

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION (NON-BUSINESS CORPORATION)

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Herbert Winer, Warren Nickerson,
Stanley Kaye, Francis Bullock, and Lewis Rogers

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 Little Compton
Volunteer Fire Department.

THIRD. Said corporation is constituted for the purpose of protection of life
and property from fire and destruction by fire, for rescue, and for social
purposes.

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 Little Compton, Rhode Island.
(City or Town)

(Further provisions not inconsistent with law)

FIFTH

SIXTH

SEVENTH

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

4th day of December A. D. 19 69

NAME	RESIDENCE
Herbert Wimer <u>Herbert Wimer</u>	Little Compton, R.I.
Warren Nickerson <u>Warren B. Nickerson</u>	Little Compton, R.I.
Stanley Kaye <u>Stanley W. Kaye</u>	Little Compton, R.I.
Francis Bullock <u>Francis Bullock</u>	Little Compton, R.I.
Lewis Rogers <u>Lewis F. Rogers</u>	Little Compton, R.I.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, }
COUNTY OF }

Newport In the City } of Little Compton
Town }
in said county this 4th day of December A. D. 19 69, then

personally appeared before me Herbert Wimer
Warren B. Nickerson Stanley W. Kaye
Francis Bullock
Lewis Rogers

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.

Lucille A. Love
Notary Public.
95 Representative District

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Non-Business Corporation

ORIGINAL

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF

Little Compton Volunteer

Fire Department

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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W. H. Jones



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

OFFICE OF THE GENERAL TREASURER

Nº 41627

Providence

December 8 1969

I Hereby Certify That

Little Compton Volunteer Fire Department

has paid into the State Treasury a fee of

Twenty

Dollars for

Incorporation

in accordance with the provisions of 7-1-9, General Laws.

Raymond A. ...
General Treasurer.