# Articles of Incorporation Of Bronco Elite Boosters, Inc.



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We, the undersigned, each being at least eighteen (18) years of age, do hereby form a Non-Stock, Non-Profit Corporation under and by virtue of the laws of the State Of Idaho.

### <u>Article I – Corporate Name</u>

The name of the Corporation (which is hereinafter referred to as "Corporation") is Bronco Elite Boosters, Inc.

## <u>Article II – Purpose</u>

The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, education and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) or section 501(j) of the Internal Revenue code, or corresponding sections of any future federal tax code. References in these Articles of Incorporation to the "Code" shall be to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time.

# Article III - Time and Manner of Electing Officers for the Board of Directors

The initial Board of Directors named in Article VIII of the Articles of Incorporation shall continue to serve until new directors are electing in accordance with the election procedures outlined in the bylaws.

#### Article IV – Address of the Corporation

The address of the Corporation shall be 1295 East Holly Street, Boise, Idaho 83712.

#### <u>Article V – Registered Agent</u>

The name of the Registered Agent of the corporation in this State is Jennifer Bertleson whose address is 1295 East Holly Street, Boise, Idaho 83712.

# Article VI – No Stock

The Corporation shall have no authority to issue capital stock.

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Article VII - No members; Board of Directors CK: 1987 CT: 136698 BH: 351378

The Corporation shall have no members and all affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors.

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#### Article VIII - Initial Directors

The initial number of Directors of the Corporation shall be five (5), which number may be increased or decreased pursuant to the Bylaws of the Corporation, but shall never be less than three (3).

The names and addresses of the initial directors of the Corporation are:

Jennifer Bertleson, President 1295 East Holly Street Boise, Idaho 83712

Suzie Snead, Vice President 400 Silver Tip Circle Nampa, ID 83686

Lisa Waldram, Secretary 7644 Stirrup Avenue Boise, ID 83709

Launa Coates, Treasurer 8925 Red Tail Nampa, ID 83686

Janet Gabiola 1903 South Pacific Boise, ID 83705

#### <u>Article IX – Restriction on Use and Distribution of Income</u>

A. No part of the income or net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any member, trustee or officer of the Corporation or any other private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation affecting one of more of its purposes, and reimbursement may be made for any expenses incurred for the Corporation by any officer, director, agent or employee or any other person or corporation, pursuant to and upon authorization of the Board of Directors); and provided further that no member, director or officer of the Corporation, or any other private individual shall be entitled to share in any distribution of any of the corporate assets upon dissolution of the Corporation or otherwise. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, except as otherwise provided in Section 501

- (h) of the Code. The Corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.
- B. No part of the assets of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be attributable to any organization whose income or net earnings or any part thereof inure to the benefit of any private shareholder or other individual or any substantial part of the activities of which consist of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation.
- C. Upon dissolution of the Corporation, pursuant to a plan of distribution, adopted in the manner and by the vote required for authorization of dissolution of the Corporation, all of its assets shall be paid over or transferred to one or more tax exempt, charitable, religious or educational organizations of the kind described in Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding sections of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government or to a state or local government for a public purpose.

- D. Notwithstanding any other provision thereof, this Corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization which is tax exempt under the provisions of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Code.
- E. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, during any period that the Corporation is a "private foundation" within the meaning of Section 509 of the Code, the Corporation shall be required to distribute its income for each taxable year of the Corporation at such time and in such manner as not to subject the Corporation to tax under Section 4942 of the Code; and the Corporation shall be prohibited from engaging in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 494(d) of the Code, from retaining excess business holdings in violation of the provisions of Section 4943 (c) of the Code, from making any investments in any such manner as to subject the Corporation to tax under Section 4944 of the Code, and from any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Code.

### Article X - Duration

The duration of the Corporation shall be perpetual.

#### Article XI – Indemnification

The Officers of the Corporation shall be entitled to indemnification by the Corporation to the fullest extent allowed under Idaho law, as more specifically set forth in the Bylaws of The Corporation.

#### Article XII – Nondiscrimination Policy

The Corporations tangible and intangible services and benefits shall be available to all persons regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, sex or handicap, and the Corporation shall not discriminate against anyone on these grounds.

#### Article XIII – Amendments

Amendments to these Articles which would impair tax-exempt status or allow assets to be used for non-exempt purposes is expressly prohibited.

# <u>Article XIV – Incorporator</u>

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Jennifer Bertleson
1295 East Holly Street
Boise, ID 83712

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I the undersigned, representing the Initial Directors named in these articles of Incorporation, have signed these Articles of Incorporation this 25TH day of September 2000, and I acknowledge the same to be our acts.

I do solemnly declare and affirm under the penalties of perjury that the matters and facts contained in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief and acknowledge the same to be our individual acts.

Jennifer Bertleson, President