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October 1, 2019

Ms. Crystal Parks 10864 Steeding Horse Drive Jacksonville, Florida 32257

Re: Diaper Bank For Northeast Florida

Dear Ms. Parks:

Thank you for your recent correspondence requesting approval for use of the above-referenced name.

It is the opinion of this Office that the corporate name (Diaper Bank For Northeast Florida) is definitive enough to differentiate the business being conducted from that of a commercial bank, trust company or credit union. The company will also not engage in business purporting to be a financial institution. Therefore, the Office does not object to your use of the above-referenced name being registered to conduct business in the state of Florida. However, this does not give one the authority to act in any licensed capacity until all licensing requirements have been met within this state. Should the name become confusing to the public, future modifications may be necessary.

Sincerely,

Jeremy W. Smith

Director

Division of Financial Institutions

JWS/trd

ec: Lyn Shoffstall, Chief, Bureau of Commercial Recordings, Division of Corporations, Department of State

COVER LETTER

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

FROM:

SUBJECT:	Diaper Bank for Northeast Florida, Inc.
	(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

S70.00 Filing Fee	\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	□\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy	S87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate
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	Name (Printed or typed)
10864 Steeding Horse	Drive
	Address
Jacksonville, FL 3225	7
	City, State & Zip
904) 993-1564	
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axfundraiser@gmail.c	rom

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR

Diaper Bank for Northeast Florida, Inc.

The undersigned, incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Florida not-for-profit corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I — NAME

The name of the corporation is Diaper Bank for Northeast Florida, Inc., (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation").

ARTICLE II — REGISTERED OFFICE ADDRESS

The principal place of business of the Corporation shall be in the city of Jacksonville, in the county of Duval, in the state of Florida. The principal office will be located at the following address:

10864 Steeding Horse Drive Jacksonville, FL 32257

The name and address in the Corporation's initial agent for service of process is:

Diaper Bank for Northeast Florida, Inc. 10864 Steeding Horse Drive Jacksonville, FL 32257

ARTICLE III — PURPOSE

Section 3.01 <u>Charitable Purpose</u>. The 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. The specific purposes of the Corporation are to collect, store and distribute diapers and other diaper related products to low-income families and their children through existing social service providers as well as raise awareness about the critical issue of diaper need and the importance of keeping babies clean, dry and healthy.

Section 3.02 <u>Exemption Requirements.</u> At all times the following shall operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the Corporation:

- 1. 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 Third hereof.
- 2. 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.

3. 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.

Section 3.03 <u>Dissolution of Assets</u>. 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.

ARTICLE IV — APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTORS

The directors will be elected, maintained and appointed in accordance with the Corporation's bylaws.

ARTICLE V — REGISTERED AGENT

Crystal Parks 10864 Steeding Horse Drive Jacksonville, FL 32257

ARTICLE VI — INCORPORATOR

Crystal Parks 10864 Steeding Horse Drive Jacksonville, FL 32257

ARTICLE VII —EFFECTIVE DATE

The effective date of the Corporation shall be the date accepted and filed by the Department of State, Division of Corporations.

	laving been named as registered agent to accept service orporation at the place designated in this certificate. It is pointment as registered agent and agree to act in this certificate. Parks, Registered Agent	am familiar with and accept the
Ü	submit this document and affirm that the facts stated has provided for in s.817.155 ES. Erystal Parks, Incorporator	

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