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If you have the opportunity, please forward your entire contact information to me. This would be helpful so I may have complete records for any further communication as may be needed. Your name, physical address, mailing address, phone number (including land and cell), as well as any e-mail or URL Home Page would be helpful in keeping better contact. Property management owners should provide their management company. If you have long-term renters, their contact information would be helpful also. All information will be the property of Country Creek Estates Association, and will be used exclusively for that purpose.

Sincerely,



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36 37 38	Page # 45	internal affairs of an organization.  Thirteen Articles Amendments, Application for Architectural
39 40	Page # 60	Change, General Proxy, and Plot layout

## DECLARATION

THIS DECLARATION, made on the date hereinafter set forth by Lennar Homes, Inc., a Florida corporation, hereinafter referred to as

"Developer".

### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Developer is the owner of property more particularly described in Exhibit "1", attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof, hereinafter referred to as "the PROJECT"; and

WHEREAS, Developer has established a land use plan for the PROJECT and desires to provide for the preservation of the values and amenities hereby established and as may be established for the PROJECT hereafter committed to a land use plan and to this end does hereby subject the PROJECT to those use covenants, restrictions, easements, reservations, regulations, burdens and liens hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, Developer has deemed it desirable for the efficient preservation of the values and amenities established as aforesaid to create a corporation known as the COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, 114C., to which there has been and will be delegate() and assigned certain powers and duties of ownership, operation, administration, maintenance and repair, the enforcement of the covenants, restrictions, and easements contained herein and the collection and disbursement of the assessments and charges hereinafter provided.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and mutual covenants herein contained, Developer hereby declares that the PROJECT shall be owned, held, used, transferred, sold, conveyed, demised and occupied subject to the covenants, restrictions, easements, reservations, regulations, burdens and liens hereinafter set f\*forth.

## Declaration ARTICLE I

### DEFINITIONS

The terms used in this Declaration, and in tile Articles and By-Laws, shall have the following meanings, unless the contract otherwise requires:

Section 1. "ASSOCIATION" shall mean and refer to the Country Creek Estates Homeowners Association, Inc., a Florida corporation not-for-profit, its successors and assigns. Attached hereto and 78 made a part by this reference as Exhibits "2" & "3" is a copy of the Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws for the ASSOCIATION.

Section 2. "ASSESSMENT" means the amount of money which may be assessed against an OWNER for the payment of the OWNER's share of COMMON EXPENSES, and/or any other funds which an OWNER may be required to pay to the ASSOCIATION as provide by this DECLARATION, the ARTICLES or the BY-LAWS.

- "BOARD" means the Board of Directors of the Section 3. 86 87 ASSOCIATION.
- "BY-LAWS" means the By-Laws of the ASSOCIATION, 88 Section 4. as same may be amended from time to time. 89
- "ARTICLES" means the Articles of Incorporation of 90 Section 5. the ASSOCIATION, as same may be amended from time to time. 91

Section 6. "INSTITUTIONAL LENDER" means the holder of a mortgage encumbering a LOT, which holder in the ordinary course of business makes, purchases, guarantees, or insures mortgage loans, and which is not owned or controlled by the OWNER of the LOT encumbered. An INSTITUTIONAL LENDER may include, but is not limited to, a bank, savings and loan association, insurance company, real estate or mortgage investment trust, pension or profit sharing plan, mortgage company, the Federal National Mortgage Association, the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, an agency of the United States or any other governmental authority, or any other similar type of lender generally recognized as an institutional-type lender. For definitional purposes only, an INSTITUTIONAL LENDER shall also mean tile holder of any mortgage executed by or in favor of such holder would otherwise whether or not DEVELOPER, considered an INSTITUTIONAL LENDER.

Section 7. "COMMON EXPENSES" means all expenses of any kind or 107 nature whatsoever incurred by the ASSOCIATION, including, but not 108 109 limited to, the following:

> A. Expenses incurred in connection with the ownership, maintenance, repair, improvement or operation of the COMMON OPEN SPACE, or any other property to be maintained by the ASSOCIATION as provided in this DECLARATION, including, but not limited to, utilities, taxes, assessments, insurance, operation, maintenance, repairs, improvements and alterations.

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- B. Expenses of obtaining, repairing or replacing personal 117 property in connection with any COMMON OPEN SPACE or the 118 performance of the ASSOCIATION's duties. 119 Expenses incurred in connection with the 120 administration and management of the ASSOCIATION. 121 D. Common water, sewer, trash removal, and other common 122 utility, governmental, or similar services for the UNITS which are 123 not separately metered or charged to the OWNERS, or which the 124 ASSOCIATION determines to pay in common in the best interest of 125 the OWNERS. 126 Expenses declared to be COMMON EXPENSES by the 127 E. provisions of this DECLARATION, or by the ARTICLES or BY-LAWS. 128 F. Maintenance of all storm water retention ponds. 129 G. Maintenance of the masonry wall, grass, plants, 130 trees and irrigation located in the landscape and wall 131 easement on Lots 1 through 4, inclusive and Lots 43 through 132 58, inclusive, and at the entrance roads to the Community. 133 11. Maintenance of the grass and irrigation installed in the 134 Bass Road right-of-way. 135 I. Maintenance of the island located in the road right-136 of-way of Country Creek Lane. (If the ASSOCIATION does not 137 properly maintain the island, upon proper notification by the 138 City of Kissimmee ("City"), the ASSOCIATION, at its expense, shall remove the landscape and replace it with pavement in 139 140 accordance with City Standards. 141
- 142 Section 8. "COMMON SURPLUS" means the excess of all receipts of the ASSOCIATION over the amount of the COMMON EXPENSES.
- 144 Section 9. "OWNER" shall mean and refer to the record owner
  145 other than the DEVELOPER, whether one or more persons or entities,
  146 of a fee simple title to any LOT, including contract sellers but
  147 excluding those having such interest merely as security for the
  148 performance of an obligation.
- Section 10. "PROJECT" shall mean and refer to that portion of the DEVELOPMENT as hereinafter defined and legally described in Exhibit "1" attached hereto.
- Section 11. "COMMON OPEN SPACE:" shall mean any real property within the PROJECT, whether improved or unimproved, or any easement or intent therein, now or hereafter owned or to be owned by the ASSOCIATION for the common use and enjoyment of the OWNERS,

156	their tenants, invitees and/or guests.		
157 158 159	Section 12. "LOT" shall mean and refer to all of those LOTS which are designated as such in the recorded Plat(s) of the real property comprising the PROJECT.		
160 161 162	Section 13. "UNIT" shall mean and refer to any structure situat upon a LOT designated and intended for use and occupancy as residence for a single family.		
163 164 165 166 167 168 169 170	Section 14. "DEVELOPER" shall mean and refer to Lennar Homes Inc., a Florida corporation, its successors and such of its assign as to which the rights of the DEVELOPER hereunder ar specifically assigned. DEVELOPER may assign only a portion of the rights hereunder, or all or a portion of such rights in connection with appropriate portions of the PROJECT. In the event of such partial assignment, the assignee shall not he deemed the DEVELOPER but may exercise such rights of the DEVELOPER assigned to it. An such assignment may be made on a non-exclusive basis.		
172 173	$\underline{\text{Section 15}}.$ "MEMBER" shall mean and refer to a MEMBER of the ASSOCIATION.		
174 175 176 177	Section 16. "PUBLIC AREAS" shall mean all lands owned by the State of Florida, Osceola County, Florida, any City, district, o municipality which, to the extent allowed by governmental authority are to be maintained by the ASSOCIATION.		
178 179	Declaration ARTICLE II  PROPERTY RIGHTS		
180 181 182 183	Section 1. OWNER'S EASEMENTS OF ENJOYMENT. Every OWNER shall have a right and easement of enjoyment in and to the COMMON OPESPACE which shall be appurtenant to and shall pass with the titl to every LOT, subject to the following:		
184 185	A. All provisions of this DECLARATION, any plat of all or any part of the PROJECT, end the ARTICLES and BY-LAWS;		
186 187	B. All provisions of the Declaration of Restrictions for the DEVELOPMENT and exhibits attached thereto;		
	188 C. Rules and regulations adopted by the COMMUNITY 189 ASSOCIATION;		
190 191	D. Rules and regulations adopted by the ASSOCIATION governing the use and enjoyment of the COMMON OPEN SPACE;		
192 193	E. The right of the ASSOCIATION to suspend the voting rights of any OWNER for any period during which any ASSESSMENT Page 6 of 77		

against his LOT remains unpaid, and for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days for any infraction of its published rules and regulations;

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- F. The right of the ASSOCIATION, subject to the approval of the City of Kissimmee Building and Zoning Department, to dedicate, sell or transfer all or any part of the COMMON OPEN SPACE to any public agency, authority or utility or such purpose and subject to such conditions as may be agreed to by the MEMBERS. No such dedication, sale or transfer shall be effective unless an instrument agreeing to such dedication, sale or transfer signed by two-thirds (2/3) of each class of MEMBERS; has been recorded.
- G. The right of the ASSOCIATION to make additions, alterations or improvements to the COMMON OPEN SPACE, purchase any personal property, as it deems necessary or desirable from time to time, provided, however that the approval of two-thirds of the votes of the OWNERS shall be required if recreational facility is removed or substantially and adversely affected, or for any addition, alteration, or improvement or any purchase of personal property, exceeding a sum equal to one (1) month's total ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES payable by all of the MEMBERS, or if the cost of the foregoing shall in any fiscal year exceed in the aggregate a sum equal to two (2) months' ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES payable by all of the OWNERS. The foregoing approval shall in no event be required with respect to expenses incurred in connection with the maintenance, repair or replacement of existing COMMON OPEN SPACE, or any existing improvements or personal property associated therewith. The cost and expense of any such additions, alterations or improvement; to the COMMON OPEN SPACE, or the purchase of any personal property, shall be a COMMON EXPENSE. In addition, so long as DEVELOPER owns any portion of the subject PROPERTY, DEVELOPER shall have the right to make any additions, alterations or improvements to the COMMON OPEN SPACE as may be desired by DEVELOPER in its sole discretion from time to time, at DEVELOPER'S expense.
  - H. The right of the ASSOCIATION to borrow money, and with the assent of two-thirds (2/3) of the Class "A" Member's, sell any of its real, or personal property, or mortgage, pledge, deed of trust, or hypothecate any or all of its real or personal property as security for money borrowed or debts incurred.
  - I. The right of the OWNER to enter into lease or rental agreements for the rental of his UNIT with no restrictions as to the length of term of the rental or lease (i.e. short-term rentals).

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- A. Easements are hereby reserved for pedestrian traffic over, through and across sidewalks, paths, lanes and walks, as the same may from time to time exist upon the COMMON OPEN SPACE and be intended for such purpose; and for pedestrian and vehicular traffic and parking over, through, across and upon such portion of the COMMON OPEN SPACE as may from time to time be paved and intended for such purposes, same being for the use and benefit of the OWNERS of the PROJECT, and their tenants, guests and invites.
- B. The COMMON OPEN SPACE shall be, and the same is hereby declared to be, subject to a perpetual nonexclusive easement in favor of all OWNERS in the PROJECT from time to time, and their tenants, guests and invites, for all proper and normal purposes and for the furnishing of services and facilities for which the same are reasonably intended.
  - governmental and favor of in Easements C. television utility companies, cable authorities, governmental ambulance or emergency vehicle companies, and mail companies, carrier companies, are hereby reserved over and across all roads existing from time to time within the PROJECT, and over, under, on and across the COMMON OPEN SPACE, as may be reasonably required to permit the foregoing, and their agents and employees, to provide their respective authorized services to and for the PROJECT. Also, easements are hereby reserved as may be required for installation, maintenance, repair and providing of utility services, equipment and fixtures in order to adequately serve the PROJECT, including but not limited to, electricity, telephones, sewer, water, television antenna and cable irrigation, drainage, lighting, television facilities, and electronic security. However, easements affecting any LOT which serve any other portion of the PROJECT shall actually constructed, services for Utility reconstructed, and for the maintenance thereof, unless otherwise approved in writing by the OWNER of the LOT. An OWNER shall do nothing on his LOT which interferes with or impairs the utility services using these easements. The BOARD or its designee shall have a right of access: to each LOT and UNIT to inspect, maintain, repair or replace the utility service facilities contained under the LOT and to remove any improvements interfering with or impairing the utility services or easement herein reserved; provided such right of access shall not unreasonably interfere with the Owner's permitted use of the LOT and, except in the event of an emergency, entry into any UNIT shall be made with reasonable notice to the OWNER.
  - D. DEVELOPER (so long as it owns any LOTS) and the ASSOCIATION, on their behalf and on behalf of all OWNERS, each shall have the right to (I) grant and declare additional easements over, upon, under and/or across the COMMON OPEN SPACE in favor of the

OWNERS in the PROJECT and their tenants, guests and invites, or in favor of any other person, entity, public or quasi-public authority or utility company, or (ii) modify, relocate, abandon or terminate existing easements within or outside of the PROJECT in favor of the ASSOCIATION and/or the OWNERS in the PROJECT and their tenants, quests and invites or in favor of any person, entity, public or quasi-public authority, or utility company, as the DEVELOPER or the ASSOCIATION may deem desirable for the proper operation maintenance of the PROJECT or any portion thereof, or for the health, safety or welfare of the OWNERS, or for any other reason or purpose. So long as such additional easements will not unreasonably and adversely interfere with the use of LOTS for dwelling purposes, no binder of any OWNER or any mortgagee of any LOT shall he required or, if same would unreasonably and adversely interfere with the use of any LOT for dwelling purposes, only the joinder of the OWNERS and INSTITUTIONAL LENDERS of LOTS so affected shall be required. To all OWNERS hereby irrevocably appoint the extent required, DEVELOPER and/or the ASSOCIATION as their attorney-in-fact for the foregoing purposes.

