

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Office of the Secretary of State

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Division Of Business Services 148 W. River Street Providence RI 02904-2615 (401) 222-3040

Non-Profit Corporation Articles of Incorporation

(Chapter 7-6-34 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is Dan Janik Animal Shelter Fund

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is X Perpetual

ARTICLE III

The specific purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

To provide support to animal shelters, businesses or organizations that provide services to improve the lives of animals and the level of animal care in the community; to prevent cruelty, exploitation and abuse of animals; and to engage in any and all activities in furtherance of, related to or incidental to the purposes hereinabove set forth.

ARTICLE IV

Provisions, if any, not inconsistent with the law, which the incorporators elect to set forth in these articles of incorporation for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation are:

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISIONS OF THESE ARTICLES, THE CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED EXCLUSIVELY FOR ONE OR MORE OF THE PURPOSES AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 501(C) (3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AND SHALL NOT CARRY ON ANY ACTIVITIES NOT PERMITTED TO BE CARRIED ON BY A CORPORATION EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAX UNDER IRC 501 (C) (3) OR CORRESPONDING PROVISIONS OF ANY SUBSEQUENT TAX LAWS.

NO PART OF THE NET EARNINGS OF THE CORPORATION SHALL INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF ANY MEMBER, TRUSTEE, DIRECTOR, OFFICER OF THE CORPORATION, OR ANY PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL (EXCEPT THAT REASONABLE COMPENSATION MAY BE PAID FOR SERVICES RENDERED TO OR FOR THE CORPORATION), AND NO MEMBER, TRUST OR OFFICER OF THE CORPORATION OR ANY PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL SHALL BE ENTITLED TO SHARE IN THE DISTRIBUTION OF ANY OF THE CORPORATION'S ASSETS ON DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION.

NO SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE CARRYING ON PROPAGANDA, OR OTHERWISE ATTEMPTING TO INFLUENCE LEGISLATION (EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY IRC 501(H) OR PARTICIPATING IN, OR INTERVENING IN (INCLUDING THE PUBLICATION OR DISTRIBUTION OF STATEMENTS) ANY POLITICAL CAMPAIGN ON BEHALF OF OR IN OPPOSITION TO ANY

CANDIDATES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE.

IN THE EVENT OF THE LIQUIDATION OR DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION, ALL OF THE REMAINING ASSETS AND PROPERTY OF THE CORPORATION SHALL AFTER PAYMENT OF NECESSARY EXPENSES THEREOF BE DISTRIBUTED IN SUCH MANNER, OR TO SUCH ORGANIZATION OR ORGANIZATIONS ORGANIZED AND OPERATED EXCLUSIVELY FOR CHARITABLE OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES AS SHALL AT THE TIME QUALIFY AS AN EXEMPT ORGANIZATION OR ORGANIZATIONS UNDER SECTION 501 (C) (3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986 (OR THE CORRESPONDING PROVISION OF ANY FUTURE UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE LAW) AS THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL DETERMINE. ANY OF SUCH ASSETS NOT SO DISPOSED OF SHALL BE DISPOSED OF BY THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION IS THEN LOCATED, EXCLUSIVELY TO SUCH ORGANIZATION OR ORGANIZATIONS, AS SAID COURT SHALL DETERMINE, WHICH ARE ORGANIZED AND OPERATED EXCLUSIVELY AS ORGANIZATIONS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAX UNDER SECTION 501 (C) (3) OF THE CODE.

ARTICLE V

The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

No. and Street: 191 SOCIAL STREET

SUITE 280

City or Town: $\underline{WOONSOCKET}$ State: RI Zip: $\underline{02895}$

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is LLOYD R, GARIEPY

ARTICLE VI

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is $\underline{3}$ and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Title	Individual Name	Address
	First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
DIRECTOR	LLOYD R GARIEPY	191 SOCIAL STREET WOONSOCKET, RI 02895 USA
DIRECTOR	DAN R BALDELLI	81 WINDSONG ROAD CUMBERLAND, RI 02864 USA
DIRECTOR	LISA A BALDELLI-HUNT	304 PROSPECT STREET WOONSOCKET, RI 02895 USA

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the each incorporator is:

Title	Individual Name	Address
	First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
INCORPORATOR	LLOYD R GARIEPY	191 SOCIAL STREET, STE 280 WOONSOCKET, RI 02895 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin $\ \ \, \underline{02/09/2010}$ (not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 9 Day of February, 2010 at 4:35:19 PM by the incorporator(s). This electronic signature of the individual or individuals signing this instrument constitutes the affirmation or acknowledgement of the signatory, under penalties of perjury, that this instrument is that individual's act and deed or the act and deed of the corporation, and that the facts stated herein are true, as of the date of the electronic filing, in compliance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 7-6.

LLOYD R GARIEPY

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I, A. RALPH MOLLIS, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, hereby certify that this document, duly executed in accordance with the provisions of Title 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended, has been filed in this office on this day:

A. RALPH MOLLIS

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Secretary of State

