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BRING OUR TROOPS HOME FOUNDATION, INC.

TO: The Idaho Secretary of State
Title 30, Chapters 21 and 30, Idaho Code

I, the undersigned natural person of the age of 21 years or more, acting as the incorporator of a corporation adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation pursuant to the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act.

FIRST: The name of the corporation is: Bring Our Troops Home Foundation, Inc.

SECOND: The period of duration is perpetual.

<u>THIRD</u>: This corporation is organized, and shall be administered and operated, exclusively to receive, administer, and expend funds for the following charitable and educational purposes, within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended:

- 1. To educate the public on policies that will end the endless cycle of wars advanced by the United States;
- 2. To engage in charitable and educational activities as determined by the Board of Directors;
- 3. To engage in any and all lawful activities incidental to the foregoing purposes except as restricted herein.

In order to accomplish the foregoing charitable and educational purposes, and for no other purpose or purposes, the corporation shall have the all of the powers granted to nonprofit corporations by Title 30, Chapters 21 and 30 of the Idaho Code, and may do all acts necessary or expedient for the administration of the affairs and attainment of the purposes of the corporation; provided, however, that the corporation shall not except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the primary purpose of the corporation.

FOURTH: The corporation shall not have members.

FIFTH: No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to or for the benefit of, or be distributable to, its directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes and objects set forth in Article THIRD hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including by publishing or distributing statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of

these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any subsequent federal tax laws), or by an organization contributions to which are to be deductible under section 170(c)(2) of such Code.

Notwithstanding any other provision set forth in these Articles of Incorporation, at any time during which it is deemed a private foundation, the corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws; the corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws; the corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to be subject to the tax imposed by Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws; and the corporation shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

SIXTH: The affairs of the corporation shall be carried on through its Board of Directors. The election or appointment of new directors shall be as set out in the corporation's bylaws. In furtherance and not in limitation of the powers conferred by statute, the corporation is expressly authorized to carry on its affairs and to hold annual or special meetings of its Board of Directors either within or out of any of the states, territories or possessions of the United States, or the District of Columbia.

SEVENTH: The private property of the incorporators, directors and officers shall not be subject to the payment of corporate debts to any extent whatever.

EIGHTH: Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

<u>NINTH</u>: Upon the dissolution of the corporation or the winding up of its affairs, the assets of the corporation remaining after payment of the debts of the corporation or provision therefor shall be distributed exclusively for charitable or educational purposes to organizations which are then exempt from federal tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws), and to which contributions are then deductible under section 170(c)(2) of such Code.

TENTH: The initial registered agent is Corporation Service Company, located at 1303 12th Avenue Road, Nampa, ID 83686.

ELEVENTH: The Corporation reserves the right to amend, change or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation or to merge or consolidate this corporation with any other nonprofit Corporation in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute, provided, however, that any such action shall be undertaken exclusively to carry out the objects and purposes for which the

Corporation is formed, and all rights herein conferred or granted shall be subject to this reservation.

TWELFTH: The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors is three (3), but the number of directors may be increased in the manner set forth in the bylaws, provided that the number shall not be less than three (3). The name and address, including street and number, of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Dan McKnight	920 W. Great Basin Drive Meridian, ID 83646
Tyler Lindholm	PO Box 691 Sundance, WY 82729
Bethany Baldes	2201 Davis Lane Riverton, WY 82501

<u>THIRTEENTH</u>: The mailing address of the corporation shall be 920 W. Great Basin Drive, Meridian, ID 83646.

FOURTEENTH: The name and address of the incorporator is John R. Strout, 1747 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 1000, Washington, D.C. 20006.

Dated: February 23, 2022

John R. Strout (Incorporator)