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Non-Profit	Corporation
<b>Articles of</b>	<b>Incorporation</b>

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

#### **ARTICLE I**

The name of the corporation is Erika Niedowski Memorial Scholarship

ARTICLE II
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The period of its duration is X Perpetual

#### **ARTICLE III**

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

# ERIKA NIEDOWSKI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP IS A SCHOLARSHIP FUND THAT FINANCIALLY

BENEFITS AND ASSISTS BLACK COLLEGE STUDENTS. FUNDS GRANTED TO STUDENTS WILL

BE USED FOR EDUCATIONAL COSTS.

THE SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES AND PURPOSE OF THIS ORGANIZATION SHALL BE:

A. TO FINANCIALLY AID BLACK COLLEGE STUDENTS WHO ARE ATTENDING COLLEGE

FULL TIME.

- B. FUNDS CAN BE USED FOR ANY COLLEGE-RELATED COSTS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO TUITION.
- C. SCHOLARSHIPS FUNDS ARE TO BE USED TOWARD OBTAINING A COLLEGE DEGREE.

# **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:

# **ARTICLE V**

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

No. and Street: 78 BOULEVARD AVE

City or Town: LINCOLN State: RI Zip: 02865

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is PATRICK LAVERTY

### **ARTICLE VI**

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is  $\underline{5}$  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	PATRICK LAVERTY	78 BOULEVARD AVE
		LINCOLN, RI 02865 US
DIRECTOR	RAYMOND NIEDOWSKI	110 PINEHURST RD
		MARSHFIELD, MA 02051 USA
DIRECTOR	MARION NIEDOWSKI	110 PINEHURST RD
		MARSHFIELD, MA 02051 US
DIRECTOR	NANCY WELSH	47 HOLMES DALE
		ALBANY, NY 12203 US
DIRECTOR	DON WELSH	47 HOLMES DALE
		ALBANY, NY 12203 US

#### **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	PATRICK LAVERTY	78 BOULEVARD AVE LINCOLN, RI 02865 US

# **ARTICLE VIII**

Date when corporate existence is to begin 11/23/2020

(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

**Signed this 16 Day of November, 2020 at 4:43:48 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.

Enter signature(s) below.

PATRICK LAVERTY

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I, NELLIE M. GORBEA, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island, 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:

November 16, 2020 04:41 PM

Nellie M. Gorbea Secretary of State

Tulli U. Horler

