

Filing Fee \$35.00

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

CORPORATIONS DIVISION

100 NORTH MAIN STREET

PROVIDENCE, RI 02903

NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

72729

ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The undersigned, acting as incorporator(s) of a corporation under Chapter 7-6 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended, adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

FIRST: The name of the corporation is PORTSMOUTH BUSINESS ASSOCIATION, INC.

SECOND: The period of its duration (if perpetual, so state) Perpetual

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

- 1. To encourage and promote business interests in the community, to advance cooperative efforts to promote a positive business climate, and to advance common purposes of the members of the association.
2. This association is established for non-profit, civic purposes and may only have a purpose in conformance with R.I.G.L. 7-6-4.

FOURTH: Provisions (if any) for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation, including provisions for the distribution of assets on dissolution or final liquidation, are: such provisions as may be adopted from time to time in the by-laws.

Distributions of assets on dissolution shall be in accordance with R.I.G.L. 7-6-51.

Rec'd & Filed MAY 21 1993

AMC#29 97939

FIFTH: The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is.....

Post Office Box 8, 171 Chase Road, Portsmouth, RI 02871-0008 (add Zip Code),

and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is: Eric P. Chappell

Eric P. Chappell

Signature

SIXTH: The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the corporation is....., and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Name	Address
Donald Clements - President	380 Gifford Road, Westport, MA 02790
Peter Benson - Vice Pres.	82 Fischer Circle, Portsmouth, RI 02871
John Corbishley - Treasurer	167 Bay View Avenue, Portsmouth, RI 02871
Toni Lynn Salvador - Secretary	48 Island Avenue, Portsmouth, RI 02871

SEVENTH: The name and address of each incorporator is:

Name	Address
Donald Clements - President	380 Gifford Road, Westport, MA 02790
Peter Benson - Vice Pres.	82 Fischer Circle, Portsmouth, RI 02871
John Corbishley-Treasurer	167 Bay View Avenue, Portsmouth, RI 02871
Toni Lynn Salvador - Secretary	48 Island Avenue, Portsmouth, RI 02871

EIGHTH: Date when corporate existence to begin (not more than 30 days after filing of these articles of incorporation): immediately upon filing.

Dated May 12, 1993

Donald Clements President

Peter M Benson Vice President

Incorporators must sign

John Corbishley Treasurer

Toni Lynn Salvador Secretary

Incorporator(s)

NOTE:

1. If no provision for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation or for the distribution of assets on dissolution or final liquidation are to be set forth, insert "None." In an appropriate case provisions relating to members, their qualifications and rights (Section 7-6-15) may be inserted here.