



**State of Missouri**  
**John R. Ashcroft Secretary of State**  
Corporations Division  
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## Articles of Incorporation of a Nonprofit Corporation

**Reference Number** SR262493

**Receipt Number** TR757952

The undersigned natural person(s) of the age of eighteen years or more for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Missouri Nonprofit Corporation Act adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

- 1. The name of the corporation is :** Independent Cattlemen of Missouri
- 2. This corporation is a Public Benefit Corporation.**
- 3. The period of duration of the corporation is :** Perpetual
- 4. The name and street address of the Registered Agent and Registered Office in Missouri is:**

**Name** Estella E Osborn  
**Address** 8566 Iris Rd, Neosho, Missouri, 64850, United States

- 5. The name(s) and address(es) of each incorporator:**

**First Name** Estella E Osborn  
**Address** 8566 Iris Rd, Neosho, Missouri, 64850, United States

- 6. Will the corporation have members?** YES

- 7. The assets of the corporation will be distributed on dissolution as follows:**

Upon dissolution ceasing or terminating activities, operations and/or legal existence, the assets of ICOM shall be distributed exclusively to charitable, religious ,scientific ,historic, environmental or other organizations which would then qualify under the provisions of 501 (c) (3) of Internal Revenue Code and its Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.-

- 8. The corporation is formed for the following purpose(s):**

The Independent Cattlemen of Missouri (ICOM) has been established to actively promote policy that will have a beneficial affect on the viability of independent cattle producers for present and future generations. This will be accomplished by promoting profitability for independent producers by working for protection from burdensome regulations while protecting the environment we live in by promoting local economic development through cattle production for long term syability and growth of our local communities, to be attentive to food security and consumer safety by listening to and peoviding for the best interests of our beef consuming customers.

- 9. The effective date of this document is the date it is filed by the Secretary of State of Missouri unless a future date is otherwise indicated:**

3/16/2021

**In Affirmation thereof, the facts stated above are true and correct:**

The undersigned believes the statements presented in this filing are true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief, they are subject to the penalties provided under section 575.040 RSMo. for making a false declaration under Section 575.060 RSMo

The undersigned agrees and represents that he/she is authorized to execute this document

<b>Title</b>	Incorporator
<b>Name</b>	Estella E Osborn
<b>Date</b>	03/16/2021

# STATE OF MISSOURI



**John R. Ashcroft**  
**Secretary of State**

## CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

WHEREAS, Articles of Incorporation of

**Independent Cattlemen of Missouri**

**N01421884**

have been received and filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, which Articles, in all respects, comply with the requirements of Missouri Nonprofit Corporation Law;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John R. Ashcroft, Secretary of State of the State of Missouri, do by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, do hereby certify and declare this entity a body corporate, duly organized this date and that it is entitled to all rights and privileges granted corporations organized under the Missouri Nonprofit Corporation Law.

Effective Date: March 16, 2021

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause to be affixed the GREAT SEAL of the State of Missouri. Done at the City of Jefferson, the 16th day of March, 2021.

  
Secretary of State

