

**BYLAWS**  
**RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> CENTURY PARTNERSHIP, INC.**

**ARTICLE I: GENERAL**

*Section 1: Applicability.* These Bylaws provide for the governance of RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership, Inc. (the "Partnership") in conjunction with the Articles of Incorporation.

*Section 2: Name.* The name of this organization shall be RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership, Inc. The organization may change its name by affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the Executive Committee.

**ARTICLE II: PURPOSE**

The RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership, Inc. is organized exclusively for the promotion of social welfare, specifically to promote and foster the military value of Robins Air Force Base (RAFB) and the military value of the Middle Georgia community, for the common good of the people.

**ARTICLE III: OFFICE**

The principal office for the transaction of the business of the Partnership shall be located at such place as may be fixed from time to time by the Executive Committee.

**ARTICLE IV: GOVERNANCE**

The RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership, Inc. shall be governed by an Executive Committee and Officers and the persons serving on the Executive Committee and as Officers of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership of Middle Georgia, Inc. shall serve simultaneously in the same capacities for the RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership, Inc. Notwithstanding this governing structure, the RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership, Inc. and the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership of Middle Georgia, Inc. shall be administered as separate and distinct legal entities with separate purposes. All books, records, reports, audits and finances for each entity shall be maintained separately. A copy of the Bylaws of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership of Middle Georgia, Inc. is attached hereto and the following provisions are incorporated herein by reference and shall apply to the RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership, Inc. as if the same were set forth herein: *Article V: Executive Committee; Article VI: Officers; Article VIII: Committees; Article X: Books, Records, Reports, and Audits; Article XI: Fiscal Year; Article XII: Waiver of Notice; Article XIII: Seal; Article XIV: Resolutions; Article XVI: Indemnification; and, Article XVII: Authority to Execute Documents and Agreements.*

**ARTICLE V: GENERAL MEMBERSHIP**

The Partnership shall have those classes of members as may be provided for by the Executive Committee, but no member shall have the right to vote.

## **ARTICLE VI: AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS**

The Executive Committee may add to, amend, or rescind these Bylaws by a two thirds (2/3) affirmative vote of all Executive Committee Members present at a regular meeting or at any special meeting called for that purpose; provided, however, that no such change or amendment shall be effective which would impair or destroy the status of the Partnership as one which is eligible for qualification as a Section 501(c)(4) organization under the provision of the Internal Revenue Code. Amendment of the Bylaws must be proposed prior to the meeting, and Executive Committee notified as to the proposed alterations. Voting may be by proxy.

## **ARTICLE VII: RELATIONSHIP WITH 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY PARTNERSHIP FOUNDATION, INC. and 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY PARTNERSHIP OF MIDDLE GEORGIA, INC.**

The RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership, Inc. is a non-profit entity organized under the provisions of Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code. The RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership, Inc. is organized exclusively for the promotion of social welfare, specifically to promote and foster the military value of Robins Air Force Base (RAFB) and the military value of the Middle Georgia community, for the common good of the people. No part of the activities of the Partnership shall consist of participating in, or intervening in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office nor shall the Partnership carry on business with the general public in a manner similar to organizations operated for profit. Notwithstanding any other provision of these bylaws, the Partnership shall not carry on any activity not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership Foundation, Inc. is a charitable entity organized under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The purpose of the Foundation is to fund the mission of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership of Middle Georgia, Inc., a non-profit entity organized under the provision of Section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code. The mission of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership of Middle Georgia, Inc. is to partner with the community to enhance the military value of Robins Air Force Base (RAFB) and the military value of the Middle Georgia community. The operational and day-to-day control of carrying out this mission is vested in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Partnership of Middle Georgia, Inc.

## **ARTICLE VIII: EFFECTIVE DATE**

These Bylaws shall be effective immediately upon their adoption.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.

**RAFB 21<sup>st</sup> CENTURY PARTNERSHIP, INC.**

BY:

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Executive Committee, Chair

ATTEST:

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Executive Committee, Secretary/Treasurer

[Corporate Seal]

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Executive Committee Member

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**\*\*\*END OF BYLAWS\*\*\***