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SUBJECT: Alachua Chamber of Commerce, Inc.
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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

\$70.00 \$78.75 \$122.50 \$131.25

FROM:

Roberta A Hodges
Name (Printed or typed)

P.O. Box 447-410 W Main

Address

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF
ARCHER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC.

FLORIDA NOT FOR PROFIT

INCORPORATION DATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

INCORPORATION

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation pursuant to chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopts the following articles of incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation shall be Archer Chamber of Commerce, Inc. The principle address of the corporation at time of incorporation is 410 N. Main Street, Archer, Florida 32610, and the mailing address of the corporation is P.O. Box 977, Archer, Florida 32610-0977.

ARTICLE II. DURATION

The duration of this corporation is perpetual. Corporate existence shall commence at the time of filing of the Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE III. PURPOSE

a. The purpose for which this corporation is organized is to promote and improve the overall business climate for its members through stimulation of economic growth and promotion of civic development in Archer and surrounding areas.

b. This corporation is formed and shall be operated exclusively for nonprofit purposes. No part of any net earnings shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee or officer of the corporation, except as provided by law.

c. This corporation shall have and exercise all powers conferred upon not for profit corporations under the laws of the State of Florida generally, and specifically as provided in Section 617.081 of the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, provided, however, that this corporation has no power to engage in any activity that in itself is not in furtherance of its purposes as set forth in subparagraph a. & b. of this Article III.

ARTICLE IV. QUALIFICATION AND
ADMISSION OF MEMBERS

Qualification and admission of members shall be as set forth in the bylaws of the corporation.

**ARTICLE V. REGISTERED OFFICE AND
REGISTERED AGENT**

The street address of the corporation's initial registered office is 910 W. Main Street, Archer, Alachua County, Florida 32618, and the name of the corporation's initial registered agent at such address is Robert A. Hodges.

ARTICLE VI. FIRST BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The following persons shall serve the corporation as directors until the first annual meeting or other meeting called to elect directors:

| NAME | ADDRESS |
|-----------------------|--|
| Robert A. Hodges | P.O. Box 647 Archer, Florida 32618-0647 |
| James H. Waldrop | P.O. Box 391 Archer, Florida 32618-0391 |
| Robert Lusnia | P.O. Box 176 Archer, Florida 32618-0176 |
| Patricia Anne Wiggins | P.O. Box 293 Archer, Florida 32618-0293 |
| Mary Copeland | P.O. Box 729 Archer, Florida 32618-0729 |
| Edna Beck | 102 Depot Avenue Archer, Florida 32618-5504 |
| Marcus Hays | P.O. Box 1562 Cross City, Florida 32628 |
| Troy Smith | 909 W Church Street Archer, Florida 32618 |

**ARTICLE VII. BASIS UNDER WHICH
CORPORATION ORGANIZED**

This corporation is organized under a non stock basis.

This corporation is a not for profit corporation as defined by the Not For Profit Corporation Act, Section 617.01 of the Florida Statutes. As such, it is not organized for the pecuniary gain or profit of, and its net earnings nor any part thereof is distributable to, its members, directors, officers or other private persons except as specifically permitted under the provisions of the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act.

ARTICLE V. MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATION OFFICES

(b) Board of Directors. The powers of this corporation shall be exercised by the proper corporate body, and the affairs conducted by a board of directors. The number of directors may be varied or lowered in accordance with the bylaws of the corporation.

(c) Election of Directors. The method of electing directors shall be as set forth in the bylaws.

(d) Eligible Officers. The officers of this corporation shall be as set forth in the bylaws of the corporation. The qualifications, the time and manner of electing or appointing the officers, the terms of office and the manner of removing officers shall be as set forth in the bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE VI. INCORPORATED

The name and address of the incorporation is Roberta A. Hedges, P.O. Box 647, Archer, Florida 32618-0647.

ARTICLE VII. BYLAWS

Bylaws will be hereafter adopted at the first meeting of the board of directors. Such bylaws may be amended, repealed, in whole or in part, in the manner provided in the bylaws. Any amendments to the bylaws shall be binding on all members of this corporation.

ARTICLE VIII. AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

Amendments to these articles of incorporation may be proposed by a resolution adopted by the board of directors and presented to a quorum of the voting members of the corporation.

ARTICLE IX. DISTRIBUTION ON DISSOLUTION

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the corporation will be distributed as provided for in the bylaws of the corporation.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1996.

Roberta A. Hedges
Roberta A. Hedges
Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA

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THE FORE GOING INSTRUMENT THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR
THE FIRM OF ROBERT R. HUMPHREY, THE FIRM SUBNOMINATED BEFORE
ME THIS TWENTIETH DAY OF AUGUST, 1996, BY ROBERT R. HUMPHREY, THE
INCORPORATOR AND REGISTERED AGENT WHO IS PERSONALLY KNOWN TO
ME AND WHO DID SIGN SAME ON DATE.

Leann M. Slaughter
LEANN M. SLAUGHTER, NOTARY PUBLIC



LEANN M. SLAUGHTER
COMMISSION # CC 507500
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ATLANTIC BONDING CO., INC.

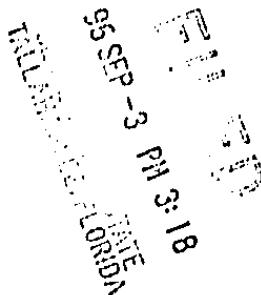
STATE OF FLORIDA
REGISTRATION OF REGISTERED OFFICE
REGISTERED AGENT FOR CORPUS CHRISTI, INC.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 607.325, Florida Statutes, the undersigned acts for said corporation, organized under the Laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent to the State of Florida:

1. The name of the corporation is Archer Chamber of Commerce, Inc.
2. The name and address of the initial registered agent are Roberta A. Hedges, P.O. Box 647, Archer, Florida 33861-0647, and the initial registered office address is 910 W. Main Street, Archer, Florida 33861.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1996.

Roberta A. Hedges
Roberta A. Hedges
Incorporator



AGENT'S ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I accept the duties and obligations of Section 607.325, Florida Statutes.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1996.

Roberta A. Hedges
Roberta A. Hedges
Registered Agent