

**Electronic Articles of Incorporation  
For**

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THE FLORIDA CENTER FOR GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY INC

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

**Article I**

The name of the corporation is:

THE FLORIDA CENTER FOR GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY INC

**Article II**

The principal place of business address:

1334 TIMBERLANE ROAD  
TALLAHASSEE, FL. US 32312

The mailing address of the corporation is:

PO BOX 1844  
NAPLES, FL. US 34106

**Article III**

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

TO PRODUCE, WITH TARGETED AND CLEARLY DEFINED STRATEGIES,  
WELL-SOURCED QUALITY REPORTING THAT ILLUMINATES COMPLEX  
ISSUES, HOLDS GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABLE TO ITS CITIZENS AND  
ENHANCES CIVIC ENGAGEMENT.

**Article IV**

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is:

AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE BYLAWS.

**Article V**

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

BARBARA A PETERSEN  
534 WILLIAMS STREET  
TALLAHASSEE, FL. 32303

I certify that I am familiar with and accept the responsibilities of  
registered agent.

Registered Agent Signature: BARBARA A. PETERSEN

## **Article VI**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

BARBARA A. PETERSEN  
534 WILLIAMS STREET

TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301

Electronic Signature of Incorporator: BARBARA A. PETERSEN

I am the incorporator submitting these Articles of Incorporation and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that 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. I understand the requirement to file an annual report between January 1st and May 1st in the calendar year following formation of this corporation and every year thereafter to maintain "active" status.

## **Article VII**

The initial officer(s) and/or director(s) of the corporation is/are:

Title: P  
LINDA PENNIMAN  
2386 TERRA VERDE LANE  
NAPLES, FL. 34105 US

Title: VP  
DON LINDLEY  
101 TERE BRA COURT  
PONTE VEDRA BEACH, FL. 32802 US

Title: S  
DIANE ROBERTS  
516 WARD STREET  
TALLAHASSEE, FL. 32308 US

## **Article VIII**

The effective date for this corporation shall be:

02/22/2021