

Aloha Business Association, Inc.

Bylaws

ARTICLE I: PURPOSE

Subject to the limitations stated in the Articles of Incorporation, the purposes of the Aloha Business Association shall be to engage in any lawful activities, none of which are for profit, for which corporations may be organized under Chapter 65 of the Oregon Revised Statutes (or its corresponding future provisions). The corporation's primary Purpose shall be to promote economic development for the Aloha/Reedville Communities. We advocate for existing businesses, future businesses, and emerging leaders from Aloha High School.

ARTICLE II: MEMBERS

Section 1. **Classes and Voting.** There shall be one class of members of this corporation. Each member shall be entitled to one vote on all matters for which a membership vote is permitted by law, the Articles of Incorporation, or the bylaws of this corporation. One vote per each paid membership is allowed. The Board of Directors can approve voting by electronic mail when deemed necessary.

Section 2. **Qualifications.** All business entities and individuals who own business property or who operate a business within the Aloha area and all other business entities and individuals who have an interest in the Aloha business community may become members of the corporation. Annual membership dues shall be required to be a member in good standing. The amount to be determined by the board.

Section 3. **Termination of Membership.** Membership may be terminated by the Board of Directors after giving the member at least 30 days written notice by first class or certified mail of the termination and the reasons for the termination, and an opportunity for the member to be heard by the Board, orally or in writing, not less than five days before the effective date of their termination. The decision of the Board shall be final and shall not be reviewable by any court. Should a membership be terminated, prorated dues shall be refunded.

Section 4. **Annual Meeting.** The annual meeting of the members shall be held on the second Thursday in November, or any other date during November as scheduled by the Board of Directors.

Section 5. **Special Meetings.** Special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held at the call of the Board of Directors, or by the call of the holders of at least ten percent of the voting power of the

corporation by a demand signed, dated, and delivered to the corporation's Secretary. Such demand by the members shall describe the purpose of the meeting.

Section 6. **Regular Meetings.** Regular scheduled meetings (regular meetings are those that are not annual or special meetings) of the members may be held as determined by the Board of Directors.

Section 7. **Notice of the Meetings.** Notice of annual and special meetings of the members shall be given to each member at their email at least 7 days before the meeting or by means other than first class mail or email at least 30 but not more than 60 days before the meeting. The Notice shall include the date, time, place and purposes of the meeting. Notices of regular scheduled meetings at which no binding membership votes will take place may be by any reasonable means.

Section 8. **Quorum and Voting.** Those votes represented at a meeting of members shall constitute a quorum. A majority vote by the members voting is the act of the members, unless these bylaws or the law provide differently. The Board of Directors may provide electronic voting of the members when deemed necessary.

Section 9. **Proxy Voting.** There shall be no voting by proxy.

Section 10. **Action by Consent.** Any action required by law to be taken at a meeting of the members, or any action which may be taken at a meeting of the members, may be taken without a meeting if consent in writing, setting forth the action to be taken or so taken, shall be signed by all the members.

ARTICLE III: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1. **Duties.** The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by the Board of Directors.

Section 2. **Number.** The Aloha Business Association board will consist of five elected members.

Section 3. **Term and Election.**

Two members will be elected to a 2 year term, and three members will be elected to a 1 year term. Annual elections shall be for three positions, the two 2 year term positions and one 1 year position. A director may be reelected without limitation on the number of terms she or he may serve. The Board shall be elected by the members at the Annual meeting of the members.

Section 4. **Eligibility.**

Members nominated must be current with their annual dues, an owner or employed staff of a member to be eligible to serve on the board.

Section 5. **Removal.** Any Director may be removed, without cause at a meeting called for the purpose, by a vote of a majority of the members entitled to vote at an election of Directors.

Section 6. **Vacancies.** Vacancies on the Board of Directors and newly created board positions will be filled by a majority vote of the Directors then on the Board of Directors.

Section 7. **Quorum and Action.** A quorum at a board meeting shall be a majority of the number of all Directors in office immediately before the meeting begins. If a quorum is present, action is taken by a majority vote of Directors present. However, to establish committees that exercise Board functions, to amend the Articles of Incorporation or the Bylaws, to sell assets not in the regular course of business, or to merge or to dissolve, such action shall be taken by a majority of all Directors in office when the action is taken.

Section 8. **Regular Meetings.** Regular meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held at the time and place to be determined by the Board of Directors. No other notice of the date, time, place or purpose of these meetings is required.

Section 9. **Special Meetings.** Special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held at the time and place to be determined by the Board of Directors. Notice shall be delivered to each Director personally or by telephone, by email or by mail not less than two days prior to the special meeting.

Section 10. **Meeting by Telecommunication.** Any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors may be held by telephone or telecommunications, as long as all Directors can hear each other.

