



## Articles of Incorporation for a Nonprofit Corporation

filed pursuant to § 7-122-101 and § 7-122-102 of the Colorado Revised Statutes (C.R.S.)

**The domestic entity name of the nonprofit corporation is** Adventure Acres Foundation

**The principal office street address is**

1056 County Road 95  
Florence CO 81226  
US

**The principal office mailing address is**

1056 County Road 95  
Florence CO 81226  
US

**The name of the registered agent is** JUSTIN LAKE WHEDON

**The registered agent's street address is**

1056 County Road 95  
Florence CO 81226  
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**The registered agent's mailing address is**

1056 County Road 95  
Florence CO 81226  
US

The person above has agreed to be appointed as the registered agent for this entity.

**The name(s) and address(es) of the incorporator(s)**

Justin Whedon  
1056 County Road 95  
Florence CO 81226  
US

**Voting members**

There are no voting members for the nonprofit corporation.

**The distribution of assets for the nonprofit corporation:**

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 to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction in the county where the principal office of the organization is then located, exclusively for such purposes.

**Additional information the person(s) forming this entity determined to include is attached.**

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**Name(s) and address(es) of the individual(s) causing the document to be delivered for filing**

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

## OF

### ADVENTURE ACRES FOUNDATION

*(A Colorado Nonprofit Corporation)*

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#### Article I – Name

The name of the corporation is **Adventure Acres Foundation**.

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#### Article II – Duration

The period of the corporation's duration is **perpetual**.

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#### Article III – Purpose

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The Foundation's mission is to promote environmental stewardship and regenerative land practices through education, demonstration projects, and public engagement. Activities include sustainability education, ecological restoration, community outreach, and support of regenerative agriculture and eco-tourism initiatives in Colorado and beyond.

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#### Article IV – Powers

The corporation shall have and may exercise all powers conferred upon nonprofit corporations organized under the laws of the State of Colorado, including the power to receive and administer funds and property, to make contracts, and to do all things necessary or convenient to accomplish its charitable and educational purposes.

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## **Article V – Initial Registered Agent**

**Name:** Justin Lake Whedon

**Street Address:** 1056 County Road 95, Florence, CO 81226

**Mailing Address:** Same as above

The corporation maintains in its records the written consent of the registered agent to accept service of process on behalf of the corporation.

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## **Article VI – Principal Office & Mailing Address**

**Principal Office:** 1056 County Road 95, Florence, CO 81226

**Mailing Address:** Same as above

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## **Article VII – Directors & Officers**

The initial director and officers of the corporation shall be:

**Director / President / Secretary / Treasurer:**

Justin Lake Whedon

1056 County Road 95, Florence, CO 81226

The corporation shall be governed solely by its Board of Directors and shall have **no voting members**.

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## **Article VIII – Bylaws**

The incorporator shall adopt the initial bylaws of the corporation. The bylaws may be amended as provided therein.

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## **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 to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction in the

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### **Article X – Indemnification**

The corporation shall indemnify any director, officer, employee, or agent of the corporation to the fullest extent permitted by law, except in cases of fraud, intentional misconduct, or gross negligence.

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### **Article XI – 501(c)(3) Limitations**

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 these Articles.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of carrying on 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.

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### **Article XII – Incorporator**

I, the undersigned, execute and adopt these Articles of Incorporation on behalf of the corporation.

**Incorporator:** Justin Lake Whedon

**Address:** 1056 County Road 95, Florence, CO 81226

**Dated:** October 23, 2025

**Signature:**   
(Justin Lake Whedon)

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### **Article XIII – Effective Date**

These Articles of Incorporation shall be effective **immediately upon filing** with the Colorado Secretary of State.

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#### **Article XIV – Contact for Notices**

**Email:** [justin@adventureacresco.org](mailto:justin@adventureacresco.org)