



ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

(Non-Profit)

(Instructions on back of application)

The undersigned, in order to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the provisions of Title 30, Chapter 3, Idaho Code, submits the following articles of incorporation to the Secretary of State.

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SECRETARY OF STATE
STATE OF IDAHO

Article 1: The name of the corporation shall be:

Southwest Idaho Companion Animals, Inc.

Article 2: The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

See Attached

Article 3: The street address of the registered office is: 2105 N. 18th Street, Boise, Idaho 83702

and the registered agent at such address is: June A. Pearson

Article 4: The board of directors shall consist of no fewer than three (3) people. The names and addresses of the initial directors are:

June Pearson 2105 N. 18th Street Boise, Idaho 83702

Pam Kaufman 2105 N. 18th Street Boise, Idaho 83702

Cathy Burkhardt 880 E. Franklin #303 Meridian, Idaho 83642

Article 5: The name(s) and address(es) of the incorporator(s):

June Pearson 2105 N. 18th Street Boise, Idaho 83702

Article 6: The mailing address of the corporation shall be:

2105 N. 18th Street Boise, Idaho 83702

Article 7: The corporation (☒ does ☐ does not) have voting members.

Article 8: Upon dissolution the assets shall be distributed:

See Attached

Signatures of all incorporators:

June A. Pearson

TypedName: June A. Pearson

TypedName: _____

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Customer Acct #:

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ARTICLE II

Purposes:

Southwest Idaho Companion Animals (SWICA) is requesting recognition as a non-profit organization. The intent of this organization is to provide companion animals to individuals in southwestern Idaho including the elderly, disabled, or persons otherwise economically disadvantaged who desire a companion animal but find costs prohibitive.

SWICA will raise funds through soliciting charitable contributions in order to supply companion animals to qualified parties. Potential pet recipients will provide SWICA with proof of financial status such as SSI/SSDI verification. SWICA work with local animal rescue and shelter agencies such as the Idaho Humane Society to obtain companion animals for selected recipients and to defray the cost of spay and/or neuter fees.

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized and will be operated are as follows:

(a) To encourage responsible pet ownership by:

(i) providing companion pets to people who are elderly, have a disability, or are otherwise economically disadvantaged;

(ii) defraying the costs for spaying, neutering, or performing other medical treatments that would otherwise go undone for persons who are elderly, have a disability, or are otherwise economically disadvantaged.

(iii) increasing the placement of adoptable animals to good homes;

(iv) educating the public about the values and benefits of spaying/neutering dogs and cats;

(v) Expanding awareness of the positive effect animals can have on human health and development.

(vi) Expanding the therapeutic and service role of animals in human health, service, and education.

(b) Charitable, religious, educational, or scientific 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 under such Section 501(c)(3).

(c) To exercise all powers granted by law necessary and proper to carry out the foregoing purposes, including, but not limited to, the power to accept donations of money, property, whether real or personal, or any other things 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 therefore, may not at that time lawfully carry on or do.

ARTICLE VIII

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 that 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 principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for the purposes or to such organizations, as such court shall determine to be consistent with the purposes of the Corporation.