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- E. DEVELOPER reserves and shall have an easement over, upon, across and under the PROJECT as may be reasonably required in connection with the development, construction, sale and promotion of the PROJECT or any portion thereof.
  - F. If ingress and egress to and from a UNIT is through the COMMON OPEN SPACE, any conveyance or encumbrance of said COMMON OPEN SPACE required for said ingress and egress shall be subject to an easement in favor of the Unit Owner(s) requiring said COMMON OPEN SPACE for ingress and egress to and from said UNIT(s).
  - G. In the event any portion of any roadway, walkway, parking area, roof drainage system, roof, trellis, water lines, sewer lines, utility lines, sprinkler system, Unit or any other originally constructed by Developer or improvement as designee, successor or assign encroaches on any Lot or Common Areas, it shall be deemed that the owner of such Lot or Common Areas has granted a perpetual easement to the Owner of the adjoining Lot or Common Areas or the Association, as the case may be, for continuing maintenance and use of such encroaching roadway, walkway, parking area, roof drainage system, roof, trellis, water line, sewer line, utility line, sprinkler system or other structure originally constructed by the Developer. The foregoing shall also apply to any replacements of any such roadway, walkway, parking area, roof drainage system, roof, trellis, water lines, sewer lines, utility lines, sprinkler system or other structure, if same are constructed in substantial conformance to

the original. Other encroachments may hereafter be maintained as provided in a Supplemental Declaration. The foregoing conditions shall be perpetual in duration and shall not be subject to amendment of this Declaration.

Section 3. DELEGATION OF USE. Any OWNER may delegate, in accordance with the appropriate BY-LAWS, his right of enjoyment to the COMMON OPEN SPACE, to the members of his family, his tenants or contract purchasers who reside on the Property.

Section 4. PERMITTED USES. The COMMON OPEN SPACE shall be restricted such that it shall be maintained as open space for the recreation, use and benefit of the OWNERS and their tenants, guests and invites, subject to the terms of this DECLARATION, and subject to the terms of any easement, restriction, reservation or limitation of record affecting the COMMON OPEN SPACE or contained in the deed conveying the COMMON OPEN SPACE to the ASSOCIATION, including, rights-of-way and for easements without limitation, construction, operation and maintenance of utility services and drainage facilities, and subject to any rules and regulations adopted by the ASSOCIATION. The COMMON OPEN SPACE shell not be used for any commercial or industrial use except as herein described.

Section 5. CONVEYANCE OF COMMON OPEN SPACE. Those parcels of COMMON OPEN SPACE which are now subject to this Declaration shall he conveyed to the ASSOCIATION by the DEVELOPER prior to the time the first UNIT is conveyed to an OWNER by the DEVELOPER.

Those parcels of COMMON OPEN SPACE located in an annexed parcel of land shall be conveyed to the ASSOCIATION by the DEVELOPER prior to the time the first UNIT in that particular annexed parcel is conveyed to an OWNER by the DEVELOPER.

The ASSOCIATION shall be obligated to accept such conveyances of COMMON OPEN SPACE from the DEVELOPER.

Section 6. CONVEYANCE OF COMMON OPEN SPACE BY OTHER THAN DEVELOPER. Any party other than the DEVELOPER may also convey title to any property owned by such party, or any easement or interest therein, to the ASSOCIATION as a COMMON OPEN SPACE, but the ASSOCIATION shall not be required to accept any such conveyance, and no such conveyance shall be effective to impose any obligation for the maintenance, operation or improvement of any such property upon the ASSOCIATION, unless the BOARD expressly accepts the conveyance by executing the deed or other instrument of conveyance or by recording a written acceptance of such conveyance in the public records of the county in which the PROJECT is located.

Section 7. WATER MANAGEMENT AND CONSERVATION RIGHT OF WAY. Tract "C" of Country Creek Estates Phase One is declared a water management and conservation right-of-way and shall be the perpetual responsibility of the Public, and may in no way be altered from its natural state without the written approval of the South Florida Water Management District. Activities prohibited within the South Florida Water Management District wetlands jurisdictional areas located within the Water Management and Conservation Right-of-Way shall include, but are not limited to: construction or placing of buildings and/or structures on or above; dumping or placing soil or other substances such as trash; removal or destruction of trees, shrubs or other vegetation, with the exception of exotic vegetation removal; excavation, dredging, or removal of soil material, diking or fencing; and any other activities detrimental to drainage, flood control, water conservation, erosion control, or fish and wildlife habitat conservation or preservation. The City of Kissimmee or its designee may construct passive and active recreational. facilities within that area upland of the South Florida Water Management wetlands jurisdictional area located in Tract "B" of Country Creek Estates Phase One, with the written approval of the South Florida Water Management District.

392 Declaration ARTICLE III

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393 <u>MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING</u> 394 <u>RIGHTS</u>

Section 1. Every OWNER of a LOT which is subject to ASSESSMENT shall be a MEMBER. Membership shall be appurtenant to and may not be separated from ownership of any LOT which is subject to ASSESSMENT.

Section 2. The ASSOCIATION shall have two (2) classes of voting membership:

Class A: Class "A" Members shall be all OWNERS with the exception of the DEVELOPER and shall be entitled to one vote for each LOT owned. When more than one person holds an interest in any LOT, all such persons shall be MEMBERS. The vote for such LOT shall be exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall more than one vote be cast with respect to any LOT.

Class B: The: Class "B" Member(s) shall be the DEVELOPER, which shall be entitled to three (3) votes for each LOT owned. The Class "B" membership shall cease and be converted to Class "A" membership on the happening of either of the following events, whichever occurs earlier:

- 411 (a) When the total votes outstanding in the Class "A"
  412 membership equal the total votes outstanding in the
  413 Class "B" membership, or
- 414 (b) On December 31, 2000.

## 415 Declaration Article IV

## 416 <u>Covenant for Maintenance</u>

Section 1. The: ASSOCIATION shall at all times pay the ad valorem taxes assessed against the COMMON OPEN SPACE, maintain the COMMON OPEN SPACE, and pay the Common Expenses incurred by the ASSOCIATION. In addition, the ASSOCIATION shall maintain the island on the road right-of-way of Country Creek Lane. If the ASSOCIATION does not properly maintain the landscaping on the island, upon proper notification by the City of Kissimmee ("City"), the ASSOCIATION, at its expense, will remove the landscaping and replace it with pavement in accordance with City Standards.

Section 2. In the event an OWNER of any LOT in the PROJECT shall fail to maintain the LOT and the improvements situated thereon in a manner satisfactory to the BOARD, the ASSOCIATION, after approval of two-thirds (2/3) vote of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS, shall have the right, through its agents and employees, to enter upon said LOT and to repair, maintain and restore the LOT and the exterior of the buildings and any other improvements erected thereon. The cost of such maintenance shall be added to and become part of the ASSESSMENT to which such LOT is subject.

## Declaration ARTICLE V COVENANT FOR MAINTENANCE ASSESSMENTS

Section 1. CREATION OF THE LIEN AND PERSONAL OBLIGATION OF ASSESSMENTS. The DEVELOPER, except as otherwise set forth in Section 3 of this Article V, for each LOT within the PROJECT, hereby covenants, and each OWNER of any LOT by acceptance of a deed, therefore, whether or not it shall be so expressed in such deed, is deemed to covenant and agrees to pay to the ASSOCIATION: (1) annual assessments or charges, and (2) special assessments for capital improvements, such assessments to be established and collected as hereinafter provided. The annual and special assessments, together with interest, costs and reasonable attorney's fees, shall be a charge on the LOT and shall be a continuing lien upon the LOT against which each such assessment is made. Each such assessment, together with interest, costs and reasonable attorney's fees, shall also be the personal obligation of the person who was the OWNER of such

LOT at the time the assessment fell due. The personal obligation for delinquent assessments shall not pass to his successors in title unless expressly assumed by them.

Section 2. PURPOSE OF ASSESSMENTS. The assessments levied by the ASSOCIATION shall be used exclusively to promote the recreation, health, safety and welfare of the MEMBERS and their tenants and contract purchasers residing in MEMBER's UNIT including, but not limited to paying the ad valorem taxes assessed against the COMMON OPEN SPACE, the improvement and maintenance of the COMMON OPEN SPACE, and the improvement and maintenance of easements in favor of the ASSOCIATION, maintenance, repair and replacement of the fence and landscaping built on the Fence and Landscaping Easement, and maintenance of Public Areas which are located within or in a reasonable proximity to the PROJECT to the extent that deterioration of the Public Areas would adversely affect the appearance of the PROJECT or the operation of systems appurtenant to the PROJECT.

Section 3. SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS. In the addition to the annual assessments authorized above, ASSOCIATION, through its BOARD, may levy in any assessment year, a special assessment applicable to that year only for the purpose of or in part, the cost οf in whole defraying, reconstruction, repair orrepaving, construction, replacement of a capital improvement upon the COMMON OPEN SPACE, including fixtures and personal property related thereto, if any, provided that any such assessment shall have the assent of two-thirds (2/3) of the votes of each class of members who are voting in person or by proxy at a meeting duly called for this purpose.

Section 4. WORKING CAPITAL CONTRIBUTION. In addition to ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES, tie first OWNERS acquiring title from DEVELOPER to UNITS shall pay to the ASSOCIATION and COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, respectively, a contribution to a working capital fund of the ASSOCIATION and COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, respectively, in an amount equal to two (2) months' ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES, which shall be in addition to the OWNER's responsibility for ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES. The working capital fund shall be used by the ASSOCIATION and COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, respectively, for start-up expenses or otherwise as the ASSOCIATION and COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION shall determine from time to time and need not be restricted or accumulated.

Section 5. GUARANTEE OF ASSESSMENTS. The Developer guarantees that for a period of one year commencing with the date of the conveyance by the Developer of the first Lot: within tile Properties, excluding conveyances by the Developer to an entity related to or affiliated with the Developer, the assessments of the Association shall he in the amount as specified in the initial estimated operating budget of the Association. During the period of said guarantee, the Developer shall pay the amount of expenses of the Association incurred during that period and not produced by the

assessments at the guaranteed level receivable from other Lot Owners, as provided herein. The Developer's guarantee is not intended to include, and does not include and shall never be deemed to include, expenses or fees called for or occasioned by an action or decision of the Board of Directors when Lot Owners, other than the Developer, elect a majority of the Board of Directors, where such expenses or fees are inconsistent with expenses or fees preceding that time. If, and when any of the foregoing shall take place, such sums shall not be used in determining the extent of the Developer's guarantee, as herein provided, and in such event, the Developer, at its option, may pay the sums required to he paid by it, excluding the sums not intended to be included in said guarantee or, in order to minimize matters in controversy between the Developer and the Board of Directors where the majority of the Board is elected by Lot Owners, other than the Developer, as related to the guarantee and the provisions of this Section, the Developer, at its option, may cancel said guarantee, and in such case it shall pay the assessments of the Association as to the Lots owned by it. The Developer hereby reserves the right, to be exercised in it's sole discretion, to extend from time to time the termination date of tie above quarantee for such period of time as the Developer determines. Should Developer elect to extend the time period of the guarantee, Directors Board of of Developer shall notify the in writing of its election prior to Association termination date of the original guarantee term or an extended quarantee term, and such notice shall set forth the new term'nation date of Developer's quarantee. The Developer reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to require the Board of Directors of the Association to increase the amount of the assessments due from Lot Owners other than the Developer for each extension by an amount not to exceed fifteen (15%) percent of the guaranteed amount of assessment for the preceding period, provided, however, in no event may the Developer require the Board of Directors to increase the assessment due from Lot Owners, other than the Developer, by more than fifteen (15%) percent: for each year of The Board of Directors of the extension of the guarantee. comply with the requirements of Association agree to Developer, as provided herein, and increase the assessments payable from Lot Owners other than the Developer during any extension of the guarantee. Should the board of Directors of the fail to increase such assessments, as may Association required by the Developer hereunder, the Developer shall have the unconditional right to cancel its guarantee herein, Developer shall have the right to specifically enforce its rights as provided herein.

