



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

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Division Of Business Services
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**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 Rhode Island Latino Political Action Committee

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is Perpetual

ARTICLE III

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

To engage in activities relating to the support of candidates for public office in the State of Rhode Island and to influence or attempt to influence the selection, nomination or election of individuals to public office.

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:

THE CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED TO BE A NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATION, AND MAY ENGAGE ONLY IN ACTIVITIES THAT MAY BE CARRIED ON BY A CORPORATION EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAXES UNDER SECTION 527 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OR ANY SECTION OF ANY STATUTE ADOPTED IN SUCCESSION THEREOF. BY WAY OF

EXPLANATION, AND NOT LIMITATION, THESE ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

1. ACCEPTING MEMBERSHIP DUES FROM MEMBERS;
2. ACCEPTING CONTRIBUTIONS FROM MEMBERS AND NON-MEMBERS;
3. SPONSORING, PARTICIPATING IN AND CONDUCTING FUNDRAISERS FOR THE PURPOSE OF RAISING MONEY TO SUPPORT OR OPPOSE CANDIDATES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND;
4. MAKING CONTRIBUTIONS TO CANDIDATES FOR ELECTED PUBLIC OFFICE WITH STATEWIDE JURISDICTION IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND.
5. MAKING CONTRIBUTIONS TO STATE COMMITTEES OF NATIONAL POLITICAL PARTIES; AND

THE CORPORATION IS NOT AFFILIATED WITH ANY POLITICAL PARTY BUT SHALL BE

ORGANIZED AND OPERATED ON A VOLUNTARY, NON-PARTISAN BASIS TO FURTHER ITS GOALS BY INFLUENCING OR ATTEMPTING TO INFLUENCE THE NOMINATION OF SELECTED PERSONS WHO ARE CANDIDATES FOR ELECTIVE OFFICES AND WHO ARE SUPPORTERS OF THE CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING PROFESSION. NO PART OF THE NET EARNINGS OF THE CORPORATION SHALL INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF ANY MEMBER, EXCEPT THAT THE CORPORATION MAY PAY REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED AND MAY MAKE PAYMENTS OR DISTRIBUTIONS IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PURPOSES SET FORTH HEREIN.

ARTICLE V

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

No. and Street: 196 OLD RIVER RD. STE. 312
 City or Town: LINCOLN State: RI Zip: 02865

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is TOMAS AVILA

ARTICLE VI

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

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
DIRECTOR	TOMAS ALBERTO AVILA	196 OLD RIVER RD. STE. 312 LINCOLN, RI 02865 USA

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
INCORPORATOR	TOMAS ALBERTO AVILA	196 OLD RIVER RD. STE. 312 LINCOLN, RI 02865 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 07/04/2016
 (not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 4 Day of July, 2016 at 12:23:44 AM 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.*

Enter signature(s) below.

TOMAS A AVILA

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