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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 <u>Rhode Island Pet Network, Inc.</u> | | | | |
| 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: | | | | |
| TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND RESOURCES TO HELP PROVIDE CARE FOR: | | | | |
| 1) SHELTER/RESCUE ANIMALS IN AND AROUND RHODE ISLAND 2) OWNED PETS WHOSE | | | | |
| OWNERS ARE STRUGGLING WITH FINANCIAL, MEDICAL OR OTHER HARDSHIPS | | | | |
| (SUCH AS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OR RELOCATION); TO DEVELOP EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES TO | | | | |
| AID IN THE SAFETY AND CARE OF PETS; AND TO SUPPORT RESCUES AND SHELTERS IN | | | | |
| <u>NETWORKING AND RAISING VISIBILITY FOR THEIR ADOPTABLE ANIMALS &</u> <u>FINANCIAL</u> | | | | |
| <u>NEEDS.</u> | | | | |
| 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: | | | | |
| THIS NON-PROFIT CORPORATION SHALL NOT ENGAGE IN PROHIBITED POLITICAL OR | | | | |
| LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY. IN THE EVENT OF DISSOLUTION OF THIS CORPORATION, ANY REMAINING ASSETS SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO A CHARITABLE OR EDUCATIONAL | | | | |
| ENTITY ORGANIZED UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED. | | | | |
| ARTICLE V | | | | |
| The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the initial registered office of the corporation is: | | | | |

No. and Street: City or Town:

<u>181 TRINITY ST</u> WARWICK, RI

State: RI

Zip: <u>02886</u>

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is

JORDAN BOUCLIN

ARTICLE VI

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is $\underline{3}$ 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 | JORDAN ALEXIS BOUCLIN | 181 TRINITY ST WARWICK, RI 02886 US |
| DIRECTOR | DANIELLE DEELY | 58 LANCASTER AVE WARWICK, RI 02886 US |
| DIRECTOR | LAUREN RUGGIERO | 205 CASTLE ROCKS RD WARWICK, RI 02886 US |

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator is:

| Title | Individual Name | Address |
|--------------|-----------------------------|---|
| | First, Middle, Last, Suffix | Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country |
| INCORPORATOR | JORDAN BOUCLIN | 181 TRINITY ST WARWICK, RI 02886 US |

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 08/26/2021

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

Signed this 25 Day of August, 2021 at 1:06:26 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. JORDAN BOUCLIN

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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:

August 25, 2021 01:04 PM

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Nellie M. Gorbea Secretary of State

