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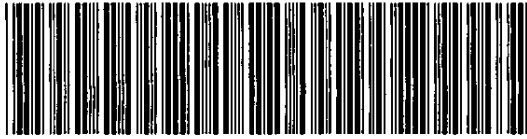
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COVER LETTER

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

SUBJECT: BRIDGEWATER MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER STUDENT ORGANIATION INC
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

\$70.00
Filing Fee

\$78.75
Filing Fee &
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Status

\$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

\$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: JANE BENNER, TREASURER, BMS PTO

Name (Printed or typed)

5600 TINY ROAD

Address

WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

City, State & Zip

407-905-3710

Daytime Telephone number

janebenner@hotmail.com

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

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

August 6, 2015

JANE BENNER
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

SUBJECT: BRIDGEWATER MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER STUDENT
ORGANIZATION (PTSO) INC
Ref. Number: W15000052982

We have received your document for BRIDGEWATER MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER STUDENT ORGANIZATION (PTSO) INC and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Corporations may file using the only the corporate name. Please remove the acronym "(PTSO)" from the corporate name.

It appears the filing submitted has a typographical error in the entity name. Please verify this name and all other information contained in the filing and resubmit it for processing.

Please return the corrected original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6052.

Maryanne Dickey
Regulatory Specialist II
New Filing Section

Letter Number: 815A00016566



Bridgewater Middle School PTSO

*5600 Tiny Road
Winter Garden, FL
34786*

September 1, 2015

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

RE: BRIDGEWATER MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER STUDENT ORGANIZATION INC
Ref. Number: W15000052982

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed please find the correction of a typographical error in our entity name from our original filing (Letter Number: 815A00016566). Correction to original (as originally filed) has been made in red ink; the additional copy was likewise corrected in red.

I have also enclosed re-printed copies (2) reflecting the corrections should they be needed. If they are superfluous, please disregard and shred.

I made several attempts to call the phone number included with the notification of our error in submission, however I was unable to get through (understandably, I am sure it is a difficult line to access given your likely volume of calls). As such, I wanted to err on the side of caution and completeness and included both the original documents with red corrections and re-prints reflecting the corrections.

Thank you for your assistance in this process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jane D. Benner", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jane D. Benner

Treasurer, Bridgewater Middle School Parent Teacher Student Organization Inc

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
FOR
BRIDGEWATER MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER STUDENT ORGANIZATION INC**

The undersigned incorporator, for purposes of forming a Florida not-for-profit corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is:

BRIDGEWATER MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER STUDENT ORGANIZATION INC

ARTICLE II

The principal place of business address:

5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

The mailing address of the corporation is:

5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

ARTICLE III

PURPOSE AND POWERS

- (1) The purpose for which the Corporation is organized and operated is exclusively for charitable 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, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Such purposes shall include the following:
 - a. Promote and support the general welfare of all the students at the school;
 - b. Assist the staff of the school in providing for the educational needs of the students of the school
 - c. Foster relationships between the school, the parents of the students and the teachers of the school.
- (2) As a means of accomplishing the above purposes and methods, the Corporation shall have the following powers:
 - a. To receive and accept gifts of money and property and to hold the same for any purposes of the Corporation and its work.
 - b. To solicit, raise and assist in raising funds for the purposes herein set forth.
 - c. To acquire, own, lease, mortgage and dispose of property both real and personal.
 - d. To accept property and donations in trust for charitable purposes.

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(3) The property of the Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to the educational and charitable purposes, and no part of the net earnings of the Corporation/Organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, directors, officers or other private persons, except that the Corporation/Organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of Section 501 (c)(3) purposes.

- a. No substantial part of the Corporation/Organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation and the Corporation/Organization 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.
- b. The Corporation shall not:
 - i. Operate for the purpose of carrying on a trade or business for profit;
 - ii. Accumulate income, invest income, or divert income, in a manner endangering its exempt status: or
 - iii. Except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activity or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of the Corporation.

ARTICLE IV

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is:

As provided for in the bylaws.

ARTICLE V

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

JANE BENNER
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

ARTICLE VI

The name and address of the incorporator is:

JANE BENNER
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

ARTICLE VII

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three (3).

The initial officer(s) and/or director(s) of the corporation is/are:

TITLE: P

DEBRA ALLEN
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

TITLE: VP

JENNIFER BENTON
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

TITLE: VP

KRISTA LOCKHART
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

TITLE: TRES

JANE BENNER
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

TITLE: SEC

CHALI MARCOCCIA
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

TITLE: SEC

LAURA FINK
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

TITLE: DIR

ERIN GRIFFITS
5600 TINY ROAD
WINTER GARDEN, FL 34787

ARTICLE VIII

The effective date for this corporation shall be **08/01/2015**

INDEMNIFICATION

1. This Corporation may be empowered to indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director, in the manner set out and provided for in the bylaws of this Corporation. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the Corporation/Organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on:
 - a. By a Corporation/Organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the IRS Code (or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code) or
 - b. By a Corporation/Organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the IRS Code (or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code) or
 - c. Upon dissolution of this Corporation/Organization assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the IRS 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 public purpose.

ARTICLE IX

BYLAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X

AMENDMENTS

This Corporation/Organization reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment hereto.

ARTICLE XI

POWERS

The Corporation/Organization is to have the power to do any and all things necessary or expedient for carrying out the objectives and purposes of the Corporation/Organization and in general to possess all rights, privileges and immunities, and enjoy all the benefits granted to corporations/organizations of similar character under the law of the State of Florida.

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



Required Signature of Registered Agent

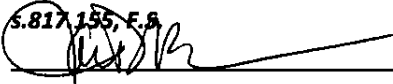
Jane Benner, Treasurer

Print Name/Title

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8/11/2015
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

6.817.155, F.S.

Required Signature of Incorporator

Jane Benner, Treasurer
Print Name/Title

8/11/2015
Date

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