

**Electronic Articles of Incorporation  
For**

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THE RAFAEL & MERCEDES PADRON FAMILY FOUNDATION, 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:

THE RAFAEL & MERCEDES PADRON FAMILY FOUNDATION, INC.

**Article II**

The principal place of business address:

2095 W 76TH STREET  
SUITE 107  
HIALEAH, FL. US 33016

The mailing address of the corporation is:

2095 W 76TH STREET  
SUITE 107  
HIALEAH, FL. UN 33016

**Article III**

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

TO DEVELOP AND MAINTAIN A SAFE AND SECURE  
TEMPORARY/TRANSITIONAL HOUSING COMMUNITY FOR BATTERED AND  
ABUSED WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN WHILE THEY REINTEGRATE  
INTO SOCIETY.

**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:

PADRON & ASSOCIATES, INC.  
2095 W 76TH STREET  
SUITE 107  
HIALEAH, FL. 33016

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

Registered Agent Signature: RAFAEL M. PADRON

## Article VI

The name and address of the incorporator is:

RAFAEL M. PADRON  
2095 W 76TH STREET  
SUITE 107  
HIALEAH

Electronic Signature of Incorporator: RAFAEL M. PADRON

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: CPD  
RAFAEL M PADRON  
2095 W 76TH STREET STE 107  
HIALEAH, FL. 33016 US

Title: VPSD  
MERCEDES M PADRON  
2095 W 76TH STREET STE 107  
HIALEAH, FL. 33016 US

Title: TD  
RAFAEL M PADRON JR  
2095 W 76TH STREET STE 107  
HIALEAH, FL. 33016 US

## Article VIII

The effective date for this corporation shall be:

11/29/2024