# **Electronic Articles of Incorporation For**

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SHIELD AND SERVE, 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: SHIELD AND SERVE, INC.

## **Article II**

The principal place of business address:

6156 41ST STREET EAST BRADENTON, FL. US 34203

The mailing address of the corporation is:

6156 41ST STREET EAST BRADENTON, FL. US 34203

### **Article III**

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

TO PROVIDE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS TO HELP KEEP CHILDREN SAFE, TO PROMOTE LITERACY & OTHER LIFE SKILLS(INCLUDING ACADEMIC & CAREER SUPPORT) FOR AT-RISK YOUTH & ADULTS. ORGANIZED EXCLUSIVELY FOR EDUCATIONAL & CHARITABLE PURPOSES.

## **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:

BRENDA L ZOFREA 6156 41ST STREET EAST BRADENTON, FL. 34203

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

Registered Agent Signature: BRENDA L. ZOFREA

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## **Article VI**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

BRENDA L. ZOFREA 6156 41ST STREET EAST

BRADENTON, FL 34203

Electronic Signature of Incorporator: BRENDA L. ZOFREA

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: P
BRENDA L ZOFREA
6156 41ST STREET EAST
BRADENTON, FL. 34203 US

Title: VP TIFFANY N BELLIZAN-MICKENS 564 SW 13TH STREET BELLE GLADE, FL. 33430 US

Title: T LINDA M WALZ 508 AIRMOUNT AVENUE RAMSEY, NJ. 07446 US

Title: S WENDY J PITTMAN 6891 TAILFEATHER WAY BRADENTON, FL. 34203 US

#### **Article VIII**

The effective date for this corporation shall be:

03/12/2024