# TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

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

\$70.00 \$78.75  Filing Fee & Certificate	□\$122.50 □ \$131.25  Filing Fee Filing Fee, & Certified Copy & Certificate
	ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

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

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

## ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: THE FARM SCHOOL, INC.

# ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 5883 BROWN LANE
SARASOTA FLORIDA 34232

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The specific purpose(s) for which the corporation is organized is(are):

(a) to foster the education and development for persons with psychiatric and educational disabilities. Within that purpose, the organization shall engage in activities to create, develop, operate or support a private school for persons with educational and psychiatric disabilities, and other educational programs as may be deemed appropriate from time to time.

- (b) (1) Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- (b) (2)No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed 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 III (b) (1). No substantial part 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 publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to 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, or corresponding section of any future f federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, 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 DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation 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

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government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of buy the District Court of the county in which the principal off ice 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 V MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECORS

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is:
The President will appoint the initial directors and any future directors he deems appropriate from time to time.

# ARTICLE VI BOARD MEMBERS

Executive Director—Joseph C. Katz 5883 Brown Ln. Sarasota FL, 34232

Director of Education—Cara L. Anenberg MA CCC-SLP 5883 Brown Ln. Sarasota FL, 34232

Director of Curriculum and Special Education—Ferne S. Rubin Occupation—President—Sarasota Educational Resource Center 2023 Constitution Blvd.
Sarasota FL, 34231

Director of Farm Supplies & Management—Bernie Layman Occupation—Vice President—B-Bar-Z Incorporated 5556 Palmer Blvd Sarasota FL, 34232

Director of Legal Affairs--Donald Westervelt, esq. 1505 Escalante SW Albuquerque, NM 87104

# ARTICLE VI INITAL REGESTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent is: Joseph C. Katz 5883 Brown Lane Sarasota, Florida 34232

# ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the Incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation are: Cara L. Anenberg 5883 Brown Lane Sarasota, Florida 34232

Signature/Incorporator ( ) Date 7-15-98

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above-mentioned corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligation of my

position as registered agent.

Signature/Registered Agent-

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