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DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, AND RESTRICTIONS FOR THE DEPOT RESIDENTIAL SUBDIVISION

This DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, AND RESTRICTIONS FOR THE DEPOT RESIDENTIAL SUBDIVISION ("Declaration") is made by Gold Stream Partners LLC, a Utah limited liability company.

RECITALS

- A. The Declarant is the owner of certain real property located in the City of Clearfield ("City"), Davis County, Utah ("County"), more particularly described on <u>Exhibit A</u> attached hereto ("Property"). Declarant is developing the Property as a residential community to be known as the Depot Subdivision ("Project").
- B. The Project shall be subdivided into individual single-family lots for Residences together with streets, other public improvements, and certain common facilities.
- C. The Depot Homeowners Association ("Association") has been, or will be, incorporated as a Utah non-profit corporation to act as a homeowners association with the powers of managing and maintaining the Common Areas in the Project, administering and enforcing this Declaration, and assessing and collecting from Owners a share of the costs for maintaining and repairing any and all Common Areas within the Project and performing such other acts as are provided for in this Declaration, the Association's Bylaws, by statute, or which generally benefit the Property.
- D. Declarant has adopted the covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, servitudes, and limitations set forth in this Declaration (collectively, the "Covenants") for the purpose of:
 - Helping to ensure uniformity in the development of the Lots;

- Protecting long-term property values and a desired quality of life in the
 Project;
- Facilitating the initial sale of Lots by the Declarant, its successors and assigns, and subsequent sale by the individual Owners of Lots in the Project;
- iv. Maintaining the Common Areas located within the Project in accordance with the Covenants and with City standards; and
- Providing for mandatory dispute resolution procedures and requirements to avoid litigation, as set forth in Article 13 of this Declaration.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Declarant does hereby establish the Covenants set forth herein and does hereby declare that the Property, and all Lots within the Project, shall be held, sold, conveyed, leased, and rented subject to, and shall be encumbered by, the Covenants set forth below which shall be run with the Land and be binding on all persons or entities now or hereafter having or claiming any right, title, or interest in the Property, or any of the Lots within the Project.

ARTICLE 1

DEFINITIONS

The plural of any word defined in this Declaration shall have the same meaning as the singular and vice versa. The following words when used in this Declaration shall have the following meanings (other terms may be defined elsewhere in this Declaration):

- 1.1 "ACC" means the Architectural Control Committee which Declarant may establish.
- 1.2 "Act" means the Utah Community Association Act, Utah Code § 57-8a-101 et seq., as amended from time to time.
- 1.3 "Assessment" means any of the fees, assessments, or payments required to be made by Owners of Lots within the Project, including the annual assessments, supplemental assessments, and special assessments, as more particularly described in Article 4 of this Declaration.
- 1.4 "Association" means the Depot Homeowners Association, a Utah non-profit corporation.
- 1.5 "Attached Residence" means any Residence that shares a common wall with another Residence or is connected to another Residence by a common roof, foundation, or other structural element.

- 1.6 "Benefitted Area" means any area of the Project designated as such in accordance with Section 4.2.3, below, and which receives particular benefits or services from the Association.
 - 1.7 "Bylaws" means the Bylaws of the Depot Homeowners Association.
 - 1.8 "Board" means the Board of Directors of the Association.
 - 1.9 "City" means the City of Clearfield, a political subdivision of the State of Utah.
- 1.10 "Commercial Builder" means a person or entity that obtains five (5) or more Lots within the Project from Declarant for the purpose constructing Residences thereon and selling such Residences to individual homebuyers.
- 1.11 "Common Areas" means the portions of the Project, including community improvements, which are intended for common use by all the Owners or which are held or maintained by the Association for the benefit of the Owners. Common Areas are not included within the Lots and are not dedicated or reserved for public use. The Common Areas are more particularly discussed in Section 5.1 of this Declaration.
- 1.12 "Common Expenses" means all sums lawfully assessed against the Lots or the Owners by the Association; all expenses of administration, maintenance, repair or replacement of the Common Areas; all expenses of management of the Association; all expenses allocated by the Association among the Owners; all expenses agreed upon as common expenses by the Association; and all expenses declared common expenses by this Declaration.
 - 1.13 "County" means Davis County, Utah.
- 1.14 "County Recorder's Office" means the office of the government of the County which maintains an official record of deeds and real property records and accepts such documents for recordation pursuant to Utah Code § 17-21-1.
- 1.15 "Covenants" means every covenant, condition, restriction, easement, and limitation set forth in this Declaration.
- 1.16 "Declarant" means Gold Stream Partners LLC, a Utah limited liability company, and any assign or successor that acquires Declarant's interest in the Property and takes a written assignment of Declarant's rights. The term Declarant shall NOT mean a Commercial Builder, or any person or entity who acquires one or more, but less than all, of the Lots from Declarant for the

purposes of constructing Residences thereon, unless such person or entity also receives a written assignment of Declarant's rights.

