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Fee \$1.50

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF
THE ROTARY CLUB OF DES MOINES.

Filed for Record May 3, 1912,
At 3:38 o'clock P. M.

Miss Frank W. Dodson Recorder

W. B. ... Deputy

The undersigned citizens of the State of Iowa being of full age do hereby associate themselves and their associates together for the purpose of forming a body corporate, not for pecuniary profit, under the laws of the State of Iowa as provided in Chapter II, Title 9 of the Code of 1907, and acts amendatory thereto, and to that end hereby adopt the following ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION:

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of this corporation shall be "The Rotary Club of Des Moines", its principal place of business shall be in Des Moines, Polk County Iowa.

ARTICLE II

Object

The objects of this corporation are:

1. To promote good fellowship by strengthening the ties of friendship among business acquaintances:
2. To develop and exchange among its members the newest, best and most successful business ideas, and to promote progressive and honorable methods in trade generally:
3. To promote the best interest of the city of Des Moines commercially and otherwise and to foster and spread the spirit of civic pride and loyalty among its citizens.

ARTICLE III

Commencement and Duration

This corporation may commence business when these articles are filed with the County Recorder of Polk County Iowa, and shall continue for fifty years thereafter, unless sooner dissolved by a three-fourths vote of its membership.

ARTICLE IV

Meetings

The annual meeting of this corporation shall be held in Des Moines, Iowa, on the fourth Thursday of January in each year; special meetings may be held at any time upon call by the

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election of directors. Whenever an office or a position on the Board of Directors becomes vacant the vacancy shall be filled at once by the election of a successor in the same manner as is provided for in the election had at the annual meeting.

Section 3. Until the annual meeting in 1913 the directors shall be Daniel Bonus C. B. Spates, A. P. Reinsburg, Walter St. John Mack Olsen, H. H. Stipp, O. R. McDonald of whom Mack Olsen shall be President, H. H. Stipp shall be Vice President and O. R. McDonald shall be Secretary-Treasurer.

ARTICLE VI

Amendments

These articles of incorporation may be amended at any annual meeting, and at any special meeting provided that written notice of such amendment is served upon the members ten days prior to such special meeting.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have herewith subscribed our names this 2nd day of May A. D., 1912.

Mack Olsen
O. R. McDonald
C. B. Spates
A. P. Reinsburg
Daniel Bonus
Walter St. John
H. H. Stipp

State of Iowa, County of Polk) SS.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 2nd day of May A. D. 1912, before me personally appeared Daniel Bonus, C. B. Spates, A. P. Reinsburg, Walter St. John, Mack Olsen, H. H. Stipp and O. R. McDonald personally known to me to be the identical persons who signed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation as incorporators, and severally acknowledged that they executed the same as their voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein expressed.

WITNESSES my hand and notarial seal this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1912.

STATE OF IOWA
SS:
COUNTY OF POLK

I, IRENE H. MALEY, RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY, HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOREGOING WRITING IS A PHOTOGRAPHIC COPY FROM THE ORIGINAL RECORD IN THIS OFFICE AND FROM THE WHOLE THEREOF, WHICH IS RECORDED

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DATED AT Des Moines, IOWA, IN SAID COUNTY ON THIS 19th DAY OF April, 1962

IRENE H. MALEY
RECORDER OF POLK COUNTY, IOWA

BY Laurence Owens
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acquaintances:

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The objects of this corporation are:

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Name

ARTICLE I

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