



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

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Division Of Business Services
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**Non-Profit Corporation
Articles of Amendment**

(Section 7-6-40 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is SANKOFA COMMUNITY CONNECTION

If the entity's name is changing, state the new name: SANKOFA ART AND SOLACE

ARTICLE II

If the corporate duration is changing, so state: Perpetual ___

If the corporate purpose is changing, so state:

THE SPECIFIC PURPOSE OR PURPOSES FOR WHICH THE CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED ARE:

A)TO COMBINE SELF-CARE, COMMUNITY CARE, AND EXPRESSIVE ARTS TO PROMOTE HEALING, ENHANCE MENTAL WELL-BEING, AND UPLIFT MARGINALIZED COMMUNITIES.

B)SAID CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED EXCLUSIVELY FOR CHARITABLE, RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL, AND SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES, INCLUDING, FOR SUCH PURPOSES, THE MAKING OF DISTRIBUTIONS TO ORGANIZATIONS THAT QUALIFY AS EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE.

C)NO PART OF THE NET EARNINGS OF THE CORPORATION SHALL INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF, OR BE DISTRIBUTABLE TO ITS MEMBERS, TRUSTEES, OFFICERS, OR OTHER PRIVATE PERSONS, EXCEPT THAT THE CORPORATION SHALL BE AUTHORIZED AND EMPOWERED TO PAY REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED AND TO MAKE PAYMENTS AND

DISTRIBUTIONS IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PURPOSES SET FORTH IN ARTICLE THIRD
HEREOF. NO SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE THE
CARRYING ON OF PROPAGANDA, OR OTHERWISE ATTEMPTING TO INFLUENCE LEGISLATION,
AND THE CORPORATION SHALL NOT PARTICIPATE IN, OR INTERVENE IN (INCLUDING THE
PUBLISHING OR DISTRIBUTION OF STATEMENTS) ANY POLITICAL CAMPAIGN ON BEHALF OF
OR IN OPPOSITION TO ANY CANDIDATE FOR PUBLIC OFFICE.
NOTWITHSTANDING ANY
OTHER PROVISION OF THESE ARTICLES, THIS CORPORATION SHALL NOT, EXCEPT TO AN
INSUBSTANTIAL DEGREE, ENGAGE IN ANY ACTIVITIES OR EXERCISE ANY POWERS THAT
ARE NOT IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PURPOSES OF THIS CORPORATION.

D)UPON THE DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION, ASSETS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR
ONE OR MORE EXEMPT PURPOSES WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE
INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX
CODE, OR SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, OR TO A STATE OR
LOCAL GOVERNMENT, FOR A PUBLIC PURPOSE. ANY SUCH ASSETS NOT SO DISPOSED OF
SHALL BE DISPOSED OF BY A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION OF THE COUNTY IN
WHICH THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION IS THEN LOCATED, EXCLUSIVELY
FOR SUCH PURPOSES OR TO SUCH ORGANIZATION OR ORGANIZATIONS, AS SAID COURT
SHALL DETERMINE, WHICH ARE ORGANIZED AND OPERATED EXCLUSIVELY FOR SUCH
PURPOSES.

If there is a change in the number of directors, modify this section:

The number of directors constituting the Board of Directors of the Corporation is 6

and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the directors are:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
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SECRETARY	SUSAN KENNEY	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
PRESIDENT	ELLEN PINNOCK	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	AMY MCKINNEY	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	DELLICIA ALLEN	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	HAKIM COGGINS	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	DOROTHY PINNOCK	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA

If there are any other provisions to be amended, so state:

ARTICLE III

The Amendment was adopted in the following manner:

(check one box only)

The amendment was adopted at a meeting of members held on , at which meeting a quorum was present, and the amendment received at least a majority of the votes which members present or represented by proxy at such meeting were entitled to cast.

The amendment was adopted by a consent in writing on 12/22/2023 , signed by all members entitled to vote with respect thereto.

The amendment was adopted at a meeting of the Board of Directors held on , and received the vote of a majority of the directors in office, there being no members entitled to vote with respect thereto.

ARTICLE IV

Date when amendment is to become effective 1/22/2024
(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Amendment)

Signed this 21 Day of January, 2024 at 5:15:06 PM. *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.*

By ELLEN PINNOCK

President or Vice President (check one)

AND

By SUSAN KENNEY

Secretary or Assistant Secretary (check one)

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