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SUBJECT ; Paxon Alumni Association, Inc.

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for **\$87.50** (Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate).

FROM: Lucious T. Harris 19221 West Saint Andrews Drive Miami, FL 33015 (305)829-4831 timharris715@gmail.com

Articles of Incorporation of Paxon Alumni Association, Inc.

(In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., Not-for-Profit)

Article I.

The name of this corporation shall be Paxon Alumni Association, Inc.

Article II.

The initial office of the corporation shall be at:

641 Reflection Cove Rd.

Jacksonville, Florida 32218

Article III.

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes, including for such purposes the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The Corporation may be engaged in the distribution of educational books and other educational materials, the granting of scholarships or stipends for educational books or other educational materials, and the granting of scholarships for other educational purposes. The Corporation may engage in fundraising activities solely in furtherance of these purposes as allowed under applicable Federal and Florida law, rules, or regulations.

Article IV.

The minimum number of Directors will be three. Directors will be elected at the Annual Meeting of the Board. Directors will be elected for one year terms, or until the Annual Meeting. If necessary, Directors may also be elected at any properly noticed meeting of the Board. Directors will be elected by a majority of the Directors attending the meeting.

The Board may appoint additional officers as it may deem necessary.

Article V.

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The initial Board Members and officers are:

Barbara J. Bryan. Ph.D. 22561 Esplanada Drive Boca Raton, FL 33433 President and Director



Carletha E. Cohen-Griffin 3200 Willin Street Fort Myers, FL 33916	Vice President and Director
Paula Taylor Webb 6410 Reflection Cove Rd. Jacksonville, FL 32218	Treasurer and Director
Patricia Boyd Bethel 510 Hopewell Drive Orange Park, FL 32073	Secretary and Director
Larry Hamilton, Sr. 8271 Moncrief Dinsmore Rd. Jacksonville, FL 32219	Director
William Henry Adams, III 11491 Key Biscayne Dr. Jacksonville, FL 32218	Director

Article VI.

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The name and address of the initial registered agent of the Corporation is:

Lucious T. Harris 19221 West Saint Andrews Drive Miami, Florida 33015

Article VII.

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Lucious T. Harris

19221 West Saint Andrews Drive

Miami, Florida 33015

Article VIII.

The Corporation will not have members.

Article IX.

The Corporation shall have perpetual duration.



Article X.

Upon 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. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of Duval County, Florida for purposes consistent with the purposes of the Corporation as determined by said Court.

Article XI.

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 and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of its stated corporate purposes. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, 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 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 the Internal Revenue Code.

IN WITNESS HEREOF, the undersigned has executed these articles on this 20 th day of July. 2023.

Name of Incorporator

Signature of Incorporator

Dated

Lucious T. Harris ucroin J. 4 July 20, 2023

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for 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.

Name of Registered Agent

Signature of Registered Agent

Dated

Lucious T. Harris July 20, 2023