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## AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF WESTSIDE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, INC.

The undersigned officer certifies that the following Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of Westside Christian School, Inc., a Florida nonprofit corporation (the "Corporation"), were adopted by the Corporation's board of directors in accordance with Fla. Stat. §§ 617.1007 and 617.0821 effective September 20, 2024 (the "Effective Date"). These Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation replace and supersede the original articles of incorporation and any amendments to the original articles of incorporation.

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the Corporation is Westside Christian School, Inc.

## ARTICLE II BUSINESS AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal place of business address and the mailing address of the Corporation is 10000 West Newberry Road, Gainesville, FL 32606.

## ARTICLE III PURPOSES

The Corporation is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, or scientific purposes specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time, or any corresponding section of any future federal tax code (the "Code"). More specifically, the Corporation shall educate students by operation of a Christian school that promotes academic excellence and spiritual growth, while equipping students to positively impact their communities in accordance with Biblical principles. The Corporation may engage in any and all activities incidental, useful or necessary to the accomplishment of these purposes.

#### ARTICLE IV DIRECTORS

The number of directors, their powers and duties, qualifications, tenure, manner of election, and all other matters pertaining to the directors shall be provided in the Corporation's bylaws, but the number of directors shall not be less than three (3).

#### ARTICLE V POWERS

The Corporation shall have all powers conferred upon nonprofit corporations organized under Chapter 617 of the Florida statutes and any successor provisions to the Florida statutes but shall exercise such powers only in fulfillment of the purposes set forth in Article III of these Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE VI MEMBERS

The Corporation shall have no members.

## ARTICLE VII RESTRICTIONS

At all times, and notwithstanding the merger, consolidation, reorganization, termination, dissolution or winding up of the Corporation (voluntary or involuntary or by operation of law), or any other provision hereof:

- a) The Corporation shall not carry on any activities which are not permitted to be carried on by a corporation that is exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, and to which contributions are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code.
- b) No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation; nor shall the Corporation, directly or indirectly, participate or intervene in (including, without limitation, the publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.
- c) No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any director or officer of the Corporation or any other individual, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation to employees or reimburse reasonable expenses to directors or officers for services rendered to or for the benefit of the Corporation, and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in this Article III.
- d) Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, if at any time or times the Corporation is a private foundation within the meaning of Section 509 of the Code, then during such time or times, the Corporation:
  - Shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to subject the Corporation to tax under Section 4942 of the Code;
  - ii. Shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Code:

- iii. Shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Code;
- iv. Shall not make any investments in such a manner as to subject the Corporation to tax under Section 4944 of the Code; and
- v. Shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Code.

#### ARTICLE VIII DISSOLUTION

The Corporation may be dissolved upon the adoption of a plan to dissolve by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Corporation's board of directors. In the event of dissolution of the Corporation, no liquidating or other dividends and no distribution of property owned by the Corporation shall be declared or paid to any private individual, but the net assets of the Corporation shall be distributed as follows:

- a) All liabilities and obligations of the Corporation shall be paid, satisfied and discharged, or adequate provision shall be made therefore; and
- b) Remaining assets shall be distributed to Westside Baptist Church of Gainesville Florida, Inc., or if such church no longer exists, to an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the 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 disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the organization 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.

## ARTICLE IX DISTRIBUTIONS

The Corporation may make a payment or other distribution to a nonprofit corporation as permitted under the Florida Statutes or successor statutes, provided the payment or distribution is in accordance with the stated purpose of the Corporation.

## ARTICLE X AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

These Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation may be amended by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Corporation's board of directors.

(Signature page follows)

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto subscribed my name this the 19th day of , September, 2024.

David Chauncey, President

This instrument was drafted by: Jesse A. Roberts

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