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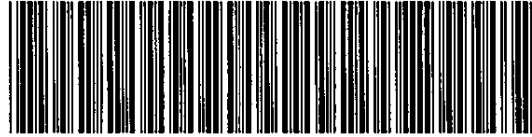
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Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

**SUBJECT:** Faith Works, 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  
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☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee &  
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☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50  
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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Linda Walker

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Printed or typed)

7202 N. 50th Street

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

Tampa, FL 33617

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State & Zip

813-562-5877

\_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Telephone number

2uri.neuneu@yahoo.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

November 23, 2016

LINDA WWALKER  
7202 N. 50TH STREET  
TAMPA, FL 33617

SUBJECT: FAITH WORKS, INC.  
Ref. Number: W16000078782

We have received your document for FAITH WORKS, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

If your business entity does not intend to transact business until January 1st of the upcoming calendar year, you may wish to revise your document to include an effective date of January 1st. If you do not list an effective date of January 1st, your business entity will become effective this calendar year and it will be required to file an annual report and pay the required annual report fee for the upcoming calendar year this coming January, which is merely weeks away. By listing an effective date of January 1st, the entity's existence will not begin until January 1st of the upcoming year and will, therefore, postpone the entity's requirement to file an annual report and pay the required annual report filing fee until the following calendar year.

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.

Valerie Herring  
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**Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc.**

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

**The undersigned incorporator, a natural person 18 years of age or older, in order to form a Non-profit corporation under chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, adopts the following articles of incorporation.**

**ARTICLE I**

**NAME**

**1.01 Name**

The name of this corporation shall be Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc., The business of the corporation may be conducted as Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc.

**ARTICLE II**

**DURATION**

**2.01 Duration**

The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

**ARTICLE III**

**PURPOSE**

**3.01 Purpose**

Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. is a non-profit corporation and shall operate exclusively for educational and charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future Federal tax code. Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc.'s purpose is to

To Empower low, moderate income families and individuals to be successful.

**3.02 Public Benefit**

Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. is designated as a public benefit corporation.

## **ARTICLE IV**

### **NON-PROFIT NATURE**

#### **4.01 Non-profit Nature**

Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. is organized 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. No part of the net earnings of Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. 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 the purpose clause hereof.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by any organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. is not organized and shall not be operated for the private gain of any person. The property of the corporation is irrevocably dedicated to its educational and charitable purposes. No part of the assets, receipts, or net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to any individual. The corporation may, however, pay reasonable compensation for services rendered, and make other payments and distributions consistent with these Articles.

#### **4.02 Personal Liability**

No officer or director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property or assets of the officers or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

The corporation shall indemnify any director, officer, or former director or officer of the corporation or any person who may have served at its request against expenses actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense of any action, suit or proceeding, civil or criminal, in which he is made a party by reason of being or having been an officer or director of the corporation, except in relation to matters as to which he or she is

adjudged in such action, suit, or proceeding to be liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of his or her duty to the corporation.

#### **4.03 Dissolution**

Upon termination or dissolution of the Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc., any assets lawfully available for distribution shall be distributed to one (1) or more qualifying organizations described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or described in any corresponding provision of any successor statute) which organization or organizations have a charitable purpose which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to the terminating or dissolving corporation.

The organization to receive the assets of the Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. hereunder shall be selected by the discretion of a majority of the managing body of the Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. and if its members cannot so agree, then the recipient organization shall be selected pursuant to a verified petition in equity filed in a court of proper jurisdiction against the Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. by one (1) or more of its managing body which verified petition shall contain such statements as reasonably indicate the applicability of this section. The court upon a finding that this section is applicable shall select the qualifying organization or organizations to receive the assets to be distributed, giving preference if practicable to organizations located within the State of Florida.

In the event that the court shall find that this section is applicable but that there is no qualifying organization known to it which has a charitable purpose, which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to this corporation, then the court shall direct the distribution of its assets lawfully available for distribution to the Treasurer of the State of Florida to be added to the general fund.

#### **4.04 Prohibited Distributions**

No part of the net earnings, or properties of this corporation, on dissolution or otherwise, shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers or other private person or individual, 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, Section 3.01.

#### **4.05 Restricted Activities**

No substantial part of the corporation's activities shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene (including the publishing or distribution of statements) in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

#### **4.06 Prohibited Activities**

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (I) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax as an organization described by Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (II) 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 V**

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

##### **5.01 Governance**

Subject to the limitations contained in these Articles of Incorporation, and to the provisions of law requiring corporate action to be exercised, authorized, or approved by the members of the corporation, all the lawful powers of the corporation shall be vested in and exercised by or under the authority of the board of directors, and the business and affairs of the corporation shall be conducted and controlled by such board

##### **5.02 Initial Directors**

The initial directors of the corporation shall be 5(five)

**Linda Walker** - 7202 N. 50th Street, Tampa, Fl. 33617  
**Elana Greenway** - P.O.. Box 7892, Tampa, Fl. 33673  
**Katie McGill** - - P.O. Box 7892, Tampa, Fl. 33673  
**Brenda Greenway** - P.O. Box 7892, Tampa, Fl. 33673  
**Sharon West** - P.O. Box 7892, Tampa, Fl. 33673

### **ARTICLE VI**

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

##### **6.01 Membership**

Faith Works Empowerment Initiative Inc. shall have no members.

## **ARTICLE VII**

### **MANNER OF ELECTION**

#### **7.01 Manner of Election**

The business and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed and directed by a Board of Directors, which shall be comprised of not fewer than three (3) nor more than (21) Directors. The duties of the Directors and the manner in which the Directors shall be elected shall be set forth in the bylaws.

## **ARTICLE VIII**

### **AMENDMENTS**

#### **8.01 Amendments**

Any amendment to the Articles of Incorporation may be adopted by approval of two-thirds (2/3) of the board of directors.

## **ARTICLE IX**

### **ADDRESSES OF THE CORPORATION**

#### **9.01 Corporate Address**

The physical address of the corporation is:

7202 N. 50th Street  
Tampa, Fl. 33617

The mailing address of the corporation is:

P.O.Box 7892  
Tampa, Fl. 33673



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## ARTICLE X

### THE REGISTERED AGENT

The registered agent of the corporation is **Linda Walter** and the registered street address is - **7202 N. 50th Street, Tampa, FL. 33617.**

I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and am familiar with and accept the obligation of my position as a registered agent.

Dated 12 / 6 / 16

Registered Agent 

## ARTICLE XI

### THE INCORPORATOR

The incorporator of this corporation is Linda Walter and the incorporate street address is **7202 N. 50th Street, Tampa, FL. 33617**

Dated 12 / 6 / 16

Incorporator 