- 1.17 "Declaration" means this Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for the Depot Residential Subdivision as it may be amended from time.
- 1.18 "Design Guidelines" means the design standards and architectural guidelines adopted by the ACC and applicable to the Project.
- 1.19 "First Mortgage" means a recorded Mortgage or consensual lien granted by the Owner which is not subject to any senior lien or encumbrance except liens for taxes or other liens which are given priority by statute.
- 1.20 "First Mortgagee" means any person or entity named as a Mortgagee under a First Mortgage and any successor-in-interest to such Mortgagee.
- 1.21 "Improvement" means every structure, feature or improvement of any kind placed or constructed in the Project, including but not limited to any Residence, building, garage, lighting, deck, porch, patio, sidewalk, foundation, awning, fence, retaining wall, driveway, irrigation or drainage feature, storage structure or other product of construction and also includes landscaping.
- 1.22 "Lot" means a subdivided and individually numbered residential parcel within the Project as designated on the Plat Map recorded with the County Recorder's Office. The term Lot includes any Residence or other Improvement constructed thereon.
 - 1.23 "Member" means a person or entity who is a member of the Association.
- 1.24 "Mortgage" means any mortgage, deed of trust, or other document pledging any portion of a Lot or interest therein as security for the payment of a debt or obligation.
 - 1.25 "Mortgagee" means the mortgage or beneficiary identified in a Mortgage.
- 1.26 "Owner" means the person or entity vested with legal, record fee simple title to any Lot. If there is more than one record holder of legal title to a Lot, each shall be an Owner.
- 1.27 "Period of Declarant's Control" means the period of time during which Declarant shall have administrative control of the Association and the other rights and privileges as set forth in this Declaration. Following the recording of this Declaration, the Period of Declarant's Control shall continue until such time as Declarant sees fit to, by written notice, transfer administrative control of the Association to the Owners, but in no event shall the Period of Declarant's Control

extend beyond the date which is one hundred twenty (120) days after one hundred percent (100%) of the Lots in the Project have been conveyed to individual residential purchasers.

- of the Project filed with the County Recorder's Office, or proposed to be filed with the County Recorder's Office, and any plat incorporating additional real estate into the Project. Declarant reserves the right to modify the terms of any revised or amend the Plat Map for the Project. Any such revisions or amendments recorded in the County Recorder's Office shall be deemed the Plat Map for purposes of this Declaration. Also, Declarant may expand the Project to include additional phases for the Project. In the event the Project is expanded and one or more additional plats are recorded with the County Recorder's Office, then the term Plat Map shall refer to all recorded plats for the Project.
- 1.29 "Project" means the Depot Residential Subdivision, which is located in the City. The Project may be developed in multiple phases. The Project may be referred to on the Plat Map as Masonic Temple Subdivision.
- 1.30 "Property" means the real property situated in the City and County, as more particularly described in <u>Exhibit A</u>, against which this Declaration is recorded and any other real property which may be hereafter become subject to the Covenants set forth herein by virtue of a of declaration of inclusion.
- 1.31 "Reinvestment Fee" means the fee which may be assessed to each Owner upon taking title to a Lot, as further described in Section 4.3.1.
- 1.32 "Residence" means the single-family dwelling structure on a Lot within the Project. Residences are Attached Residences (townhomes or row houses).
- 1.33 "Rules and Regulations" means the rules, regulations, and restriction which are not inconsistent with this Declaration or the Bylaws, duly adopted by the Board.

ARTICLE 2

PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THIS DECLARATION

2.1 Property. The Property, identified in <u>Exhibit A</u> together with all additional phases of the Project, is, and henceforth shall be, held, occupied, transferred, sold, and conveyed subject to the Covenants set forth in this Declaration. The Project may be comprised of multiple phases, as shown on the portions of the Plat Map, both those now on record with the County Recorder's Office, and those to be recorded after the date of this Declaration. The Project is not a cooperative. As of the date of this Declaration, no portion of the Project is subject to the Condominium

Association Act, Utah Code § 57-8-1. No portion of the Project may consist of condominiums subject to the Condominium Association Act without Declarant's express written consent.

- 2.2 <u>Covenants Run with the Land</u>. This Declaration, and the Covenants herein, shall run with the land and shall be binding on all persons or entities holding or taking title to any interest in the Property or any Lot therein, and all Owners shall hold or take title subject to this Declaration.
- 2.3 Applicability of the Act. Declarant hereby confirms and acknowledges that the Project and the Association are subject to the provisions of the Act with respect to items not addressed in this Declaration but covered by the Act.
- 2.4 <u>Local Laws and Ordinances Applicable</u>. In addition to the Covenants set forth in this Declaration, the Property and any Lot therein is subject to the Act and the local laws and ordinances of the City and County, including applicable building codes and zoning ordinances, now or hereafter in effect.
- 2.5 Expandability. The Project is expandable. Declarant hereby reserves the right to expand the Project to include additional real estate adjacent to or within one (1) mile from any boundary of the Property. If additional phases of the Project are developed, the Project may be expanded to include such additional phases by recording an instrument with the County Recorder's Office subjecting such additional phases to the Covenants set forth in this Declaration. Upon recording of such an instrument, this Declaration and the Covenants herein shall be binding upon all land and Lots, and the Owners of the same, within such expanded phase or phases. If the Project is expanded, all references to "Property" shall include all phases of the Project as expanded.

2.6 Enforcement of Covenants.

2.6.1 By the Association; Legal action or Fines. The Association, through its Board, shall have the right to enforce compliance with the Covenants set forth in this Declaration, the terms of the Bylaws, and the Rules and Regulations adopted by the Board including, if the Board deems necessary, through legal action. Consistent with the terms of the Act, the Board may establish a schedule of reasonable fines to be imposed on non-complying Owners after appropriate notice has been provided to such Owners. The obligation to pay such fines imposed by the Association shall be a personal obligation of such Owner and shall also be secured by the Association's lien on such owner's Lot as provided in Section 4.6 of this Declaration. The Board may also suspend any services provided to an Owner who fails to comply, or whose Lot does not comply, with the Covenants set forth in this Declaration. The Board may also suspend voting rights or privileges related to Common Areas for non-compliance. Any costs associated with the

Association's enforcement of this Declaration may be assessed to the non-complying Owner as a special assessment.