Section 11. **No Salary.** Directors shall not receive salaries for this Board services, but may be reimbursed for expenses related to Board service.

Section 12. **Action by Consent.** Any action required by law to be taken at a meeting of the Board, or any action which may be taken at a Board meeting, may be taken without a meeting if a consent in writing, setting forth the action to be taken or so taken, shall be signed by all the Directors. The Aloha Business Association will require two authorized board officer signatures when payments are over \$250. The treasurer and secretary will be authorized co-signers on the bank account,

ARTICLE IV: COMMITTEES

Section 1. **Committees.** The board of Directors may establish such committees as it deems necessary and desirable. Such Committees may

exercise functions of the Board of Directors or may be advisory committees.

Section 2. **Composition of Committees Exercising Board Functions.** Any committee that exercises any function of the Board of Directors shall be comprised of at least one Director, elected by the Board of Directors by a majority vote of the number of Directors in office at that time.

Section 3. **Quorum and Action.** A quorum at a Committee meeting exercising Board functions shall be majority of all Committee members in office immediately before the meeting begins. If a quorum is present, action is taken by a majority vote of Committee members present.

Section 4. **Limitations on the Powers of the Committees.** No committee may authorize payment of any sum to the corporation's directors or officers; no committee may approve dissolution, merger or the sale, pledge, or transfer of any of the corporation's assets; no committee may elect, appoint, or remove directors or fill vacancies on the board or any of its committees; and no committee may adopt, amend or repeal the Articles, bylaws, or any resolution by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE V: OFFICERS

Section 1. **Titles.** The officers of this corporation shall, at minimum, be the President, Secretary, and Treasurer. The Past President shall serve as an ex-officio member of the board. All officers must be members in good standing of the Aloha Business Association.

Section 2. **Election.** The Board of Directors shall elect the President, Secretary, and Treasurer to serve one year terms. An officer may be reelected without limitation on the number of terms the officer may serve.

Section 3. **Vacancy.** A vacancy of the office of the President or Secretary shall be filled not later than the first regular meeting of the Board of Director following the vacancy.

Section 4. **Other Officers.** The Board of Directors may elect or appoint other officers, including one or more vice presidents, as it shall deem necessary and desirable. They shall hold their office for such terms and have authority and perform such duties as shall be determined by the Board of Directors.

Section 5. **President.** The President shall be chief officer of the corporation and shall act as the Chair of the Board. The President shall have any other powers and duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors.

Section 6. **Secretary.** The Secretary shall have overall responsibility for all record keeping. The Secretary shall perform, or cause to be

performed, the following duties: (a) official recording of the minutes of all proceedings of the Board of Directors and members' meetings and actions; (b) provision for notice of all meetings of the Board of Directors and members; (c) authentication of the records of the corporation; and (d) any other duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors.

Section 7. **Treasurer.** The Treasurer shall have overall responsibility for all corporate funds. The Treasurer shall perform, or cause to be performed, the following duties; (a) keeping of full and accurate accounts of all financial records of the corporation; (b) deposit of all monies and other valuable effects in the name and to the creditor of the corporation in which such depositories as may be designed by the Board of Directors; (c) disbursement of all funds when proper to do so; (d) making financial reports as to the financial condition of the corporation to the Board of Directors; (e) maintaining accurate membership lists; and (f) any other duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors.

Section 8. **Vice President.** In the absence or disability of the President, the Vice President shall perform the duties and exercise the powers of the President. The Vice President shall also have any other powers and duties as the Board of Directors shall prescribe.

Section 9. **Past President.** The Past President shall be an ex-officio member of the board without vote or considered for a board quorum. They shall be an advisor to the current President and the board. If the immediate Past President is not available, then the position remains vacant.

Section 10. **Removal of Officers.** The Board of Directors shall have the power to remove an officer for cause.

ARTICLE VI: CORPORATE INDEMNITY

This corporation will indemnify its officers and directors to the fullest extent allowed by current or future Oregon law.

ARTICLE VII: AMENDMENTS TO BYLAWS

These Bylaws may be amended or repealed, and new Bylaws adopted, by the Board of Directors by a majority vote of Directors present, if a quorum is present. Prior to the adoption of the amendment, each Director shall be given at least two days' notice of the date, time, and place of the meeting. The notice shall state the purpose of the meeting is to consider a proposed amendment to the Bylaws and shall contain a copy of the proposed amendment.

ARTICLE VIII: DISSOLUTION

In the event of dissolution of this Association, all assets shall be distributed to such charitable or educational organizations in the community as are tax exempt for Federal Income Tax purposes. Such distribution shall be determined by the Board.

Adopted: December 2, 2021

Signature by Corporate Officers:

/s/ Sally Reid
/s/ Scott Renne
/s/ Alison Stone
/s/ Steve Leitz
/s/ Don Bradley