



Secretary of State
Articles of Incorporation of a
Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation

ARTS-PB-501(c)(3)

IMPORTANT — Read Instructions before completing this form.

Filing Fee - \$30.00

Copy Fees - First page \$1.00; each attachment page \$0.50;
 Certification Fee - \$5.00

Note: A separate California Franchise Tax Board application is required to obtain tax exempt status. For more information, go to <https://www.ftb.ca.gov>.

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1. Corporate Name (Go to www.sos.ca.gov/business/be/name-availability for general corporate name requirements and restrictions.)

The name of the corporation is Berkeley Neighborhoods Council

2. Business Addresses (Enter the complete business addresses. Item 2a cannot be a P.O.Box or "in care of" an individual or entity.)

a. Initial Street Address of Corporation - Do not enter a P.O. Box 1 Hazel Road	City (no abbreviations) Berkeley	State CA	Zip Code 94705
b. Initial Mailing Address of Corporation, if different than item 2a	City (no abbreviations)	State	Zip Code

3. Service of Process (Must provide either Individual OR Corporation.)

INDIVIDUAL – Complete Items 3a and 3b only. Must include agent's full name and California street address.

a. California Agent's First Name (if agent is not a corporation) Dean	Middle Name	Last Name Metzger	Suffix Mr
b. Street Address (if agent is not a corporation) - Do not enter a P.O. Box 1 Hazel Road	City (no abbreviations) Berkeley	State CA	Zip Code 94705

CORPORATION – Complete Item 3c. Only include the name of the registered agent Corporation.

c. California Registered Corporate Agent's Name (if agent is a corporation) – Do not complete Item 3a or 3b

4. Purpose Statement

Item 4a: One or both boxes must be checked.

Item 4b: If "public" purposes is checked in Item 4a, or if you intend to apply for tax-exempt status in California, you must enter the specific purpose in Item 4b.)

a. This corporation is a nonprofit **Public Benefit** Corporation and is not organized for private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for: **public purposes.** **charitable purposes.**

b. The specific purpose of this corporation is to Promote livability in Berkeley neighborhoods

5. Additional Statements (See Instructions and Filing Tips.)

- a. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for the purposes set forth in **Article 4** hereof within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3).
- b. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- c. The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to the purposes in **Article 4** hereof 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.
- d. Upon the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for **charitable, educational and/or religious** purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3).

6. Read and Sign Below (This form must be signed by each incorporator. See Instructions. Do not include a title.)

Dean Metzger
 Signature

Dean Metzger
 Type or Print Name



Mail Submission Cover Sheet

Instructions:

- Complete and include this form with your submission. **This information only will be used to communicate with you in writing about the submission.** This form will be treated as correspondence and will not be made part of the filed document.
- Make all **checks or money orders** payable to the Secretary of State.
- Do not include a \$15 counter fee when submitting documents by mail.
- Standard processing time for **submissions** to this office is approximately 5 business days from receipt. All **submissions** are reviewed in the date order of receipt. For updated processing time information, visit www.sos.ca.gov/business/be/processing-times.

Optional Copy and Certification Fees:

- If applicable, include optional copy and certification fees with your submission.
- For applicable copy and certification fee information, refer to the instructions of the specific form you are submitting.

Contact Person: (Please type or print legibly)

First Name: DEAN Last Name: METZGER
 Phone (optional): 510-549-0379

Entity Information: (Please type or print legibly)

Name: BERKELEY NEIGHBORHOODS COUNCIL
 Entity Number (if applicable): _____

Comments: _____

Return Address: For written communication from the Secretary of State related to this document, or if purchasing a copy of the filed document enter the name of a person or company and the mailing address.

Name: [DEAN METZGER]
 Company: _____
 Address: 1 HAZEL ROAD
 City/State/Zip: [BERKELEY, CA 94705-2401]

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