# **Electronic Articles of Incorporation For**

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THE EQUITY INSTITUTE, 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:

THE EQUITY INSTITUTE, INC.

## **Article II**

The principal place of business address:

5203 CENTRAL AVENUE ST. PETERSBURG, FL. 33710

The mailing address of the corporation is:

5203 CENTRAL AVENUE ST. PETERSBURG, FL. 33710

#### **Article III**

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

TO OPERATE AS AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO STIMULATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN ECONOMICALLY DEPRESSED AND URBAN AREAS TO BENEFIT MINORITY AND DISADVANTAGED GROUPS AND FOR ANY OTHER LAWFUL CHARITABLE PURPOSE.

#### 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:

TAMARA FELTON-HOWARD 5203 CENTRAL AVENUE ST. PETERSBURG, FL. 33710

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

Registered Agent Signature: TAMARA FELTON-HOWARD

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### **Article VI**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

TAMARA FELTON-HOWARD 5203 CENTRAL AVENUE

ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33710

Electronic Signature of Incorporator: TAMARA FELTON-HOWARD

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: CEO TAMARA FELTON-HOWARD 5203 CENTRAL AVENUE ST. PETERSBURG, FL. 33710

Title: D GYPSY GALLARDO 2900 DESOTOT WAY SOUTH ST PETERSBURG, FL. 33712

Title: D LOUIS MURPHY SR 2551 TROPICAL SHORES DR. S.E. ST PETERSBURG, FL. 33705

Title: D MICHAEL JALAZO 110 RICARDO WAY N.E. UNIT 6 ST PETERSBURG, FL. 33704

Title: D PATTYE SAWYER 1911 BONITA WAY SOUTH ST PETERSBURG, FL. 33712