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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF.

## DIGITAL CHURCH NETWORK, INC.

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of this corporation pursuant to Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, hereby forms a corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida and adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

## ARTICLE I - NAME OF CORPORATION

The name of this corporation shall be DIGITAL CHURCH NETWORK, INC. The "Corporation").

# ARTICLE II - ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS OF CORPORATION

The address of the principal office and mailing address of the Corporation is 18753 South Dixie Highway, #337, Miami, Florida 33157.

## ARTICLE III - PURPOSES AND POWERS OF CORPORATION

A. The Corporation is organized exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or such corresponding section of any future federal tax code (hereinafter referred to as the "Code"), including, for all such purposes, making distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Code Section 501(c)(3). To the extent consistent with the preceding sentence and permissible under Florida law, the purposes of the Corporation shall include, but shall not be limited to, providing support, assistance, coaching.

accountability, resources, trainings, and other services as an outreach ministry to teach and assist religious leaders and their religious organizations in furthering their mission.

- B. The Corporation shall be authorized to carry out any and all acts and to exercise any and all corporate powers which may now or hereafter be lawful under the laws of the State of Florida to the extent applicable to corporations not for profit and that are not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation.
- C. Notwithstanding anything contained in these Articles of Incorporation to the contrary, the following provisions shall apply:
  - 1. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered to the Corporation and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in this Article III.
  - 2. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in or intervene in any political campaign (including publishing or distributing statements) on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.
  - 3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, 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 Code Section 501(c)(3), or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Code Section 170(c)(2).

- 4. If the Corporation is, or shall ever be, classified as a "private foundation", as defined in Code Section 509(a), the following provisions shall apply for so long as it remains a private foundation:
  - (a) The Corporation will not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Code.
  - (b) The Corporation will distribute its income for each tax year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the Code.
  - (c) The Corporation will not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Code.
  - (d) The Corporation will not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under Section 4944 of the Code.
  - (e) The Corporation will not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Code.

## ARTICLE IV - BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

All corporate power shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business of the Corporation shall be managed under the direction of, the Corporation's Board of Directors. The Board of Directors of the Corporation shall be elected or appointed in the manner and for the terms provided in the Bylaws. The number of directors shall be as set forth in the Bylaws, and the Board of Directors shall at all times consist of at least three (3) persons. The names and addresses of the individuals who are to serve as the initial directors of the Corporation are as follows:

Name Address

8180 SW 189 Street JEFF REED

Cutler Bay, Florida 33157

AMY REED 8180 SW 189 Street

Cutler Bay, Florida 33157

8920 SW 162 Terrace LINDA REED

Village of Palmetto Bay, Florida 33157

KEN SCHAFER

1129 Cedarview Lanc
Franklin, Tennessee 37067

STEVE CARSWELL

1080 NE Town Terrace
Jensen Beach, Florida 34957

The names and addresses of the individuals who are to serve as the initial officers of the retion are as follows: Corporation are as follows:

> Address. Name

JEFF REED, President/Treasurer 8180 SW 189 Street

Cutter Bay, Florida 33157

## ARTICLE V - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is 18753 South Dixie Highway, #337, Miami, Florida 33157, and the name of the initial registered agent of the Corporation at that address is JEFF REED. The Board of Directors may from time to time designate a new registered office and registered agent.

## ARTICLE VI - INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the incorporator of the Corporation is:

Name Address

JEFF REED 18753 South Dixie Highway, #337

Miami, Florida 33157

## ARTICLE VII - DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, after the payment or provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the Corporation, all of the assets of the Corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Code Section 501(c)(3), 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 the Circuit Court 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. In no event, however, may the assets to be disposed of be distributed to or the benefit of any director, officer or other private person, other than as reasonable payment for services rendered by such person.

## ARTICLE VIII - TERM OF EXISTENCE

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence, commencing with the filing of these Articles of Incorporation with the Secretary of State.

## **ARTICLE IX - INDEMNIFICATION**

The Corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director, to the full extent permitted by law.

## ARTICLE X - AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended, repealed or altered, in whole or in part, by a vote of a majority of the Corporation's Board of Directors, at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors called for such purpose in accordance with the provisions of the Bylaws.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has made and subscribed these Articles of Incorporation this 29th day of November, 2021.

ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION

OF

REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process at the place designated in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept such designation and agree to act in such capacity and comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties as registered agent, including the provisions of Section 48.091 of the Florida Statutes. I am familiar with and accept the duties and obligations of Section 617.0503 of the Florida Statutes.

**SPF** REED

Date: November 29 , 2021