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Department of State  
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SUBJECT: The Project HOPE, Inc.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: Helen B. Miller  
Name (Printed or typed)

P.O. BOX 487, 16468 Camp Ave W  
Address

White Springs, FL 32096  
City, State & Zip

386-397-1111  
Daytime Telephone number

HelenBMiller@Windstream.net  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE PROJECT HOPE, INC.

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

The undersigned, desiring to form a Not for Profit Corporation under the Not for Profit Corporation Law of Florida, do hereby certify:

## **Article I      NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be The Project HOPE, Inc.

## **Article II      PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

Principal street address:

16468 Camp Avenue W  
White Springs, FL 32096

Mailing address:

P. O. Box 487  
White Springs, FL 32096

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## **Article III      CORPORATE PURPOSE**

Corporation 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

The corporation is organized to achieve its purposes through community outreach. Specific activities include a fuel bank, summer and after school programs for children, food service for elderly and economically distressed families, and other initiatives to assist at-risk children and adults.

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 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, 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.

Upon 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.

**Article IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed is as stated by the bylaws.

**Article V INITIAL OFFICERS**

Miller, Helen B., President  
16468 Camp Avenue W  
White Springs, FL 32096

Williams, Nicole B., Vice President  
16774 Mill Street  
White Springs, FL 32096

Henry, Margaret St. John, Treasurer  
10801 Adams Memorial Drive  
White Springs, FL 32096

Rivers, Anita T., Secretary  
17354 Osceola Street  
White Springs, FL 32096

**Article VI REGISTERED AGENT**

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

Helen B. Miller  
16468 Camp Avenue W  
White Springs, FL 32096

**Article VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Helen B. Miller  
P. O. Box 487  
White Springs, FL 32096

**ARTICLE VIII EFFECTIVE DATE**

Effective date: 1 January 2019

*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.*

Helen B. Miller  
Required Signature of Registered Agent, Helen B. Miller

12-20-2018  
Date

*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.*

Helen B. Miller  
Required Signature of Incorporator, Helen B. Miller

12-20-2018  
Date

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