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Section 6. NOTICE AND QUORUM FOR ANY ACTION AUTHORIZED UNDER SECTIONS 3 AND 4. Written notice of any meeting called for the purpose of taking any action authorized under: Section 3 or Section 4 shall be sent to all MEMBERS not less than thirty (30) days, nor more than sixty

(60) days in advance of the meeting. At the first such meeting called, the presence of members or proxies entitled to cast fifty percent (50%) of all the votes of each class of membership shall constitute a quorum. If the required quorum is not present, another meeting may be called subject to the same notice requirement, and the required quorum at the subsequent meeting shall be one-third (1/3) of the votes of each class of membership. No such subsequent meeting shall be held more that sixty (60) days following the preceding meeting.

Section 7. RATE of ASSESSMENT. Both annual and special assessments must be fixed at a uniform rate for all LOTS unless there are different classes of UNITS in the PROJECT, such as attached and detached single family UNITS, in which case the ASSESSMENTS for LOTS with different types of UNITS may differ from the ASSESSMENT for LOTS with other types of UNITS, but all LOTS on which are constructed the same type of UNIT will be assessed at a uniform rate based upon a fraction, the numerator of which is 1 and the denominator of which shall be the number of LOTS subject to such ASSESSMENTS, subject to Section 3 hereof.

Section 8. DATE OF COMMENCEMENT OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS: DUE DATES. The Annual ASSESSMENTS provided for herein shall commence as to all LOTS, subject to Section 3 hereof, on the first day of the month or following conveyance by the DEVELOPER of the first UNIT in the PROJECT. The first annual assessment shall be adjusted according to the number of months remaining in the calendar year. The BOARD shall fix the amounts of the annual assessment against each LOT at least thirty (30) days in advance of each annual assessment period. Written notice of the annual assessment shall be sent to every OWNER subject thereto. The due dates shall be established by the BOARD. The assessments, at the election of the ASSOCIATION, may be collected on a monthly basis or on a quarterly basis. The ASSOCIATION upon demand, and for a reasonable charge, furnish a certificate signed by an officer of the ASSOCIATION setting forth whether the assessments on a specified LOT have been paid. A properly executed certificate of the ASSOCIATION as to the status of assessments on a LOT is binding upon the ASSOCIATION as of the date of its issuance. The ASSOCIATION may delegate to a mortgage company responsibility for collection institution financial assessments.

Section 9. APPLICATION OF PAYMENTS. Any payments made to the ASSOCIATION by any OWNER shall first be applied towards any sums advanced and paid by the ASSOCIATION for taxes and payment on account of superior mortgages, liens or encumbrances which may have been advanced by the ASSOCIATION in order to preserve and protect its lien, next toward reasonable attorneys' fees incurred by the ASSOCIATION incidental to the collection of ASSESSMENTS and other moneys owed to the ASSOCIATION by the OWNER and/or for the enforcement of its lien; next towards interest on any ASSESSMENTS or

other moneys due to the ASSOCIATION, as provided herein, and next towards any unpaid ASSESSMENTS owed to the ASSOCIATION, in the inverse order that such ASSESSMENTS were due.

Section 10. EXEMPT PROPERTY. All properties dedicated to, and accepted by a local public authority exempt from taxation by the laws of the State of Florida shall be exempt from the ASSESSMENTS created herein. However, no land or improvements devoted to dwelling use shall be exempt from said ASSESSMENTS.

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Section 1. LATE FEES AND INTEREST. If any ASSESSMENT is not paid within ten (10) days after the due date, the ASSOCIATION shall have the right to charge the defaulting OWNER a late fee of ten (10%) percent of the amount of the ASSESSMENT, or Ten (\$10.00) Dollars, whichever is greater, plus interest at the then highest rate of interest allowable by law from the due date until paid. If there is no due date applicable to any particular ASSESSMENT, then the ASSESSMENT shall be due ten (10) days after written demand by the ASSOCIATION.

Section 2. ACCELERATION OF ASSESSMENTS. If any OWNER is in default in the payment of any ASSESSMENT owed to the ASSOCIATION for more than thirty (30) days after written demand by the ASSOCIATION, the ASSOCIATION upon written notice to the defaulting OWNER shall have the right to accelerate and require such defaulting OWNER to pay to the ASSOCIATION ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES for the next twelve (12) month period, based upon the then existing amount and frequency of ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES. In the event of such acceleration, the defaulting OWNER shall continue to be liable for any increases in the regular ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES, for all special ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES, and/or for all other ASSESSMENTS Payable to the ASSOCIATION.

Section 3. LIEN FOR ASSESSMENTS. The ASSOCIATION HAS A LIEN ON EACH LOT for unpaid ASSESSMENTS owed to the ASSOCIATION by the OWNER of such LOT, and for late fees and interest, and for reasonable attorneys' fees incurred by the ASSOCIATION incident to the collection of the ASSESSMENT or enforcement of the lien, and all sums advanced and paid by the ASSOCIATION for taxes and payment on account of superior mortgages, liens or encumbrances in order to preserve and protect the ASSOCIATION's lien. The lien is effective from and after recording a claim of lien in the public records in the county in which the LOT is located, stating the description of the LOT, the name of the record OWNER, and the amount due as of the recording of the claim of lien. A recorded claim of lien shall secure all sums set forth in the claim of lien, together with all ASSESSMENTS or other moneys owed to the ASSOCIATION by the OWNER until the lien is satisfied. The lien

is in effect until all sums secured by it have been fully paid or until the lien is barred by law. The claim of lien must be signed and acknowledged by an officer or agent of the ASSOCIATION. Upon payment in full of all sums secured by the lien, the person making the payment is entitled to a satisfaction of the lien.

Section 4. COLLECTION AND FORECLOSURE. The ASSOCIATION may bring an action in its name to foreclose a lien for ASSESSMENTS in the manner a mortgage of real property is foreclosed and may also bring an action to recover a money judgment for the unpaid ASSESSMENTS without waiving any claim of lien, and the applicable OWNER shall be liable to the ASSOCIATION for all costs and expenses incurred by the ASSOCIATION in connection with the collection of any unpaid ASSESSMENTS, and the filing, enforcement, and/or foreclosure of the ASSOCIATION's lien, including reasonable attorneys' fees, and all sums paid by the ASSOCIATION for taxes and on account of any other mortgage, lien, or encumbrance in order to preserve and protect the ASSOCIATION's lien. The BOARD is authorized to settle and compromise the ASSOCIATION's lien if the BOARD deems a settlement or compromise to be in the best interest of the ASSOCIATION.

Section 5. RENTAL AND RECEIVER. If an OWNER remains in possession of his UNIT and the claim of lien of the ASSOCIATION against his UNIT is foreclosed, the court, in its discretion, may require the OWNER to pay a reasonable rental for the UNIT, and the ASSOCIATION is entitled to the appointment of a receiver to collect the rent.

Section 6. SUBORDINATION OF LIEN. The lien of the ASSOCIATION shall be superior to all other liens, save and except tax liens and any first mortgage recorded prior to the recording of a claim of lien by the ASSOCIATION, provided such mortgage secures an indebtedness which is initially amortized in monthly or quarter-annual payments over a period of not less than 10 years (provided, however, that any such mortgage may provide for changes in the interest rate and changes in the payments resulting therefrom, negative amortization, or for payment in full prior to such 10 year period). Where any person obtains title to a LOT pursuant to the foreclosure of such a mortgage, or where the holder of such a mortgage accepts a deed to a LOT in lieu the mortgage, such acquirer of title, foreclosure of successors and assigns, shall not be liable for any ASSESSMENTS or for other moneys owed to the ASSOCIATION which are chargeable to the former OWNER of the LOT and which became due prior to acquisition of title as a result of the foreclosure or deed in lieu thereof, unless the payment of such funds is secured by a claim of lien recorded prior to the recording of the foreclosed or underlying mortgage. The unpaid ASSESSMENTS or other moneys are COMMON EXPENSES collectible from all of the OWNERS, including such acquirer and his successors and assigns. The new OWNER, from and after the time of acquiring such title, shall be liable for payment of all future ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES and such other expenses as may be assessed to the OWNER's LOT. Any person who acquires a LOT, except through foreclosure of a

first mortgage as described above, or deed in lieu thereof, including, without limitation, persons acquiring title by sale, gift, devise, operation of law, or by purchase at a judicial or tax sale, shall be liable for all unpaid ASSESSMENTS and other moneys due and owing by the former OWNER to the ASSOCIATION, and shall not be entitled to occupancy of the UNIT or enjoyment of the COMMON AREAS, or of the recreational facilities as same may exist from time to time, until such time as all unpaid ASSESSMENTS and other moneys have been paid in full.

 Section 7. ASSIGNMENT OF CLAIM AND LIEN RIGHTS. The ASSOCIATION, acting through its BOARD, shall have the right to assign its claim and lien rights for the recovery of any unpaid ASSESSMENTS and any other moneys owed to the ASSOCIATION, to any third party.

Section 8. UNPAID ASSESSMENTS CERTIFICATE. Within 15 days after written request by any OWNER or any INSTITUTIONAL LENDER holding or making a mortgage encumbering any LOT, the ASSOCIATION shall provide the OWNER or INSTITUTIONAL LENDER a written certificate as to whether or not the OWNER of the LOT is in default with respect to the payment of ASSESSMENTS or with respect to compliance with the terms and provisions of this DECLARATION, and any person or entity who relies on such certificate in purchasing or in making a mortgage loan encumbering any LOT shall be protected thereby.

Section 9. NON-MONETARY DEFAULTS. In the event of a violation by any OWNER or any tenant of an OWNER, or any person residing with them, or their guests or invites, (other than the non-payment of any ASSESSMENT or other moneys) of any of the provisions of this DECLARATION, the ARTICLES, the BY-LAWS or the Rules and Regulations of the ASSOCIATION, the ASSOCIATION shall notify the OWNER and any tenant of the OWNER of the violation, by written notice. If such violation is not cured as soon as practicable and in any event within seven (7) days after such written notice, or if the violation is not capable of being cured within such seven (7) day period, if the OWNER or tenant fails to commence and diligently proceed to completely cure such violation as soon as practicable within seven (7) days after written notice by the ASSOCIATION, or if any similar violation is thereafter repeated, the ASSOCIATION may, at its option:

- 733 A. Impose a fine against the OWNER or tenant as provided in Section 10 hereof; and/or
- 735 B. Commence an action to enforce the performance on the part of the OWNER or tenant, or for such equitable relief as may be necessary under the circumstances, including injunctive relief; and/or

D. Take any and all actions reasonably necessary to correct such failure, which action may include, where applicable, but is not limited to, removing any addition, alteration, improvement or change which has not been approved by the ASSOCIATION, or performing any maintenance required to be performed by this DECLARATION.

All expenses incurred by the ASSOCIATION in connection with the correction of any failure, plus a service charge of ten (10%) percent of such expenses, and all expenses incurred by the ASSOCIATION in connection with any legal proceedings to enforce this DECLARATION, including reasonable attorneys' fees, shall be assessed against the applicable OWNER, and shall be due upon written demand by the ASSOCIATION. The ASSOCIATION shall have a lien for any such ASSESSMENT and any interest, costs or expenses associated therewith, including attorneys' fees incurred in connection with such ASSESSMENT, and may take such action to collect such ASSESSMENT or foreclose said lien as in the case and in the manner of any other ASSESSMENT as provided above. Any such lien shall only be effective from and after the recording of a claim of lien in the public records of the County in which the PROJECT is located.

