

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
AMERICAN VETERANS FLY FISHERS, INC.  
6955 CANON RD OAK HILLS CA. 92344

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ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is American Veterans Fly Fishers, inc., a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE 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.

ARTICLE III

This corporation is a non-profit domestic corporation established as a local extension of the Fly Fishers International to be organized exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3), 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The purposes for which it is organized are as follows:

- A. To provide members with a forum for education and resource stewardship through the sport of fly fishing.

- B. To promote fly fishing through education as the most enjoyable and sporting method of fishing, and the method most consistent with the preservation of conservation-wise use – of our fishing waters and game fish.
- C. To provide assistance, advice, and suggestions to other angling groups to help them become more important and effective in their areas.
- D. To publicize the best practices and techniques of fly fishing, fly tying, casting, rod building and other related subjects.
- E. To be a voice for organized fly fishers, maintaining liaison with other conservation and sporting organizations, and with the governmental agencies involved in so many aspects of our sport.
- F. To carry out the objectives and purposes of the Fly Fishers International in their localities

ARTICLE IV

The Corporation is organized on a membership basis and shall issue no capital stock.

ARTICLE V

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

Anthony R Pacini Jr  
6955 Canon Rd  
Oak Hills, CA 92344

ARTICLE VI

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 any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE VII

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by:

- A. A corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code: or
- B. A corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(C)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE VIII

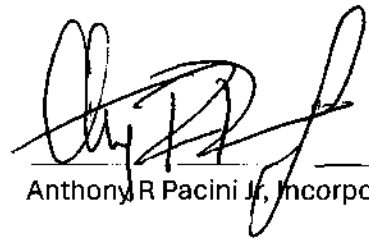
The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person. Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, 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), Internal Revenue Code. or corresponding section of any future federal tax code subject only to any Order of a Court of competent jurisdiction.

ARTICLE IX

The corporation shall be a Charter Club of the Fly Fishers International, Inc. Any amendments to the Articles of Incorporation must be presented to the Fly Fishers International, Inc. Board for approval.

The undersigned has executed these Articles on February 6, 2025

  
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Anthony R Pacini Jr, Incorporator

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