



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

Fee: \$50.00

Division Of Business Services
148 W. River Street
Providence RI 02904-2615
(401) 222-3040

Non-Profit Corporation

Application for Certificate of Authority

(Section 7-6-74 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

SECTION I

1. The name of the corporation is Blackstone Watershed Collaborative Inc

1(a). The name, if different, which it elects to use in Rhode Island is:

Note: If 1(a) is completed, a "Fictitious Business Name Statement" is required to be filed with this application

SECTION II

It is incorporated under the laws of State: MA Country: USA

SECTION III

The date of its incorporation is 6/20/2024

and the period of its duration is ☒ Perpetual ☐ Date certain for dissolution

SECTION IV

The address of its principal place of business is:

No. and Street: 24 MUMFORD RD

City or Town: SUTTON

State: MA

Zip: 01590

Country: USA

SECTION V

The address of its proposed registered office in Rhode Island is:

No. and Street: 100 NEW RIVER RD

City or Town: MANVILLE

State: RI

Zip: 02838

Name: JOHN MARSLAND

SECTION VI

The specific purpose or purposes which it proposes to pursue in conducting its affairs in Rhode Island are:

(A) TO ENHANCE CAPACITY TO IMPROVE THE SOCIAL AND ECOLOGICAL RESILIENCE OF THE BLACKSTONE WATERSHED.

(B) TO CONDUCT SUCH OTHER CHARITABLE, EDUCATIONAL, AND/OR SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES AND PROGRAMS IN

FURTHERANCE OF THE FOREGOING PURPOSE AS MAY BE CARRIED OUT BY A CORPORATION UNDER

R.I. GENERAL LAW

REGULATING NONPROFITS AND AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE

CODE, OR

THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE.

SECTION VII

The names and respective addresses of its directors and officers are:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
PRESIDENT	KATE MCPHERSON	117 PHILLIPS LANE GLOCESTER, RI 02814 USA
TREASURER	MICHELLE SMITH	53 CUDWORTH RD WEBSTER, MA 01570 USA
SECRETARY	KATIE LIMING	21 CLEMENT STREET #3 WORCESTER, MA 01603 USA
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	STEFANIE COVINO	24 MUMFROD RD SUTTON, MA 01590 USA
DIRECTOR	BRYCE DUBOIS	157 CYPRESS ST PROVIDENCE, RI 02906 USA

Signed this 5 Day of December, 2024 at 2:52:24 PM by the officers(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.*

KATE MCPHERSON

Signature of President or Vice President

KATIE LIMING

Signature of Secretary or Assistant Secretary

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Secretary of the Commonwealth
State House, Boston, Massachusetts 02133

William Francis Galvin
Secretary of the
Commonwealth

Date: November 25, 2024

To Whom It May Concern :

I hereby certify that according to the records of this office,
BLACKSTONE WATERSHED COLLABORATIVE, INC.

is a domestic corporation organized on **June 20, 2024**

I further certify that there are no proceedings presently pending under the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 180 section 26 A, for revocation of the charter of said corporation; that the State Secretary has not received notice of dissolution of the corporation pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 180, Section 11, 11A, or 11B; that said corporation has filed all annual reports, and paid all fees with respect to such reports, and so far as appears of record said corporation has legal existence and is in good standing with this office.



In testimony of which,
I have hereunto affixed the
Great Seal of the Commonwealth
on the date first above written.

William Francis Galvin

Secretary of the Commonwealth

Certificate Number: 24110494630

Verify this Certificate at: <http://corp.sec.state.ma.us/CorpWeb/Certificates/Verify.aspx>

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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:

December 05, 2024 02:52 PM

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

