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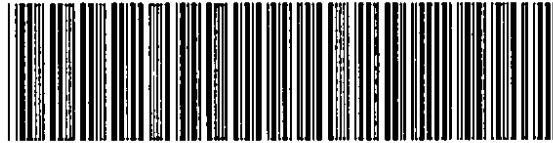
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Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: **Frederick Douglass Center, Inc.**
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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 &
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☐ \$78.75
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& Certified Copy

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FROM: Tax Exempt 501c3, LLC
Name (Printed or typed)

PO Box 1665

Address

Rolla, MO 65402

City, State & Zip

573-201-4832

Daytime Telephone number

support@taxexempt501c3.com

E-mail address; (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

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FREDERICK DOUGLASS CENTER, INC.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION – NON-PROFIT

ARTICLE I

NAME

1.01 Name

The legal name of this corporation shall be **Frederick Douglass Center, Inc.**

ARTICLE II

DURATION

2.01 Duration

The period of duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III

PURPOSE

3.01 Purpose

Frederick Douglass Center, Inc. is a non-profit corporation organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Frederick Douglass Center, Inc.'s mission is to be a resource hub for referral services in the community, to include but not limited to, HIV testing, pregnancy tests, parenting classes, and soft jobs skills such as resume writing and interviewing skills. We will provide leadership, small business, and technology training, mentoring for youth and young adults, micro grants for struggling entrepreneurs, and similar needed services in the community.

To maximize our effectiveness, we may seek to collaborate with other non-profit organizations which qualify as non-profit corporations under section 501(c) (3).

ARTICLE IV

NON-PROFIT NATURE / BENEFITS

4.01 Non-profit Nature

Frederick Douglass Center, Inc. is not organized and shall not be operated for the private gain of any person. The property of the corporation is irrevocably dedicated to its charitable, religious, educational or scientific purposes. No part of the assets, receipts, or net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to, any individual. The corporation may, however, pay reasonable compensation for services rendered, and make other payments and distributions consistent with these Articles.

4.02 Personal Liability

No officer or director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of Frederick Douglass Center, Inc. of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property or assets of the officers or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

4.03 Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, 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 a Court of Competent Jurisdiction 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.

4.03 Prohibited Distributions

No part of the net earnings, or properties of this corporation, on dissolution or otherwise, shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers or other private person or individual, 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 the purposes set forth in Article III, Section 3.01.

4.04 Restricted Activities

No substantial part of the corporation's activities shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene (including the publishing or distribution of statements) in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

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ARTICLE V

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

5.01 Governance

Frederick Douglass Center, Inc. shall be governed by its board of directors.

5.02 Initial Directors

The initial directors of the corporation shall be:

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ARTICLE X

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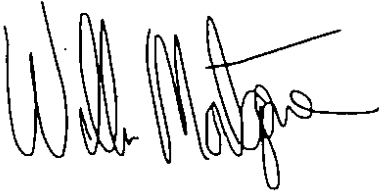
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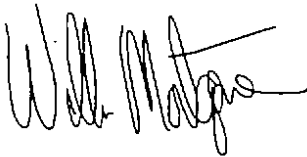


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October 8, 2022

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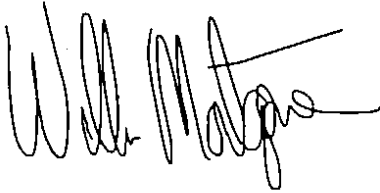
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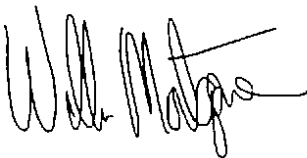


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