- 2.6.2 <u>By an Owner</u>. Any Owner aggrieved by another Owner's non-compliance with the Covenants set forth in this Declaration, the terms of the Bylaws, or the Rules and Regulations adopted by the Board may commence an action seeking to enforce compliance with the same.
- 2.6.3 <u>Injunction</u>; <u>Legal Fees</u>. Under appropriate circumstances, the Association or an aggrieved Owner may seek a temporary restraining order or preliminary injunction to stop or prevent non-compliance with the Covenants set forth in this Declaration, the terms of the Bylaws, or the Rules and Regulations adopted by the Board. In any such legal action, the prevailing party shall be entitled to an award of reasonable costs and attorney fees. In addition, the Association shall have all enforcement rights and remedies set forth in the Act as the same may be amended from time to time.

ARTICLE 3

ASSOCIATION AND MEMBERSHIP THEREIN

Association Membership. Each Owner is also a member of the Association. Such membership automatically becomes affective by an Owner's acceptance of a deed for a Lot, whether or not it shall be so expressed in such deed. By accepting a deed to a Lot, an Owner is deemed to have agreed to be bound by the Covenants, the Bylaws, and by such reasonable Rules and Regulations as may, from time to time, be established by the Association. Membership is mandatory for all Owners. When more than one person or entity is an Owner of a Lot, all such persons or entities shall be Members. Membership shall be appurtenant to and may not be separated from ownership of a Lot. The rights and obligations of an Owner and membership in the Association shall not be assigned, transferred, pledged, conveyed or alienated in any way, except upon transfer of ownership of such Lot, whether by conveyance, intestate succession, testamentary disposition, foreclosure of a Mortgage, or such other legal processes as are now in effect or as may be hereafter established pursuant to the laws of the State of Utah. The foregoing is not intended to include persons or entities holding an interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation.

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3.3 Transfer. Upon the transfer or conveyance of any Lot, the transferee or grantee shall become a Member, and the transferor or grantor shall immediately cease being a Member. The Board shall maintain a list of all Members and shall note each transfer of ownership on such list. Upon the transfer or conveyance of any Lot, the selling or transferring Owner shall promptly

inform the Association of the name of the transferee or grantee. The Association, directly or through any Manager appointed pursuant to Section 3.8 of this Declaration, may charge a fee for providing payoff information requested in connection with financing, refinancing, or closing of an Owner's sale of such Owner's Lot, as provided for in Utah Code § 57-8a-106.

- 3.4 <u>Voting Rights</u>. The Owner or Owners of each Lot shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each Lot owned. The one (1) vote for such Lot shall be exercised as they, among themselves, determine. Where a Lot is owned by more than one Owner, the vote of any one of them shall be conclusively presumed to have been exercised as a result of an agreement among such Owners and in the event multiple Owners attempt to exercise a vote for such Lot on any question or issue, the Owners of such Lot will forfeit the right to vote on that question or issue. In no event shall more than one (1) vote be cast with respect to any Lot. With respect to any question or issue requiring a vote of the Association, vote of the Owners, or vote of the Members of the Association, the total number of votes cast shall not exceed the number of Lots in the Project. Unless otherwise required by this Declaration or the Bylaws, the number of affirmative votes required for approval of any matter submitted to vote of the Members shall be a majority of the votes cast with respect to such matter. All voting rights shall be subject to the restrictions and limitations provided herein and in the Bylaws.
- 3.5 Meetings. Unless otherwise provided by this Declaration or by the Bylaws, all matters requiring a vote of the Members of the Association shall be decided at a meeting of the Members held for that purpose. Except in the case of an emergency or other situation which requires shorter notice, written notice designating the time and place of such meting shall be provided to each Member no less than ten (10) or more than sixty (60) days in advance of a meeting. Other provisions for giving notice of such meetings, determining a quorum, and tallying votes shall be included in the Bylaws, or shall be established by the Board. In lieu of attending a meeting held for the purpose of exercising voting rights, Members may exercise such voting rights in writing or through a proxy, if designated in writing before the time for such vote. By attending a meeting where a vote is held, by exercising a vote in writing, or by designating a proxy, an Owner shall be conclusively deemed to have received adequate notice of such meeting or such vote.
- 3.6 <u>Declarant Approval Required</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Declaration, during the Period of Declarant's Control all matters for which the Declaration or the Bylaws call for a vote of the Members of the Association may be decided solely by the Declarant with or without a meeting and with or without a vote of the Members. Any matters which are submitted to a vote of the Members during the Period of Declarant's Control will be approved and implemented if, and only if, the Declarant also approves such matters. After the Period of Declarant's Control, all such matters shall be submitted to a vote of the Members of the Association and shall be decided solely by the votes of the Members.

- 3.7 Board of Directors. The Board shall be the governing body of the Association. In addition to those set forth herein, the powers, rights, privileges, and duties of the Board shall be set forth in the Bylaws. During the Period of Declarant's Control, the Declarant shall appoint the members of the Board, which shall number no less than three (3) directors and not more than Seven (7) directors. After the Period of Declarant's Control, the members of the Board shall be chosen, removed, or replaced by the vote of the Members of the Association in accordance with the provisions of the Bylaws.
- 3.8 <u>Professional Management</u>. The Association may carry out the functions required of it pursuant to this Declaration, the Bylaws, or the Rules and Regulations, to the extent such functions are properly delegable, by and through a professional manager ("Manager"). If a Manager is engaged, the Manager shall be an independent contractor and not an employee of the Association, shall be responsible for managing the Project for the benefit of the Association and the Owners, and shall, to the extent permitted by the Board, be authorized to perform any of the properly delegable functions or acts required or permitted or performed by the Association.
- 3.9 <u>Bylaws</u>. Nothing in the Association's Bylaws shall substantially alter, amend, or impair the rights and obligations of the Owners set forth in this Declaration.
- 3.10 <u>Property</u>. The Association may acquire and own real or personal property for the benefit of the Owners and may dispose of such property if allowed under this Declaration and the Bylaws. The maintenance, repair, and replacement of all property owned by the Association shall be a Common Expense.
- 3.11 <u>Indemnification</u>. To the fullest extent allowed by law, the Association shall indemnify and hold the following persons and entities harmless from and against any and all claims, costs, damages, expenses, injuries, liabilities or losses including, but not limited to, attorney fees, reasonably incurred by, or asserted against, such person or entity in connection with any action or proceeding of any sort in which such person is, or may be, a party or otherwise involved by reason of serving, or having served, in any capacity on behalf of the Association: (a) every director, officer, or member of the Board; (b) every member of the ACC; (c) every officer, director, employee, or agent of the Declarant; (d) every person serving as an employee of the Association. The right of indemnification set forth herein will continue regardless of whether such person or entity is still actively serving in the capacity at the time such claims or expenses are incurred or asserted. However, the right of indemnification will not apply to such claims or expenses which are determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, or an arbitrator in the case of claims subject to Article 13 of this Declaration, to be the result of fraud, criminal action, or willful misconduct on the part of such person or entity.

