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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF CARVER SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INCORPORATED

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a non-profit corporation in accordance with Chapter \$17, Florida Statutes, do hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE 1 Name/Duration

The name of the corporation shall be Carver School Scholarship Fund, Incorporated. The Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE 2 Principal Office

The place in Florida where the principal office of the Corporation shall be located is 216 Deerwalk Avenue, Lake Placid, Florida 33852.

ARTICLE 3 Purpose of Corporation

The purpose for which the corporation is formed shall be:

- a) To provide an avenue for funding academic endeavors for students of the Highway Park community and Lake Placid High School;
- b) To award scholarships and other educational/academic support to graduates of Lake Placid High School and members the Highway Park community for higher education and training;
- c) To operate exclusively for charitable and educational purposes 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 (hereinafter called the "Code");
- d) To engage in any lawful act, activity or business not contrary to and for which a charitable nonprofit corporation may be formed under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes;
- e) To have and exercise all powers, rights, and privileges conferred by the laws of Florida on nonprofit corporations, including, but not limited to, buying, leasing, or otherwise acquiring and holding, using or otherwise enjoying and selling, leasing or otherwise disposing of any interest in any property, real or personal, of whatever nature and where so ever situated, and buying and selling stocks, bonds or any other security of any issuer as the Corporation by action of its Board may, at any time and from time to time, deem advisable.

ARTICLE 4 Membership

The provisions for and qualifications of members, if any, shall be set forth in the by-laws.

ARTICLE 5 Registered Agent and Office

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:
1791 62nd Place
Saint Petersburg, Florida 33712
The name of the initial registered agent is:
Yvette Crethers

ARTICLE 6 Mailing Address

216 Deerwalk Avenue Lake Placid, Florida 33852 Highlands County

ARTICLE 7 Directors

Each initial director shall serve until his successor has been elected and taken office. Thereafter, each director shall serve for three (3) years until successor has been elected or has taken office

The corporation's initial directors are as follows: Yvette Crethers, 1791 62nd Place, Saint Petersburg, Florida 33712 Anita spry, 13744 Meadow Park Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32826 Sheretta White, 216 Deerwalk Avenue, Lake Placid, Florida 33852

ARTICLE 8 Indemnification

The corporation does indemnify any directors, officers, employees, incorporators, and members of the corporation from any liability regarding the corporation and the affairs of the corporation, unless the person fraudulently and intentionally violated the law and/or maliciously conducted acts to damage and/or defraud the corporation, or as otherwise provided under applicable statute.

ARTICLE 9 Prohibited 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 3. 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, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

ARTICLE 10 Distributions Upon Dissolution

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 11 Amendment

Any provision of these Articles of Incorporation may be amended by the Board of Directors in accordance with Section 617.1002 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE 12 Incorporator

The name and address of the Incorporator is:
Sheretta White
216 Deerwalk Avenue
Lake Placid. Florida 33852

Having been named as registered, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Signature of Registered Agent

I submit this document and affirm to the best of my knowledge that the facts stated herein are true.

Signature of Incorporator