

The State of South Carolina } CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

WHEREAS, WYLIE J. CULBERTSON, GEORGE P. PAULOS and HAROLD E. MCCONNELL,
GREENVILLE CO. S.C.

all of Greenville, S.C. 2 12 PM 1948

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two or more of the officers or agents appointed to supervise or manage the affairs of
WADE HAMPTON POST 1044, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

which has been duly and regularly organized, did on the 11th day of
May, A. D. 1948, file with the Secretary of State a written declaration setting forth:

That, at a meeting of the aforesaid organization held pursuant to the by-laws or regulations of the said organization, they were authorized and directed to apply for incorporation.

That, the said organization holds, or desires to hold, property in common for Religious, Educational, Social, Fraternal, Charitable or other eleemosynary purpose, or any two or more of said purposes, and is not organized for the purpose of profit or gain to the members, otherwise than is above stated, nor for the insurance of life, health, accident or property; and that three days' notice in the Greenville Piedmont, a newspaper published in the County of Greenville, has been given that the aforesaid Declaration would be filed.

AND WHEREAS, Said Declarants and Petitioners further declared and affirmed:

FIRST: Their names and residences are as above given.

SECOND: The name of the proposed Corporation is WADE HAMPTON POST 1044, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

THIRD: The place at which it proposes to have its headquarters or be located is GREENVILLE, S.C.

FOURTH: The purpose of the said proposed Corporation is to do all things necessary to carry on the rehabilitation, welfare and social work of the members of the post, including the operation of club facilities for the use and comfort of the post members and auxiliary.

FIFTH: The names and residences of all Managers, Trustees, Directors or other officers are as follows:

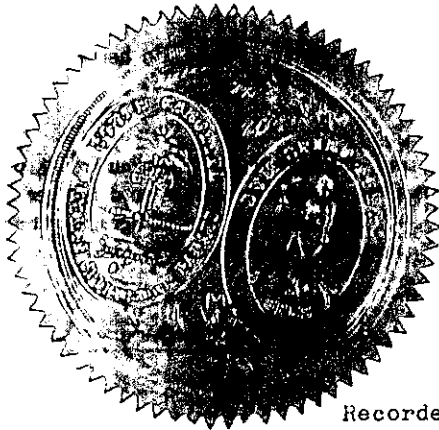
Wylie J. Culbertson	Buist Ave., Greenville, S.C.	Commander
George P. Paulos	W. Coffee St., Greenville, S.C.	Quartermaster
Harold E. McConnell	Laurens St., Greenville, S.C.	Director
William Boland	Laurens St., Greenville, S.C.	Director
Robert Trotter	Laurens St., Greenville, S.C.	Director
Pat Martin	Laurens St., Greenville, S.C.	Director
Joseph Patterson	Laurens St., Greenville, S.C.	Director

SIXTH: That they desire to be incorporated: in perpetuity.

Now, THEREFORE, I, W.P. Blackwell, Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested, by Chapter 158, Article III, Code of 1942, and Acts amendatory thereto, do hereby declare the said organization to be a body politic and corporate, with all the rights, powers, privileges and immunities, and subject to all the limitations and liabilities, conferred by said Chapter 158, Article III, Sections 8158-8159 and 8168, Code of 1942, and Acts amendatory thereof.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the State, at Columbia, this 11th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight and in the one hundred and seventy-second year of the Independence of the United States of America.

W.P. Blackwell
Secretary of State



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