ARTICLE 4

ASSOCIATION ASSESSMENTS

4.1 <u>Covenant to Pay Assessments</u>. The Owner of any Lot, excluding Declarant whose obligations regarding Assessments are set forth below, by accepting a Deed for said Lot, whether or not it shall be expressed in the deed, agrees and is deemed to have agreed to pay to the Association all fees, annual assessments, supplemental assessments, and special assessments as set forth in this Declaration.

4.2 Nature and Allocation of Assessments.

- 4.2.1 <u>Association Expenses</u>. The Common Expenses and all obligations of the Association, as identified in the Act, this Declaration, and the Bylaws, shall be funded through fees, annual assessments, supplemental assessments, and special assessments levied against the Lots.
- 4.2.2 <u>Allocation of Common Expenses</u>. The Common Expenses will be apportioned equally among, and assessed equally to, all Owners; provided, however, that the portion of the Common Expenses which is attributable solely the Owners of certain Residences, or attributable to Benefitted Areas, will be apportioned only to the affected category of Owners.
- 4.2.3 Benefitted Areas. Declarant may create, modify, or discontinue one or more benefitted service areas (each, a "Benefitted Area") which receive certain services or benefits from the Association which the Association does not provide to all areas of the Project. Alternatively, a Benefitted Area may receive the same services or benefits which the Association provides to other areas within the Project but at a higher level or more frequent occurrence than is otherwise applicable to other areas within the Project. Lots within the Project may be located within more than one Benefitted Area. A Benefitted Area may contain Lots or other parcels within the Project which are not contiguous. After the Period of Declarant's Control, the Board may create, modify, or discontinue Benefitted Areas; provided, however, that any such action must have the approval of at least sixty-seven percent (67%) of the Owners of Lots within the affected Benefitted Area. In connection with the Budget identified in Section 4.4, the Board will identify with specificity the allocation of the portion of Common Expenses which is attributable to each Benefitted Area and the basis for that allocation.
- 4.3 Types of Fees and Assessments. The Association may impose the following fees and assessments:
 - 4.3.1 <u>Reinvestment Fee</u>. If a separate notice is recorded, as required under Utah law, then the initial Owner purchasing a Lot from the Declarant, and each subsequent

Owner of a Lot, shall be obligated to pay the Association, upon and as a result of a transfer of the real property, a fee that is dedicated to benefitting the Property ("Reinvestment Fee") as allowed under Utah Code § 57-1-46 (as the same may be amended from time to time). If not paid at the closing of such Owner's purchase of a Lot, the Reinvestment Fee shall be due and payable to the Association within the first calendar month of ownership of a Lot. The Reinvestment Fee shall be dedicated to meeting the Association's obligations and benefitting the Property and the Project and may be used for any purpose allowed by law. If imposed, the initial amount of the Reinvestment Fee will be set by the Declarant and may be adjusted from time to time by the Declarant during the Period of Declarant's Control and thereafter by the Board.

- 4.3.2 Annual Assessment. Each Owner shall pay an annual assessment for each Lot owned by such Owner, and a prorated portion of such annual assessment shall be due upon each Owner taking title such Lot. The annual assessment shall be the Lot's share of the total annual amount necessary for the Association to perform all of its obligations, whether imposed by the Act, this Declaration, or the Bylaws. Without limitation, the annual assessment shall include each Lot's share of the Common Expenses including the cost to maintain and preserve the Common Areas, including insurance thereon, the amounts necessary to perform the Association's other maintenance obligations, the amounts necessary to fund the Association's reserve fund in a manner consistent with the Act, the Association's administrative expenses, and the amount any obligations imposed on the Association by any applicable law, ordinances, or regulations, all of which shall be identified in the Association's budget. The annual assessment shall be fixed, and from time to time adjusted, by the Declarant during the Period of Declarant's Control and thereafter by the Board in accordance with the provisions of the Act. At a minimum, the Board or the Declarant shall review the annual assessment on an annual basis and make such adjustments as are necessary. The Declarant or the Board may require that the annual assessment attributable to each Lot be divided in twelve equal shares and paid in the form of a "monthly membership assessment," to be due and payable each month on a date fixed by the Board. Subject to the exemption for the Declarant set forth below, and subject to apportionment as set forth in Section 4.2.2 of this Declaration, the amount of the annual assessment shall be fixed at a uniform rate for each Lot assessed and shall be a portion of the Association's annual Common Expenses determined by dividing the total Common Expenses by the number of Lots to which assessments are imposed. As additional Lots are constructed or conveyed to purchasers, the Declarant or the Board shall adjust the amount of the annual assessment accordingly.
- 4.3.3 <u>Supplemental Assessment</u>. In the event the annual assessment is insufficient to meet the Association's regular recurring obligations in any given fiscal year, the Declarant during the Period of Declarant's Control or the Board thereafter may assess a

supplemental assessment against each Lot for a share of any supplemental amount necessary to meet the Association's annual obligations. Each Lot's share of a supplemental assessment shall be determined in the manner for annual assessments as set forth in Section 4.3.2 of this Declaration.

