

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF THE
BRIDGEPORT FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY FOUNDATION

ARTICLE I – NAME

The name of this organization shall be Bridgeport Friends of the Library Foundation.

ARTICLE II – ORGANIZATION

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 – SPECIFIC PURPOSE

The specific purpose of this association shall be to ensure that library services and facilities are maintained and enhanced for the needs of Bridgeport, CA and to carry on other charitable activities associated with that goal as allowed by law.

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