# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION (Non-Profit) OF IDAHO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION, INC.

RNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that the undersigned, being natural persons of full age and citizens of the United States, in order to form a non-profit corporation for the purposes hereinafter stated, pursuant to the provisions of the general corporation laws of the State of Idaho do hereby certify as follows:

# Article I.

The name of the non-profit corporation shall be: IDAHO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION, INC.

### Article II.

The purposes and objects for which the corporation is formed are: To transact any and all lawful business for which non-profit corporations may be incorporated under this act, relating to economic development within the State of Idaho, specifically for scientific, literary, or educational purposes within the meaning of 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws. Notwithstanding any provisions of the bylaws to the contrary, the corporation shall not conduct or carry out any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization qualified for tax exempt status under 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

### Article III.

The location and address of the initial registered office of the corporation is: 1651 Alvin Richen Drive, Pocatello, Idaho 83201

The name of the initial registered agent at such address is: Ray Burstedt.

### Article IV.

The initial Board of Directors shall consist of up to fifteen (15) directors (two from each of the 6 economic regions identified by the State of Idaho Department of Commerce plus three at large) and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first annual meeting of shareholders or until their successors are elected and qualify and shall be:

NAME

**ADDRESS** 

**Dodd Snodgrass** 

Clearwater Economic Development Association

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# Article V.

The names and addresses of the incorporators are as follows:

NAME

**ADDRESS** 

**Bob Potter** 

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### Article VI.

The mailing address of the corporation shall be Post Office Box 3623, Hailey, Idaho 83333.

# Article VII.

This corporation shall have members which membership criteria and regulation shall be established by the Bylaws.

# Article VIII.

The corporation does have voting members.

### Article IX.

Upon dissolution or termination of this corporation, the assets shall be distributed to any similar economic development organization, or as may be determined by an appropriate court of jurisdiction within the state of Idaho. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall ever inure to or for the benefit of, or be distributed to its directors, officers, or other private persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said incorporators have set their hands and seals this day of November, 2000.