- 4.3.4 Special Assessment. The Declarant may, during the Period of Declarant's Control, assess a special assessment to pay for special, non-recurring, or emergency expenses of the Association or the Project which exceed the Association's annual budget for the fiscal year during which such expenses arise, including but not limited to expenses related to damage to the Project, unanticipated repairs, and Common Area improvements. A special assessment may be payable over time in appropriate circumstances. After the Period of Declarant's Control, such a special assessment may be imposed by the Board, but only with the affirmative vote of fifty-one percent (51%) of the total number of Owners in the Association. Any special assessment shall represent the pro-rata share of such expenses attributable to the Lot or Lots benefited by such expenses, or to which such expenses apply. In the event such expenses apply to or benefit less than all the Lots in the Project, the Declarant or Board may impose a special assessment against less than all of the Lots in the Project. Without limiting the foregoing, if the Association elects to perform maintenance on any Residence as provided in Article 7 the costs incurred in performing such maintenance will be a special assessment attributable to the affected Owner.
- 4.3.5 <u>Capital Improvements</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Declaration, after the Period of Declarant's Control, the Association shall not make any Capital Improvement, as defined below, without the authorization of fifty-one percent (51%) of the Owners voting at a duly held meeting called for the purpose of proposing such Capital Improvement. For purposes of this Section, a "Capital Improvement" shall mean the installation of new Improvement located within a Common Area or other portion of the Project owned or managed by the Association, for which funds are not otherwise identified in the Association's budget. If approved as provided in this Section, the cost of a Capital Improvement may be assessed to the Lots as a special assessment.
- 4.4 <u>Budget</u>. The annual assessment shall be determined on the basis of a fiscal year beginning January 1 and ending December 31 of each year, provided that for the first fiscal year shall begin on the date of the conveyance of the first Lot by Declarant. On or before December 1 of each year thereafter, the Board shall prepare and furnish to each Owner, or cause to be prepared and furnished to each Owner, an operating budget for the upcoming fiscal year. The budget shall itemize the estimated Common Expenses for such fiscal year, the anticipated receipts (if any), and any deficit or surplus from the prior operation period. The budget shall serve as the supporting document for the annual assessment for the upcoming fiscal year and as the major guideline under which the Project shall be operated during such annual period. On or before December 1 of each

year, the Board shall also notify each Owner of the amount of the following fiscal year's annual assessment for each Lot owned by such Owner.

- 4.5 Reserve Account. The Association must comply with the terms and provisions of the Act relating to a reserve analysis and the funding of a reserve account for those Common Areas of the Project, if any, for which the Association is required to maintain a reserve account. Any reserve account will be funded by assessments imposed in accordance with the terms of this Article 4.
- 4.6 <u>Lien and Personal Obligation</u>. The fees and assessments identified above, together with any applicable late payment fees, interest, costs, and reasonable attorney fees, and any other financial obligations owed to the Association as permitted under this Declaration, shall be a charge and lien against the Lot against which such assessment is imposed. In addition, each Owner's obligation to satisfy such assessments and obligations is an independent and personal covenant of such Owner, with all amounts being due and payable without setoff or deduction when assessed. In the event of a failure to pay such assessments, or other default, the Association may pursue an action against the Owner to collect the assessment and enforce the lien against a Lot by foreclosure in the manner set forth below. The Association's lien shall be a continuing lien on each Lot and shall be subordinate to a First Mortgage, where the Mortgagee is a lender who loaned funds for the purchase of the Lot, and shall also be subordinate to a lien for property taxes or other public assessments, but the Association's lien shall be superior to all other liens, charges, or encumbrances of any sort which shall hereafter arise or be imposed on any Lot. The Association's lien shall not be affected by the sale or transfer of any Lot.
- 4.7 <u>Statement and Evidence of Payment</u>. Upon receipt of a written request by an Owner, or any other person or entity, the Board shall within a reasonable time issue to such Owner or other person or entity a written certificate stating, as applicable, (i) that all annual, special, and supplemental assessments (plus any applicable costs or fees) have been paid with respect to any specified Lot as of the date of the certificate, or (ii) if all assessments have not been paid, the amount of such outstanding annual, special, or supplemental assessments (plus any applicable costs or fees) due and payable as the date of the certificate. The Board may make a reasonable charge for issuing such certificates. Any such certificate, when issued as provided herein, shall be conclusive and binding with respect to any matter therein stated.

4.8 Exemption for Declarant and Commercial Builders.

4.8.1 <u>Declarant</u>. No assessment for a Lot owned by the Declarant shall be imposed until such Lot is conveyed to a subsequent purchaser. After the date a Lot is conveyed to a purchaser, the full amount of the assessment attributable to such Lot shall be imposed and collected from the new Owner in the manner set forth in this Declaration.

- 4.8.2 <u>Commercial Builder</u>. Any Lot transferred to a builder or developer other than Declarant who acquires five (5) or more Lots within the Project for the purpose of constructing homes for sale to residential customers ("Commercial Builder"), will be partially exempt from assessments according to the terms of this Section. Immediately upon transfer from the Declarant the Commercial Builder will be responsible to pay twenty-five percent (25%) of any assessment attributable to each Lot owned by such Commercial Builder. The Commercial Builder's exemption will expire, and the full assessment attributable to such Lots will be come due and payable, upon the first to occur of twelve (12) months following the transfer of such Lot from Declarant or a certificate of occupancy for a Residence on the Property being issued.
- 4.8.3 <u>Limit of Exemption</u>. In the event that assessments collected from Owners are insufficient to meet the Association's obligations, then notwithstanding the foregoing exemptions, Declarant and any Commercial Builder will be obligated to contribute, prorata based on the number of Lots owned, an amount necessary to offset such shortfall; provided that the required contribution shall not exceed the entire amount that would have been payable by Declarant or a Commercial Builder had the exemption not applied.

