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Articles of Incorporation of Mercy Hill Baptist Church

The undersigned, citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of Kentucky, do hereby certify:

First: The name of the Corporation shall be Mercy Hill Baptist Church, Inc.

Second: The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is 320 North Bardstown Road, City of Mount Washington, Bullitt County.

Third: Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Specifically, Mercy Hill is a church plant in Bullitt County, Kentucky. Its organizers seek to grow as followers of Jesus and encourage others to pursue that same relationship by loving God, loving people, and transforming the world.

Fourth: The name and addresses of the incorporator is as follows:

Nathan Young, Teaching Pastor, 320 N. Bardstown Road, Mt. Washington, KY 40047.

Fifth: The name and address of the corporation's registered agent is as follows:

Nathan Young, Teaching Pastor, 320 N. Bardstown Road, Mt. Washington, KY 40047.

Sixth: The names and addresses of the initial directors of the corporation are as follows:

Nathan Young, Teaching Pastor, 320 N. Bardstown Road, Mt. Washington, KY 40047.

Brian Manns, Discipleship Pastor, 106 Drake Drive, Shepherdsville, KY 40165

Lora Bentley, Member, 152 B Hilltop Drive, Mt. Washington, KY 40047.

Seventh: 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 Third 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 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Eighth: 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so

disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction 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.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names this 9/4/12 day of September, 2012..

Nathy Lopez

Tim Mawzy

Lora R. Bentley

Melissa Laytham #437196
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