

State of Idaho



Department of State.

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

I, ARNOLD WILLIAMS, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, and legal custodian of the corporation records of the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that the original of the articles of incorporation of

PAYETTE RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENT, INC.

was filed in the office of the Secretary of State on the **Eighth** day of **May** A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred **Sixty-four** and is duly recorded on Film No. **128** of Record of Domestic Corporations, of the State of Idaho, and that the said articles contain the statement of facts required by Section 30-103 and Sections 30-1001 to 30-1005, inclusive, Idaho Code.

I FURTHER CERTIFY, That the persons executing the articles and their associates and successors are hereby constituted a corporation, by the name hereinbefore stated, for **perpetual existence** from the date hereof, with its registered office in this State located at **Payette** in the County of **Payette** and as such are subject to the rights, privileges and limitations granted to Non-Profit Cooperative Associations as provided in Chapter 10, Title 30, Idaho Code.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State. Done at Boise City, the Capital of Idaho, this **8th** day of **May**, A.D., 19 **64**.

Secretary of State.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
PAYETTE RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENT, INC.

Know all men by these presents, that we, the undersigned, being over the age of majority and all citizens of the United States of America and residents of the State of Idaho, do hereby voluntarily associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a non-profit corporation, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Idaho, and we do hereby certify:

I.

That the name of the corporation shall be and is Payette Rural Fire Department, Inc.

II.

That the corporation shall have perpetual existence.

III.

That the purpose and objects for which the corporation is formed are:

- (1) To have an organization, men and equipment necessary to protect the rural areas from loss by fire;
- (2) To protect from fire and the loss thereof, property owners and holders within our area of operation;
- (3) To promote and encourage cooperation between the different fire departments and organizations in the area;
- (4) To acquire by purchase, lease or otherwise, real or personal property necessary and convenient for the purpose of providing fire protection in the area served by this corporation;
- (5) To sponsor, promote or encourage activities to raise the necessary funds for maintaining the proper equipment and facilities for such fire department.
- (6) To enter into agreements with cities or municipalities regarding joint fire protection and use of equipment.

IV.

That the location and Post Office address of the registered office of the corporation is Payette, Idaho.

V.

That the corporate powers of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors composed of five (5) persons; names and addresses of the present Board of Directors are as follows:

Morris Hartung, Chief	Payette, Idaho, 339 River St.
Harry Anderson, Assistant Chief	Payette, Idaho, 1328 Center Ave.
Murl O. Green, President	Payette, Idaho, 2024 1st Ave. No
Ralph Billings, Secretary	Payette, Idaho, 213 So. 7th St.
R. Wendell Salyards, Treasurer	Payette, Idaho, 1546 No. 4th St.

VI.

That the Board of Directors shall, from time to time, fix regulations for the qualifications of membership, and shall fix and determine qualifications of members and fees, if any, of said new members, all in accordance with the By-Laws of the corporation. That this is a membership corporation and there is no capital stock, however, this corporation is not for pecuniary gain or profit, but for services only, and membership in said corporation does not entitle any person to an interest in the

That the rates and interests of all members shall be equal and no member can have or acquire a greater interest in said corporation than any other member.

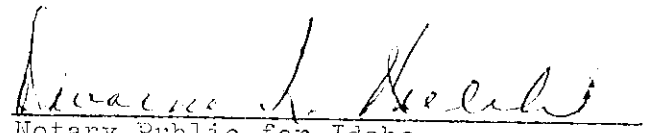
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We, the undersigned incorporators, namely Morris Hartung, Harry Anderson, Merle Green, Ralph Billings and Wendel Salyards do hereby subscribe our names and residences and execute the foregoing which shall and does constitute the Articles of Incorporation of Payette Rural Fire Department, Inc., at Payette, Idaho, this 27th day of September, 1963.

<u>Morris Hartung - Chief</u>	<u>Payette Idaho</u>
<u>Harry A. Anderson - Asst Chief</u>	<u>Payette Idaho</u>
<u>Murl O. Green</u>	<u>Payette Idaho</u>
<u>Ralph Billings</u>	<u>Payette Idaho</u>
<u>R. Wendell Salyards</u>	<u>Payette, Idaho</u>

STATE OF IDAHO)
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County of Payette) ss.

On this 21 day of September, 1963, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Morris Hartung, Harry Anderson, Murl O. Green, Ralph Billings and R. Wendell Salyards, personally known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

WITNESS My hand and seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.



Notary Public for Idaho,
Residing at Payette, Idaho.