Section 10. FINES. The amount of any fine shall be determined by the BOARD, and shall not exceed one-third of one month's ASSESSMENT for COMMON EXPENSES for the first offense, two-thirds of one month's ASSESSMENT for COMMON EXPENSES for a second similar offense, and one month's ASSESSMENT for COMMON EXPENSES for a third or a subsequent similar offense. Any fine shall be imposed by written notice to the OWNER or tenant, signed by an officer of the ASSOCIATION, which shall state the amount of the fine, the violation for which the fine is imposed, and shall specifically state that the OWNER or tenant has the right to contest the fine by delivering written notice to the ASSOCIATION within 10 days after receipt of the notice imposing the fine. If the OWNER or tenant timely and properly objects to the fine, the BOARD shall conduct a hearing within 30 days after receipt of the OWNER's or tenant's objection, and shall give the OWNER or tenant not less than 10 days written notice of the hearing date. At the hearing, the BOARD shall conduct a reasonable inquiry to determine whether the alleged violation in fact occurred, and that the fine imposed is appropriate. The OWNER or tenant shall have the right to attend the hearing and produce evidence on his behalf. At the hearing the BOARD shall ratify, reduce or eliminate the fine and shall give the OWNER or tenant written notice of its decision. Any fine levied against an OWNER shall be deemed an ASSESSMENT, and if not paid when due all of the provisions of this DECLARATION relating to the late payment of ASSESSMENTS shall be applicable.

Section 11. RESPONSIBILITY OF AN OWNER FOR OCCUPANTS, TENANTS, GUESTS AND INVITES. Each OWNER shall be responsible for the acts and omissions, whether negligent or willful, of any person residing in his

UNIT, and for all guests and invites of the OWNER or any such resident, and in the event the acts or omissions of any of the foregoing or the OWNER shall result in any damage to the COMMON OPEN SPACE, or any liability to the ASSOCIATION, the OWNER shall be assessed for same as in the case of any other ASSESSMENT, limited where applicable to the extent that the expense or liability is not met by the proceeds of insurance carried by the ASSOCIATION. Furthermore, any violation of any of the provisions of this DECLARATION, of the ARTICLES, or the BY-LAWS, by any resident of any UNIT, or any guest or invitee of an OWNER or any resident of a UNIT, shall also be deemed a violation by the OWNER, and shall subject the OWNER to the same liability as if such violation was that of the OWNER.

# 800 Declaration ARTICLE VII 801 ANNEXATION

 Section 1. Annexation Without Association Approval. Additional lands may be annexed by the Developer in whole or in part without the consent of members within five (5) years of the date of this instrument. The additional lands annexed in accordance with the provisions hereof shall become subject to the provisions of this Declaration upon the recording in the Public Records of Osceola County, Florida of an amendment hereto properly executed by the Developer and without the consent of the members of the Association. Until such amendment is recorded, no provision of this Declaration shall be effective as to all or any portion of the additional property, nor shall this Declaration constitute a cloud or encumbrance on the title of said additional property.

Section 2. Additions or Modification. Such amendments to the such complementary additions contain Declaration may modifications of this Declaration as may be necessary to reflect the different character, if any, of that portion of the Project or the Undeveloped Parcel which are the subject of such amendments to the Declaration as are not inconsistent with the scheme of this Declaration, as determined by the Developer. Further, such amendments to the Declaration may contain provisions relating to such portion of the Project, or any portions thereof, dealing with, among other things, assessments and the basis thereof, rules and regulations, architectural controls and other provisions consistent with the nature of the development of such Project and pertaining to all or part of such portion to the exclusion of other portions of the Project.

The provisions of this Article VII, Section 2, cannot be amended without the written consent of the Developer, and any amendment of this Article VII, Section 2, without the written consent of the Developer, shall be deemed null and void.

# Declaration ARTICLE VIII WITHDRAWAL OF PROPERTY

Anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, Developer reserves the absolute right to amend this Declaration at any time, without prior notice and without the consent of any person or entity, for the purpose of removing certain portions of the Project from the provisions of this Declaration, so long as a Unit has not been constructed on said land to be withdrawn, and so long as the land to be withdrawn has not been conveyed to the Association as Common Open Space.

# Declaration ARTICLE IX PLATTING AND SUBDIVISION RESTRICTIONS

As long as there is a Class "B" membership, Developer shall be entitled at any time and from time to time, to plat and/or replat all or any part of the PROJECT, and to file subdivision restrictions and/or amendments thereto with respect to any undeveloped portion or portion(s) of the PROJECT without the consent or approval of LOT OWNERS.

# Declaration ARTICLE X ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL

Section 1. APPROVAL. No building, fence, wall or structure shall be commenced, erected or maintained upon the properties nor shall any exterior addition or change or alteration therein, including a change of the building exterior paint color, be made within the individual's lot line or property line until the plan and specifications showing the nature, kind, shape, height, materials and location of the same shall have been submitted to and approved in writing as to the harmony of external design and location in relation to the surrounding structures and topography by the BOARD, or by an architectural control committee composed of three (3) or more representatives appointed by the BOARD ("Committee"). In the event said BOARD or its designated Committee fails to approve or disapprove such design and location within forty-five (45) days after said plan and specifications have been submitted to it, approval will not be required and this Article will be deemed to have been fully complied with. Nothing contained herein shall relieve the OWNER from the responsibility of obtaining proper governmental approvals and permits.

Section 2. NO LIABILITY. The ASSOCIATION or the designated Committee shall not be liable to any OWNER in connection with the exercise or non-exercise of architectural control hereunder, or the approval or disapproval of any alteration, addition, improvement, or change. Furthermore, any approval of any plans or specifications by

the ASSOCIATION or its designated Committee shall not be deemed to be a determination that such plans or specifications or complete or do not contain defects, or in fact meet any standards, guidelines and/or criteria of the ASSOCIATION, or are in fact architecturally or aesthetically appropriate, or comply with any applicable governmental requirements, and the ASSOCIATION or its designated Committee shall not be liable for any deficiency, or any injury resulting from and deficiency, in such plans and specifications.

Section 3. REMEDY FOR VIOLATIONS. In the event this Article IX is violated in that alteration, addition, improvement, or change is made without first obtaining the approval of the ASSOCIATION or its designated Committee, or is not made in strict conformance with any approval granted by the ASSOCIATION or its designated Committee, the ASSOCIATION or its designated Committee shall specifically have the right to injunctive relief to require the OWNER to stop, remove and/or alter any alteration, addition, improvement, or change in a manner which complies with the requirements of the ASSOCIATION or its designated Committee, or the ASSOCIATION or its designated Committee may pursue any other remedy available to it. In connection therewith, the ASSOCIATION or its designated Committee shall have the right to enter onto any LOT and make any inspection necessary to determine that the provisions of this paragraph have been complied with. Any action to enforce this Section must be commenced within one (1) year after the date of the violation. The foregoing shall be in addition to any other remedy set forth herein for violations of this DECLARATION. Notwithstanding anything contained within this DECLARATION to the contrary, the ASSOCIATION or its designated Committee shall have the exclusive authority to enforce the provisions of this paragraph.

Section 4. ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL VESTED IN DEVELOPER. Notwithstanding the foregoing, so long as DEVELOPER owns any LOT, UNIT, or any portion of the PROJECT, architectural control shall be vested in DEVELOPER and not the ASSOCIATION, and during such period all references contained in the subparagraph to the ASSOCIATION shall be deemed to refer to DEVELOPER provided, however, that at any time DEVELOPER may assign its right of architectural control to the ASSOCIATION by a written assignment.

Section 1. NO TRADE OR BUSINESS. With the exception of the short term rental of Units, no trade, business, profession, or commercial activity, or any other non-residential use, shall be conducted upon any portion of the PROJECT Or within any LOT or UNIT.

Section 2. LEASES AND SHORT TERM RENTALS. All leases of a UNIT must be in writing and specifically be subject to this DECLARATION, the ARTICLES and the BY-LAWS. The PROJECT is zoned to permit short term rental of homes. There is no restriction as to the length of the term for a rental or lease agreement.

Section 3. OUTSIDE STORAGE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY. The personal property of any resident of the PROJECT shall be kept inside the resident's UNIT or a fenced or a walled-in yard, except for tasteful patio furniture and other personal property commonly kept outside.

Section 4. PORTABLE AND TEMPORARY BUILDINGS. No portable, storage, temporary or accessory buildings or structures, or tents, shall be erected, constructed or located upon any LOT for storage or otherwise, without the prior written consent of the ASSOCIATION.

Section 5. GARBAGE AND TRASH. Each OWNER shall regularly pick up all garbage, trash, refuse or rubbish on the OWNER's LOT. Garbage, trash, refuse or rubbish that is required to be placed at the front of the LOT in order to be collected may be placed and kept at the front of the LOT after 5:00 p.m. on the day before the scheduled day of collection, and any trash facilities must be removed on the collection day. All garbage, trash, refuse or rubbish must be placed in appropriate trash facilities or bags. All containers, dumpsters or garbage facilities shall be stored inside a UNIT or fenced-in area and screened from view and kept in a clean and sanitary condition. No noxious or offensive odors shall be permitted.

Section 6. VEHICLE PARKING. No truck or van with more than a three-quarter ton capacity, no house or travel trailer, motor home, camper, boat or boat trailer shall be parked in the Project except that any of the above may be parked in a garage so long as the garage door is kept in a fully closed position while the vehicle is in said garage, and boats with an overall length of under 24 feet may be parked in the fenced rear/side yard of a Unit and must be on a boat trailer. The term "commercial vehicle" shall include, but not be limited to all automobiles, trucks and vehicular equipment including station wagons which bear signs or shall have printed on the sides of same, reference to any commercial undertaking or enterprise. Trucks or vans with over a three-quarter ton capacity, in the process of loading or unloading shall not be considered parked so long as they are not kept in the PROJECT overnight, however,

temporary overnight parking is permitted in the PROJECT for public emergency and public on-call vehicles. Except as set forth above, no vehicle of any kind shall be parked in the COMMON OPEN SPACE or on any part of any LOT except in the driveway or garage.

Section 7. PETS. No animals, livestock or poultry of any kind shall be permitted within the PROJECT except for common household domestic pets. Any pet must be carried or kept on a leash when outside of a UNIT or fenced in area. No pet shall be kept outside of a UNIT unless someone is present in the UNIT. Any pet must not be an unreasonable nuisance or annoyance to other residents of the PROJECT. Any resident shall pick up and remove any solid animal waste deposited by his pet on the PROJECT, except for designated petwalk areas, if any. No commercial breeding of pets is permitted within the PROJECT. The ASSOCIATION may require any pet to be immediately and permanently removed from the PROJECT due to a violation of this paragraph.

<u>Section 8.</u> AIR CONDITIONING UNITS. Only central air conditioning units are permitted, and no window, wall, or portable air conditioning units are permitted.

Section 9. FENCES. Fences will be no more than six (6') feet in height and may be erected in the rear yard only Fences may be wood-stained only. Painted fences are not permitted. This section is amended: see page 69 979 980 981 "Section 9, FENCES. Fences will be no more than 983 (6) Feet in height: however, any homesites which are adjacent to or border the lakes or ponds within 986 the community will be permitted to erect fences no 988 than four feet (4') in height so that the view of the water is 990 not blocked from any other homeowner. Fences 992 erected in the rear yard only. No fence may be 994 but may be wood-stained." 

Section 10. CLOTHESLINES AND OUTSIDE CLOTHES DRYING. No clothesline or clothes pole shall be erected, and no outside clothes drying is permitted, except where such activity is advised or mandated by governmental authorities for energy conservation purposes, in which event the ASSOCIATION shall have the right to approve the portions of any LOT used for outdoor clothes drying purposes and the types of devices to be employed in this regard, which approval must be in writing.

Section 11. NUISANCES. No nuisance shall be permitted within the PROJECT, and no use or practice which is an unreasonable source of annoyance to the residents within the PROJECT or which shall interfere with the peaceful possession and proper use of the PROJECT by its residents shall be permitted. No unreasonably

offensive or unlawful action shall be permitted and all laws, zoning ordinances and regulations of all controlling governmental authorities shall be complied with at all times by the OWNERS.

