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Articles of Organization

(General Laws, Chapter 180)

Identification Number: 001217156

ARTICLE I

The exact name of the corporation is:

NONPROFIT CENTER OF THE BERKSHIRES INC.

ARTICLE II

The purpose of the corporation is to engage in the following business activities:

THE NONPROFIT CENTER OF THE BERKSHIRES IS A NONPROFIT, MEMBER-BASED ORGANIZ ATION PROVIDING EDUCATION, INFORMATION, PRODUCTS AND SERVICES TO NONPROFI TS AND CIVIC GROUPS IN THE BERKSHIRE REGION. THE MISSION OF THE NONPROFIT CENTER OF THE BERKSHIRES IS TO FACILITATE GROWTH FOR CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS THROUGH SHARED RESOURCES, AFFORDABLE PRODUCTS AND SERVICES, AND CREATIVE COLLABORATIONS.

ARTICLE III

A corporation may have one or more classes of members. If it does, the designation of such classes, the manner of election or appointments, the duration of membership and the qualifications and rights, including voting rights, of the members of each class, may be set forth in the by-laws of the corporation or may be set forth below:

ARTICLE IV

Other lawful provisions, if any, for the conduct and regulation of the business and affairs of the corporation, for its voluntary dissolution, or for limiting, defining, or regulating the powers of the corporation, or of its directors or members, or of any class of members, are as follows:

(If there are no provisions state "NONE")

NONE

Notes: The preceding four (4) atricles are considered to be permanent and may only be changed by filing appropriate Articles of Amendment.

ARTICLE V

The by-laws of the corporation have been duly adopted and the initial directors, president, treasurer and clerk or other presiding, financial or recording officers, whose names are set out on the following page, have been duly elected.

ARTICLE VI

The effective date of organization of the corporation shall be the date approved and filed by the Secretary of the

Commonwealth. If a *later* effective date is desired, specify such date which shall not be more than *thirty days* after the date of filing.

ARTICLE VII

The information contained in Article VII is not a permanent part of the Articles of Organization.

a. The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the principal office of the corporation in Massachusetts is:

No. and Street: 40 RAILROAD STREET SUITE 10

City or Town: GT. BARRINGTON State: MA Zip: 01230 Country: USA

b. The name, residential street address and post office address of each director and officer of the corporation is as follows:

Title	Individual Name	Address (no PO Box)	Expiration
	First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code	of Term
PRESIDENT	RONALD M. BERNARD	182 COLD SPRING ROAD SANDISFIELD, MA 01255 USA PO BOX 770 OTIS, MA 01255 USA	2017
TREASURER	MELISSA LYDON	10 FAIRFIELD ROAD HOUSATONIC, MA 01236 USA PO BOX 57 HOUSATONIC, MA 01236 USA	2017
CLERK	RACHEL LOUCHEN	204 OAK STREET HOUSATONIC, MA 01236 USA PO BOX 57 HOUSATONIC, MA 01236 USA	2017
DIRECTOR	RONALD M. BERNARD	182 COLD SPRING ROAD SANDISFIELD, MA 01255 USA PO BOX 770 OTIS, MA 01255 USA	2017
DIRECTOR	RACHEL LOUCHEN	204 OAK STREET HOUSATONIC, MA 01236 USA PO BOX 57 HOUSATONIC, MA 01236 USA	2017
DIRECTOR	MELISSA LYDON	10 FAIRFIELD ROAD HOUSATONIC, MA 01236 USA PO BOX 57 HOUSATONIC, MA 01236 USA	2017
DIRECTOR	MAXINE CARTER-LOME	46 HALL ROAD STURBRIDGE, MA 01566 USA PO BOX 950 STURBRIDGE, MA 01566 USA	2017
DIRECTOR	ABBIE J. VON SCHLEGELL	83 HANCOCK ROAD PITTSFIELD, MA 01201 USA 83 HANCOCK ROAD PITTSFIELD, MA 01201 USA	2017
DIRECTOR	BETSY ANDRUS	16 HIGHLAND DRIVE GREAT BARRINGTON, MA 01230 USA 16 HIGHLAND DRIVE GREAT BARRINGTON, MA 01230 USA	2017
DIRECTOR	MATT SYRETT	5 CREAMERY ROAD GREAT BARRINGTON, MA 01230 USA 5 CREAMERY ROAD GREAT BARRINGTON, MA 01230 USA	2017

c. The fiscal year (i.e., tax year) of the business entity shall end on the last day of the month of:

December

d. The name and business address of the resident agent, if any, of the business entity is:

Name: LIANA TOSCANINI

No. and Street: 40 RAILROAD STREET, SUITE 10

City or Town: <u>GREAT BARRINGTON</u> State: <u>MA</u> Zip: <u>01230</u> Country: <u>USA</u>

I/We, the below signed incorporator(s), do hereby certify under the pains and penalties of perjury that I/we have not been convicted of any crimes relating to alcohol or gaming within the past ten years. I/We do hereby further certify that to the best of my/our knowledge the above-named officers have not been similarly convicted. If so convicted, explain:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF AND UNDER THE PAINS AND PENALTIES OF PERJURY, I/we, whose signature(s) appear below as incorporator(s) and whose name(s) and business or residential address (es) beneath each signature do hereby associate with the intention of forming this business entity under the provisions of General Law, Chapter 180 and do hereby sign these Articles of Organization as incorporator(s) this 1 Day of April, 2016. (If an existing corporation is acting as incorporator, type in the exact name of the business entity, the state or other jurisdiction where it was incorporated, the name of the person signing on behalf of said business entity and the title he/she holds or other authority by which such action is taken.)

MELISSA LYDON

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

I hereby certify that, upon examination of this document, duly submitted to me, it appears that the provisions of the General Laws relative to corporations have been complied with, and I hereby approve said articles; and the filing fee having been paid, said articles are deemed to have been filed with me on:

April 01, 2016 08:54 AM

WILLIAM FRANCIS GALVIN

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Secretary of the Commonwealth