

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
THE WOMEN FORWARD FUND**

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I.

The name of this corporation is **THE WOMEN FORWARD FUND.**

II.

This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for charitable purposes.

This corporation is formed exclusively to support, and shall be operated, supervised, or controlled by Community Forward SF, Inc.

The specific purpose of this corporation shall include charitable purposes exclusively to support Community Forward SF, Inc., including, but not limited to, supporting its mission of promoting healing and wellness in the San Francisco community by providing quality substance abuse prevention, treatment, and recovery-oriented services.

III.

The name and address in the State of California of this corporation's initial agent for service of process is:

John Uselman  
1171 Mission Street  
San Francisco, CA 94103

IV.

The principal office of this corporation shall be located at:

1171 Mission Street  
San Francisco, CA 94103

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## V.

This corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended ("Internal Revenue Code").

## VI.

The property owned by this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Further, the property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes meeting the requirements for exemption provided by Section 214 of the California Revenue and Taxation Code, and no part of the net earnings, income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof, or to the benefit of any private person (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for this corporation).

## VII.

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

## VIII.

Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Specifically, if Community Forward SF, Inc. is still in existence upon the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 214 of the California Revenue and Taxation Code, to Community Forward SF, Inc., or if Community Forward SF, Inc. is no longer in existence to such organization as may have been substituted as the Supported Organization set forth in Article II, or, if none, to one or more organizations which are organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which have established their tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Date: February 10, 2025

  
Julie Treppa, Sole Incorporator