<u>Section 12.</u> OUTSIDE ANTENNAS. No outside signal receiving or sending antennas, dishes or devices are permitted. The foregoing shall not prohibit any antenna or signal receiving dish owned by the ASSOCIATION which services the entire PROJECT.

Section 13. SIGNS. No signs, except "For Sale" or "For Lease" signs not larger than 18 inches by 24 inches, shall be placed upon any LOT, and no signs shall be placed in or upon any UNIT.

Section 14. WINDOW TREATMENTS. Window treatments shall consist of drapery, blinds, decorative panels, or other tasteful window covering, and no newspaper, aluminum foil, sheets or other temporary window treatments are permitted, except for periods not exceeding one (1) week after an OWNER or tenant first moves into a UNIT or when permanent window treatments are being cleaned or repaired.

Section 15. SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT. No OWNER or any other person shall do anything to adversely affect the surface water management and drainage of the PROJECT without the prior written approval of the ASSOCIATION and any controlling governmental authority, including but not limited to, the excavation or filling in of any lake or any portion of the PROJECT, provided the foregoing shall not be deemed to prohibit or restrict the initial construction of improvements upon the PROJECT by DEVELOPER or by the developer of any portion of the PROJECT in accordance with permits issued by controlling governmental authorities.

Section 16. WELLS AND SEPTIC TANKS. No individual wells will be permitted on any LOT within this PROJECT, and no individual septic tanks will be permitted on any LOT within this PROJECT. This restriction will be enforceable as long as the water services and sewage disposal are in operation, satisfactorily servicing each LOT on which a completed building is located in said PROJECT in accordance with the standard requirements as provided for by the State Board of Health Regulations and the charge for said services, as set forth in the rate schedule in the third Party Beneficiary Agreement placed of record, covering said utilities, is not in excess of the amounts provided for therein or as modified and changed in accordance with legal procedure in the future.

Section 17. OIL AND MINING OPERATIONS. No oil drilling, oil development operations, oil refining, quarrying or mining operations of any kind shall be permitted upon or in any LOT, nor shall oil wells, tanks, tunnels, mineral excavations or shafts be permitted upon or in any LOT. No derrick or other structure designed for use in boring for oil or natural gas shall be erected, maintained or permitted on any LOT.

1054 Section 18. VISIBILITY IN CORNER LOTS. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in these restrictions, no obstruction to visibility at street intersections shall be permitted and such visibility clearances shall be maintained as required by the Department of Public Works.

Section 19. BARBECUES. Barbecues may be located or permitted upon the back patio or yard of a Unit and upon such portions of the COMMON OPEN SPACE as are, from time to time, designated by the ASSOCIATION; provided, however, that barbecuing shall be subject to such rules and regulations as may be promulgated from time to time by the BOARD.

Section 20. REMOVAL OF SOD AND SHRUBBERY; ADDITIONAL PLANTING. No sod, topsoil, trees or shrubbery shall be removed from the PROJECT, no change in the elevation of such areas shall be made and no change in the condition of the soil or the level of the land of such areas shall be made which results in any permanent change in the flow and drainage of surface water which the BOARD, in its sole discretion, considers detrimental; provided, however, that OWNERS may place additional plants, shrubs or trees upon their respective LOTS subject to approval by the BOARD or its appointed Architectural Control Committee.

Section 21. INCREASES IN INSURANCE RATES. No OWNER may take any action which will result in an increase in the rate of any insurance policy or policies covering any portion of the PROJECT.

Section 22. CASUALTIES. In the event that a UNIT or any part thereof is destroyed by casualty or otherwise, or in the event any improvements upon the COMMON OPEN SPACE are damaged or destroyed by casualty or otherwise, the OWNER thereof or the ASSOCIATION, as the case may be, shall promptly clear all debris resulting therefrom and (subject to the duties and obligations of the ASSOCIATION) commence either to rebuild or repair the damaged improvements in accordance with the terms and provisions of this DECLARATION.

Section 23. RECONSTRUCTION. Any repair, rebuilding or reconstruction on account of casualty or other damage to any COMMON OPEN SPACE or any part or parts thereof, shall be substantially in accordance with the plans and specifications for such property and areas as originally constructed or with new plans and specifications approved by the BOARD or its appointed Committee. Any repair, rebuilding or reconstruction on account of casualty or other damage to any UNIT or any part or parts thereof shall be substantially in accordance with the plans and specifications for such property and areas as originally constructed or the new plans and specifications approved by the BOARD or its appointed Committee, and the OWNER of such UNIT.

Section 24. RULES AND REGULATIONS. The ASSOCIATION may adopt additional reasonable rules and regulations relating to the use and maintenance of the PROJECT, and rules and regulations relating to the recreational facilities within the PROJECT may be posted at such recreational facilities. Copies of such rules and regulations and amendments shall be furnished by the ASSOCIATION to an OWNER upon request.

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Section 25. WAIVER. The ASSOCIATION shall have the right to waive the application of one or more of these restrictions, or to permit a deviation from these restrictions, as to any LOT where, in the discretion of the BOARD, circumstances exist which justify such waiver or deviation. In the event of any such waiver or permitted deviation, or in the event any party fails to enforce any violation of these restrictions, such actions or inactions shall not be deemed to prohibit or restrict the right of the ASSOCIATION, or any other person having the right to enforce these restrictions, from insisting upon strict compliance with respect to all other LOTS, nor shall any such actions be deemed a waiver of any of the restrictions contained herein as same may be applied in the future. Notwithstanding the foregoing, so long as DEVELOPER owns any LOT, if any waiver or deviation of any restriction requires the consent of the ASSOCIATION, such consent shall be obtained from DEVELOPER and not from the ASSOCIATION, unless DEVELOPER voluntarily relinquishes this right at an earlier date.

Section 26. EXCEPTIONS. The foregoing use and maintenance restrictions shall not apply to DEVELOPER, or to any portion of the PROJECT while owned by DEVELOPER, or to the UNDEVELOPED PARCEL, and shall not be applied in a manner which would prohibit or restrict the development of any portion of the PROJECT and the construction of any UNITS and other improvements thereon, or any activity associated with the sale of any new UNITS by DEVELOPER. Specifically, and without limitation, DEVELOPER shall have the right to: (I) construct any buildings or improvements within the PROJECT, and make any additions, improvements, or changes thereto; maintain (ii) alterations, customary and usual sales, general office and construction operations on the PROJECT: (iii) place, erect or construct portable, temporary or accessory buildings or structures upon the PROJECT for sales, construction, storage or other purposes; (iv) temporarily deposit, dump, accumulate materials, trash, refuse and rubbish in connection with the development or construction of the PROJECT; and (v) post, display, inscribe or affix to the exterior of a UNIT or upon the PROJECT, signs and other materials used in developing, constructing, selling or promoting the PROJECT.

## Declaration ARTICLE XII GENERAL PROVISIONS

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Section 1. ENFORCEMENT. In addition to any other remedies set forth herein and permitted by law, this DECLARATION may be enforced by DEVELOPER, or the ASSOCIATION, by any procedure at law or in equity against any person violating or attempting to violate any provision herein, to restrain such violation, to require compliance with the provisions contained herein, to recover damages, or to enforce any lien created herein. The expense of any litigation to enforce this DECLARATION, including attorneys' fees at both trial and appellate levels, shall be borne by the person against whom enforcement is sought, provided such proceeding results in a finding that such person was in violation of this DECLARATION. In addition to the foregoing, any OWNER shall have the right to bring an action to enforce this DECLARATION against any person violating or attempting to violate any provision herein, to restrain such violation or to require compliance with the provisions contained herein, but no OWNER shall be entitled to recover damages or to enforce any lien created herein as a result of a violation or failure to comply with the provisions contained herein by any person, and the prevailing party in any such action shall be entitled to recover its reasonable attorneys' fees at both trial and appellate levels.

Section 2. CONFLICT WITH ARTICLES OR BY-LAWS. In the event of any conflict between the ARTICLES and the BY-LAWS and this DECLARATION, this DECLARATION, the ARTICLES, and the BY-LAWS, in that order, shall control.

Section 3. SPECIAL PROVISIONS REGARDING CABLE TELEVISION. DEVELOPER reserves and shall have the right to grant a private cable television company an easement to provide cable television service to all of the UNITS within the PROJECT, on such terms and conditions as DEVELOPER may reasonably desire, provided however that the services charged by the cable company shall not be unreasonably compared to other cable television companies providing cable television in the county in which the PROJECT Is located. In connection with such cable television services, the applicable agreement with the cable company may require each UNIT OWNER to subscribe for, at a minimum, basic cable television services offered by the cable company, and to pay such services either directly to the cable television company, or to the ASSOCIATION. Any cable television agreement shall give each UNIT OWNER the right to elect not to subscribe to cable television in which case that UNIT OWNER'S assessment will be lowered if it includes an amount for cable television. The cable television agreement may also give the UNIT OWNERS the option to subscribe to additional channels or services in addition to the basic cable television service for an additional fee to be determined by the cable television company from time to time. When DEVELOPER no longer elects any member of the ASSOCIATION, thereafter all rights of DEVELOPER as set forth in this paragraph may be exercised by the ASSOCIATION.

Section 4. AUTHORITY OF ASSOCIATION AND DELEGATION. Nothing contained in this DECLARATION shall be deemed to prohibit the BOARD from delegating to any one of its members, or to any officer, or to any committee or any other person, any power or right granted to the BOARD by this DECLARATION including, but not limited to, the right to exercise architectural control and to approve any deviation from any use restriction, and the BOARD is expressly authorized to so delegate any power or right granted by this DECLARATION.

Section 5. PERFORMANCE OF ASSOCIATION'S DUTIES BY DEVELOPER. DEVELOPER shall have the right from time to time, at its sole discretion, to perform at DEVELOPER'S expense the duties and obligations required hereunder to be performed by the ASSOCIATION, and in connection therewith to reduce the budget of the ASSOCIATION and the ASSESSMENTS for COMMON EXPENSES payable by the OWNER, provided however that any such performance on the part of DEVELOPER may be discontinued by DEVELOPER at any time, and any such performance shall not be deemed to constitute a continuing obligation on the part of DEVELOPER.

Section 6. DISCLOSURE. There is a business which operates under the name of Bass Kennels, located on the west side of Bass Road, adjacent to the Property. The kennels allow dog runs and other activities pertinent to the keeping of dogs on the property.

Section 7. AIRPORT AVIGATION EASEMENT. The Kissimmee Municipal Airport is located approximately one-half (½) mile southeast of the Project and adverse noise from airport operations could be experienced. The Developer has granted an avigation easement and right-of-way permitting the over-flight of aircraft in the air space over this PROJECT.

<u>Section 8.</u> ACTIONS AGAINST DEVELOPER. The ASSOCIATION shall not institute any legal proceedings against DEVELOPER without the consent of 75% of the votes of the OWNERS.

<u>Section 9.</u> SEVERABILITY. Invalidation of any one of these covenants or restrictions by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 10. AMENDMENT. The covenants and restrictions of this Declaration shall run with and bind the land for a term of thirty (30) years from the date this Declaration is recorded, after which time they shall be automatically extended for successive periods of ten (10) years. This Declaration may be amended during the first thirty (30) year period by an instrument signed by the OWNERS of seventy-five percent (75%) or more of the LOTS, and thereafter by an

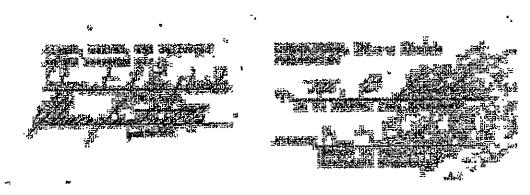
instrument signed by the OWNERS of sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66-2/3%) or more of the LOTS. Notwithstanding the above, any amendment affecting the maintenance provisions hereof or the lien for such maintenance must be approved by the County Attorney of Osceola County, Florida. Any Amendment must be recorded.

Section 11. FHA/VA APPROVAL. As long as there is Class B Membership, the following actions will require the prior approval of the Federal Housing Administration or the Veterans Administration:

(a) ANNEXATION of properties not part of the UNDEVELOPED PARCEL, (b) dedication of COMMON OPEN SPACE, © mergers and consolidations, (d) mortgaging of COMMON OPEN SPACE, (e) except as set forth in Section 8 (b) hereof, an amendment of this Declaration, and (f) dissolution of the ASSOCIATION.

