, Wesley Chapel, FL 33544 US.

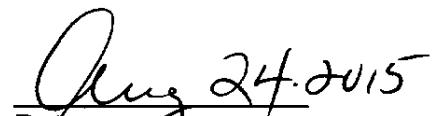
**ARTICLE II**  
**DURATION**

The period of duration of this corporation is perpetual, unless dissolved according to law. Corporate existence shall commence upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE III**  
**REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

3.1 The registered agent of the corporation shall be Patricia L. Scimone-Almasy who fully understands the duties of that office and agrees to receive notice and service for the Corporation. The registered Office of the Corporation shall be 6652 Nine Iron Court, Wesley Chapel, FL 33544 US. Such agent hereby acknowledges and accepts appointment as Corporation Registered Agent.

  
Patricia L. Scimone-Almasy

  
Date

#### ARTICLE IV PURPOSES

4.1 The corporation is organized and operated exclusively for developing and running educational, counseling and safe houses for charitable purposes as within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, with focus on furthering support either directly or by contributions of commodities and personal tangible property to mental health programs that train families in coping skills, providing non covered medical care, safe houses for the mentally disabled enhancing a home lifestyle of care and compassion and structure and to bring recognition to a rapidly growing segment of the population that has been left with a minimum of resources. More specifically, these purposes shall include but not be limited to:

To act and operate exclusively as a nonprofit corporation pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida and to act and operate as a charitable organization in promoting awareness in the community and other nonprofit associations, and other organizations and their branches; meeting the needs of the mentally handicapped in their communities, and to unify, strengthen and empower families and individuals with knowledge and tangible help through teaching and support, through educational training, medical care, housing programs, and by providing financial support and /or contributions.

To engage in any and all activities and pursuits, and to support or assist such other organizations, as may be reasonably related to the foregoing and following purposes.

To engage in any and all other lawful purposes, activities and pursuits, which are substantially similar to the foregoing and which are or may hereafter be authorized by Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and are consistent with those powers described in the State of Florida, Nonprofit Corporation Association Act, as amended and supplemented.

To solicit and receive contributions;

To receive personal property, to make contracts, to invest corporate funds, to spend corporate funds for corporate purposes, and to engage in any activity "in furtherance of, incidental to, or connected with any of the other purposes."

To take, purchase or otherwise acquire to own, hold, occupy, improve, develop and work; to grant, sell, exchange, let, demise, or otherwise dispose of real estate, buildings, and improvements and every right, interest, estate therein without limit as to the amount thereof and where so ever the same may be situated; to erect, construct, alter and repair buildings; to assume any and every kind of contract, agreement, obligation by or with a person, firm, corporation, or association, or any Federal, State, or other government for the erection, construction, alteration, repair, renewal, equipment, improvement, development, use, leasing, management or control of any buildings, improvements or structures of any kind wherever the same may be situated.

4.2 The corporation shall have the power to conduct activities and engage in transactions incidental to the accomplishment of the above purposes, including the power to accept contributions, subject to the following limitations:

- a. No part of the net earnings of Be There For Me, Inc. shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its directors, officers, employees or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered to the corporation and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purpose set forth above;
- b. 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 any candidate for public office except as authorized under the most current Internal Revenue Code;
- c. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law); or (2) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c) (2) or said Internal Revenue Code.

4.3 If the corporation is ever classified by the Internal Revenue Service as a Private Foundation, the following provisions will prevail:

- a. The corporation shall distribute its income for each tax year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942.
- b. The corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d).
- c. The corporation shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(c)
- d. The corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under Section 4944
- e. The corporation shall not make any taxable expenditure as defined in Section 4945

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Any reference herein to "Section" refers to a section of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and to any corresponding subsequent federal tax laws.

## ARTICLE V MEMBERSHIP

5.1 The corporation shall have no owner membership. The Board of Directors will act as the sole voting members of the corporation.

## ARTICLE VI SHARES

6.1 The nonprofit corporation is formed without any purpose of pecuniary profit and shall have no capital stock.

## ARTICLE VII BY-LAWS

7.1 Provisions for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation are to be determined and set forth in the By-Laws. The original By-Laws shall be adopted by the Board of Directors of the corporation. Therefore, By-Laws may be adopted, amended or repealed by the Board of Directors in accordance with the By-Laws.

## ARTICLE VIII DISSOLUTION

8.1 Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all the assets of the corporation in such manner to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c) (3).

8.2 Any such assets not so disposed of by the Board of Directors shall be disposed of by the district court 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.

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## ARTICLE IX DIRECTORS

9.1 The business affairs of this corporation shall have three to nine (3-9) directors initially. The number of the directors may be increased from time to time, by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than three (3) or more than, nine (9), unless the By-Laws are subsequently amended. A director may be removed as outlined in the By-Laws.

9.2 Members of the Board of Directors shall be elected and hold office in accordance with the By-Laws.

9.3 The names and address of the persons who are to serve as the initial board of directors for the ensuing year or until the first annual meeting of the corporation are:

NAME	ADDRESS
1. Patricia L. Scimone-Almasy	6652 Nine Iron Court, Wesley Chapel, FL 33544
2. Victor E. Almasy	6652 Nine Iron Court, Wesley Chapel, FL 33544
3. Sydney T. Alexander	8615 Gold Peak Place # E, Highlands Ranch, CO 80130
4. Jenny L. Knodt	30319 Lettingwell Circle, Wesley Chapel, FL 33543
5. Larry Randall Engle	4032 Marlow Loop, Land O' Lakes, FL 34639

## ARTICLE X OFFICERS

The officers of the corporation shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The names of the persons who are to serve as officers of the corporation until the first meeting of the Board of Directors are:

OFFICE	NAME
1. Director/ President	Patricia L. Scimone-Almasy
2. Director/ VP	Victor E. Almasy
3. Director	Sydney T. Alexander
4. Director/ Treasurer	Jenny L. Knodt
5. Director/ Secretary	Larry Randall Engle

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Such office may be changed at any time by the Board of Directors without amendment of these Articles of Incorporation.



ARTICLE XI  
MISCELLANEOUS

11.1 The extent of personal liability, if any, for directors or officers for corporate obligations and the methods of enforcement and collection, are as follows: NONE. Further, the Directors and Officers shall be exempt from liability and/or indemnified from costs and judgments to the full extent permitted by Florida law. In the event Florida law is subsequently amended to authorize the further elimination or limitation of the liability of Directors or Officers of nonprofit corporations, then the liability of the directors and Officers of the corporation in addition to the limitation on personal liability provided under this Article, shall be limited to the fullest extent permitted by such later amended Florida law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned original incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation in triplicate dated this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2015, and say that the Directors herein have read the above and foregoing Articles of Incorporation and know the contents thereof.

Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2015.

President/Incorporator:

PATRICIA SCIMONE-ALMASY

Patricia L. Scimone-Almasy  
6652 Nine Iron Court  
Wesley Chapel, FL 33544

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On the 24 day of August, 2015 Patricia L. Scimone-Almasy personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_, the signer(s) of the within instrument, who duly acknowledged to me they executed the same.

Frances Santana  
Notary Public

