



State of Rhode Island  
Department of State - Business Services Division

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## Articles of Incorporation

DOMESTIC Non-Profit Corporation

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The undersigned, acting as incorporator(s) of a corporation under RIGL 7-6-34, adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

1. The name of the corporation is:  
Providence R. I. Council, Royal & Select Masters #1

2. The period of its duration is: **CHECK ONE BOX ONLY**

☒ Perpetual (on-going)

☐ Date certain for dissolution \_\_\_\_\_

3. The specific purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:  
To promote the Fraternity and brotherly love within the Masonic Family and to promote charitable work within the community.

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4. 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:

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5. Name and address of the initial registered agent/office in Rhode Island is:

Agent Name Wyman P. Hallstrom Jr

Street Address (NOT a P.O. Box) 18 Lane F

City Coventry

State RHODE ISLAND

Zip Code 02816

### MAIL TO:

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6. The number of the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is 3 (not less than 3 directors) and the names and address of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

NAME	ADDRESS
Richard Gonzalez	80 Burnside St, Cranston, RI, 02910
Raymond Aznavorian	655 Cherry Farm Rd, Harrisville, RI, 02830
Walter J. Neri	196 Park Ave, Cranston, RI, 02905

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7. The name and address of each incorporator is:

NAME	ADDRESS
Wyman P. Hallstrom Jr.	18 Lane F, Coventry, RI, 02816
David M. Ogilvie	57 Intervale Rd, Cranston, RI, 02910

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8. Date when these Articles of Incorporation will be effective: **CHECK ONE BOX ONLY**

☒ Date received (Upon filing)

☐ Later effective date (Date must be no more than 30 days from the date of filing) \_\_\_\_\_

9. Under penalty of perjury, I/we declare and affirm that I/we have examined these Articles of Incorporation, including any accompanying attachments, and that all statements contained herein are true and correct.

Type or Print Name of Incorporator Wyman P. Hallstrom Jr	Date 3/27/24
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Signature of Incorporator 
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Type or Print Name of Incorporator David A. Ogilvie	Date 3/27/24
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Signature of Incorporator 
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Type or Print Name of Incorporator	Date
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Signature of Incorporator
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**Gregg M. Amore**, *Secretary of State*

I, GREGG M. AMORE, 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:

March 29, 2024 11:44 AM

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Gregg M. Amore". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Gregg M. Amore  
*Secretary of State*

