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### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF AMERICA MORTGAGE INVESTORS CORP.

The undersigned natural person, acting as Incorporator for the purpose of forming a corporation for profit under the provisions of Chapter 607, Florida Business Corporation Act, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

# ARTICLE ONE NAME AND ADDRESS

The name of the corporation and the address of the principal office, which is also the mailing address of the corporation, are:

#### AMERICA MORTGAGE INVESTORS CORP. 1013 OAKVIEW AVENUE CLEARWATER, FLORIDA 33756

## ARTICLE TWO DURATION AND COMMENCEMENT

The corporation shall have perpetual existence, commencing on filing of these Articles with the Secretary of State of Florida.

### ARTICLE THREE PURPOSES

The general nature and purposes of the business to be transacted, promoted and carried on by the corporation are: to operate a mortgage brokerage business and to do everything necessary and proper in accomplishing the purposes thereof, and to do anything incidental thereto which is not forbidden under the laws of the State of Florida.

### ARTICLE FOUR CAPITAL STOCK

The corporation is authorized to issue 1,000 shares of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) par value common stock.

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#### ARTICLE FIVE REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

#### 611 DRUID ROAD, SUITE 510 CLEARWATER, FLORIDA 33756

and the name of the initial registered agent at that office is :

#### GARDNER & GARDNER, P. A.

### ARTICLE SIX DIRECTORS

The corporation shall have one (1) director initially. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by a resolution of the majority of the shareholders but shall never be less than one. The name and address of the initial director of this corporation are:

#### MICHAEL E. BIRD 1013 OAKVIEW AVENUE CLEARWATER, FLORIDA 33756

### ARTICLE SEVEN INCORPORATOR AND SUBSCRIBER

The name and address of the person signing these Articles as incorporator and as the initial subscriber to the capital stock of the corporation are:

#### MICHAEL E. BIRD 1013 OAKVIEW AVENUE CLEARWATER, FLORIDA 33756

who subscribes to and agrees to take One Hundred (100) shares of the stock of the corporation.

### ARTICLE EIGHT INFORMAL SHAREHOLDER ACTION

Any action of the shareholders may be taken without a meeting if consent in writing setting forth the action so taken shall be signed by all of the shareholders entitled to vote upon such action at a meeting and filed with the Secretary of the corporation as part of the corporate records.

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### ARTICLE NINE INFORMAL DIRECTOR ACTION

If all of the directors severally or collectively consent in writing to any action taken or to be taken by the corporation, and the writings evidencing their consent are filed with the Secretary of the corporation, the action shall be as valid as though it had been authorized at a meeting of the Board of Directors.

# ARTICLE TEN INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation shall indemnify any and all officers, directors and former officers and directors to the fullest extent permitted by law.

### ARTICLE ELEVEN BYLAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal the bylaws of this corporation shall be vested in the Board of Directors and Shareholders, provided that such adoption, alteration, amendment or repeal shall be in compliance with the laws of Florida.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator and subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation on this Zylan day of February, 2004.

MICHAEL E. BIRD

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS

THE FOREGOING Articles of Incorporation were acknowledged before me on the day of February, 2004, by MICHAEL E. BIRD, who [ ] is personally known to me or [x] has produced \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

Notary Public

John C. Gardner MYCOMMISSION # D0092760 EXPRES February 17, 2006 SONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

#### ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

I HEREBY AGREE to act in the capacity of Registered Agent for the corporation which is the subject of the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and agree to comply with the provisions of Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, relative to keeping my office open for the acceptance of service. I am familiar with the duties and obligations of a registered agent under the Florida Business Corporation Act, Chapter 607, Florida Statutes, and I hereby accept those duties and obligations.

GARDNER & GARDNER, P. A.

HN C. GARDNER, as its President

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