

The undersigned people, being citizens of the United States, desiring to associate themselves for the purposes hereinafter set forth, and acting as incorporators of a corporation (the "Corporation") under the provisions of Chapter 82 of the Nevada Revised Statutes have adopted the following Articles of Incorporation conforming to the provisions of this chapter and any other statutes applicable for which the Corporation is being organized.

FILED
IN THE OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE
STATE OF NEVADA

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
FOR THE FRIENDS OF BLACK ROCK/ HIGH ROCK**

MAY 04 1999
No. C 10830-99
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DEAN HELLER, SECRETARY OF STATE

Article 1. The name of the corporation is the Friends of Black Rock/High Rock, Incorporated.

Article 2. The name and address in Nevada of the corporation's agent for service and process are

John Ryczkowski
13305 Mahogany Dr.
Reno, NV 89511

Article 3. This corporation is a nonprofit corporation. It is organized exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provisions of any future United States internal revenue law. Notwithstanding any other provision articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation and 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 of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law.

The specific purposes of this corporation are to provide assistance to the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), State Offices in Nevada and California, and Winnemucca Field Office and Cedarville Resource Area in (1) promoting the welfare of the Black Rock Desert and High Rock Canyon areas of northwestern Nevada by educating the visiting public about "Tread Lightly" and "Leave No Trace" programs and sensitive resources; (2) working in partnership for the public enjoyment, preservation, restoration, and ecological management of the Black Rock Desert and High Rock Canyon areas; (3) enlisting and training volunteers who will assist the BLM on service trips to stabilize, improve or enhance historical or recreation resources; (4) providing monitoring services and outreach programs during periods of high visitor use; (5) including and coordinating diverse interests in management recommendations; and (6) helping to raise and provide funds for education, interpretation, a visitor contact center (s) or other projects that are deemed appropriate to undertake by both the corporation and the BLM. At all times the corporation will abide by the laws and regulations governing the BLM.

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of lobbying or propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, except as provided in section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 , and this corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including publishing or distributing statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Article 4. All corporate property is irrevocably dedicated to the purposes set forth in Article 3, above. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall provide any financial benefits to any of the corporation's directors, trustees, officers, members or individuals.

Article 5. On dissolution of this corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts, obligations and liabilities of the corporation, the remaining assets of this corporation shall be distributed to such organization (s) organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes or to both Winnemucca and Cedarville BLM offices for completion of projects falling under the purposes of this corporation.

Article 6. The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by its Board of Directors to be elected by its members as provided by the Bylaws of the corporation. The number of directors shall be no less than three (3) and no more than nine (9).

The initial Board of Directors shall be:

Name	Address
Susan L. Weeks	1126 Evans Ave. Reno, NV 89512
John Ryczkowski	13305 Mahogany Dr. Reno, NV 89511
Garth Elliott	6160 Rams Horn Rd. Sun Valley, NV 89433
Susan B. Lynn	655 E. Riverview Cir. Reno, NV 89509

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seal of this 12th day of April, 1999.

S. L. Weeks
Susan L. Weeks
Board of Directors

STATE OF NEVADA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WASHOE)

On this 12th day of April, 1999, Susan L. Weeks personally appeared before me, a notary public. She has acknowledged that she executed the above instrument.

