

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
of
UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST BUDDHIST FELLOWSHIP, INC.

For the purpose of forming a corporation under the Wisconsin Nonstock Corporation Law, Chapter 181 of the Wisconsin Statutes, the undersigned executes the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE 1
NAME

The name of the corporation is Unitarian Universalist Buddhist Fellowship Inc., hereinafter referred to as the "Fellowship."

ARTICLE 2
EXISTENCE

The Fellowship is created as a nonprofit, nonstock Wisconsin corporation under Chapter 181 of the Wisconsin Statutes. The period of the Fellowship's existence is perpetual.

ARTICLE 3
PURPOSES

3.1 The Fellowship is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes under 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The specific purposes shall include educating Unitarian Universalists about Buddhism and facilitating dialogue between Unitarian Universalists and Buddhists.

3.2 The Fellowship is expressly prohibited from engaging in any activity that would be inconsistent with the status of an educational and charitable organization as defined in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

ARTICLE 4
POWERS

The Fellowship has all powers now or in the future given by law to nonstock corporations organized under the laws of Wisconsin; provided, however, that such powers may be exercised only to further the purposes stated in Article 3 above, and further provided that:

4.1 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 Fellowship 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 3 above;

4.2 No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation;

4.3 The Fellowship shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office; and,

4.4 Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the Fellowship shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code.

4.5 The Bylaws of the Fellowship may provide that the Fellowship is authorized to make distributions under Section 181.1302(3) and Section 181.1302(4) of the Wisconsin Statutes.

ARTICLE 5

MEMBERSHIP

The Fellowship shall not have members. Any reference to members in the Fellowship's bylaws do not refer to statutory members as defined under Section 181 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

ARTICLE 6

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The affairs of the Fellowship shall be managed by a board of directors. The method of electing directors of the Fellowship shall be stated in the bylaws of the Fellowship. The number of directors shall be fixed by the bylaws of the Fellowship, but the number of directors shall not be fewer than three.

ARTICLE 7

DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the Fellowship, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all of the liabilities of the Fellowship, dispose of all of the assets of the Fellowship exclusively for the purposes of the Fellowship in such manner and to such organization or organizations that are organized and operated exclusively for exempt purposes under section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, or to a State or a political subdivision of a State as defined in section 170(c)(1) of the Code.

ARTICLE 8

PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

8.1 The mailing address of the principal office of the Fellowship is:

W260 N7751 Jay Ln
Sussex, WI 53809

8.2 The name, address, and email address of the registered agent is:

Erich Moraine
W260 N7751 Jay Ln
Sussex, WI 53809
emoraine108@gmail.com

ARTICLE 9
AMENDMENT

These articles may be amended in the manner authorized by law at the time of the amendment.

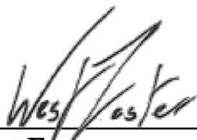
ARTICLE 10
INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator, who is older than eighteen years, is:

West Foster
On behalf of Scholz Nonprofit Law LLC
612 W. Main Street, Suite 301
Madison, WI 53703

Executed this 26th day of April, 2024.

By:



West Foster

Drafted by:
West Foster
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For Office



State of Wisconsin
Department of Financial Institutions

Endorsement

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION - DOMESTIC NONSTOCK CORPORATION - FORM 102

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST BUDDHIST FELLOWSHIP INC.

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