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## Articles of Incorporation - Nonprofit

### Information

CODE 504 REVISED DOMESTIC NON-PROFIT

Chapter

Cedar Valley Youth Sports Association

Name of Corporation

08/01/2022 12:01:00 AM

Effective Date

Perpetual

Expiration Date

Yes

Members

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.

Upon dissolution

No

Does the corporation hold an interest in agricultural land in Iowa?

### Registered Agent

Stephanie Gerst

Full Name

Address1

Address2

La Porte City

City

IA

State

50651

Zip

USA

Country

### Incorporator

**Stephanie Gerst**

Full Name



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**Seth Gerst**

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50701

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**Rodney Berry**

Full Name



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Address2

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City

IA

State

50702

Zip

USA

Country

**Principal Office**



Address1

Address2

La Porte City

City

IA

State

50651

Zip

USA

Country

**Officers & Directors**

Director

Officer Type

Stephanie Gerst

Full Name

Address1

La Porte City

City

Address2

IA

State

50651

Zip

USA

Country

Director

Officer Type

Seth Gerst

Full Name

Address1

La Porte City

City

Address2

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50651

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USA

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Director

Officer Type

Alyssa Berry

Full Name

Address1

Waterloo

City

Address2

IA

State

50701

Zip

USA

Country

Director

Officer Type

Rodney Berry

Full Name

Address1

Waterloo

City

Address2

IA

State

50702

Zip

USA

Country

Director

Officer Type

Sara Smith

Full Name

Address1

Address2

Cedar Falls

City

IA

State

50613

Zip

USA

Country

Director

Officer Type

Wanda Adams

Full Name

Address1

Address2

Evansdale

City

IA

State

50707

Zip

USA

Country

Director

Officer Type

Jil Backes

Full Name

Address1

Address2

Waterloo

City

IA

State

50701

Zip

USA

Country

**Signature(s)**

Stephanie Gerst

Incorporator

08/03/2022 21:53:58

Date

Seth Gerst

Incorporator

08/03/2022 21:53:58

Date

Alyssa Berry

Incorporator

08/03/2022 22:19:06

Date

Rodney Berry

Incorporator

08/03/2022 22:19:06

Date

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
CEDAR VALLEY YOUTH SPORTS ASSOCIATION

The undersigned incorporators, who are individuals 18 years of age or older, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States and pursuant to the nonprofit corporation laws of this state, hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation is: Cedar Valley Youth Sports Association

ARTICLE II. REGISTERED OFFICE

The physical address of the initial registered office for this corporation in the State of Iowa is: 400 W Main St in La Porte City, Black Hawk County.

ARTICLE III. REGISTER AGENT

The name and address of the initial register agent is: Stephanie Gerst, 400 W Main St, La Porte City, IA 50651.

ARTICLE IV. DURATION

The period of duration is: Perpetual

ARTICLE V. PURPOSE

The specific purpose of this corporation is: to offer youth of the Waterloo/Cedar Falls and surrounding areas organized sports and activities; and to maintain and improve leased and/or owned facilities; and to manage leased and/or owned concessions in relation thereto.

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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.

ARTICLE VI. INITIAL DIRECTORS

The number of directors, and the method of selecting directors, shall be fixed by the Bylaws of this corporation. The initial directors shall be seven (7) in number. The names and addresses of these initial directors are as follows:

Stephanie Gerst, [REDACTED] La Porte City, IA 50615  
Seth Gerst, [REDACTED] La Porte City, IA 50651  
Alyssa Berry, [REDACTED] Waterloo, IA 50701  
Rodney Berry, [REDACTED] Waterloo, IA 50702  
Sara Smith, [REDACTED] Cedar Falls, IA 50613  
Wanda Adams, [REDACTED] Evansdale, IA 50707  
Jil Backes, [REDACTED] Waterloo, IA 50701

ARTICLE VII. MEMBERS

The classes, rights, privileges, qualifications, and obligations of members of this corporation are determined by the bylaws of this corporation.

ARTICLE VIII. INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the incorporators of this corporation are:

- Stephanie Gerst, [REDACTED] La Porte City, IA 50615
- Seth Gerst, [REDACTED] La Porte City, IA 50651
- Alyssa Berry, [REDACTED] Waterloo, IA 50701
- Rodney Berry, [REDACTED] Waterloo, IA 50702

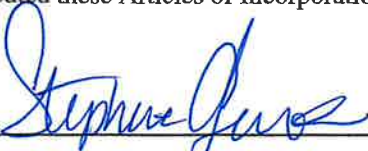
ARTICLE IX. ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS


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 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.
2. 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.
3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
4. No member, officer, or director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the members, officers, or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.


ARTICLE X. 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.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we the undersigned, being the Incorporators of Cedar Valley Youth Sports Association executed these Articles of Incorporation on Monday, August 1, 2022.

  
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 Stephanie Gerst, Incorporator

  
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 Seth Gerst, Incorporator

  
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 Alyssa Berry, Incorporator

  
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 Rodney Berry, Incorporator

