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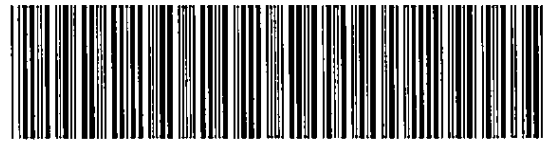
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August 5, 2019

TIM MCCLAIN
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SUBJECT: THE GREATER PASCO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC.
Ref. Number: W19000070739

We have received your document for THE GREATER PASCO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$140.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

A nonprofit corporation can not also be filed as a public benefit corporation. If a nonprofit corporation, please remove public benefit references.

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of a voluntarily dissolved business entity. The name of a voluntarily dissolved business entity is not available for the assumption or use by another entity until 120 days after the effective date of dissolution unless the dissolved business entity provides the Department of State with an affidavit or letter, stating that they have no intention of revoking the dissolution, therefore, releasing the name for use to another entity.

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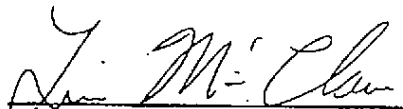
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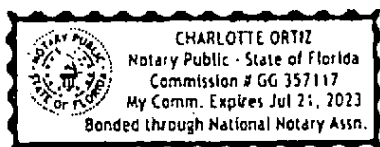
Comes Now, Tim McClain, incorporator of The Greater Pasco Chamber of Commerce, Inc., a voluntarily dissolved for profit corporation, Document No. P19000040698, and after being duly sworn, deposes and says:

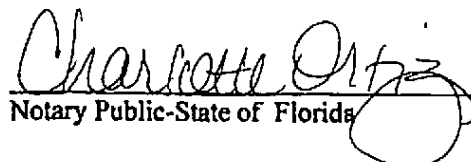
1. There is no intention of revoking the dissolution of this corporation.
2. It is agreed to release the name "The Greater Pasco Chamber of Commerce, Inc." for use to another entity.


Tim McClain

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF PASCO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of August, 2019 by Tim McClain, who is personally known to me or has produced _____ as identification.




Notary Public-State of Florida 8-14-19

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THE GREATER PASCO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC.

The undersigned, Tim McClain, Greg Armstrong and Tim Sherrill, acting as incorporators of a corporation under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

Article I: Name

The name of the corporation is The Greater Pasco Chamber of Commerce, Inc.

Article II: Not-For-Profit

The corporation is a nonprofit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes. The specific purposes of this corporation are to promote commerce and the business owners and professionals who are members of the organization.

Article III: Duration

The corporation shall have perpetual duration.

Article IV: Members

The corporation shall have a membership distinct from the Board of Directors. The authorized number and qualifications of the members of the corporation; the manner of their admission; the different classes of membership, if any; the property, voting, and other rights and privileges of members, and their liability for dues and assessments and the method of collection thereof; shall be set forth in the bylaws. The corporation shall be nonstock and no dividends or pecuniary profits shall be declared or inure to the members. There shall be no personal liability of members for corporate obligations.

Article V: Statement of Members' Rights

The members of this corporation shall consist of the persons named as incorporators and such other persons as may become members in the manner provided by the bylaws.

Any member who shall fail to comply with the requirements of the bylaws or the rules and regulations made pursuant to the bylaws shall, if the Board of Directors by majority vote determine, forfeit his or her membership and all rights and interest in this corporation and its property.

The voting power and the property rights and interests of all members shall be equal. Each members shall be entitled to one vote on any and all questions coming before the members. Every member of the corporation entitled to vote at any meeting of the members, may be

represented and vote by proxy. A certificate of membership shall be issued to each member. No membership or certificate of membership shall be transferable, and no assignee or transferee of membership, whether by operation of law or otherwise, shall be entitled to membership in this corporation or to any property rights or interests in this corporation.

Article VI: Registered Office and Agent

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is: 5443 Main Street, New Port Richey, Florida 34652. The name of the original registered agent at such address is Tim McClain. The principle address and the registered agents are the same.

Article VII: Board of Directors

The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its property controlled, and its affairs conducted, by a Board of Directors. The number of directors and the election of same as well as their term of office shall be as provided by the bylaws of this corporation.

Article VIII: Incorporators

The names and addresses of the incorporators are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Tim McClain	5443 Main Street New Port Richey, Florida 34652
Greg Armstrong	5443 Main Street New Port Richey, Florida 34652
Tim Sherrill	5443 Main Street New Port Richey, Florida 34652

Article IX: Officers

The Board of Directors shall elect the president, vice president, treasurer, secretary, and such other officers as the bylaws of this corporation may authorize the directors to elect from time to time. Initially such officers are to be elected at the first annual meeting of the Board of Directors. Until such election is held, the following persons shall serve as corporate officers:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Tim McClain	5443 Main Street New Port Richey, Florida 34652

ARTICLE X: Bylaws

Subject to the limitations contained in the bylaws and any limitations set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes concerning corporation action that must be authorized or approved by the members of the corporation, the bylaws of this corporation may be made, altered, rescinded, added to, or new bylaws may be adopted either by a resolution of the Board of Directors or by following the procedures set forth for such action in the bylaws.

Article XI: Property and Profits

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to the purposes set forth in Article III herein and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any 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 purpose or purposes set forth in Article III herein.

Article XII: Distribution Upon Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, its assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purpose(s) within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, 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 such court shall determine, that are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

Article XIII: Amendments

Amendments to these articles of Incorporation may be proposed by a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors and presented to a quorum of members for their vote. Amendments may be adopted by a vote of 51% of a quorum of members of the corporation.

Article XIV: Limited Liability of Directors and Officers

The officers and directors shall not be individually liable for the corporation's debts or other liabilities, and the private property of such individuals shall be exempt from any corporate debts or liabilities. The power of indemnification under the laws of Florida shall not be denied or limited by the bylaws.

We, the undersigned, being the incorporators of this corporation for the purpose of forming this nonprofit charitable corporation under the laws of Florida have executed these articles of incorporation on 7/31, 2019.

By: Tim McClain
Tim McClain
and accepts responsibility as
registered agent

By: Greg Armstrong
Greg Armstrong

By: Tim Sherrill
Tim Sherrill

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