

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION
(NON-BUSINESS CORPORATION)

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Vincent G. Laprode, William H. Bennett, 3rd, Francis O'Hara, Shirley E. Linden, Daniel J. Selwyn

all of lawful age, hereby agree to and with each other:

FIRST. To associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a corporation under and by virtue of the powers conferred by Chapter 7-6 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended.

SECOND. Said corporation shall be known by the name of JOIN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD AND HELP (JONAH), Inc.

THIRD. Said corporation is constituted for the purpose of bringing together people of sincere interest in bettering the community in which we live. The goals will be established by the various committees of said corporation and their implementation will be brought about by the means that are available inside and outside of the community.

In addition to the foregoing, said corporation shall have the following powers and authority, viz:— (See §§ 7-6-7, 7-6-8 of the General Laws.)

To do any lawful act which is necessary or proper to accomplish the purposes of its incorporation. Without limiting or enlarging the effect of this general grant of authority, it is hereby specifically provided that every such corporation shall have power:

- (a) to have perpetual succession in its corporate name unless a period for its duration is limited in its articles of association or charter;
(b) to sue and be sued in its corporate name;
(c) to have and use a common seal and alter the same at pleasure;
(d) to elect such officers and appoint such agents as its purposes require, and to fix their compensation and define their duties;
(e) to make by-laws not inconsistent with the Constitution or laws of the United States or of this state, or with the corporation's charter or articles of association, determining the time and place of holding and the manner of calling and of conducting meetings of its members and directors, the manner of electing its officers and directors, the mode of voting by proxy, and the number, qualifications, powers, duties and term of office of its officers and directors, and containing any other provisions, whether of the same or of a different nature, for the management of the corporation's property and the regulation and government of its affairs;
(f) to make contracts, incur liabilities and borrow money.

Said corporation shall be entitled to take, hold, transmit and convey real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding in all one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000); provided, however, that the foregoing limitation shall not apply to corporations organized for the purposes of fostering, encouraging and assisting the physical location, settlement or resettlement of industrial and manufacturing enterprises within the state, and to whose members no profit shall ensue. If any corporation subject to the foregoing limitation desires to take and hold property to an amount exceeding one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) either originally or by amendment, such privilege shall be granted only by the general assembly on petition thereto

(Over)

FOURTH. Said corporation shall be located in WARWICK, Rhode Island.
(City or Town)

(Further provisions not inconsistent with law)

FIFTH. Operating, functioning, existing as a nonprofit charitable organization, the net income and assets of which shall be used only for the charitable purposes set forth herein and no part of the net income of which shall inure wholly or in part of the benefit of any individual, whether members or directors of the corporation or otherwise.

SIXTH. Upon dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, distribute all assets of the corporation exclusively 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 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Revenue law) as the Board of Directors shall determine.

SEVENTH. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, nor shall it in any manner or to any organization, issue or distribute statements on any political campaign on behalf of any candidates for public office, nor shall the corporation engage in any activities that are unlawful under applicable federal, state or local law and the corporation shall not be operated for the purposes of carrying on a trade or business for a profit and shall operate exclusively for charitable, educational and welfare purposes.

In Testimony Whereof. We have hereunto set our hands and stated our residences this

20th day of April A. D. 1972

NAME

RESIDENCE

Vincent G. Laprade 190 Hollis Ave, Warwick
William H. Bennett 3rd 31 Cambridge Ave, Warwick
Francis O'Hara 722 Oakland Beach Dr, Warwick
Shirley E. Linden 316 Sea View Dr., Warwick, R.I.
Daniel J. Selwyn 66 Rocky point ave, Warwick

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, }
COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE }

In the City

of Providence ..

in said county this

20th ^{Down} day of

April A. D. 1972 then

personally appeared before me Vincent G. Laprade, William H. Bennett, 3rd,
Francis O'Hara, Shirley E. Linden, Daniel J. Selwyn ..

each and all known to me and known by me to be the parties executing the foregoing instrument, and they severally acknowledged said instrument by them subscribed to be their free act and deed.

Frederick S. Cross

Notary Public.

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