4.9 Effect of Non-Payment and Remedies.

- 4.9.1 <u>Late Fees and Interest</u>. Any assessment not paid within ten (10) days from the due date thereof shall be subject to a late payment fee in an amount to be determined by the Board. In addition, all fees and assessments not paid when due shall bear interest at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per annum, or at such lesser rate as may be set from time to time by the Board.
- 4.9.2 <u>Legal Remedies</u>. The Association may bring an action at law against the Owner personally obligated to pay the same, and may foreclose the lien against such Owner's Lot in the manner provided by the laws of the State of Utah, and in the event a judgment is obtained, such judgment shall include interest on the assessment and reasonable attorney fees to be fixed by the court, together with the costs of the action. Foreclosure or attempted foreclosure by the Association of its lien shall not be deemed to estop or otherwise preclude the Association from thereafter again foreclosing or attempting to foreclose the Association's lien for any subsequent assessments, charges, costs or fees, which are not fully paid when due. The Association shall have the power and right to bid on or purchase any Lot at foreclosure or other legal sale, and to acquire and hold, lease, mortgage, vote the membership votes appurtenant to ownership of such Lot, and to convey or otherwise deal with such Lot. In addition to the other rights and remedies set forth herein, the Association shall have all of the rights and remedies pertaining to enforcement of

assessment liens as set forth in, and to be exercised in accordance with, the provisions of the Act, including, without limitation, the provisions in Utah Code §§ 57-8a-302 and -303, as the same may be amended. To this end, the Declarant (and each Owner by acceptance of a deed to a Lot) hereby conveys and warrants pursuant to Utah Code §§ 57-1-20 and 57-8a-302 to Cottonwood Title Insurance Agency, Inc., as trustee, with power of sale, the Lot and all improvements to the Lot for the purpose of securing payment of assessments under the terms of this Declaration. The Association shall have the right to substitute said trustee and appoint a successor trustee as provided by statute. The lien of the Association shall be superior and prior to all other liens and encumbrances except liens and encumbrances recorded prior to the recordation of this Declaration, a First Mortgage on a Lot, and assessments, liens, and charges in favor of the State of Utah or a political subdivision thereof imposed for taxes or other governmental assessments or charges past due and unpaid. In any action brought by the Association (or counterclaim or cross-claim brought by the Association) to collect assessments or to foreclose a lien for unpaid assessments, the Association shall be entitled to have a receiver of the Owner appointed to collect all sums alleged to be due from the Owner prior to or during the pendency of the action. The court may order the receiver to pay any sums held by the receiver to the Association during the pendency of the action to the extent of the Association's assessments of any kind or nature permitted hereunder.

ARTICLE 5

COMMON AREAS

- 5.1 <u>Identification</u>. The Project may have Common Areas consisting of portions of the Project intended for the common use of the Owners, including areas, if any, designated as Common Areas on the Plat Map.
 - 5.1.1 No Guaranty of Common Areas. The Common Areas for the Project may include a pool, clubhouse, parks, pickle ball courts, and other amenities. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Declarant shall have no obligation under this Declaration to construct or otherwise install any Common Areas for the Project other than those items, if any, required by the City in connection with the approvals for the Project.
 - 5.1.2 <u>Declarant's Right to Modify</u>. During the Period of Declarant's Control, Declarant may, in Declarant's discretion, alter or amend the scope and extent Common Areas. The Declarant during the Period of Declarant's Control, and the Association thereafter, may install additional amenities on Common Areas which are deemed appropriate or beneficial to the Project.

- 5.2 <u>Use and Enjoyment</u>. Except as provided herein, each Owner shall have a non-exclusive right to use and enjoy the Common Areas. The right of use and enjoyment shall include an access easement to and over all Common Areas.
 - 5.2.1 <u>Limited Common Areas</u>. Attached Residences and Benefitted Areas may include certain Common Areas that are intended for the use and enjoyment of some, but not all, of the Owners ("Limited Common Areas").
 - 5.2.2 <u>Transfer</u>. The right to use and enjoy the Common Areas shall be appurtenant to such Owner's ownership of a Lot within the Project and shall immediately transfer upon any conveyance of the Lot.
- 5.3 Ownership. The Common Areas, including Limited Common Areas, shall be owned by the Association and Declarant hereby dedicates the Common Areas to the Association.
- Regulations adopted by the Board. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Rules and Regulations adopted by the Board may include reasonable restrictions on the time, manner, and character of use of the Common Areas, including Limited Common Areas, by the Owners, their guests, or invitees, including the limitations on total number of persons permitted to use the Common Areas, including the clubhouse facility, at any given time. The Board may enforce the Rules and Regulations as provided in Section 2.6 of this Declaration.
- 5.5 <u>Maintenance</u>. The Association, directly or through the Manger or other designated agents, shall improve, develop, supervise, manage, operate, examine, insure, inspect, care for, repair, replace and maintain the Common Areas, including Limited Common Areas. The Association shall maintain all landscaping of the Common Areas. The Association shall pay all utility charges attributable to the Common Areas. No Owner, directly or indirectly, shall make any alterations to any Common Areas without prior written consent of the Board.
- 5.6 No Obstruction. No person shall obstruct or permanently occupy any portion of a Common Area without prior written permission of the Board.
- 5.7 <u>Limitations on Use</u>. In addition to restrictions set forth in the Rules and Regulations, an Owner's right to use and enjoy the Common Areas may be temporarily or permanently restricted in the following circumstances consistent with, and to the extent allowed by, the Act:
 - 5.7.1 Any period during which the Assessments imposed against such Owner's Lot remain unpaid.

