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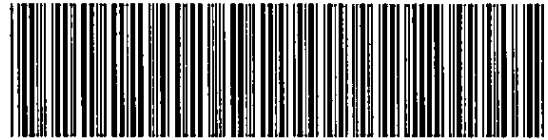
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Subject: **New Directions & Dimensions Retreat, Corp.**  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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From: Patricia Michel  
Name (Printed or Typed)  
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Address  
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# ***Articles of Incorporation Of***

## ***New Directions & Dimensions Retreat, Corp.***

The undersigned subscriber to these Amended Articles of Incorporation, desiring to form a Not-For-Profit Corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, do hereby accept all of the rights and privileges, benefits and obligations conferred and imposed by said laws and hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation as the Charter of the Corporation hereby organized.

### ***Article I. Corporate Name***

The Name(s) of this Corporation shall be:

***New Directions & Dimensions Retreat, Corp.***

***Principle Address: 160 NE 162<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Miami, Florida 33162***

### ***Article II. Terms of Existence***

This Corporation shall have perpetual Existence.

### ***Article III. Purpose and Powers***

Said Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, scientific, 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. To present a set of programs, projects, services, classes, seminars, and lectures pertaining to youth aging out of Foster Care, To provide temporary Shelter to those who need it. To advocate, promote and encourage foster parenting to teen youth in the Foster Care system. To provide training in life skills inclusive of cooking, baking, proper etiquette and serving techniques, home making, décor, banking procedures, budgeting, shopping, how to decorate their future apartments/homes, to promote higher education through college and or university level continuance, to promote workable skills for viable employment, voter registration, community activism, to create responsible, socially conscience, socioeconomically developed tax paying citizens. To network with governmental agencies, other community and faith based organizations to lend to our organizational plans to guide teens into adulthood. And to further lead them to a better quality of life.

No part of the of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to its members, trustees, directors, officers and 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 Section 501 (c)(3) purposes. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be in 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 the Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any further Federal tax code.

Upon dissolution of this Corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes with the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any further Federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the Federal Government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

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## ***Article IV. Capital Stock***

There will be no capital stock in this corporation.

## ***Article V. Initial Capital***

The initial capital with which this corporation may be in business shall not be less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

## ***Article VI. Directors***

This Corporation shall one Executive Director initially and two other respective Director who were elected through parliamentary procedure. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time by the Bylaws of the Corporation.

The name(s) and mailing address of the initial director who shall hold office until his/her successor or successors are elected and have qualified is as follows:

***Patricia Michel, Executive Director***  
***160 NE 162<sup>nd</sup> Street***  
***Miami, Florida 33162***

## ***Article VII. Officers***

The names , address and offices of the Officers who will serve until the first election or appointment under these Articles of Incorporation are:

<u><b>Names</b></u>	<u><b>Street Address</b></u>	<u><b>Office</b></u>
<b><i>Patricia Michel</i></b>	<b><i>160 NE 162<sup>nd</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33162</i></b>	<b><i>Executive Director</i></b>
<b><i>Sharon Cowels</i></b>	<b><i>160 NE 162<sup>nd</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33162</i></b>	<b><i>Director</i></b>
<b><i>Andre Lorquet</i></b>	<b><i>160 NE 162<sup>nd</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33162</i></b>	<b><i>Director/ Secretary</i></b>
<b><i>Marie V. L. Michel</i></b>	<b><i>160 NE 162<sup>nd</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33162</i></b>	<b><i>Director/Treasurer</i></b>

## ***Article VIII. Registered Agent and Registered Office***

The Corporation's Registered Agent for service in the state of Florida shall be:

***Patricia Michel, Registered Agent***

The address of the registered office of this Corporation shall be:

***160 NE 162<sup>nd</sup> Street***  
***Miami, Florida 33162***

## ***Article IX. Amendments***

This Corporation reserves the rights to amend, alter, modify or repeal any provision or provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, any amendment hereto in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by Statues of the State of Florida, any rights and powers conferred upon the Directors and Board of Advisors herein are granted subject to this reservation.

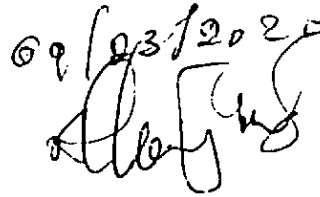
## **Article X. Incorporator**

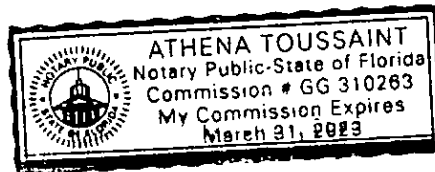
The name and mailing address of the Incorporator is as follows:

**Patricia Michel, Executive Director  
160 NE 162<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Miami, Florida 33162**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above named Incorporator, Director, Registered Agent has hereunder subscribed his/her name, this 22 day of September, 2020.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Patricia Michel, Incorporator





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# Certificate of Designation

## Registered Agent/Registered Office

PURSUANT to the provisions of Section 607.0501 Florida Statutes, the undersigned Corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent, in the state of Florida.

1. The name of the Corporation is: ***New Directions & Dimensions Retreat, Corp.***

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

***Patricia Michel, Executive Director  
160 NE 162<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Miami, Florida 33162***

Signature: *Patricia Michel*  
Corporate Officer

Title: Registered Agent/Executive Director

Dated: 9/22/2020

*[Handwritten initials]*



Having been named Registered Agent and to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation at the place designated in this certificate. 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 I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as Registered Agent.

Signature: *Patricia Michel*