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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: The Putnam County Foster Parents' Association, Inc.
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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*****78.75 *****78.75

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00
Filing Fee

☒ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certificate

☐ \$122.50
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$131.25
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

FROM: Mary Lou Dawson
Name (Printed or typed)

211 Prospect Street (P.O. Box 111)
Address

Interlachen, FL 32148
City, State & Zip

904 684-4825 or 904-329-3525
Daytime Telephone number

SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Sandra B. Mortham
Secretary of State

February 15, 1996

MARY LOU DAWSON
P.O. BOX 111
INTERLACHEN, FL 32148

SUBJECT: THE PUTNAM COUNTY FOSTER PARENT'S ASSOCIATION, INC.
Ref. Number: W96000003494

We have received your document for THE PUTNAM COUNTY FOSTER PARENT'S ASSOCIATION, INC. and your check(s) totalling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation. A statement making reference to the bylaws is acceptable.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (904) 487-6931.

Garrett Blanton
Document Specialist

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

THE PUTNAM COUNTY FOSTER PARENT'S ASSOCIATION

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

We the undersigned, with other persons desiring to form a corporation for charitable and philanthropic purposes, under the provisions of Chapter 617 of The Florida Statutes, do agree to the following:

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation is THE PUTNAM COUNTY FOSTER PARENT'S ASSOCIATION, INC.

ARTICLE II. ADDRESS

The principal meeting place will be: The HRS Conference Room at Winn Dixie Plaza, Highway 19, Palatka, Florida. The mailing address shall be Post Office Box 2259, Palatka, FL 32178.

ARTICLE III. PURPOSE

The general nature of the objects and purposes of this corporation shall be non-partisan, non-sectarian, non-profit organization for the improvement of foster care in the State of Florida by:

1. Education
2. Communication among foster/adoptive parents as well as between foster parents and the agency (HRS).
3. Legislation - Children's welfare
4. Public Relations - Community Awareness
5. Miscellaneous as needed

ARTICLE IV. NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

Section 1. Nominations will be held annually.

Section 2. A nominating committee chosen by the President will make recommendations to the general assembly.

Section 3. Nominations will be permitted from the floor at a regular meeting.

Section 4. To be eligible for office the nominee must be a member of the organization for at least 6 months.

Section 5. Officers should be elected by secret ballot.

Section 6. Vacancies in the office of Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be filled for the un-expired term by a vote of the general membership at a meeting. In the event the office of the President becomes vacant, the Vice-President shall become President for the remainder of the un-expired term and the Vice-President's office shall be filled for the remainder of the un-expired term by a vote of the general membership.

Section 6. For further information, see the By-Laws.

ARTICLE V. LIMITATIONS

ARTICLE VI. REGISTERED AGENT

The name and address of the initial registered agent is: Mary Lou Dawson, 211 Prospect Street, Interlachen, Florida.

ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATORS

The name and mailing addresses of the incorporators are:

President

Mary Lou Dawson

P. O. Box 111
(211 Prospect Street)
Interlachen, FL 32148

Vice President

Bernice Mercer

Rt. 1, Box 140
(Highway 20)
Hawthorne, FL 32640

Secretary/Treasurer

Mildred Leasure

P. O. Box 84
(102 Frandy Street)
Florahome, FL 32140

Board of Directors

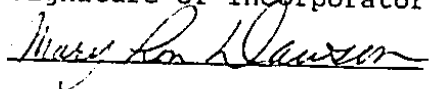
Glenda Johns

Rt. 3, Box 2480
(Peniel Road)
Palatka, FL 32177

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 2nd day of February, 1996.

I ACCEPT DUTIES AS REGISTERED AGENT.

Signature of Incorporator:



Mary Lou Dawson