Section 12. DEVELOPER AMENDMENT PRIVILEGE. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in Sections 8 and 9 of this Article XI, the DEVELOPER may amend any provision of this DECLARATION without the approval or joinder of the OWNERS or the ASSOCIATION, if required to do so by the Federal National Mortgage Association, the Federal Housing Administration, the Veterans Administration or any other similar governmental institutional lender which desires to hold a mortgage on all or any part of the PROJECT.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the DEVELOPER herein, has hereunto executed this Declaration this  $\underline{18th}$  day  $\underline{March}$ ,  $\underline{1993}$ 



1255 STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DADE

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THE FOREGOING DECLARATION was acknowledged before me this 18th day
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of March, 1993, by M. E. Saleda and Morris J. Watsky, Vice
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President and Assistant Secretary of Lennar Homes, Inc.,
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respectively, who stated that they executed the instrument as
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their own free act and deed on behalf of the Corporation. They
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are personally known to and did not take an oath.

Softary Public, State of Florida

My Commission Expires:

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OFFICE AUG. 16,1995

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### 1264 LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

THAT PORTION OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 25SOUTH, 1265 RANGE 29 EAST, OSCEOLA COUNTY, FLORIDA; LYING WEST OF SHINGLE CREEK, 1266 LESS THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY: FROM THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 1267 SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, OSCEOLA COUNTY, FLORIDA; 1268 RUN NORTH 00'09'S9' EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 1269 OF SAID SECTION 19, A DISTANCE OF 1721.69 FEET TO THE POINT OF 1270 BEGINNING; SAID POINT BEING NORTH 89'22'40' WEST, A DISTANCE OF 36.59 1271 FEET FROM THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF WATERFORD AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1272 6, PAGE 150 OF THE OFFICIAL RECORDS OF OSCEOLA COUNTY, FLORIDA; 1273 THENCE CONTINUE NORTH 00'09'S9" EAST ALONG SAID WEST LINE OF THE 1274 SOUTHWEST 1/4, A DISTANCE OF 893.01 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER 1275 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 19; THENCE RUN SOUTH 89'22'40" 1276 EAST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 19, 1277 A DISTANCE OF 510.00 FEET TO A POINT AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF 1278 AFORESAID WATERFORD; SAID POINT BEING ON THE WEST FLOODWAY LINE OF 1279 SHINGLE CREEK; THENCE RUN ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID WATERFORD AND 1280 SAID FLOODWAY LINE THE FOLLOWING COURSES: SOUTH 00'09'S9" WEST, A 1281 DISTANCE OF 235.00 FEET; SOUTH 03'01'47" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 1282 200.17 FEET; SOUTH 08'21'15 EAST, A DISTANCE OF 202.47 FEET; 1283 SOUTH 16'29'41' EAST, A DISTANCE OF 209.26 FEET; SOUTH 23'59'03" 1284 EAST, A DISTANCE OF 63.81 FEET TO A POINT; SAID POINT BEING THE 1285 SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID WATERFORD; THENCE DEPARTING SAID FLOODWAY 1286 LINE, RUN NORTH 89'22'40' WEST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID 1287 WATERFORD; A DISTANCE OF 616.12 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. 1288

### AND LESS THE FOLLOWING FOR BASS ROAD RIGHT OF WAY:

BEGIN AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 1290 29 EAST, OSCEOLA COUNTY, FLORIDA; THENCE RUN NORTH 00'09'S9' EAST 1291 ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 19, A 1292 DISTANCE OF 1721.69 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE DEPARTING SAID WEST LINE 1293 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4, RUN SOUTH 89'22'40" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 1294 36.59 FEET TO A POINT; SAID POINT BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 1295 WATERFORD AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 6, PAGE 150 OF THE PUBIC 1296 RECORDS OF OSCEOLA COUNTY, FLORIDA; THENCE RUN SOUTH 00'23'09' 1297 WEST, A DISTANCE OF 1721.88 FEET TO A POINT ON THE SOUTH LINE OF 1298 SAID SECTION 19; THENCE RUN NORTH 88'56'09" WEST ALONG SAID SOUTH 1299 LINE, A DISTANCE OF 30.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. 1300

- 1301 CONTAINING 71.8 ACRES, MORE OR LESS.
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Bepartment of State

I certify the attached is a true and correct copy of the Articles of Incorporation of COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida corporation, filed on December 18, 1992, as shown by the records of this office.

The document number of this corporation is N92000000861.

Given under my hand and the Great Seni of the State of Florida, at Callabassee, the Capital, this the Twenty-first day of December, 1992

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Jim Smith Secretary of State

1304	ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
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1306	COUNTRY CREEK ASSOCIATION, INC.
1307	Pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 617, Florida Statues, we, the
1308	undersigned persons competent to contract, acting as incorporators of a
1309	corporation not-for-profit, hereby adopt the following Articles of
1310	Incorporation:
1311	INCORPORATION ARTICLE I
1312 1313 1314	$\frac{\text{NAME}}{\text{The name of the corporation is the COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES ASSOCIATION,}}$ INC., hereinafter referred to as the "Association".
1315	INCORPORATION ARTICLE II
1316 1317	PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS  The principal office and mailing address of the Association is 700
1318	N.W. 107 Avenue, Miami, Florida 33172.
1319	INCORPORATION ARTICLE III
1320	REGISTERED AGENT
1321	MORRIS J. WATSKY, whose address is 700 N.W. 107 Avenue, Miami,
1322	Florida 33172, is hereby appointed the initial registered agent of this
1323	Association.
1324	INCORPORATION ARTICLE IV
1325 1326	PURPOSE AND POWERS OF THE ASSOCIATION  This Association does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit to  Page 35 of 77

the members thereof, and the specific purposes for which it is formed are to provide for maintenance and preservation of the Common Open Spaces, and the architectural control of the residence Lots (all as defined in the Declaration referred to hereinafter) within that certain tract of property known as COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES, and to promote the health, safety and welfare of the residents within the above described property and any additions thereto as may hereafter be brought within the jurisdiction of this Association, and in furtherance of these purposes, to: 

- (a) exercise all of the powers and privileges and to perform all of the duties and obligations of the Association as set forth in that certain Declaration hereinafter and above called the "Declaration", applicable to the property and recorded or to be recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Osceola County, Florida, and as the same may be amended from time to time as therein provided, said Declaration being incorporated herein as if set forth at length;
- (b) fix, levy, collect and enforce payment of, by any lawful means, all charges or assessments pursuant to the terms of the Declaration; to pay all expenses in connection therewith and all office and other expenses incident to the conduct of the business of the Association, including all licenses, taxes or governmental charges levied or imposed against the property of the Association;

  © acquire (by gift, purchase or otherwise), own, hold, improve,

build upon, operate, maintain, convey, sell, lease, transfer, dedicate for public use or otherwise dispose of real or personal property in connection with the affairs of the Association;

- (d) borrow money, and with the assent of two-thirds (2/3) of each class of members, mortgage, pledge, deed in trust, or hypothecate any or all of its real or personal property as security for money borrowed or debts incurred;
- (e) dedicate, sell or transfer all or any part of the Common Open Space to any Public Agency or authority or utility for such purposes and subject to such conditions as may be provided in the Declaration;
- (f) participate in mergers and consolidation with other non-profit corporations organized for the same purposes or annex additional residential property and Common Open Space, provided that any such merger,

1363	consolidation or annexation shall have the assent of two-thirds (2/3) of
1364	each class of members;
1365	(g) have and to exercise any and all powers, rights and privileges
1366	which a corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, by
1367	law may now or hereafter have and exercise.
1368	INCORPORATION ARTICLE V
1369	<u>MEMBERSHIP</u>
1370	Each Lot which is subject by covenants of record to assessment by
1371	the Association shall have appurtenant thereto a membership in the
1372	Association, which membership shall be held by the person or entity, or
1373	in common by the persons or entities, owning such unit, except that no
1374	person or entity holding an interest or title to a unit as security
1375	for performance of an obligation shall acquire the membership
1376	appurtenant to such Lot by virtue of such interest or title. In no
1377	event may any membership be severed from the Lot to which it is
1378	appurtenant.
1379	INCORPORATION ARTICLE VI
1380	<u>VOTING RIGHTS</u>
1381 1382	The Association shall have two classes of voting membership:  Class A. Class A members shall be all Owners with the exception
1383	of the Developer and shall be entitled to one vote for each Lot
1384	owned. When more than one (1) person holds an interest in any Lot, all
1385	such persons shall be members. The vote for such Lot shall be
1386	exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall
1387	more than one vote be cast with respect to any Lot.

Class B. Class B member(s) shall be the Developer (as defined in

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1389	the Declaration), and shall be entitled to three (3) votes for each Lot
1390	owned. The Class B membership shall cease and be converted to Class
1391	A membership on the happening of either of the following events,
1392	whichever occurs earlier:

(a) when the total votes outstanding in the Class A membership equal the total votes outstanding in the Class B membership; or (b) on December 31, 2000.

1396	INCORPORATION ARTICLE VII
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1399	governed by a Board of Directors composed of not less than three (3)
1400	nor more than nine (9) persons. The first Board of Directors shall
1401	have three (3) members, and in the future the number will be determined
1402	from time to time in accordance with the provisions of the By-Laws of
1403	the corporation. The number of Directors on the Board of Directors
1404	shall always be an odd number.

1405 The names and addresses of the persons who are to act in the 1406 capacity of Directors until the selection of their successors are:

1407	NAME	ADDRESS
	KATHY <b>B408</b> ARTER <b>1409</b>	1110 Douglas Avenue, Suite 3000 Altamonte Springs, Florida 32714 I
	WILLIAM M. MODREO	1110 Douglas Avenue, Suite 3000
	1411 Andrea bracki <b>m412</b>	Altamonte Springs, Florida 32714 1110 Douglas Avenue, Suite 3000
	ANDREA BRACKI <b>11412</b> 1413	Altamonte Springs, Florida 32714

1414 At the first annual meeting following the cessation of the Class B Page 38 of 77

membership, the Members shall elect two (2) directors for a term of one 1415 (1) year, two (2) directors for a term of two (2) years, and one (1) 1416 director for a term of three (3) years. The Candidate receiving the 1417 largest number of votes shall serve as director for three (3) years; the 1418 two candidates receiving the second and third largest vote shall serve as 1419 directors for two (2) years; and the two (2) candidates receiving the 1420 fourth and fifth largest vote shall serve as directors for one (1) 1421 year. At each annual meeting thereafter, the members shall elect the 1422 appropriate number of directors for a term of three (3) years. 1423

### INCORPORATION ARTICLE VIII

1425 OFFICERS

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The officers of this Association shall be a President and a Vice President, who shall at all times be members of the Board of Directors; a Secretary, a Treasurer, and such officers as the Board may from time to time by resolution create. The election of officers shall take place at the first meeting of the Board of Directors which shall follow each annual meeting of members. The names of the officers who are to serve until the first election of appointments are:

1433	PRESIDENT KATHI B. HARTER
1434	VICE PRESIDENT WILLIAM M. MOORE
1435	SECRETARY ANDREA BRACKEN
1436	TREASURER ANDREA BRACKIN

INDEMNIFICATION OF OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

1439	A. The Association hereby indemnifies any Director or Officer
1440	made a party or threatened to be made a party to any threatened,
1441	pending or completed action, suit or proceeding;
	1442 1. Whether civil, criminal, administrative, or investigative,
1114444 44444444 111444445556789012 111444445556789012	other than one by or in the right of the Association to procure a judgment in its favor, brought to impose a liability or penalty on such person for an act alleged to have been committed by such person in his capacity of Director or officer of the Association, or in his capacity as Director, officer, employee or agent of any other corporation, partnership, joint venture, or other enterprise which he served at the request of the Association, against judgments, fines, amounts paid in settlement and reasonable expenses, including attorneys fees, actually and necessarily incurred as a result of such action, suit or proceeding or any appeal therein, if such person acted in good faith in the reasonable belief that such action was in the best interests of the Association, and in criminal actions or proceedings, without reasonable ground for belief that such action was unlawful. The termination of any such action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent shall not in itself create a presumption that any such Director or officer did not act in good faith in the reasonable belief that such action was in the best interests of the Association or that he had reasonable grounds for belief that such action was unlawful.  2. By or in the right of the Association to procure a
1463	judgment in its favor by reason of his being or having been a Director
1464	or officer of the Association, or by reason of his being or having been

or officer of the Association, or by reason of his being or having been a Director, officer, employee or agent of any other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise which he served at the request of the Association, against the reasonable expenses, including solely for this reason, or solely because the Director or officer is present at or participates in the meeting of the Board of committee thereof which authorized the contract or transaction, or solely because his or their votes are counted for such purpose. No Director or officer of the Association shall incur liability by reason of the fact that he is or may be interested in any such contract or transaction.

