



**State of Rhode Island
Office of the Secretary of State**

Fee: \$35.00

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 Newport Shakespeare Festival

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is Perpetual

ARTICLE III

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

BUILDING BRIDGES FOR DIVERSE COMMUNITIES TO DISCOVER CREATIVE VOICES

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:

N/A

ARTICLE V

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

No. and Street: 68 WARNER STREET #2

City or Town: NEWPORT

State: RI

Zip: 02840

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is CHERIE S. ROWE

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	CHERIE SAMANTHA ROWE MS.	68 WARNER ST. #2 NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	DANIEL JUSTIN ROACH MR.	66 GIRARD AVE #315 NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	ABIGAIL BAKER ADAMS	19 MANN AVENUE

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	CHERIE SAMANTHA ROWE MS.	68 WARNER ST, #2 NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 02/14/2021

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

Signed this 11 Day of February, 2021 at 9:02:47 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.

CHERIE S. ROWE

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