Electronic Articles of Incorporation For

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DEAF EMPOWERING ADVOCATING FLORIDA SOUTHWEST, INC.

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

Article I

The name of the corporation is:

DEAF EMPOWERING ADVOCATING FLORIDA SOUTHWEST, INC.

Article II

The principal place of business address:

13545 AMERICAN COLONY BLVD BOX NUMBER 6 FORT MYERS, FL. US 33912

The mailing address of the corporation is:

13545 AMERICAN COLONY BLVD BOX NUMBER 6 FORT MYERS. FL. US 33912

Article III

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

TO PROVIDE SOCIAL, MENTAL, EDUCATIONAL, VOCATIONAL, FAMILIAL AND CULTURAL SUPPORT FOR THE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING IN LEE COUNTY AND THE SURROUNDING AREAS.

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:

INGRID ALMONTE 2509 6TH ST W LEHIGH ACRES, FL. 33971

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

Registered Agent Signature: INGRID ALMONTE

Article VI

The name and address of the incorporator is:

RICKEY ALLEN MCCLAIN 28 EVERGREEN DRIVE

NORTH FORT MYERS, FL 33917

Electronic Signature of Incorporator: RICKEY A. MCCLAIN

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: ED RICKEY A MCCLAIN 28 EVERGREEN DRIVE FORT MYERS, FL. 33917 US

Title: FD INGRID ALMONTE 2509 6TH ST W LEHIGH ACRES, FL. 33971 US

Title: EX S DEBRA I MCCLAIN 28 EVERGREEN DRIVE NORTH FORT MYERS, FL. 33917 US

Article VIII

The effective date for this corporation shall be:

05/05/2022

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