B. Interested Directors may be counted in determining the presence of a quorum at a meeting of the Board of Directors or of a committee which authorized the contract or transaction.

### INCORPORATION ARTICLE X

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1478 BY-LAWS

By-Laws shall be initially adopted by the Board of Directors after
which these By-Laws may be amended, at a regular or special meeting of the
members, by a vote of a majority of a quorum of members present in person
or by proxy.

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#### INCORPORATION ARTICLE XI

1484 <u>AMENDMENTS</u>

Proposals for the alteration, amendment or recession of these Articles of Incorporation may be made by any member of the Board of Directors or twenty five percent (25%) of the voting members. Amendment of these Articles of Incorporation shall require the assent of not less than sixty-seven percent (67%) of the total number of votes in each class membership.

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### INCORPORATION ARTICLE XII

## DISSOLUTION

The Association may be dissolved with the assent given in writing and signed by the holders of not less than two-thirds (2/3) of the total number of votes in each class of members. Upon dissolution of the Association, other than incident to a merger or consolidation, the assets of the Association shall be dedicated to an appropriate public agency to be used for the purposes similar to those for which this Association was created. In the event dedication is refused acceptance, such assets shall be granted, conveyed and assigned to any non-profit corporation, association, trust or other organization to be devoted to such similar

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1502	purposes. Any action under this Article is subject to the procedures
1503	and requirements of Florida Statute 617.05.
1504	INCORPORATION ARTICLE XIII
1505	DURATION
15	O6 The corporation shall exist perpetually.
15	07 INCORPORATION ARTICLE XIV
15	08 <u>SUBSCRIBERS</u>
	1509 The name and address of the subscriber is as follows:
	1510 <u>NAME</u> <u>ADDRESS</u> 700 N. W. 107 Avenue
	1511 Morris J. Watsky
	Miami, Florida 33172
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1513	INCORPORATION ARTICLE XV
1514 1515 1516 1517 1518 1519 1520	As long as there is a Class B membership, the following actions will require the prior approval of either HUD or the Veterans Administration when either of subject entities has an interest: (I) annexation of additional properties, (ii) mergers and consolidations, (iii) mortgaging or dedication of the Common Areas, or (iv) dissolution and amendment of these Articles.
1521 1522 1523 1524	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, for the purpose of forming this corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, the undersigned, constituting the Incorporator of this Association, has executed these Articles of Incorporation this <a href="https://example.com/17th/">17th</a> day of <a href="https://example.com/December">December</a> , 1992.
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	MORRES J. MARSH
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1527 1528	STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DADE
1529	I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day personally appeared before me,

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1552	BY-LAWS
1553	OF
1554	COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.
1555	BY-LAWS ARTICLE I
1556 1557	${ m \underline{NAME}}$ AND LOCATION The name of the corporation is the COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES
1558	HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida corporation not-for-profit,
1559	hereinafter referred to as the "Association". The principal
1560	office of the corporation shall be located at 700 N. W. 107
1561	Avenue, Miami, Florida 33172, but meetings of members and
1562	directors may be held at such places within the State of Florida,
1563	County of Dade, as may be designated by the Board of Directors.
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the Association. If the day for the annual meeting of the members  $$\operatorname{\textsc{Page}}$$  45 of 77

same month of each year thereafter, at an hour to he determined by

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is a legal holiday, the meeting will be held on the first day
following which is not a legal holiday. The first meeting of the
Board of Directors of the Association shall be held immediately
succeeding the annual meeting of members.

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### BY-LAWS ARTICLE IV

1583 BOARD OF DIRECTORS: SELECTION: TERM OF OFFICE 1584 Section 1. Number. The affairs of this Association shall be 1585 managed and governed by a Board of Directors composed of not less than three (3) nor more than nine (9) persons. The number of Directors 1586 1587 on the Board of Directors shall always be an odd number. The first 1588 Board of Directors shall have three (3) members, who need not be 1589 members of the Association. 1590 Section 2. Term of Office. At the first annual meeting following

the cessation of the Class B Membership, the Members shall elect two 1591 (2) directors for a term of one (1) year, two (2) directors for a term 1592 of two (2) years and one director for a term of three (3) years. The 1593 1594 candidate receiving the largest number of votes shall serve as director for three (3) years, the two candidates receiving the second 1595 and third largest vote shall serve as directors for two (2) years; 1596 1597 and the two candidates receiving the fourth and fifth largest vote 1598 shall serve as directors for one year. At each annual meeting 1599 thereafter the members shall elect the appropriate number of directors 1600 for a term of three (3) years.

1601 Section 3. Removal. Any director may be removed from the Board, with

or without cause, by an and crait work of the members of the

shecework shadeath, resignation or removal of a director, his
be selected by the remaining members of the Board and shall serve for

the unexpired term of his predecessor.

Section 4. Compensation. No director shall receive compensation

for any service he may render to the Association. However, any

director may be reimbursed for his actual expenses incurred in the

performance of his duties.

Section 5. Action Taken Without a Meeting. The directors shall have the right to take any action in the absence of a meeting which they could take at a meeting by obtaining the written approval of all of the directors. Any action so approved shall have the same effect as though taken at a meeting of the directors.

### 1619 BY-LAWS ARTICLE V

Section 1. Nomination. Nomination for election to the Board of Directors shall be made by a Nominating Committee. Nominations may also be made from the floor at the annual meeting. The Nominating Committee shall consist of a Chairman, who shall be a member of the Board of Directors, and two or members of the Association. The Nominating Committee shall be appointed by the Board of Directors prior to each annual meeting of the members, to

serve from the close of such annual meeting until the date of the
next annual meeting and such appointment shall be announced at each

annual meeting. The Nominating Committee shall made as many nominations for election to the Board of Directors as it shall in

its discretion determine, but not less than the number of vacancies that are to be filled. Such nominations may be made from among members or non-members.

Section 2. Election. Election to the Board of Directors shall

be by secret written ballot. At such election the members or

their proxies may cast, with respect to each vacancy, as many

votes as they are entitled to exercise under the provisions of

the Declaration. The persons receiving the largest number of

votes shall be elected. Cumulative voting is not permitted.

### 1640 BY-LAWS ARTICLE VI

MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS

Section 1. Regular Meetings. Regular MEETINGS, of the Board of

Directors shall be held monthly without notice, at such place and

hour as may be fixed from time to time by resolution of the Board.

Should said meeting fall upon a legal holiday, then that meeting

shall be held at the same time on the next day which is not a legal

holiday.

1648 Section 2. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held when called by the President of the 1649 1650 Association or by any two directors, after not less than three (3) days notice to each director. 1651 Section 3. Quorum. A majority of the number of directors 1652 1653 shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. 1654 Every act done, or decision made by a majority of the directors 1655 present at duly held meetings at which a quorum is present shall be 1656 regarded as an act of the Board.

L657	BY-LAWS ARTICLE VII
L658	POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
L659	Section 1. Powers. The Board of Directors shall have power to:
L660	(a) adopt and publish rules and regulations governing the use of
L661	the Private Drives and Common Open Spaces, and the personal conduct
1662	of the members and their quests, thereon and to establish penalties
1663	for the infraction thereof;
L664	(b) suspend the voting rights of, and the right to the use
L665	of, the common facilities of a member during any period in which
L666	such member shall be in default in the payment of assessment levied
L667	by the Association. Such rights may also be suspended, after notice
L668	and hearing, for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days for
L669	infraction of published rules and regulations;
1670	© exercise for the Association all powers, duties and
L671	authority vested in or delegated to this Association and not
L672	reserved to the membership by any other provisions of these By-Laws,
L673	the Articles of Incorporation or the Declaration;
L674	(d) Declare the office of a member of the Board of
L <b>67</b> 5	Directors to be vacant in the event such member shall be absent from
L676	three (3) consecutive regular meetings of the Board of Directors;
L677 L678	(e) employ a manager, an independent contractor, or other such
L679 L680	employees as they deem necessary, and to prescribe their duties; (f) accept such other functions or duties with respect to,

1681	including architectural control, in addition to maintenance
1682	responsibilities, as are determined from time to time to be proper
1683	by the majority of the Board of Directors; and
1684	(g) delegate to, and contract with, a mortgage company or
1685	financial institution, responsibility for collection of the assessments
1686	of the Association.
1687 1688	Section 2. Duties. It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to: (a) cause to be kept a complete record of all of its acts
1689 1690	and
1691 1692 1693 1694	corporate affairs and to present a statement thereof to the members at the annual meeting of members, or at any special meeting when such statement is requested in writing by one fourth $(1/4)$ of the Class A members who are entitled to vote;
1695	(b) supervise all officers, agents and employees of this
1696	Association and to see that their duties are properly performed;
1697	©as provided in the Declaration, to:
1698	(1) fix the amount of the annual assessment against
1699	each Lotat least thirty (30) days in advance of each
1700	annual assessment period;
1701 1702 1703 1704	(2) send written notice of each assessment to every  Owner  subject thereto at least thirty (30) days in advance  of  each annual assessment period; and
1705	(3) foreclose the lien against any property for which
1706 1707 1708 1709 1710	assess-  ments are not paid within thirty (30) days after the due date or to bring an action at law against the owner personally obligated to pay the same.  (d) issue or to cause an appropriate officer to issue, upon

1711	demand by any person, a certificate setting forth whether or not any
1712	assessment has been paid. A reasonable charge may be made by the
1713	Board for the issuance of these certificates. If a certificate
1714	states an assessment has been paid, such certificates shall be
L715	conclusive evidence of such payment;

- 1716 (e) procure and maintain adequate liability and hazard

  1717 insurance on property owned or controlled by the Association, or for

  1718 which, in the opinion of a majority of the directors, it may be

  1719 liable and should provide coverage;
- 1720 (f) cause all officers, or employees having fiscal responsibilities to be bonded, as it may deem appropriate;
- 1722 (g) cause the Common Open Space to be maintained.

### 1723 BY-LAWS ARTICLE VIII

# 1724 OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. Enumeration of Officers. The officers of this Association shall be a President and Vice President, who shall at all times be members of the Board of Directors, a Secretary and a Treasurer, and such other officers as the Board may from time to time by resolution create.

- 1730 <u>Section 2. Election of Officers.</u> The election of officers shall take place at the first meeting of the Board of Directors which shall follow each annual meeting of the members.
- 1733 Section 3. Term. The officers of the Association shall be elected

- annually by the Board and each shall hold office for one (1) year
- 1735 unless he shall sooner resign, or shall be removed, or otherwise
- 1736 disqualified to serve.
- 1737 <u>Section 4. Special Appointment.</u> The Board may elect such other
- 1738 officers as the affairs of the Association may require, each of whom
- 1739 shall hold
- 1740 office for such period, have such authority, and perform such duties
- 1741 as the Board may, from time to time, determine.
- 1742 Section 5. Resignation and Removal. Any officer may be removed from
- 1743 office with or without cause by the Board. Any officer may resign
- at any time by giving written notice to the Board, the President or
- 1745 the Secretary. Such resignation shall take effect on the date of
- 1746 receipt of such notice or at any later time specified therein, and
- 1747 unless otherwise specified therein, the acceptance of such
- 1748 resignation shall not be necessary to make it effective.
- 1749 Section 6. Vacancies. A vacancy in any office may be filled by
- 1750 appointment by the Board. The officer appointed to such vacancy shall
- 1751 serve for the remainder of the term of the officer he replaces.
  - 1752 Section 7. Multiple Offices. The offices of Secretary and
  - 1753 Treasurer
- 1754 may be held by the same person. No person shall simultaneously
- 1755 hold more than one of any of the other offices except in the case
- 1756 of special offices created pursuant to Section 4 of this Article.

1757 <u>Section 8. Duties.</u> The duties of the officers are as follows:

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The President shall preside at all meetings of the Board of

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Directors; see that resolutions and orders of the Board are carried

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out; shall sign all leases, mortgages, deeds and other written

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instruments and shall co-sign all checks and promissory notes.

1763 <u>Vice President</u>
1764 The Vice President shall act in th

The Vice President shall act in the place and stead of the
President in the event of his absence, inability or refusal to act, and
shall exercise and discharge such other duties as may be required of him
by the Board.