5.7.2 Any period during which such Owner, such Owner's Lot, or any Improvement upon such Owner's Lot is or remains in a state of non-compliance with the Covenants set forth in this Declaration, the terms of the Bylaws, or the Rules and Regulations adopted by the Board, including, without limitation, the failure to maintain an Owner's Residence as provided in Article 7. Notwithstanding the foregoing, each Owner shall have fifteen (15) days after receiving written notice of such non-compliance to remedy the same, and shall have the opportunity for a hearing before the Board, before any restriction shall be imposed under this Section 5.7.2.

ARTICLE 6

USE LIMITATIONS

- 6.1 <u>Compliance with Declaration</u>. Each Owner shall fully comply with, and shall cause such Owner's guests and invitees to fully comply with, the Covenants set forth in this Declaration, the terms of the Bylaws, and the Rules and Regulations adopted by the Board.
- 6.2 <u>Leasing</u>. The Association may adopt Rules and Regulations governing the leasing of any Residence within the Project; provided, however, that in no instance shall any Owner lease less than the entire Residence (i.e., leasing of individual bedrooms or other portions of a Residence is not permitted). Any lease or rental agreement which is entered into in violation of the terms of this Declaration or any applicable Rules and Regulations shall be void. The Association may enforce the terms of this Section as provided in Section 2.6.
- 6.3 No Further Subdivision. No Lot or Common Area shall be further subdivided or separated into smaller parcels. No conveyance of less than all of any Lot shall be permitted.
- 6.4 <u>Prompt Repair</u>. Each Residence and other Improvement on an Owner's Lot shall be kept in good repair. As applicable, the Owner or Association shall promptly repair damage to any Residence or Improvement on such Owner's Lot.
- 6.5 <u>Nuisances and Offensive, Unsightly, and Unsafe Conditions.</u> No Owner shall permit any noxious, offensive, unsightly, or unsafe activity, object, animal, or condition to exist on such Owner's Lot. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, no unreasonable noise or disturbance shall be permitted on any Lot. Trailers, mobile homes, trucks other than pickups, boats, tractors, vehicles other than automobiles, campers not on a truck, snowmobiles, snow removal equipment and garden or maintenance equipment shall be kept at all times, except when in actual use, behind approved fencing or otherwise enclosed or screened from view. Refuse, garbage and trash shall be kept at all times in a covered, noiseless container and any such container shall be kept within an enclosed structure or appropriately screened from view. Service areas, storage piles, compost piles and facilities for hanging, drying or airing clothing or household fabrics shall be

appropriately screened from view. No lumber, grass, shrub or tree clippings or plant waste, metals, bulk materials or scrap or refuse or trash shall be kept, stored or allowed to accumulate on any Lot, except within an enclosed structure or when appropriately screened from view. No Owner shall dispose, or permit to be disposed, any oil, gas, toxic or hazardous material, or other unsafe substance within the Project. The Board may adopt reasonable Rules and Regulations to further clarify the responsibilities of Owners under this Section.

- 6.6 <u>Ingress and Egress</u>. Each Owner shall have a right of ingress to and egress from such Owner's Lot, with such right of ingress and egress being perpetual and appurtenant to ownership of the Lot.
- 6.7 Encroachment. Subject to Section 9.2.1 of this Declaration, no Improvement on any Lot shall encroach on an adjoining Lot or Common Area and any such encroaching Improvements must immediately be removed at the expense of the Owner of the Lot from which the Improvement encroaches. If, however, encroachment occurs due to natural settling or shifting or for other reasons beyond the control of the Owner, the Owner shall be deemed to have an easement for the maintenance of such encroaching Improvement which shall exist, and shall run with the land, for so long as the encroaching Improvement exists.
- 6.8 <u>View Impairment</u>. Declarant makes no representation or guarantee that the view from, across, or over any Owner's Lot will remain the same as when purchased by such Owner. Construction of Residences or other Improvements within the Project may affect such Owner's view. In addition, landscaping and trees may also impact an Owner's view and the Declarant and Association will have no obligation to prune or trim any landscaping or trees.

ARTICLE 7

MAINTENANCE

7.1 Maintenance by Owner. Each Owner shall maintain such Owner's Lot, and all permitted Improvements thereon, in good repair and in a clean and tidy manner, and in accordance with the Covenants and the Design Guidelines so as to not detract from the overall appearance of the Project. Each Owner shall maintain such Owner's Lot and Residence at the Owner's expense without any sctoff right. The Board may adopt reasonable Rules and Regulations governing the appearance and use of driveways, decks, patios, and balconies within the Project. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each Owner has the following obligations.

7.1.1 Reserved.

7.1.2 <u>Association Maintenance of Attached Residences</u>. Notwithstanding anything in this Declaration to the contrary, the Association may assume responsibility for

the maintenance of the exteriors of Attached Residences if such assumption is approved by the Board.

7.1.3 Attached Residences and Party Walls. Attached Residences may share one or more common wall ("Party Wall") with an adjacent Residence. Unless the Association assumes the responsibility for maintenance of a Party Wall, the Owner of each Residence containing a Party Wall has a joint duty, with the Owner of the adjoining Residence, to maintain the Party Wall. No Owner of an Attached Residence shall do any act or perform any work that will, or may, impair any component (including, without limitation, the roof, foundation, exterior surfaces and siding) of the adjacent Residence. To the extent such maintenance is not performed by the Association, each Owner of an Attached Residence has a duty to each Owner of each adjoining Attached Residence to keep the exterior components of such Owner's Attached Residence well maintained, in good repair and free from any condition that could adversely affect or impact the adjoining Attached Residence. This Section may be enforced by the Association as provided in Section 2.6 or by any affected Owner. This Section will not be deemed to invalidate or restrict any common law rights or remedies available to Owners of Attached Residences with respect to adjoining Attached Residences.

