

Articles of Incorporation

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In the Office of the
Secretary of State of Texas

FEB 05 2015

Certificate of Formation

Corporations Section

Of

Individuals Making Progress Advancing Communities in Texas

We, the undersigned individual, being eighteen (18) years of age or older, acting as the organizer of a nonprofit corporation under the Texas Business Organization Code (BOC), hereby adopts the following Certificate of Formation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I: Name of Agency

Section 1. Name. The name of this corporation shall be Individuals Making Progress Advancing Communities in Texas (hereinafter called the "Corporation") and its duration shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE II: Registered Office and Agent

Section 1. Office. The name of the initial registered office in the state of Texas is 20810 Racers Ford Lane, Pflugerville, Texas 78660.

Section 2. Agent. The initial registered agent for the Corporation is Stephanie A. Carr-Harris.

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ARTICLE III: Amendments

Section 1. Amendments. The Board of Directors may amend these articles by a quorum vote at a board meeting or they may be amended by the Chief Executive Officer, provided that no such action will be taken if it would adversely affect the Corporation qualifications under the Internal Revenue Code or corresponding provisions of any subsequent Federal tax law.

ARTICLE IV: Purposes

Section 1. Purposes. The purposes of this corporation are as follows:

- (a) This is a nonprofit corporation organized and operated exclusively for charitable, scientific, social, religious and educational purposes primarily through grants within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3).
- (b) To engage in any lawful act or activity for which a nonprofit corporation organized under the BOC may now or hereafter have or exercise.

ARTICLE V: Management

Section 1. Management. The management of the affairs of the Corporation is vested in the board of at least three and no more than five directors.

- (a) The affairs of the Corporation are governed by a Board of Directors. Such directors shall hold office in accordance with the bylaws of the Corporation. The number of directors may be increased or decreased at the organizational meeting or at the annual meeting.
- (b) During the organizational meeting the Corporation must designate the 'officer' positions for which a President and a Secretary are required.

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Section 2. Initial Directors. The numbers of directors constituting the initial board and the names and addresses of the person who are to serve until their successors are elected and qualified at the organizational meeting are as follows:

Curtis Carr, Jr.	4014 Wren Brook Court	Katy, Texas 77449
Blanca Rodriguez	4800 North Lamar – MC3030	Austin, Texas 78756
Melissa Turner, RN	4014 Gracefield Court	Houston, Texas 77047

ARTICLE VI: Members

Section 1. Members. This corporation is without members. Management of the Corporation will not be vested in the members under its governing documents.

ARTICLE VII: Earnings

Section 1. Earnings. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer of the Corporation or other private person, except the Corporation shall be authorized to pay reasonable compensation to directors, or officers for services rendered to or for the Corporation and make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article IV hereof.

(a) 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 or intervene in any political campaign or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

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ARTICLE VIII: Dissolution

Section 1. **Dissolution.** Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, no earnings or assets shall inure to the benefit of; or be distributable to the board of directors, officers, committee members or employees.

(a) Any remaining assets will be distributed to other organizations exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE IX: Liability

Section 1. **Liability.** No director, officer, committee member, employee or any uncompensated officer of the Corporation shall be personally liable to the Corporation or its member for monetary damages for conduct as a director, officer, committee member, employee or any uncompensated officer provided that this article shall not eliminate the liability of a director, officer, committee member, employee or any uncompensated officer of any act of omission occurring prior to date when this article becomes effective and for any act or omission for which elimination of liability is not permitted under a statute of the State of Texas Nonprofit Corporation Act.

ARTICLE X: Organizer

Section 1. **Organizer.** The name and address of the organizer for Individuals Making Progress Advancing Communities in Texas is:

Stephanie A. Carr-Harris	20810 Racers Ford Lane	Pflugerville, Texas 78660
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ARTICLE XI: Effectiveness of Filing

Section 1. Effectiveness of Filing. This document becomes effective when the document is filed by the secretary of state.

ARTICLE XII: Execution

The undersigned affirms that the person designated as registered agent has consented to the appointment. The undersigned signs this document subject to the penalties imposed by law for the submission of a materially false or fraudulent instrument and certifies under penalty of perjury that the undersigned is authorized to execute the filing instrument.

Date: February 3, 2015

Stephanie A Carr-Harris
Signature of Organizer

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