State of Idaho

Department of State

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF

BOISE COUNTY FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION, INC. File number C 113284

I, PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that duplicate originals of Articles of Incorporation for the incorporation of BOISE COUNTY FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION, INC. 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: January 5, 1996



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ARTICLE I NAME OF THE CORPORATION

The name of the corporation is Boise County Firefighters Association ("Corporation").

ARTICLE II STATEMENT OF NONPROFIT STATUS AND EXISTENCE

The Corporation is a nonprofit corporation and shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III **EXISTENCE OF MEMBERS**

The Corporation shall have Members. Provisions regarding the classification, qualifications, limitations, obligations, rights and other characteristics of Members shall be set forth in the bylaws of the Corporation.

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ARTICLE IV PURPOSES OF THE CORPORATION

This Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, and scientific purposes within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) and Regulation Section 1.501(c)(3)(d), as amended (or the corresponding provisions of any future law). Such charitable, educational, and scientific purposes shall include the coordinating and assisting with fire protection for residents of Boise County.

ARTICLE V

REGULATION OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS

Provisions for the regulation of the internal affairs of the Corporation, including provisions for the distribution of assets on dissolution or final liquidation, are as follows:

- A. <u>Inurement</u>. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III above.
- **B.** Legislative and Political Activities. The Corporation shall not (i) devote more than an insubstantial part of its activities to or attempting to influence legislation by propaganda or otherwise, (ii) directly or indirectly 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, or (iii) have objectives or engage in activities which characterize the Corporation as an "action" organization as defined in regulations under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3), as amended, or the corresponding provisions of any future law.
- C. <u>Prohibited Activities</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) 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 future United States Internal Revenue Law)

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or (b) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

D. <u>Distribution of Assets on Dissolution</u>. Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, the assets of the Corporation shall be distributed in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3), as amended, or the corresponding provisions of any future law (i) for one or more exempt purposes, (ii) to the Federal government for a public purpose, or (iii) to a state or local government for a public purpose.

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is P.O. Box 26, Idaho City, Idaho 83631, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Terry Teeter.

ARTICLE VII INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of Directors constituting the initial board of Directors of the Corporation is three (3), and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial Directors are:

NAME	ADDRESS
Howard Bradley	HC 33, Box 2327 Boise, Idaho 83706
Terry Teeter	P.O. Box 26 Idaho City, Idaho 83631
Diane Proper	HC 33, Box 4077 Boise, Idaho 83706

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ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is:

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Allan R. Bosch

242 North 8th Street, Suite 200 Boise, Idaho 83702

SIGNATURE OF INCORPORATOR

Dated: January 4, 1996

Allan R Bosch