1768 <u>Secretary</u>

The Secretary shall record the votes and keep the minutes of all meetings and proceedings of the Board and of members; keep the corporate seal of the Association and affix it on all papers requiring said seal; serve notice of meetings of the Board and of the members; keep appropriate current records showing the members of the Association together with their addresses; and shall perform such other duties as required by the Board.

1776 Treasurer

The Treasurer shall receive and deposit in appropriate bank accounts all monies of the Association and shall disburse such funds as directed by resolution of the Board of Directors; shall sign all checks and promissory notes of the Association; keep proper

books of account; cause an annual audit of the Association books to be made

by a public accountant at the completion of each fiscal year; and shall

prepare an annual budget and a statement of income and expenditures

to be represented to the membership at its regular annual meeting,

and deliver a copy of each to the members.

1786 BY-LAWS ARTICLE IX

### 1787 BOOKS AND RECORDS

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The books, records and papers of the Association shall at all times, during reasonable business hours, be subject to inspection by any member. The Declaration, the Articles of Incorporation and the By-Laws of the Association shall be available for inspection by any member at the principal office of the Association, where copies may be purchased at a reasonable cost.

### 1794 BY-LAWS ARTICLE X

### 1795 ASSESSMENTS

As more fully described in the Declaration, each member is obligated to pay to the Association annual and special assessments which are secured by a *continuing* lien upon the property against which the assessments are made and are the person obligation of the member.

# BY-LAWS ARTICLE XI 1800 CORPORATE SEAL 1801 The Association shall have a seal in circular form having 1802 within its circumference the words: COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES HOMEOWNERS 1803 ASSOCIATION, INC.., a Florida corporation not-for-profit 1992.

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1705	BY-LAWS ARTICLE XII
1706 1707	AMENDMENTS  Section 1. These By-Laws may be amended, at a regular or
1708	special meeting of the members, by vote of a majority of a
1709	quorum of members present in person or by proxy, except that
1710	the Federal Housing Administration or the Veterans
1711	Administration while either of such entities has an interest,
1712	shall have the right to veto any of the above while there is a
1713	Class B membership.
1714	Section 2. In the case of any conflict between the Articles of
1715	Incorporation and these By-Laws, the Articles shall control;
1716	and in the case of any conflict between the Declaration and
1717	these By-Laws, the Declaration shall control.
1718	BY-LAWS ARTICLE XIII
1719	MISCELLANEOUS
1720	The fiscal year of the Association shall begin on the first day
1721	of July and end on the 30th day of June of every year,
1722	except that the first fiscal year shall begin on the date
1723	of incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, as President of the COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., have hereunto set my hand this 15th day of  $\underline{March}$  19  $\underline{93}$ 

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FILED, RECORDED AND
RECORD VERIFIED
MEL WILLS, JR. CLK CR 67
OSCEDIA AGUNTY
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# (Changes from this page seem to have been incorporated into the main body above) Rich Thompson 2/18/2007

### Country Creek Estates Declaration

Page 6, Article IV, Covenant For Maintenance;

Section 2.

In the event an OWNER of any LOT in the PROJECT shall fail to maintain the LOT and the

improvements situated thereon in a manner satisfactory to the BOARD, the ASSOCIATION,

after approval of two-thirds (2/3) vote of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS, shall have the right,

through its agents and employees, to enter upon said LOT and to repair, maintain and restore the

LOT and the exterior of the buildings and nay other improvements erected thereon. The cost of

such maintenance shall be added to and become part of the ASSESSMENT to which such LOT is subject.

Article X, Architectural Control;

### Section 1.

APPROVAL. No building, fence, wall or other structure shall be commenced, erected or

maintained upon the properties nor shall any exterior addition or change or alteration therein,

including a change of the building exterior paint color, be made within the individual's lot line or

property line until the plan and specifications showing the nature, kind, shape, height, materials

and location of the same shall have been submitted to an approved in writing as to the harmony

of external design and location in relation to the surrounding structures and topography by the

BOARD, or by an architectural control committee composed of three (3) or more representatives

appointed by the BOARD ("Committee").

Section 3.

REMEDY FOR VIOLATIONS ...Any action to enforce this Section must be commenced within one (1) year after the date of the violation...

# AMENDMENT TO DECLARATIONS OF COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION, INC.

The undersigned, President and Secretary of COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES
HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION, INC, a Florida corporation not-for-profit, (herein referred to as "Corporation"), do hereby certify that the following amendment to the Declarations of Country Creek Homeowners' Association, Inc. ('Declarations') was duly proposed, approved and adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation, at a meeting dated Oct. 8, 1997at Kissimmee, Florida

RESOLVED, that Article I of the Declarations shall be amended to read as follows

### ARTICLE I

Secretary

The name of the Corporation shall be COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES ASSOCIATION, INC.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF OSCEOLA

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COUNTY OF USCHULA

The foregoing instrument acknowledged before me this

1997 by MICHAEL LEGGE and MARK

of Country Creek estates Homeowners' Association, Inc. on be personally known to me and did not take an oath.

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### TES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF

**: BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF** 

ESTATES HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

II of Michael Leon (handwritten), President of Country wners Association, Inc. a Florida corporation not-for-profit special meeting of the Board of Directors of the pursuant to waiver of notice, on October \$, 1997, at 11 members then constituting a quorum of the Board of 11 tas provided in the Act, as follows: (list the Directors



Chairmen of the Meeting explained that

the purpose of
the meeting was
to change the
name of the
Corporation.
Thereupon, on
the motion duly
made, seconded
and approved,
the following
resolution was
adopted:

# RESOLVED, that Article I of the Declarations shall be amended

# to read as follows: ARTICLE I

The name of the Corporation shall be COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES ASSOCIATION, INC.

There being no further business to come before the Board of Directors, on motion duly made,

# RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES ASSOCIATION, INC.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES ASSOCIATION, INC. determined that it was in the best interest of the Association to adopt a landscaping rule on December 8, 1999; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES ASSOCIATION, INC. has determined that it is in the best interest of the Association to clarify the landscaping rule which was adopted on December 8, 1999; and

WHEREAS, the Declaration of the Association empowers the Association to adopt and amend reasonable rules and regulations governing the use and maintenance of the Project; and,

WHEREAS, the Bylaws of the Association empower the Board of Directors to exercise for the Association all powers, duties and authority vested in or delegated to the Association;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES ASSOCIATION, INC. that the amplified landscaping rule attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is hereby approved by the Board of Directors.

PASSED AND adopted at a meeting of Board of Directors of COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES ASSOCIATION, INC., this 31st day-of: May .2000.

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### **EXHIBIT** "A"

## **LANDSCAPING**

LAWNS - The front, side and rear yards of all lots in Country Creek Estates shall be covered with St. Augustine grass excepting only paved areas, patios, shrubbery, and flower beds. The grass on all lots shall be mowed, edged, weeded, trimmed, treated, watered, and fertilized such that they should be neat and manicured in appearance. Grass shall never be allowed to grow to a height exceeding six (6) inches. Should the lawn deteriorate, the ARC Committee may require that the entire lawn or portions thereof be resodded with St. Augustine grass. A/C units, tanks and pumps must be landscaped. All Tandscaping must be approved by the ARC Committee

As much attention I'm sure was paid to details, there seems to be a discrepance between this being Article X or XI

Prepared By: Morris J. Watsky, Asst. Secretary RETURN TO: UNIVERSAL TITLE INSURERS, INC..

't110 DOUGLAS AVENUE, SUITE #3040 ALTAMONTE SPRINGS, FL 32714

### AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION

### COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES

### WITNESSETH

THIS AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION cur Country Creek Estates is made this 19th day of October, 1993 by Lennar Homes, Inc... (hereinafter referred to as "Developer") WHEREAS, a Declaration was recorded in Official Records Book Il15 at Page 1069 of the Public Records of Osceola County, Florida (the "Declaration"); and

WHEREAS, Article XI Section 10 of the Declaration provides for amendment of the Declaration by the Owners of seventy-five percent (75%) or more of the Lots; and

WHEREAS, Developer is the owner or' in excess of seventy-live percent (75%) of the Lots; and

WHEREAS, the Developer wishes to amend Article X, Section 9 of the Declaration.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and mutual covenants herein contained, Developer hereby declares as follow;

1. Article X, Section 9 of the Declaration is hereby amended to read in its entirely:

"Section 9, FENCES. Fences will be no more than six (6) feet in height: however, any homesites which are adjacent to or border the lakes or ponds within the community will be permitted to erect fences no more than four feet (4') in height so that the view of the water is not blocked from any other homeowner. Fences may be erected in the rear yard only. No fence may be painted, but may be woodstained."

All other terms and conditions of the Declaration shall continue

in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the Developer herein, has

hereunto executed this Amendment to Declaration as of the day and year first above written.

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DADE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 10day october, 1993, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State and County aforesaid to take acknowledgements, personally appeared M. E. Saleda and Morris J. Watsky, well known to me to he the Vice President and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of Lennar Homes, Inc., and they acknowledged executing the

foregoing Amendment to Declaration on behalf of the Corporation. They are personally known to me and did not take an oath.

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Prepared By: Morris J. Watsky, Asst. Secretary RETURN TO: UNIVERSAL TITLE INSURORS, INC. 1110 DOUGLAS AVENUE, SULTE #3040 ALTAMONTE SPRINGS, FL 32714

### AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION

### COUNTRY CREEK ESTATES

THIS AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION for Country Creek Estates is made this 19th day of October, 1993 by 1 conar Homes, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as

### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, a Declaration was recorded in Official Records Book 1115 at Page 1069 of the Public Records of Oscoola County, Florida (the "Declaration"); and

WHEREAS, Article XI Section 10 of the Declaration provides for amendment of the Declaration by the Owners of seventy-five percent (75%) or more of the Lots; and

WHEREAS, Developer is the owner of in excess of seventy-live percent (75%) of the Lots; and

WHEREAS, the Developer wishes to amend Article X, Section 9 of the Declaration.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and mutual covenants herein contained, Developer hereby declares as follows:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the Developer herein, has hereunto executed this Amendment to Declaration as of the day and year first above written.

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CONTROL ACTIONS INC.

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# Country Creek Estates Association, Inc Application For Architectural Change

Property Address:	
Owner(s) Name(s):	
Mailing Address if	
different from above	
Telephone #:	E-mail
Owner's signature:	
Description of change	e being requested: (One item per application)
Patio	Fence Swimming pool
Paint Exterior	Screened porch Home addition
(Include paint sample	e for base and trim color)
Other: If the change describe	you wish to have considered is not listed, please
If required, have you of Kissimmee?	a applied for the proper permits from the City Yes No
	e applicable documents; landscaping plan, clearing plan, building plans, etc.
documents to: Michae Presid 5205 s	pleted application along with applicable el "Mickey" House, AMS®, LCAM ent, HOME . Orange Avenue, Suite D o, FL 32809 Ofc 407-852-5300 Fax 407-852-5301 www.houseof
	y mail about approval or disapproval of your oplication. Approval must be granted before
Approved/Comments Disapproved/Reason	
Date received at 1	Committee Signature Association Director's Signature louse Of Management Enterprise architectural Control Committee was mailed to owner

# Country Creek Estates, INC. A Corporation Not-for-Profit

### GENERAL PROXY

the President of the
association(Print name
of proxy holder if different than the President)
attorney and agent with the power of substitution for and in the name, place and stead of the undersigned, to vote as proxy at the membership meeting of the Association, to be held at on and any adornment thereof, according to the number of votes that the undersigned would be entitled to vote if then present upon the matters set forth in the Notice of Meeting dated a copy of which has been received by the undersigned.
DATED this day of , 2
Owner(s)
(Print) (Signature)
(Print) (Signature)
(Print) (Signature)  Property Address:

### SUBSTITUTION OF PROXY

The undersigned, appointed as proxy holder above, designates
to substitute for me in
voting the proxy set forth above. Dated: Signature of Proxy holder:

THIS PROXY IS REVOCABLE BY THE UNIT OWNER AND IS VALID FOR THE MEETING FOR WHICH IT IS GIVEN AND ANY LAWFUL ADJOURNMENT. IN NO EVENT IS THE PROXY VALID FOR MORE THAN NINETY (90) DAYS FROM DATE OF THE ORIGINAL MEETING FOR WHICH IT WAS GIVEN.