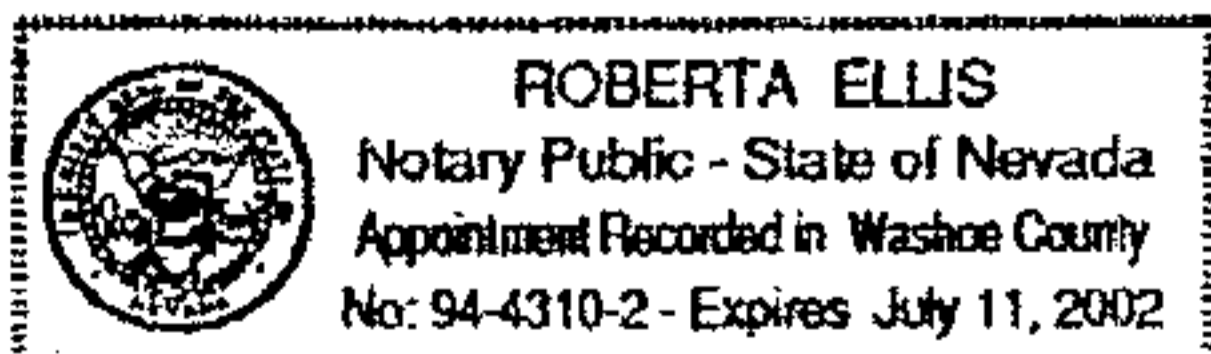


Roberta Ellis
Notary Public

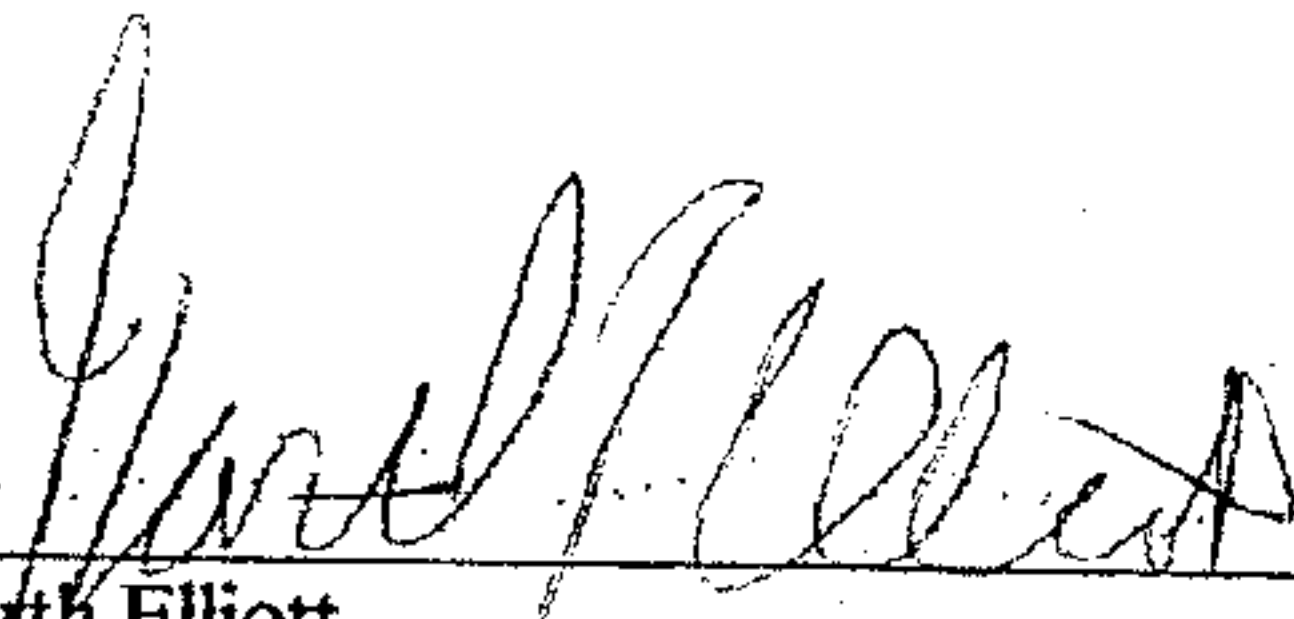
John Ryczkowski
John Ryczkowski
Board of Directors

STATE OF NEVADA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WASHOE)

On this 12th day of April, 1999, John Ryczkowski personally appeared before me, a notary public. He has acknowledged that he executed the above instrument.



Roberta Ellis
Notary Public



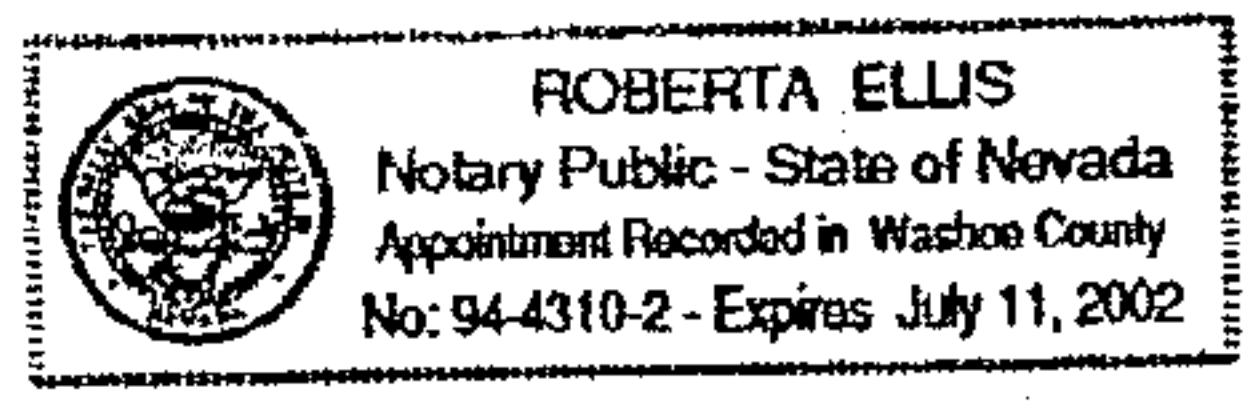
Garth Elliott
Board of Directors

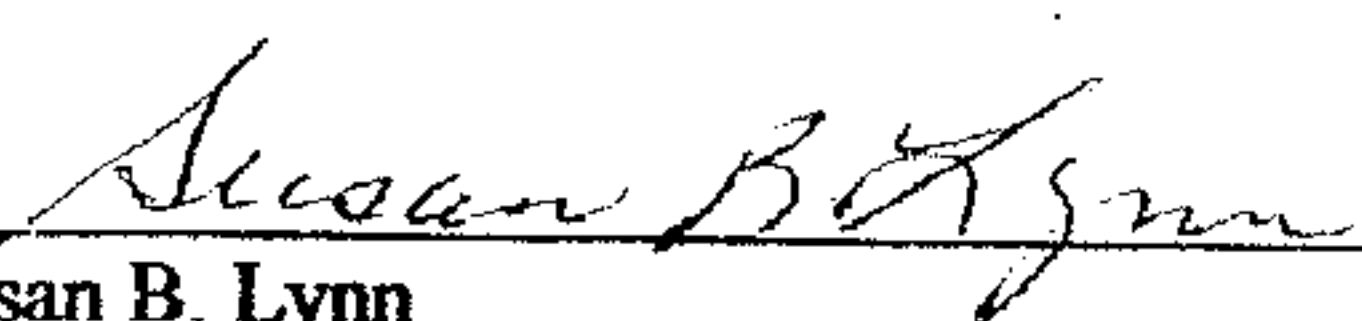
STATE OF NEVADA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WASHOE)

On this 12th day of April, 1999, Garth Elliott personally appeared before me, a notary public. He has acknowledged that he executed the above instrument.



Notary Public





Susan B. Lynn
Board of Directors

STATE OF NEVADA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WASHOE)

On this 12th day of April, 1999, Susan B. Lynn personally appeared before me, a notary public. She has acknowledged that she executed the above instrument.



Notary Public

