

STATE OF MONTANA

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ARTICLES of INCORPORATION
DOMESTIC NONPROFIT
CORPORATION
(35-2-213, MCA)



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▶ Executed by the undersigned person for the purpose of forming a Montana nonprofit corporation.

▶ **FIRST:** The name of the Nonprofit Corporation is North Valley Music School

▶ **SECOND:** The name and address of the registered office/agent in Montana:

Name Betty Lou Wambelke

Street Address 130 Birch Dr

Mailing Address _____

City Whitefish, MONTANA Zip Code 59937

▶ **THIRD:** The name and address of the incorporator is as follows:

Name Betsy Kohnstamm

Address 573 Somers Ave
Whitefish, MT Zip Code 59937

▶ **FOURTH:** The Nonprofit Corporation WILL WILL NOT have members.

▶ **FIFTH:** This Nonprofit Corporation is a (check one):

Public Benefit Corporation
 Mutual Benefit Corporation
 Religious Corporation

▶ **SIXTH:** Upon dissolution, the assets shall be distributed in the following manner:
to the Glacier Orchestra, Kalispell, MT

Dated 2/3/98

Betsy Kohnstamm
Signature of Incorporator

Articles of Incorporation of the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of Montana, do hereby certify:

First: The name of the Corporation shall be **North Valley Music School**.

Second: The place in Montana where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is the city of Whitefish.

Third: Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, and cultural purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Fourth: The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial directors of the corporation are as follows:

Betsy Kohnstamm, president, 573 Somers Ave., Whitefish, MT 59937
Lois Marshall, secretary/treasurer, 120 Ridge Run Dr. , Whitefish, MT 59937
Jackie Ponek, P.O. Box 1744, Whitefish, MT 59937
William Schultz, P.O. Box 693 Whitefish, MT 59937
Ingrid Stonecipher, P.O. Box 967 Whitefish, MT 59937

Fifth: No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, 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 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 the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

Sixth: Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section 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. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations,

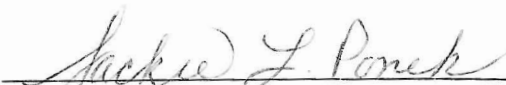
as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

In witness whereof,
we have hereunto subscribed our names this 22nd day of April, 1988.



Betsy Kohnstamm, president

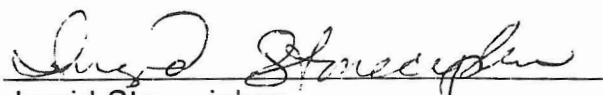
Lois Marshall, secretary/treasurer



Jackie Ponek



William Schultz




Ingrid Stonecipher

To Whom It May Concern:

The attached Articles of Incorporation were adopted by a majority vote of the Board of Directors of North Valley Music School during a meeting of the Board of Directors on March, 2, 1998. These articles correctly set forth provisions for non-profit corporations in the state of Montana and they have been duly adopted as required by law.

Date: 3/2/98


Betsy B. Kohnstamm, president


Lois Marshall, secretary