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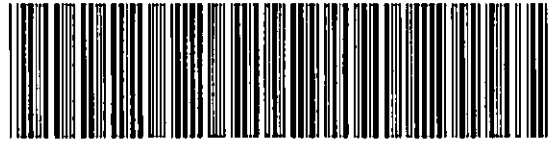
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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: PG Light up the Tree, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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\$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

\$87.50  
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: James R Getz  
Name (Printed or typed)

307 McGregor Street  
Address

Punta Gorda, Fl 33950  
City, State & Zip

239-989-5142  
Daytime Telephone number

getzjamesr@gmail.com  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

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

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be: P G Light up the Tree, Inc.

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPLE OFFICE**

Principle street address:

701 JC Center Ct.

Port Charlotte, Fl

33954

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: P G Light up the Tree’s purpose as specified in Section 501 ©3 of the Internal Revenue Code for Community Improvement of Punta Gorda and to manage and fund its Annual Community Christmas Tree Lighting event. Raise funds to purchase a new state of the art 30 ft artificial tree to replace the 10 year old tree that has been displayed in the downtown area of the City of Punta Gorda during the Christmas Season. Continue to fund and support the Christmas Tree Lighting festival the first week of December which is an event open to all at no cost. Continue to add new decorations annually as the budget allows on our main street.

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTIONS** The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:

The Board of Directors at the Annual Meeting in December elects the officers for the next year at the end of the Annual Meeting. The Directors are Community Volunteers that are active in the yearly Punta Gorda Christmas Tree Lighting Festival.

**ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS**

Name and Title: Jacquelyn Johnson, President  
Address 2437 Pinellas Drive  
Punta Gorda, Fl 33983

Name and Title: Scott Joiner, Treasurer  
Address % Joiner & Savasuk CPA PLLC  
701 JC Center Ct.  
Port Charlotte, Fl. 33954

Name and Title Catherine Getz, Secretary  
Address 307 McGregor St.  
Punta Gorda, Fl. 33950

**ARTICLE VI. REGISTERED AGENT**

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Name: Scott Joiner  
Address: % Joiner & Savasuk CPA PLLC  
701 JC Center Ct.  
Port Charlotte, Fl. 33954  
941-206-0077

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**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Name: James Getz  
Address: 307 McGregor St.  
Punta Gorda, Fl. 33950  
239-989-5142

**ARTICLE VIII PROHIBITED ACTIVITY**

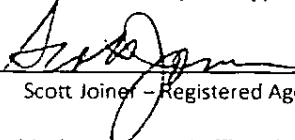
No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation (except as otherwise provided by Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code), and this corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these bylaws, this corporation shall not carry on any 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 (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

**ARTICLE IX DISSOLUTION CLAUSE**

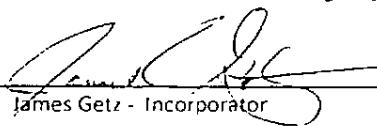
Upon the dissolution of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Such distribution shall be made in accordance with all applicable provisions of the laws of this state.

*Having been named as registered agent to accept services 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*

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Scott Joiner - Registered Agent

9/21/2021  
Date

*I submit this document and affirm that the facts herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted is a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S*

  
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James Getz - Incorporator

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