## STATE OF VERMONT

## OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Deborah L. Markowitz, Secretary of State of the State of Vermont, do hereby certify that the attached is a true copy of the

## CORPORATE DOCUMENTS

For

## LAKE SAINT CATHERINE ASSOCIATION, INC.

As filed in this department.

March 23, 2009

Given under my hand and the seal of the State of Vermont, at Montpelier, the State Capital

Deborah Markowitz Secretary of State

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## ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

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# LAKE SAINT CATHERINE ASSOCIATION. INC.

We, the Subscribers, of full age, hereby associate ourselves together as a Corporation under the Laws of the State of Vermont, to be known by the name of

LAKE SAINT CATHERING ASSOCIATION, INC.

for the purpose of

Here set out purloses clearly and oriefly, using seprate paragraphs o cover each seprate purpose, and voiding generalied or covering lauses and phraas which might be aterpreted to exend the purposes eyond those speificially stated. encouraging, and promoting the development and beautifying of the grounds, cottages, beaches and roads of privately owned homes and cottages on or near Lake saint Catherine, located in the Towns of Poultney and Wells, in the County of Rutland and State of Vermont, and to borrow money and to buy property and erect buildings all for said purposes and to do any other acts not inconsistent with the laws of Vermont for this corporation shall have no capital stock and is not organized for profit. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any individual member.

The members of the corporation shall be the incorporators and such other persons of full age as shall be elected to membership pursuant to the By-Laws of said corporation.

These Articles may be amended by the vote in meeting assembled of two-thirds of the members.

The principal office shall be located at Poultney	, in the County of
Rutland in the State of Vermont.	
The capital stock shall consist of	
shares of preferred stock of the par value of	dollars per share;
shares of common stock of the par value of	dollars per share;
shares of preferred stock having no par value;	
shares of common stock having no par value;	

if preferred stock of either class is provided for state here briefly and hearly the terms of preference as to lividends, liquidation, voting rights, etc.

Dated at Caulty, in the County of Children this

31 day of August, 19 53.

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AMENDMENT

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

of the

(Non-Profit)

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Secretary of State

## AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

of the

LAKE ST. CATHERT	NE ASSOCIATION, INC.
We, THE UNDERSIGNED, Pres.	ident and ChrixXXX Secretary of
LAKE ST. CATHERII	NE ASSOCIATION, INC.
a non-profit Corporation having no c	apital stock, organized and existing under the laws of the State of
Vermont, and having its principal offi	ce at Poultney
in the County of Rutland	in said State, hereby certify that at a meeting of the
trustees (directors) of said corporation	on, duly called for that purpose, and held at <u>Wells</u>
in the County of Rutland	, in said State, on the 20th day of
June 19	$\frac{30}{80}$ , it was voted by three-fourths of all the directors or trustees of
said corporation to amend its articles	of association as follows, viz:
By deleting the fir	rst or purpose paragraph and substituting there-
fore the following:	

The purpose of this corporation is the promotion of the common good, general welfare and civic betterment of the Lake St. Catherine community by restoring and maintaining the quality of Lake St. Catherine, a public body of water, and the surrounding area, for the benefit of all those people who visit and use the lake and for the benefit of the total environment of all people.

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Rutland County, ss.  At Wells in said County, this 10th day  of July , 19.80 , personally appeared the above named H. Gerard  Crawford , President, and Dorothy Williams Secretary  of the corporation above named, and made oath to the truth of the foregoing certificate by them, sub-	Date	ed at	Wells	, in the County of Rut	land		
At Wells in said County, this 10th day of July 19.80, personally appeared the above named H. Gerard Crawford President, and Dorothy Williams Secretary of the corporation above named, and made oath to the truth of the foregoing certificate by them, subscribed.	his	10th day of	July	·			
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# Articles of Amendment Non-profit Under 11B V.S.A. §10.05 Vermont Secretary of State 128 State Street, Montpelier, VT 05633-1104

CORPORATE NAME: LAKE SAINT CATHERINE ASSOCIATION, INC.

#### TEXT AND DATE OF AMENDMENT:

The effective date of the amendment is July 30, 2011. The articles of association are amended by deleting in its entirety the stated purposes and substituting therefor the following:

- 1. The purpose of this corporation is to be a public charity to receive donations, grants or contributions and to utilize its income and assets for the preservation, protection and maintenance of Lake St. Catherine, a public body of water in the State of Vermont, and its environs. Its purpose will include education on environmental issues affecting Lake St. Catherine and its watershed areas, testing of water and soil for pollution, and mitigation and/or removal of harmful materials, substances or plants in or upon Lake St. Catherine so that the burdens of government in these areas are lessened. This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, educational and scientific purposes under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding section of any future tax code. No portion of the corporation's assets or income will be used for any private purpose.
- 2. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, its assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code or 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.

## APPROVAL BY DIRECTORS OR INCORPORATORS:

The amendments were unanimously approved by the Board of Directors at a regular meeting thereof July 30, 2011.

### APPROVAL BY MEMBERS:

All members were given advanced notice of the proposed amendments in writing on July 11, 2011. The meeting of members was held July 30, 2011 at which a quorum was present (a)The designation, number of memberships outstanding, number of votes entitled to be cast by each class entitled to vote on the amendments and the number of votes of each cast indisputably voting in favor thereof are as follows:

Regular members (entitled to one vote each): total number of members: 305, total present at the meeting in person or by proxy: 66, total voting in favor thereof: unanimous.

Commercial members: (entitled to one vote each): total number: 3, total present at the meeting of members: 3, total voting in favor thereof: unanimous.

APPROVAL BY OTHER PERSONS: Not applicable.

THE PURPOSE: Charitable.

James Canders, President