

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

### I

The name of this corporation is **(Name of Unit)**, AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY.

### II

A. 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:

public and charitable purposes.

B. The specific purpose of this corporation is to support and assist in the programs of the American Legion, specifically **(Name of Post)**.

### III

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

**(Name)**

**(Address)**

**(City, State & Zip Code)**

### IV

A. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for **veterans** purposes within the meaning of Section **501(c)(19)** Internal Revenue Code.

B. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not intervene in any political campaign (including the publication or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.

### V

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to veterans 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, for all debts or liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for veterans purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(19), Internal Revenue Code.

Signature  
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(Name), Incorporator