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# **COVER LETTER**

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

SUBJECT: Children Firs	st Community Homes and Servic	•		
	(PROPOSED CORPO	RÂTE NAMÉ – <u>MÜST IN</u>	CLUDE SUFFIX)	
Enclosed is an original a	and one (1) copy of the Artic	les of Incorporation and	a check for :	
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FROM:	Chandeline Butler	ADDITIONAL CO	T T REQUIRED	
FROM:	Name (Printed or typed)			
	7401 Wiles Road Suite 323		_	
		Address	-	

Coral Springs FL 33067

Childrenfirstcommunity@outlook.com

754-217-8398

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

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

City, State & Zip

Daytime Telephone number

# Articles of Incorporation Of

# **Children First Community Homes and Services**

A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

The undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Laws of the State of Florida do hereby certify.

#### **ARTICLE 1- NAME**

The name of the Corporation shall be:

Children First Community Homes and Services, Inc

## **ARTICLE 2- PLACE OF BUSINESS**

The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is 7401 WILES RD SUITE 323 CORAL SPRINGS FLORIDA 33067

## ARTICLE 3- PURPOSE OF CORPORATION

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.

#### ARTICLE 4- APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is stated in the by-laws.

# **ARTICLE 5- DIRECTORS**

Directors of the corporation are as follows:

Chandeline Butler 7401 Wiles Road Suite 323 Coral Springs, FL 33067 Larry J. Butler II 7401 Wiles Road Suite 323 Coral Springs, FL 33067

SEGRETARY OF STATE

Christianne Imprevert 7401 Wiles Road Suite 323 Coral Springs, FL 33067

# **ARTICLE 6- OFFICERS**

The officers of the Corporation shall be:

President and CEO: Chandeline Butler

Vice President: Larry J. Butler II Secretary: Christianne Imprevert Treasurer: Christianne Imprevert

# **ARTICLE 7- TERM OF EXISTENCE**

The period of duration of this corporation is perpetual

# **ARTICLE 8- CAPITAL STOCK**

This Corporation shall have no capital stock and shall compose of members rather than shareholders.

# **ARTICLE 9- QUALIFICATIONS OF MEMBERSHIP**

The categories of membership, qualification for membership and the manner of admission shall be set forth in and regulated by the By Laws of the Corporation.

## **ARTICLE 10- VOTING RIGHTS**

Members of the corporation will have such voting rights as are provided in the By Laws of the Corporation

# **ARTICLE 11- LIABILITIES FOR DEBTS**

Neither the members nor the members of the Board of Directors or Officers of the Corporation shall be liable for the debts of the Corporation.

# ARTICLE 12- PROHIBITION AGAINST PRIVATE INUREMENT

No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that this 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 these Articles.

#### ARTICLE 13- COMPENSATION RESTRICTION

Resolved that any salaries, wages, together with fringe benefits or other forms of compensation (housing, transportation and other allowances) paid to or provided to our employees, directors or officers will not exceed a value which is reasonable and commensurate with the duties and working hours associated with such employment and with the compensation ordinarily paid persons with similar positions or duties.

# ARTICLE 14- PRIVATE FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS AND RESTRICTIONS

In any taxable year in which this corporation is a private foundation as described in Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, the Corporation 1) shall distribute its income for said period at such time and manner as not to subject it to tax under Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code; 2) shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941 (d) of the Internal Revenue Code; 3) shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Internal Revenue Code; 4) shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject the corporation to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code; and 5) shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code.

# **ARTICLES 15- ADMENDMENT**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the Members, and approved at a Members meeting by a majority of the Members, unless all the Directors and all the Members sign a written statement manifesting their intention that certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

#### ARTICLES 16- DISSOLUTIONS

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.

### **ARTICLES 17- EFFECTIVE DATE**

These Articles of Incorporation shall be effective as of August 22, 2016

# **ARTICLE 18- REGISTERED AGENT**

Registered Agent- Chandeline Butler and address is 7401 Wiles Road Suite 323 Coral Springs, Florida 33067

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I herby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statues relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Date: 8/22/16

Chandeline Butler, Register Agent

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# **ARTICLE 19- INCORPORATOR**

The name and street address of the incorporator of this Corporation is:

Chandeline Butler 7401 Wiles Road Suite 323 Coral Springs Florida 33067

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto set my hand and seal, acknowledged and filed the forgoing Articles of Incorporation und the laws of the State of Florida, this 22 day of Hogost 20 16

Chandeline Butler, Incorporator

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