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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**Bridge to Hope, Inc.**

**Article I**

The name of the corporation is: Bridge to Hope, Inc.

**Article II**

The corporation is organized under the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The specific purpose of this faith-based corporation is to offer victims of domestic violence in rural Canyon County a safe bridge to existing resources. We offer hope, safety and healing through education, emotional and spiritual support while victims seek ways to live safely, without violence.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any 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.

**Article III**

The period of duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

**Article IV**

The name of the corporation's initial registered agent is Kathline Bilderback and the address of the initial registered office is 521 N. 10th Avenue, #205, Caldwell, ID 83605.

**Article V**

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors of the nonprofit corporation is four. The names and addresses of the persons who are the incorporators and initial directors are:

Leona Oesch, 11161 Moss Lane, Nampa, ID 83651

Doug Gross, 304 Fay Lane, Nampa, ID 83686

Kathline Bilderback, 6116 Gary Lane, Boise, ID 83714

**Article VI**

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation. The corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of, or against, any candidate for public office.

Articles of Incorporation  
Bridge to Hope, Inc.

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The corporation is not organized, and shall not be operated, for pecuniary gain or profit. It does not contemplate the distribution of gains, profits, or dividends to its members or to any private shareholder, as defined for purposes of Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or individual.

Upon the dissolution and winding up of the corporation, after paying or adequately providing for its debts and obligations, its remaining assets shall be distributed to a nonprofit corporation, which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

*Article VII*

The corporation will have no members.


*Article VIII*

No officer or director of this corporation will be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation, nor shall any of the property of the officers or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation. The officers' and directors' statutory immunity from suit shall be preserved to the furthest extent allowed by law. The corporation shall indemnify and reimburse the officers and directors for all losses, claims, damages, or expenses of any kind caused by a suit or claim resulting from the operations of this corporation.

Signatures of Incorporators

Date: 1/5/2007

  
Leona Oesch

  
Doug Gross

  
Kathline Bilderback