

This corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Section 2. Specific Objectives and Purposes

The specific objectives and purposes of this corporation shall be:

- a.** To educate the public concerning the necessity of protecting the world's amphibian populations, and to provide businesses, governments, schools, scientists, and members of the public with information and capabilities that will enable them to protect amphibian populations;
- b.** To conduct worldwide scientific research aimed at stopping amphibian extinctions, and to disseminate the results of this research to the public;
- c.** To sponsor seminars, lectures and other educational events where community leaders, government and organizational representatives, and other concerned members of the public and government may meet to exchange ideas, suggest solutions, and implement strategies to protect amphibian populations;
- d.** To meet with governmental representatives, report to governmental committees, agencies, and boards; and generally to attempt to help local, state, and federal lawmakers establish enforceable legislation to help protect wetland areas and amphibian populations;
- e.** To challenge policies and proposals that harm or have the likely outcome of harming amphibian populations;
- f.** To provide awards, grants and scholarships to students, postdoctorate fellows and academics involved in amphibian conservation, so as to further such efforts; and
- g.** To expand and redefine our educational and environmental program from time to time as necessary to meet the continuing challenge of protecting the world's amphibian populations