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

Martin County Black Heritage Initiatives, Inc.					
SUBJECT:	(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)				
Enclosed is an original a	nd one (1) copy of the Artic	les of Incorporation and	a check for :		
■ \$70.00	□ \$78.75	□\$78.75	□ \$87.50		
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ED OM.	Adam M. Fetterman e/o The Fetterman Firm, PLLC				
FROM:	_				
	1231 SW Sunset Trail				
	Address				
	Palm City, FL 34990				
	City, State & Zip				
	772-202-3261				
	Daytime Telephone number				
	fettermanfirm@gmail.com				

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

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

Article I

The name of the corporation shall be: Martin County Black Heritage Initiatives, Inc.

Article II

The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation is:

1193 SE Port St. Lucie Blvd., Ste. 254, Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Article III

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is to preserve and promote Martin County's black and minority history to create a better understanding of and appreciation for the various cultures in our respective communities, and any and all other purposes permitted under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Article IV

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

Article V

The initial officers and/or directors of the corporation are:

Lloyd L. Jones, President/Director

1193 SE Port St. Lucie Blvd., Ste. 254, Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Georgina Faye Anderson, Treasurer/Director

1193 SE Port St. Lucie Blvd., Ste. 254, Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Chandler M. Josie, Secretary/Director

1193 SE Port St. Lucie Blvd., Ste. 254, Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Article VI

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

Adam M. Fetterman, c/o The Fetterman Firm, PLLC 1231 SW Sunset Trail, Palm City, FL 34990

Article VII

These articles shall be effective upon filing.

Article VIII

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the purposes for which the corporation is organized are exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes within the meaning

of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

Article IX

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, trustees, directors, 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 this Article and Article 5. 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 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 of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or
- (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

Article X

Upon the dissolution of this organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or 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 XI

The corporation shall also have all rights and powers that are reasonably necessary to accomplish the stated purposes of the corporation.

Article XII

The corporation shall not have any members.

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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.

Registered Agent - Adam Fetterman

8/17/2020

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.8) 7.155, F.S.

Incorporator Adam Fetterman

8/17/2020 Date