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January 26, 1998

Florida Department of State
Sandra B. Mortham
Secretary of State
Division of Corporation
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

RE: Filing of Articles of Incorporation for Community Policing
Interaction Association

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find enclosed the Articles of Incorporation for Community Policing Interaction Association, a corporation organized under the Laws of the State of Florida.

Sincerely,

Freddie Filmore, Sr., President Community Policing Interaction Association 300002418413--4 -02/02/98-01052-001 ****131.25 ****131.25

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

COMMUNITY POLICING INTERACTION ASSOCIATION

We, the undersigned, citizens of the State of Florida, pursuant to Chapter 617 Florida Statutes, have associated ourselves together, and do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of becoming incorporated under the laws of the State of Florida as a corporation not for profit pursuant to the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the Corporation shall be COMMUNITY POLICING INTERACTION ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED, and it shall be hereinafter referred to as COMMUNITY POLICING INTERACTION ASSOCIATION, INC. Its principal office shall be in the City of Apopka, County of Orange, and the State of Florida.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSES

The specific and primary purposes for which this corporation is formed are to operate for the enhancement of the quality of life for those residents and visitors of Apopka, Plymouth, Zellwood, and Tangerine through fellowship, citizenship, and patriotism.

The general purposes for which this corporation is formed are to operate exclusively for such purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, including for such purposes, the making of distribution to organizations which qualify as tax-exemption organizations under that Code.

This corporation shall not, as a substantial part of its activities, carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation, nor shall it participate or intervene (by publication or distribution of any statement, or otherwise) in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

The membership of this corporation shall be those community leaders and citizens that share in the concern and vision of this corporation.

Qualifications of Members and Manner of Admission. The members of this corporation shall be admitted to membership pursuant to provisions of the by-laws. The corporation does not discriminate in it's membership practices on the basis

of race, creed, sex, national origin, or handicap.

Rights and Liabilities of Members.
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, and shall not be subject to any assessments.

ARTICLE IV - EXISTENCE

The existence of the Corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE V - RIGHT OF MEMBERS

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation 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 in Article Two hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in(including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign of behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code 1954(or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 for the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE VI - INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the incorporators to these Articles of Incorporation are as follows:

NAME

ADDRESS

Freddie Filmore, Sr. 3311 Coleman Place Orlando, Florida 32805

Hezekiah Bradford, Jr. 21 West 13th Street Apopka, Florida 32703

Billie Dean 1526 Solway Court

Apopka, Florida 32712

Melvin L. Birdsong 133 East 7th Street
Apopka, Florida 32703

Ferry L. Holmes 1454 South Lake Avenue

Apopka, Florida 32703

Jimmy D. Howard 1013 South Central Avenue Apopka, Florida 32703

Dotsey Mays 205 West 14th Street Apopka, Florida 32703

Clifford Moore 812 South Lake Avenue

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Gregory Ogiste, Sr. 1136 Mill Run Circle
Apopka, Florida 32703

Lenell Shaw 2308 Partnership Hills Drive

Apopka, Florida 32712

Joseph C. Brown, Jr. 112 East 6th Street
Apopka, Florida 32703

Alexander Smith 312 West 5th Street Apopka, Florida 32703

Jerome Miller 112 East 6th Street

Apopka, Florida 32703

Ammie J. Filmore 750 Thompson Avenue Maitland, Florida 32751

ARTICLE VII - CORPORATE AFFAIRS

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Trustees whose initial numbers shall consist of seven(7) members, who shall be elected by the members pursuant to the By-Laws.

ARTICLE VIII - OFFICERS/TRUSTEES

The names of the officers/trustees of the Corporation who are to serve until the first election, are as follows:

NAME/TITLE

ADDRESS

Freddie Filmore, Sr. President

3311 Coleman Place Orlando, Florida 32905 Hezekiah Bradford, Jr. Vice President

21 West 13th Street Apopka, Florida 32703

Dotsey Mays Secretary 205 West 14th Street Apopka, Florida 32703

Ferry L. Holmes Asst. Secretary 1454 South Lake Avenue Apopka, Florida 32703

Gregory Ogiste, Sr. Treasurer

1136 Mill Run Circle
Apopka, Florida 32703

Jimmy D. Howard Asst. Treasurer 1013 South Central Avenue Apopka, Florida 32703

Clifford Moore Chaplain 812 South Lake Avenue Apopka, Florida 32703

ARTICLE IX - DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION

Upon dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Trustees shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954(or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Trustees shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation 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 X - AMENDMENTS

The Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws may be made, altered, rescinded or amended by a two-thirds(2/3) vote of the membership present and voting at any regular meeting or special meeting called for that purpose.

ARTICLE XI - REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

Jimmy D. Howard, is designated as registered agent of said corporation and may be served at 1013 South Central Avenue, Apopka, Florida 32703. His undersigned signature connotes his acceptance of said designation.

ARTICLE XII - INDEMNIFICATION

Any person (and the heirs, executors and administrators of such person) made or threatened to be made a party to any action, suit or proceeding by reason of the fact that he is or was a Director or Officer of the Corporation shall be indemnified by the Corporation against any and all liability and the reasonable expenses, including attorney's fees and disbursements, incurred by him(or by his heirs, executors or administrators) in connection with the defense or settlement of such action, suit or proceeding, or in connection with any appearance therein, except in relation to matters as to which it shall be adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding that such Director or Officer is liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of his duties. Such right of indemnification shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which such Director or Officer(or such heirs, executors or administrators) may be entitled apart from this Article.

ARTICLE XIII - PRIVATE FOUNDATION EXEMPTION PROVISION

Distribution of Income. The said corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax law.

Self-dealing. The corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax law.

Excess Business Holdings. The corporation shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4945(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

Investments Jeopardizing Charitable Purposes. The corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

Taxable Expenditures. The corporation shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals, acknowledged and filed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation under the laws of the State of Florida, on this __Z3^* ___ day of _______ 1998.

Freddie Filmore, Sr

Gregory/Ogiste, Sr.

Hotsey Mays)

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority personally appeared, Freddie Filmore, Sr., Dotsey Mays, Gregory Ogiste, Sr., who are to me well known to be the persons described in and who subscribed the above Article of Incorporation, and they did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to law that they made and subscribed to the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, at the aforesaid State and County, this _______ day of

__ 1998.

My Commission expires:

Melvin Lewis Birdson

MELVIN LEWIS BIRDSONG
My Comm Exp. 10/15/99
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No CC501887

In compliance with Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

COMMUNITY POLICING INTERACTION ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED, desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at 1348 Old Apopka Road, Apopka, Florida 32703, Orange County, State of Florida, has named Jimmy D. Howard as agent to accept service of process within Florida.

Signature

orporate Officer)

Title: President

Date: 1-23-98

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.

Signature

Title: Assistant Treasurer

Date: 1/23/98

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