

# **Electronic Articles of Incorporation For**

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MERCY TREE FARM ANIMAL SANCTUARY INC.

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Florida not-for-profit corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

## **Article I**

The name of the corporation is:

MERCY TREE FARM ANIMAL SANCTUARY INC.

## **Article II**

The principal place of business address:

2014 BAYBERRY LANE  
SOUTHPORT, FL. 32409

The mailing address of the corporation is:

2014 BAYBERRY LANE  
SOUTHPORT, FL. 32409

## **Article III**

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

TO PROVIDE COMPASSIONATE CARE, SHELTER, AND ACCEPTANCE TO  
FARM ANIMALS THAT ARE AT RISK FROM ABUSE, NEGLECT, AND  
EXPLOITATION.

## **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:

## **Article VI**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

SHANNON MARTIN  
408 W BALDWIN RD

PANAMA CITY, FL 32405

Electronic Signature of Incorporator: SHANNON MARTIN

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  
KATHY SMITH  
2014 BAYBERRY LANE  
SOUTHPORT, FL. 32409

Title: VP  
CHARLES SMITH  
2014 BAYBERRY LANE  
SOUTHPORT, FL. 32409

Title: T  
DEBBIE EVERNHAM  
825 RUSS LAKE DR  
PANAMA CITY, FL. 32404

## **Article VIII**

The effective date for this corporation shall be:

01/01/2025