

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

NEW MEXICO

Certificate Of Incorporation

OF

ABQ CORO LUX

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The Office of the Secretary of State certifies that the Articles Of Incorporation, duly signed and verified pursuant to the provisions of the

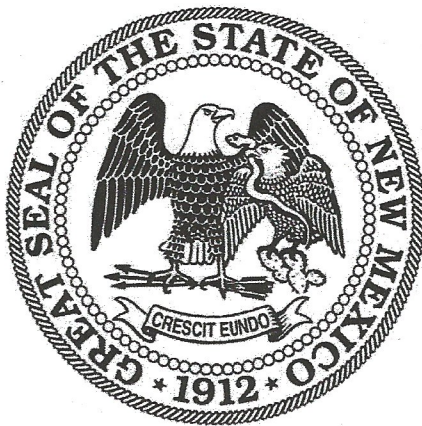
Nonprofit Corporation Act

(53-8-1 To 53-8-99 NMSA 1978)

have been received and are found to conform to law. Accordingly, by virtue of the authority vested in it by law, the Office of the Secretary of State issues this Certificate Of Incorporation and attaches hereto a duplicate of the Articles Of Incorporation.

Dated : **November 25, 2015**

In testimony whereof, the Office of the Secretary of State has caused this certificate to be signed on this day in the city of Santa Fe, and the seal of said office to be affixed hereto.



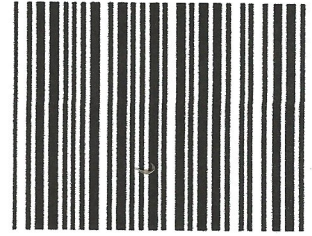
A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mary Quintana".

Mary Quintana
Acting Secretary of State



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**Nonprofit Corporation
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

ABQ Coro Lux

The undersigned incorporator, who is an individual 18 years of age or older, who is a citizen of the United States and pursuant to the nonprofit corporation laws of this state, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation is: ABQ Coro Lux.

ARTICLE II. REGISTERED OFFICE

The physical address of the registered office for this corporation is at: 1609 Glorieta St. NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87112.

ARTICLE III. REGISTERED AGENT

The name and address of the initial registered agent is: Kathleen Bradford Austin, 1609 Glorieta St. NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87112.

ARTICLE IV. DURATION

The period of duration is: Perpetual

ARTICLE V. PURPOSE

The specific purpose of this corporation is:

- Present outstanding choral music to the Albuquerque community and other national and international audiences;
- Provide the opportunity for amateur, semi-professional and professional singers and instrumentalists to perform great musical literature;
- Provide college and high school students additional musical experience by providing a more professional venue for them and an opportunity to enhance a college application with a valuable cultural experience outside the normal realm. In addition it instills in the students a sense of accomplishment; it grants them positions as contributing members of their community; and may afford high school students the opportunity to earn high school community volunteer service credits.

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- Engage in all things necessary to accomplish such ends, including the raising of funds through ticket sales, fund raising activities and the solicitation of contributions.
- Additionally may engage in any lawful activities within the purposes for which corporations may be organized under N.M.S.A. Chapter 53, Article 8, 1978, The "Nonprofit Corporation Act".

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 V. INITIAL DIRECTORS

The number of directors, and the method of selecting directors, shall be no less than three (3) and fixed by the Bylaws of this corporation. The initial directors shall be five (5) in number. The names and addresses of these initial directors are as follows:

- Linda Buffett, 9609 Desert Mountain Road NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87122
- Loreen Nash, 7508 Dellwood Rd. NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87110
- George Arthur, 70 Camino Barranca, Placitas, New Mexico, 87043
- Gayle Shipp, 7000 Phoenix NE # 102, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87110
- Kathleen Bradford Austin, 1609 Glorieta St. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87112

ARTICLE VI. MEMBERS

This corporation does not have members.

ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation is:

- Kathleen Bradford Austin, 1609 Glorieta St. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87112

ARTICLE VIII. 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 Five 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

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members, officers, or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

ARTICLE IX. 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, the undersigned, being the Incorporator of ABQ Coro Lux executed these Articles of Incorporation on November 21, 2015.

Kathleen Bradford Austin

Kathleen Bradford Austin, Incorporator

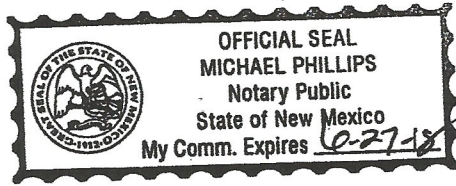
ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT
AS REGISTER AGENT

The undersigned, being duly sworn, accepts appointment as Register Agent pursuant to the Nonprofit Corporation Act for ABQ Coro Lux, a New Mexico nonprofit corporation.

Kathleen Bradford Austin
Kathleen Bradford Austin

State of New Mexico)
) ss.
County of Bernalillo)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on November 21, 2015 by Kathleen Bradford Austin.



Michael Phillips
Notary Public

My commission expires: 6-27-18



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STATEMENT OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT
BY DESIGNATED INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT

I, KATHLEEN BRADFORD AUSTIN
hereby acknowledge that the undersigned individual or corporation accepts appointment
as Initial Registered Agent of ABQ Coro Lux

the corporation which is named in the annexed Articles of Incorporation.

Kathleen Bradford Austin
*(Sign on this line if the registered agent named in the Articles of Incorporation is an individual.
If this line is signed, the two lines below do not apply and must be left blank.)*

CORPORATION ACTING AS A REGISTERED AGENT ONLY

(If the following lines are used, the signature line above does not apply and must be left blank)

*(If the registered agent named in the Articles of Incorporation is a corporation, type or print
the name of that corporation here.)*

By _____
(An authorized officer of the corporation being appointed as registered agent must sign here)