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THE SALISBURY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT
OR
CONSTITUTION

We the undersigned, being of lawful age, do hereby associate ourselves together as a voluntary, non-profit or charitable corporation under the provisions of RSA 292 by the following articles of agreement or constitution:

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of this corporation shall be The Salisbury Historical Society (hereinafter called the society).

ARTICLE II: PURPOSE

The purpose of this society shall be to bring together those people interested in history, and especially, in the history of Salisbury, New Hampshire.

The society's major function will be to discover and collect any material which may help to establish or elucidate the history of the area; its aboriginal beginnings, its exploration, settlement, development and activities through the years. It will collect and preserve such printed material as histories, genealogies, biographies, letters, diaries, journals, charts, maps and surveys and museum materials such as pictures, photographs, indian relics, implements, costumes and furnishings associated with the past life and times in Salisbury.

The society will provide for the preservation of such material and for its accessibility, as far as may be feasible, to all who wish to examine or study it.

The society will disseminate historical information and arouse interest in the past by publishing historical material in whatever media seems proper, by holding meetings featuring programs of a pertinent nature, by marking historical buildings, sites and trails.

ARTICLE III: MEMBERSHIP

Membership shall be of five classes:

- a. Individual membership
- b. Contributing members
- c. Life members
- d. Junior members
- e. Honorary members

Each member (except junior members) shall have one vote, and there shall be no capital stock.

ARTICLE IV: PLACE OF BUSINESS

The place of business of this society shall be in Salisbury, New Hampshire.

ARTICLE V: CHARITABLE RESTRICTIONS

All gifts and bequests to the society and the net income and assets of the society shall be used only in the United States of America exclusively for charitable, or civic purposes; and no part of the activities of the society shall consist of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation; and no part of the net earnings of the society shall in any way inure to the benefit of any member of the society; provided that upon termination and liquidation of the society its assets remaining after the payment of all its obligations shall be given only to the United States of America or to one or more states, towns or other political subdivisions thereof or to one or more non-profit charitable or civic organizations organized under an act of Congress or under the laws of one or more states, as may be determined by a majority vote of the members; and no member of the society shall by virtue of such liquidation ever receive or be entitled to any of the assets of the society.

ARTICLE VI: ORGANIZATION

The undersigned hereby unanimously adopt the by-laws adopted and the organization effected at a meeting of the society held September 25, 1966. The original members shall consist of the signers hereof and those who adhered to the by-laws as of September 25, 1966 or subsequently.

Signatures

P. O. Addresses

Dana Parkes Jr
Walter Young
Maud C. Prince
Paul Staw
Harmon W. Palmer

Salisbury N. H.
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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

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at 9:00 A.M. o'clock

Robert L. Stank
SECRETARY OF STATE