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# State of Idaho

## Department of State

### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF

IDAHO EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM, INC., (IEP)

I, PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that duplicate originals of Articles of Incorporation for the incorporation of IDAHO EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM, INC., (IEP) duly signed pursuant to the provisions of the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I issue this Certificate of Incorporation and attach hereto a duplicate original of the Articles of Incorporation.

Dated: August 26, 1993



*Pete T. Cenarrusa*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

By *Shirley J. Clark*

# Articles Of Incorporation

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SECRETARY OF STATE

## **Of IDAHO EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM, INC., (IEP)**

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The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of a nonprofit corporation ("Corporation") organized under and pursuant to the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act, Chapter 3, Title 30, Idaho Code ("Act"), adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for the Corporation.

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### Article I. Name

The name of the corporation is **IDAHO EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM, INC. (IEP)**.

### Article II. Non-Profit Status

The Corporation is a non-profit corporation.

### Article III. Period Of Duration

The period of duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

### Article IV. Initial Registered Office and Agent

The location of this Corporation is in the City of Boise, County of Ada, State of Idaho. The address of the initial registered office is 211 South Sixth Street,

**Boise, ID., 83702, and the name of the initial registered agent at this address is Lynna Hansen.**

### **Article V. Purposes.**

**A. That the purposes for which the corporation is organized and will operate are as follows:**

**(1) To build an ongoing support network to promote self-sufficiency among homeless, at-risk and low-income individuals in our community, including job placement, support services and shelters.**

**B. Charitable and educational within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under such Section 501(c)(3).**

**C. To exercise all powers granted by law necessary and proper to carry out the above-stated purposes, including but not limited to the power to accept donations of money, property, whether real or personal, or any other thing of value. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize or permit the Corporation to carry on any business for profit, to exercise any power, or to do any act that a corporation formed under the Act, or any amendment thereto or substitute therefor, may not at that time lawfully carry on or do.**

### **Article VI. Limitations.**

**No part of the net earnings or the assets of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its directors, 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 V 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 any**

candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a Corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time.

### Article VIII. No Members

The Corporation shall have no members.

### Article VIII. Board of Directors.

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by its Board of Directors. The actual number of Directors shall be fixed in accordance with the Bylaws of the Corporation. Other than the Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors, who are designated in these Articles, the Directors shall be elected by the existing Directors in the manner and for the term provided in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

The names and street addresses of the persons constituting the initial Board of Directors Are:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
William J. Shriver	10649 Longrifle Drive, Boise, ID 83709
Betty Jo Sorenson	10035B West Victory, Boise, ID 83709
Janice M. Taylor	428 East State, Meridian, ID, 83642

### Article IX. Distribution on Dissolution.

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all liabilities of the Corporation, distribute all the assets of the Corporation consistent with the purposes of the Corporation to such organization or organizations as shall at the time qualify as exempt organizations under 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time., in such manner as the Board of Directors

shall determine. Any such assets not so distributed shall be distributed by the district court of the county in which the principle office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organizations, as such court shall determine to be consistent with the purposes of the Corporation.

### Article IX. Incorporator.


The name and street address of the incorporator is:

William J. Shriver      10649 Longrifle Drive, Boise, ID 83709

### Article X. Bylaws.

Provisions for the regulation of the internal affairs of the Corporation shall be set forth in the Bylaws.

DATED this Twenty-sixth day of August, 1993.

  
William J. Shriver