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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF A FLORIDA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

Articles of Incorporation of the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of the State of Florida, do hereby Certify:

### ARTICLE I Name and Address

The name of this corporation shall be:

WEST COAST COORDINATION, INC.

The address of this corporation shall be:

2749 1st Avenue North St. Petersburg, Florida 33713

or such other address within the State of Florida as the Board of Directors may from time to time designate.

## ARTICLE II Terms of Existence

The term for which this corporation is to exist shall be perpetual. Corporate existence to commence with date of filing with the Secretary of State of Florida.

# ARTICLE III Purposes and Limitations

A. This Corporation is a not-for-profit corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. It is not organized for the private gain of any person. This Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, and lessening the burdens of government by working under the auspices of the State of Florida to provide services to developmentally disabled persons. Activities may include, for such above purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

- B The Corporation shall exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit corporations
- C No part of the net earning of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth herein. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

# ARTICLE IV Registered Office and Agent

The name of the Corporation's initial Registered Agent at the following address is:

Peggy A. Ogle 2749 1st Avenue North St. Petersburg, Florida 33713

#### ARTICLE V Membership

A. The membership of this Corporation shall consist only of those persons who comprise the Board of Directors of this Corporation, and such other persons or entities as may from time to time be elected and admitted to the Board of Directors by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the Board of Directors of this Corporation in accordance with the provisions of the Bylaws of the Corporation.

B The members of this Corporation shall have no right, title, or interest whatsoever in its income, property or assets, nor shall any portion of such income, property or assets be distributed to any member on the dissolution or winding up of this Corporation Members of this Corporation shall not be personally liable for the debts, liabilities, or obligations of the Corporation

#### ARTICLE VI Board of Directors

- A. The powers of this Corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by a Board of Directors. The number of Directors of the Corporation shall be not less than Three (3) nor more than Nine (9) provided, however, that such maximum number may be changed by a bylaw duly adopted by the Directors.
- B. Any action required or permitted to be taken by the Board of Directors under any provision of law may be taken without a meeting, if all members of the Board of Directors shall individually or collectively consent in writing to such action. Such written consent or consents shall be filed with the minutes of the proceedings of the Board, and any such effect as if taken by unanimous vote of the Directors.

#### ARTICLE VII Officers

The Officers of the Corporation shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Other Officers may be provided for in the Bylaws. Each Officer shall be elected By the Board of Directors (and may be removed by the Board of Directors) at such time and in such manner as may be prescribed by the Bylaws.

### ARTICLE VIII Initial Board of Directors

A. The initial Board of directors shall have 5 members whose names and addresses are:

Mark T. Groutage	1917 Dekle Avenue	Tampa, FL 33606
Diane Grove	170 47th Ave. N.E.	St. Petersburg, FL 33703
Peggy A.Ogle	224 Cordova Blvd. N.E.	St. Petersburg, FL 33704
James W. Patrick	1917 Dekle Avenue	Tampa, FL 33606
Diane K. White	224 Cordova Blvd. N.E.	St. Petersburg, FL 33704

B. The Initial Board of Directors named herein shall, as soon as practicable after the filing of these Articles of Incorporation, hold the organizational meeting of the Corporation, for which a quorum shall consist of a simple majority of the Initial Board, and the Chairman for the organizational meeting shall be chosen by a simple majority of Members present. At the organizational meeting, the Board of Directors shall approve the Bylaws and shall subsequently elect the Officers of the Corporation, whose duties and terms of office shall be specified in the Bylaws.

## ARTICLE IX Nonstock Basis

The Corporation is organized (and shall be operated) on a nonstock bases within the meaning of the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, and shall not have the power to issue shares of any type or class of stock, but may issue membership certificates if so pro-vided in the Bylaws.

### ARTICLE X Indemnification

The Corporation may, to the fullest extent permitted by law, indemnify any person made, or threatened to be made, a party to any action or proceeding, by reason of the fact that such person is or was a Director, Officer, or employee, against judgement, fines, or amounts paid in settlement and reasonable expenses, including attorney's fees, if such person acted in good faith for a purpose he/she reasonably believed to be in, or in the case of service for such other corporation, organization, or enterprise in any capacity at the reasonable expenses, including attorney's fees, if such person acted in good faith for a purpose he/she reasonably believed to be in, or in the case of service for such other corporation, organization, or enterprise not opposed to the best interests of the Corporation, and, in adddition, had no reasonable cause to believe his/her conduct was unlawful.

#### ARTICLE XI Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the organization is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

# ARTICLE XII Incorporators

Mark T Groutage	
James W. Patrick	
Diane K. White	

1917 Dekle Avenue

1917 Dekle Avenue 224 Cordova Blvd. N.E. Tampa, FL 33606 Tampa, FL 33606

St. Petersburg, FL 33704

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have signed these Articles of Incorporation on this ninth day of October, 1996.

Mark T. Groutage, Incorporator

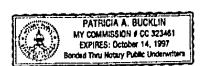
James W. Patrick, Incorporator

Diane K. White, Incorporator

Acknowledged before me on October 9, 1996, by Diane K. White, who is personally known to me, and who executed the foregoing Artir's of Incorporation and acknowledged to and before me that she executed dinstrument for the purposes therein expressed.

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#### ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-named corporation at a place designated in these Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provision of chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, relative to keeping open said office for service of process.

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