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Articles of Incorporation of Trees for America's Troops, Inc.

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The undersigned, all of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of Florida do hereby certify:

Article I Name: The name of the Corporation shall be Trees for America's Troops, Inc.

Article II Principal Place of Business: The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is 94238 River Dr., Fernandina Beach, Nassau County, Florida. This shall be both the initial street address and mailing address.

Article III Purpose: 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. The primary purpose of the Corporation shall be to support American military and public servants with goods and funds donated by public and private corporations and individuals and to foster public awareness of the needs of American military and public servants.

Article IV Non-Stock: The Corporation shall not issue any stock or any evidence of ownership or any interest in the Corporation.

Article V Restricted Activities: 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 Third 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, 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.

Article VI Registered Agent: The registered agent designated by this Corporation is Raymond A. Breault, whose registered address is 1637 Linkside Dr. N, Atlantic Beach, FL 32233.

Article VII Incorporator: The name and mailing address of the Incorporator is Judith Mixon Brown, 94238 River Marsh Dr., Fernandina Beach, FL 32034.

Article VIII Term of Existence: The Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

Article IX Effective Date: The effective date of the Corporation is the date in which these Articles of Incorporation are filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Florida.

Article X Directors: The activities and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The number of Directors which shall constitute the whole Board and their terms of office, shall—be such as from time to time be fixed by, or in the manner provided in, the By Law, but in no case shall—the number be less than three (3)., Terms of office for these Directors shall commence immediately upon their election. Directors will be appointed by a majority vote of the current directors.

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Article XI Initial Directors: The names and mailing address of the initial members of the Board of Directors are as follows:

Judith Mixon Brown 94238 River Marsh Dr. Fernandina Beach, FL 32034

Jean Noe 2170 Natures Gate Ct. S. Fernandina Beach, FL 32034

Carole Coombe 2321 Yard Arm Way' Fernandina Beach, FL 32034

Article XII Officers: The officers of the Corporation shall consist of a President, Vice-President and Treasurer. The secretary and Treasurer may be the same person. The following persons shall serve as officers until the first election by the Board of Directors.

President

Judith Mixon Brown

Vice President

Jean Noe

Secretary/Treasurer

Carol Coombe

Article XIII Dissolution and Distribution: 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 XIV: Amendment of Articles of Incorporation: The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation by a vote of two-thirds of the Board of Directors.

Article XV Amendment of By-Laws: The by-laws of the Corporation may be adopted and amended by a vote of two-thirs of the Board of Directors. No by-law shall be adopted or amended that would place the Corporation in violation of Article 501 (C) (3) of the Internal revenue Code.

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.

Signature of Registered Agent

Raymond A. Breault, Registered Agent

1637 Linkside Dr. N.

Atlantic Beach, FL 32233

E-Mail ray.breault@comcast.net

Cell" 904-236-7228

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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.

Signature of Incorporator

Sct. 8,2015 Date

Judith Mixon Brown 94238 River Marsh Dr.

Fernandina Beach, FL 32034

E-Mail info@treesforamericastroops.org

Cell: 904-206-3938