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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
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Subject: Villages Baseball Association, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madame,

Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation for Villages Baseball Association, Inc. along with a check in the amount of \$96.25 to cover the Filing Fee, two (2) Certified Copies and a Certificate for the corporation.

Kindly send the Certified Copies and Certificate to me at the following address:

From: William Crane
1804 Cross Pointe Way
Saint Augustine, FL 32092
(904) 400-1516
vbapres@gmail.com

Please contact me with any questions. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



William Crane

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Articles of Incorporation

In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

Article I Name

The name of the Corporation shall be: Villages Baseball Association, Inc.

Article II Principal Office & Mailing Address

The principal office and mailing address of the Corporation shall be 1804 Cross Pointe Way, Saint Augustine, FL 32092.

Article III Purpose

This Corporation's purpose is to sponsor, promote, develop, operate and encourage participation in organized baseball and softball programs for youths ages four (4) to eighteen (18) years old, instilling in them positive character traits such as honesty; courage; respect for teammates, coaches, opponents, umpires and others; good sportsmanship; self-control and hard work that will assist them in becoming responsible and successful adults and to otherwise combat juvenile delinquency by any appropriate means.

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as may be amended, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code

Article IV Effective Date

The Corporation shall be effective starting May 1, 2016.

Article V Manner of Election

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is provided in the bylaws of the Corporation.

Article VI Initial Directors and/or Officers

President/Director	William Crane 1804 Cross Pointe Way Saint Augustine, FL 32092
Vice-President/Director	Jeremiah Swartzlender 631 Mc Kenzie Oak Lane Saint Augustine, FL 32095
Treasurer/Director	David Weithman 8629 Ranchwood Lane Saint Augustine, FL 32092

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Article VII Limitations

The property of this Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net earnings or assets of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to any director, member, trustee or officer of the Corporation, or to any other private person, 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 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 VIII Dedication of Assets

Upon the dissolution, termination, or winding up 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 IX Initial Registered Agent and Street Address

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

William Crane
1804 Cross Pointe Way
Saint Augustine, FL 32092

ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

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


William Crane

Date

5/3/16

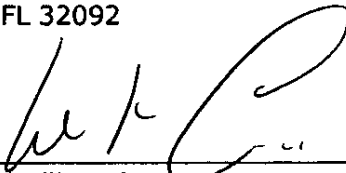
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Article X Incorporator

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

William Crane
1804 Cross Pointe Way
Saint Augustine, FL 32092

Signature of Incorporator


William Crane

Date 5/3/16