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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

CITIZENS ORGANIZATION FOR POLICE SUPPORT, INC.
A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

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SECRETARY OF STATE
STATE OF IDAHO

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the non-profit corporation shall be the Citizens Organization for Police Support, Inc. (COPS).

ARTICLE II: PURPOSE

The purpose of this non-profit, self-governing corporation shall be to provide support to the Idaho Falls, Idaho, Police Department (IFPD) in non-law enforcement areas to deter crime through standing committees, which are:

A fund-raising committee to purchase specialized equipment for the IFPD.

A community education committee to help citizens from becoming victims of criminals.

A public relations committee to foster a positive image of the IFPD to the community.

A compassionate service committee to render aid to police officers or their families if police officers are injured or killed in the line of duty.

Any other committee established by the Board of Directors that fulfills the objectives of COPS

ARTICLE III: INITIAL BOARD MEMBERS

Benjamin R Hunter; 1567 Beverly Rd., Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402

Richard L. Dixon; 7419 North 15 East; Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401

Americus John-Lewis 3665 Jill, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401

Gerald Foss; 1234 Mojave, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83404

Kelly Mallard, Esq.; 1524 Westland Ave; Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402

Kent Livsey, Chief; Idaho Falls Police Dept., 605 N. Capital,
Idaho Falls, ID 83402

ARTICLE IV: CORPORATION'S INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT
AT THAT OFFICE

Bryan D Smith, Esq.; 414 Shoup Ave., Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402

ARTICLE V: INCORPORATORS

IDAHO SECRETARY OF STATE

09/22/1997 09:00

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ARTICLE VI: MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the corporation shall consist of community volunteers.

ARTICLE VII: DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS ON DISSOLUTION

The distribution of assets on dissolution shall be consistent with the laws of the State of Idaho.

In the event of liquidation or dissolution of the Corporation, whether voluntary or involuntary, no member shall be entitled to any distribution or division of its remaining property or proceeds, and balance of all money and other property received by the Corporation from any source, after the payment of all debts and obligations of the Corporation, shall be used or distributed exclusively to any charitable, or educational organization or organizations under the provisions of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended. Any of such assets not so distributed shall be disposed of by the District Court of Bonneville County, Idaho exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purpose.

ARTICLE VIII: SIGNATURES OF INCORPORATORS

<u>Benjamin R. Hunter</u>	<u>9-26-97</u>
Benjamin R. Hunter	Date
<u>Kelly Mallard</u>	<u>9/26/97</u>
Kelly Mallard, Esq.	Date