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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

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NOTEWORTHY PROJECT, INC.

TALLAHASSEE, FL

a Florida Not For Profit Corporation

THE UNDERSIGNED, for the purpose of forming a not for profit corporation under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, as set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of this corporation is NOTEWORTHY PROJECT, INC. The principal place of business is 3206 Gulf Breeze Parkway, Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563. Mailing address is 3206 Gulf Breeze Parkway, Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563.

## ARTICLE II DURATION

The duration of this corporation is perpetual.

#### ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The corporation is a not for profit corporation under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. The corporation is not formed for pecuniary gain or profit, direct or indirect, to itself or its members, directors or officers. No part of the income or assets of the corporation is distributable to or for the benefit of its directors or officers. The corporation is organized, and shall be operated exclusively for charitable purposes to provide instruments, music technology and music education for students and schools.

The corporation is organized to do such other things as are incidental to the foregoing or necessary, implied, helpful, or desirable in order to accomplish the foregoing. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activity not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3), of the Internal Revenue Code.

#### ARTICLE IV REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office, and the mailing address of the registered agent is 2279 Gulf Breeze Parkway, Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563 and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Kerry Anne Schultz, Esquire.

#### ARTICLE V BOARD OF DIRECTORS

There shall be a board of directors consisting of at least three individuals. The initial directors are elected by the incorporators. After that, each director shall be elected by majority vote of the board of directors in the manner and at the times set forth in the bylaws. Any director may be removed by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the board of directors. The names of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Thomas J. Koch 976 Gondolier Blvd Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563

Kelly A. Koch 976 Gondolier Blvd Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563

Thomas A. Koch 976 Gondolier Blvd Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563

#### ARTICLE VII OFFICERS

The board of directors shall elect the following officers: president, vice-president, treasurer, and secretary, and any other officers which the bylaws of this corporation authorize the directors to elect. Each officer shall be elected by a majority vote of the board of directors (and may be removed by a majority vote of the board of directors) at such time and in such manner as may be prescribed by the bylaws.

#### ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATORS

The name of each incorporator is as follows:

Thomas J. Koch 976 Gondolier Blvd Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563

Kelly A. Koch 976 Gondolier Blvd Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563

Thomas A. Koch 976 Gondolier Blvd Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563

## ARTICLE VIII AMENDMENT

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law.

## ARTICLE IX DISSOLUTION

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.

We, the undersigned, being the incorporators of this corporation, for the purpose of forming this not for profit corporation under the Laws of Florida, have executed these Articles of Incorporation on <u>March</u> 17, , 2022.

Thomas J. Koch

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA

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2022, by Kelly A. Koch, who () is personally known to me or who () has produced Florida Driver's License, as identification and who did not take an oath. Notary Public - State of Florica NOTARYOUBLIC Commission & GG 25:505 Commission Number: My Commission Expires: STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA Sworn to and subscribed before me this / T day of Marce 2022, by Thomas A. Koch, who ( ) is personally known to me or who ( ) has produced Florida Driver's License, as identification and who did not take an oath. NOTARY/FUBLIC Commission Number: My Commission Expirese

## ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION AS REGISTERED AGENT

Kerry Anne Schultz, Esquire, the designated resident agent of NOTEWORTHY PROJECT, INC., do hereby certify that her address is 2279 Gulf Breeze Parkway, Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563, do hereby accept the designation and appointment as resident agent of NOTEWORTHY PROJECT, INC., a Florida Not for Profit Corporation, and am familiar with and accept the duties and obligations of registered agent.

Dated this 12 day of 14rd	2022. ALLAR I
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA	KERRY ANNE SCHULDTOF STATE
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