

**ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION**  
**Friends of Saint Boniface Parish**  
**San Francisco, California**

**Article I**

**Name of Association**

The name of this association is Friends of Saint Boniface Parish. *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* is designated an unincorporated non-profit association created under the laws of the State of California.

**Article II**

**Intent and Purpose**

The purpose of this Association shall be to raise funds to support the ministries of Saint Boniface Parish in San Francisco and engage in other charitable activities permitted to an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code or corresponding future provisions of the federal tax law.

*Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* consists of members joined by mutual consent for the common, non-profit purposes of:

1. Fundraising and associated activities to support individual ministries at Saint Boniface Parish, San Francisco.

*Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* may engage in any and all other charitable activities permitted to an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code or corresponding future provisions of the federal tax law. To these ends, *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* may do and engage in any and all lawful activities that may be incidental or reasonably necessary to any of these purposes.

**Article III**

**Office and Duration**

The office of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* shall be located at the address at which the Secretary/Treasurer has official residence; or at such place as Friends of Saint Boniface Parish may from time to time determine, or as the business of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* may require.

The duration of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* shall be perpetual.

The death, removal, or resignation of any member of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* shall not result in the dissolution of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish*.

#### **Article IV**

##### **Structure and Membership**

Membership in *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* is open to anyone interested in helping to directly underwrite the mission, ministries, and projects at Saint Boniface Parish, San Francisco, CA. *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* is a purely voluntary organization, and no membership fee or annual dues are required for membership. *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, sexual orientation, handicap, national origin, or other personal factors.

#### **Article V**

##### **Association Leadership**

*Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* shall be governed by five Associates as nominated and elected by the Associates as need dictates. The name and total number of officer positions shall be established in the bylaws of the Association. One person will be designated as *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish's* agent in this state, as needed, following state law requirements.

Two-thirds of the then-existing membership constitutes a quorum of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish*.

Officers may be elected annually by nomination and a majority vote of at least a quorum of the Associates.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

##### **Accounting and Records**

The fiscal year of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* shall be January 1 through December 31 of each year. All minute books, correspondence, and other records of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* shall be preserved by the Officers. Records that have ceased to be of use for the conduct of the affairs of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish* may be turned over for preservation to a depository designated by it, or discarded.

#### **ARTICLE VII**

##### **Dissolution**

In the event of the dissolution of *Friends of Saint Boniface Parish*, its property, funds, and other assets shall be distributed among the then-existing ministries of Saint Boniface Parish, San Francisco, CA.

Executed these Articles of Association on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, the Feast of Saint Patrick, 2010.

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