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

RE: Niceville Economy Mini Storage, Inc.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Attached is an original and copy of the Articles of Incorporation for Niceville Economy Mini Storage, Inc., and a check in the amount of \$70.00 for the filing fee. Please send me a stamped copy for mine and my client's records. If I can assist you any further, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you:

Sincerely Yours,

Harold F. Peek, Jr.

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cc: Client

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

#### NICEVILLE ECONOMY MINI STORAGE, INC.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a Corporation under the Florida Corporation Act, do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### **ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of the Corporation **NICEVILLE ECONOMY MINI STORAGE INC.** 

#### **ARTICLE II - DURATION**

The duration of the corporation is for an indefinite period of time (i.e. perpetual).

#### **ARTICLE III - PURPOSE**

The general purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

- 1. To provide rental of mini storage units to businesses and the general public, and also rental of parking motor vehicles, boats, or motor homes, and other related business incidental thereto. These units can be climate controlled or not climate controlled.
- 2. To transact any other lawful business for which Corporations may be incorporated under the Florida General Corporation Act or engage in any other trade or business which can in the opinion of the Board of Directors of the Corporation be advantageously carried on in the connection with or auxiliary to the foregoing business.
- 3. To do such other things as are incidental to the foregoing or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish the foregoing.

#### ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCKS

The maximum number of shares of stock that this Corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is One Hundred (100) shares of common stock having a par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share, which such

stock shall have the entire voting power of the Corporation. Stock shall be issued under Section § 1244 of the Internal Revenue Code.

#### ARTICLE V - PRINCIPLE OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE & AGENT

The address of the initial registered office of this Corporation is 1803 Hickory Avenue, Niceville, FL 32578. The initial registered agent shall be Walter Glance Smith, 1803 Hickory Avenue, Niceville, FL 32578. The principal office and mailing address of the Corporation shall be, 1803 Hickory Avenue Niceville, FL 32578.

#### ARTICLE VI - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is two(2). The name and address of each person who is to serve as a member of the Initial Board of Directors is:

Walter Glance Smith 1803 Hickory Avenue

Niceville, FL 32578

Merle S. Smith 1803 Hickory Avenue

Niceville, FL 32578

#### **ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS**

Name and Address of each Incorporator is:

Walter Glance Smith 1803 Hickory Avenue

Niceville, FL 32578

Merle S. Smith 1803 Hickory Avenue

Niceville, FL 32578

### ARTICLE VIII - VOTING RIGHTS

Except as otherwise provided by law, the entire voting power for the election of directors and for all other purposes shall be vested exclusively in the holders of the outstanding common shares.

#### ARTICLE IX - PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for such of any new stock of this Corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which he already holds, shall have the right to purchase his prorata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at a price at which it is offered to others, in such a manner that he will own the same percentage interest of the Corporation after the new offering as he had before the stock issuance.

#### ARTICLE X - BY-LAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal by-laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE XI - STOCK ISSUANCE

Share of capital stock of this Corporation shall be issued initially to the following persons and in the amount set opposite their name:

Walter Glance Smith Merle S. Smith 100 Shares (Jointly with full rights of survivorship).

#### ARTICLE XII - CALLING OF SPECIAL MEETINGS

Special meetings of the shareholders may be called by a majority of the shareholders.

#### ARTICLE XIII - SHAREHOLDERS QUORUM & VOTING

Fifty-one percent (51%) of the shares entitled to vote, represented in one person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum at a meeting of shareholders. If a quorum is present, the affirmative vote of at least fifty-one percent (51%) of the shares represented at the meeting and entitled to vote on the subject matter shall be the act of the shareholders.

## ARTICLE XIV - APPROVAL OF SHAREHOLDERS REQUIRED FOR MERGER

The approval of the shareholders of this Corporation to any plan of merger shall be required in every case, whether or not such approval is required by law.

#### ARTICLE XV - SHAREHOLDERS MEETING REQUIRED

Any section of the shareholders of this Corporation must be taken at a meeting of shareholders of this Corporation duly called as provided by law.

#### **ARTICLE XVI - POWERS**

This Corporation shall have all the corporate powers enumerated in the Florida General Corporation Act.

#### ARTICLE XVII - EFFECTIVE DATE

The effective date of this incorporation and Corporation shall be the date of filing with the Secretary of State, State of Florida.

WALTER GLANCE SMITH

MERLE S. SMITH

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF OKALOOSA

WALTER GLANCE SMITH AND MERLE S. SMITH, whom are personally known to me, or who have produced as identification, and upon their oath acknowledged that they executed the foregoing Articles of

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SECRETARY OF STATE

Incorporation for the purposes set forth therein on the

. 2007.

My Commission Expires:

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING THE PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In pursuance to Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act,

That NICEVILLE ECONOMY MINI STORAGE, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principle office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at the City of Niceville, Okaloosa County, State of Florida, has named Walter Glance Smith, of 1803 Hickory Avenue, Niceville, FL 32578, as the agent for Service of Process within the State of Florida. Having been named to accept Service of Process for the above stated Corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity and agree to comply with the provisions of said Act relative to keeping open said office.