

Articles of Incorporation of

**READING FOR KICKS**

A California Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation

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**ARTICLE I**

The name of this corporation is Reading for Kicks.

**ARTICLE II**

- a. This Corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for charitable purposes. The specific purpose of this Corporation is primarily to promote literacy. Additionally, this Corporation may engage in any activities that are reasonably related to or in furtherance of its stated charitable purposes, or in any other charitable activities.
- b. This Corporation is organized and operated exclusively for educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

**ARTICLE III**

The name and address in the State of California of this Corporation's initial agent for service of process is:

William J Hunt  
4262 10<sup>th</sup> Street  
Riverside, CA 92501

**ARTICLE IV**

This Corporation shall have no members.

**Article V**

- a. No substantial part of the activities of this Corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this Corporation shall not participate in or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.
- b. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles of incorporation, this Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on
  - (i) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or
  - (ii) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code.

**ARTICLE VI**

- a. The property of this Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to educational purposes. No part of the net income or assets of this Corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any of its directors or officers, or to the benefit of any private person, except that this Corporation is authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article II hereof.
  
- b. Upon the dissolution or winding up of this Corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this Corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for educational purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

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William J Hunt, Incorporator

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