

# CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF

I, PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify tha
duplicate originals of Articles of Incorporation for the incorporation of

ARTS FOR IDAHO, INC.

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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 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ April 10 \_\_\_\_\_\_ 19 84



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SECRETARY OF STATE

Corporation Clerk

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF ARTS FOR IDAHO, INC.

The undersigned persons in order to form a non-profit corporation pursuant to the Idaho Non-Profit Corporation Act, certify:

#### ARTICLE I.

The name of this Corporation is: Arts for Idaho, Inc.

ARTICLE II.

The period of existence and duration of the life of the Corporation shall be perpetual.

#### ARTICLE III.

The purposes and objects for which this Corporation are formed, and the general powers which this Corporation may exercise are:

- (1) To cultivate, develop, promote and foster cultural, literary, artistic, and related educational activities and endeavors throughout the State of Idaho, including, without limitation, performing, visual, literary, and other cultural expression through financial assistance and other means of support.
- (2) To furnish advice and technical assistance to governmental units, non-profit organizations, and individuals engaged in cultural activities and endeavors, and to provide supplemental assistance to public and private agencies concerned with the arts.
- (3) To conduct surveys, studies, and research concerning cultural programs, activities, and endeavors as

needed; and collect, assemble, present, publish, and disseminate such surveys, studies and research to aid in the understanding, appreciation and coordination of cultural endeavors to best serve the interests of the public at large.

- (4) To conduct and sponsor educational activities from time to time on the presentation, implementation and appreciation of cultural activities and programs.
- To solicit, collect and receive grants and contributions and maintain a fund or funds of real or personal property, or both, and to use and apply the whole or any part of the income therefrom and the principal thereof in a manner consistent with furthering the purposes of the corporation. part of the funds within the control of the corporation shall be contributed to any organization, a substantial part of whose activities include carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation or participating in, or intervening in (including the publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Nor shall any part of any such funds inure to the private benefit of any donor, member, director or officer of the corporation (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services actually rendered to or for the corporation in furtherance of one or more of its purposes).
- (6) To conduct and carry on the work of the corporation exclusively in such a manner as to be subject to the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, and not for private but

exclusively for the charitable, scientific, literary or education purposes, so that the corporation may further its educational goals.

- (7) To complement, assist, and strengthen existing or planned programs and activities of public and private associations in the arts; to promote the broadest public benefit while maintaining high artistic standards.
- (8) To encourage and give greater opportunities and recognition to individual Idaho artists and persons engaged in the study of the arts whose work is, or gives promise of being, high quality.
- (9) To stimulate and encourage private and local initiative and financial support in connection with programs and activities in the arts.
- (10) To arrange from a fixed fund established by the corporation loans for arts purposes including but not limited to capital improvements, maintenance and operating costs, or guarantees of loans obtained from private lending institutions or otherwise.
- (11) To give outright grants of money, said grants to be used for arts purposes.
- (12) To constitute and maintain an endowment fund as a subsidiary or a separate entity; and to recruit an initial board of directors for such fund, as well as successor directors from time to time, whose authority to manage, invest, grant, and distribute such fund or the income therefrom shall be plenary, and wholly independent.

- (13) To give an annual accounting of all transactions whatever.
- (14) To enter into contracts with individuals and organizations for the performance by said individuals or organizations for valuable consideration of artistic endeavors and activities promotive of the arts.
- (15) To engage in any lawful activity and exercise all rights and powers granted to corporations organized under the laws of the State of Idaho, as now existing or as may hereafter be amended.

### ARTICLE IV.

- 1. The location and post office address of the registered office of this Corporation in the State of Idaho shall be 401 Second Street North, Twin Falls, Idaho, 83301.
- 2. The registered agent of this Corporation shall be Paula Brown Sinclair.

### ARTICLE V.

- 1. The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors shall be seventeen (17).
- 2. The names and addresses of each of the initial Directors are as follows:

NAME

# ADDRESS

Glenn Lungren

3424 Bogus Basin Road Boise, Idaho 83702

Marty Aiello

Idaho First National Bank P.O. Box 8247

Boise, Idaho 83733

Deborah May George 331 Second Avenue North Ketchum, Idaho 83340

Ray Harris IGA Market, 100 Court House Drive

Salmon, Idaho 83467

Dietmar Kluth Ore-Ida, P.O. Box 10 Boise, Idaho 83707

John Lewis Channel 7, P.O. Box 7
Boise, Idaho 83707

Joan Lolmaugh Idaho Commission on the Arts

304 West State Street Boise, Idaho 83720

Mike McBride Falls Brand Independent Meats

773 Monroe Street

Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

Rich Morraffio First Security Bank

P.O. Box 7069

Boise, Idaho 83730

Annette Park Idaho Commission on the Arts

304 West State Street Boise, Idaho 83720

John Sausman Channel 2, P.O. Box 2

Boise, Idaho 83707

Finale Schmidt David's Center, 302 South Main

Moscow, Idaho 83843

Dennis Shaver Shaver's, Inc., P.O. Box 7278

Boise, Idaho 83707

Paula Brown Sinclair P.O. Box 1901

Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

Nancy Vannorsdel First Interstate Bank of Idaho

P.O. Box 5757

Boise, Idaho 83705

Dennis Wheeler Coeur d'Alene Mines, Inc.

Wallace, Idaho 83873

Miles Willard P.O. Box 1747

Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401

# ARTICLE VI.

The names and post office addresses of each of the incorporators of this Corporation are as follows:

# NAME

## ADDRESS

Paula Brown Sinclair

P.O. Box 1901

Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

Nancy Vannorsdel

First Interstate Bank of Idaho

P.O. Box 5757

Boise, Idaho 83705

Dennis Shaver

Shaver's, Inc., P.O. Box 7278

Boise, Idaho 83707

#### ARTICLE VII.

The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner now or hereinafter prescribed by statutes, and all rights conferred upon members herein are granted subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, for the purpose of forming this corporation under the statutes of the State of Idaho, we, the undersigned, constituting the incorporators of this Corporation, have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 9 day of

April , 1984.

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