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autismstronginc@gmail.com

Email Address

Jacksonville, Fl 32218
City, State & Zip

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

Autism Strong, Inc.

The name of the nonprofit corporation is Autism Strong, Inc.

ARTICLE II CORPORATE PURPOSES

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized and operated are exclusively for charitable purposes and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501©(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

The Corporation's charitable and educational goals shall be met primarily by its commitment to aid services throughout the Jacksonville community but not limited to the following:

Autism Strong Inc. is committed to advocating solutions that cut across the autism spectrum and span the life span. We achieve this through assistance and advocacy, awareness, and education, which broadens perceptions and acceptance of children with Autism.

Autism Strong Inc. mission is to educate, support, and raise awareness of autism spectrum disorders among our communities.

Our vision is to strengthen families and reduce their loneliness. To increase effectiveness and eliminate the stigma surrounding autism spectrum disorders.

- (a) Autism Strong Inc. is to receive, maintain, and accept as assets of the corporation any property, whether real, personal, or mixed, by way of gift, bequest, devise, or purchase from any person, firm trust, or corporation, and be held, administered, and disposed of exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and in accordance with and pursuant to the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation; but no gift, bequest, devise, or purchase of any such property shall be received and accepted if it is conditioned or limited in such manner as shall require the disposition of income or principal to any organization other than a "charitable organization" for any purposes other then the "charitable purposes" which would jeopardize the status of the Corporation, an entity exempt from federal income tax pursuant to the relevant provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended; and
- (b) Autism Strong Inc. is to exclusively promote and carry on any other charitable, or educational purposes and activities for which corporations may be organized and operated under the relevant provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and under the Florida Nonprofit Corporation Code.

ARTICLE III LIMITATIONS

- 1. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall constitute the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, or any initiative or referendum before the public, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including by publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office; and
- 2. 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 Internal Revenue Code.
- 3. The corporation shall not lend any of its assets to any officer or director of this corporation (unless such loan program is regularly conducted as part of the activities of the organization and the qualification of the individual to participate in same is determined by a panel comprised solely of non-Board members) or guarantee to any person the payment of a loan by an officer or director of this corporation.

ARTICLE IV DIRECTORS/MEMBERS

The corporation should have no members. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of a Board of Directors as defined in the corporation bylaws.

ARTICLE V REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The initial street address and mailing address of the principal office of the Corporation is:

Lisa Cobb 1695 Biscayne Bay Circle jacksonville FL, 32218

The initial registered agent and office of the nonprofit corporation is:

Jacklyn Allen-Wright 7852 Rondo Avenue Jacksonville FL, 32219

ARTICLE VI MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

The powers of the Corporation shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the Corporation shall manage under the direction of, a Board of Directors which shall have seven (7) directors initially. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by a majority of the directors, but at no times shall there be fewer than five (5) directors of the Corporation.

ARTICLE VIII INITIAL DIRECTORS

The manner in which the Directors of the Corporation shall be elected or appointed shall be governed by the provisions of the Bylaws of the Corporation. The names and street addresses of the initial officers & directors of the Corporation are:

Name	Street Address 23 F
President/ Board of Director	Lisa Cobb 1695 Biscayne Bay Circle Jacksonville FI, 32218
Vice President/ Board of Director	Jacklyn Allen-Wright 7852 Rondo 💯 📆 Ave. Jacksonville Fl, 32219
Treasurer/ Board of Director	Latricia Campbell 8440 Helen Terrace #3 Jacksonville Fl, 32210
Secretary/ Board of Director	Shi-Reva Stallings 1912 Brooklyn Rd. Jacksonville Fl, 32209
Board of Director	Janine Willingham 10075 Gate Parkway N #1702 Jacksonville FI, 32246
Board of Director	Tamara Guyton-Louis 6311 Blakely Dr. Jacksonville Fl,

Board of Director Olivia Fudge 7101 Wilson Blvd

8202 Jacksonville Fl, 32210

Board of Director Anthony Wright 7852 Rondo Ave.

Jacksonville Fl, 32219

Board of Director Kiawanna Dennis 9515 Flechette

Ave Jacksonville Fl, 32208

ARTICLE IX MEMBERS

The Corporation will not have members and shall be governed exclusively by its Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X AMENDMENTS

Amendment to these Articles of Incorporation may be adopted by a majority of the directors in the manner set forth in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

ARTICLE XI

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Lisa Cobb

1695 Biscayne Bay Circle

Jacksonville Florida 32218

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ARTICLE XIII MISCELLANEOUS

In the event of the dissolution of the Corporation, or in the event it shall cease to carry out the objects and purposes herein set forth, all of the business, property and assets of the Corporation shall go and be distributed to a nonprofit corporation qualifying as an organization exempt under the provisions of Section 501© 3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, amended, or any superseding statute thereof, and as an organization qualifying as a public charity under the provisions of Section 509 (a)(1) or 509(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any superseding statute thereof, as the Directors of the Corporation any select and designate;

and in no event shall any of said assets or property, in the event of dissolution thereof, go or be distributed or contributed by such directors, for any other such purpose.

Any of such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the District Court of the County in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for such purpose, or to such organization or organization as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

DIRECTORS:
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Lisa Copb, President/ Board of Director
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Jacklyn Allen-Wright, Vice-Presidenty Board of
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Shi-Reva Stallings, Secretary/ Board of Director
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Latricia campbell, Treasurer/ Board of Director
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Anthony Wright, Board of Director
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Kiawanna Dennis, Board of Director

Having been named as registered agent to accept service 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.

Jacklyn Allen-Wright, Registered Agent

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation.

INCORPORATOR: 01-19-2023

Lisa Cobb, January 19, 2023