7.1.4 Reserved.

- 7.1.5 <u>Utilities</u>. Unless maintained by the Association, each Owner shall be responsible for the maintenance, repair, and replacement of all utility lines serving such Owner's Residence, provided that no Owner shall do any work or perform any act that will, or may, impair the ability of any utility lines or fixtures to serve other Residences within the Project.
- 7.2 <u>Maintenance by Association</u>. The Association shall maintain the Common Areas. The Association shall keep Common Areas and other areas for which it is responsible clean, appropriately landscaped, functional, attractive, and generally in good condition and repair consistent with any applicable requirements of the City. In the event that maintenance or repair to Common Areas is caused by the willful or negligent acts of any Owner or group of Owners, or by their guests or invitees, the cost of such maintenance may be assessed solely to the responsible Owner or Owners as a special assessment.
- 7.3 Roads and Streets. Unless otherwise designated on the Plat Map, all roads and streets within the Project will be private and maintained by the Association and the cost thereof will be a Common Expense.

- 7.4 <u>Utilities</u>. The Owner of each Lot shall pay for all utility services provided to such Lot, except utility services which are not separately billed or metered. Any such common utilities shall be paid by the Association and an appropriate share shall be charged to each Lot as part of the annual assessment.
- 7.5 Remedies. Among other available remedies, the Association shall have the right to enter each Owner's Lot and perform maintenance otherwise required to be performed by an Owner and to recover the cost of such maintenance from such Owner as a special assessment against such Owner and such Owner's Lot if the Association determines that such Owner is unwilling or unable to timely perform such maintenance. Except in the case of an emergency, the Association may not exercise this remedy unless: (a) the Owner has been given written notice of the need to perform such maintenance and fifteen (15) days have elapsed since such notice was given without the required maintenance being performed by such Owner, and (b) the Owner is given the opportunity for a hearing before the Board.
- 7.6 <u>Maintenance of Detention Basin</u>. The Association shall be responsible for a share of the cost of maintaining an off-site detention basin as s provided in that certain *Easement Agreement for Stormwater Retention*, recorded in Davis County on July 23, 2019, as Entry No. 3174420. The cost of such maintenance will be a common expense.

ARTICLE 8

ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL

- 8.1 <u>Architectural Control Committee</u>. Declarant may establish an Architectural Control Committee ("ACC"). If established, all Improvements within the Project will be subject to design review and prior approval by the ACC. If established, the ACC shall be governed by the following provisions.
 - 8.1.1 <u>Composition and Selection</u>. During the Period of Declarant's Control, Declarant shall select, change, and remove from time to time the members of the ACC, which shall number no less than three (3) members. During the Period of Declarant's Control, members of the ACC do not need to be Owners. Following the Period of Declarant's Control, the members of the ACC will be selected by the Board and must be Owners.
 - 8.1.2 <u>Design Guidelines</u>. The ACC will adopt criteria for the design, construction, maintenance, repair, and landscaping of the Residences and all other Improvements permitted within the Project ("**Design Guidelines**"). The Design Guidelines shall be consistent with the building, land use, and other ordinances and regulations of the City, but may be stricter than such ordinances and regulations. The ACC must make the Design

Guidelines available to all Owners or prospective Owners and, if possible, shall publish the Design Guidelines in electronic format.

- 8.1.3 <u>Compliance</u>. All Residences, fences, and other Improvements must be constructed and maintained in accordance with the Design Guidelines. Prior to construction, alteration, modification, or replacement of any Improvements within the Project, an Owner shall submit plans for the same to the ACC. The ACC shall evaluate all such plans for compliance with the Design Guidelines.
- 8.1.4 <u>Procedure</u>. The ACC may establish a schedule of reasonable fees for review of plans for any proposed Improvements and collect such fees before any obligation to review plans under this Article 8. The ACC may employ architects, engineers, and other professionals to review plans submitted by an Owner. The Owner shall pay all expenses reasonably associated with the ACC's review of the plans. The ACC shall approve or deny such plans in writing within thirty (30) business days following receipt of the same. Failure to approve or deny such plans within the time period provided shall constitute disapproval of the same.
- 8.1.5 <u>Enforcement</u>. The ACC shall have the right, but not the duty, to enforce compliance with the Design Guidelines, including by means of fines levied by the Association or by legal action, in which case the ACC shall be entitled to recover the costs of enforcement, including reasonable attorney fees.
- 8.2 <u>Construction</u>. Unless otherwise permitted by the Board, any builder must use its best efforts to complete construction of each Residence within twelve (12) months from the commencement of construction. This includes all exterior painting and finish work and the installation of all required landscaping. During the construction of any Improvement, the affected Lot must be kept reasonably clean and tidy and all construction debris must be controlled and regularly removed. All construction activities must comply with the Covenants set forth in this Declaration, the terms of the Bylaws, and the Rules and Regulations adopted by the Board and all local zoning ordinances, building codes, and other applicable laws.
- 8.3 Exemption for Declarant and Commercial Builders. Nothing in this Article 8 shall prohibit or restrict the ability of the Declarant to use any Lots owned by Declarant, and the Common Areas during the Period of Declarant's Control, for any purposes consistent with or intended to facilitate the improvement and sale of Lots owned by Declarant. Declarant shall not be bound by the Design Guidelines and reserves the right to alter or modify the plans for any Improvement on any Lot at any time Declarant owns such Lot. Declarant shall not be bound by the time limitation for construction activities set forth in this Declarant may maintain and operate marketing activities are exempt from the Design Guidelines. Declarant may maintain and operate

temporary structures for construction, sales, or business purposes. Commercial Builders are exempt from the requirements of Section 8.1 and its subparts.

ARTICLE 9

EASEMENTS

- 9.1 Easements Shown on Plat Map. The Property and Lots are subject to the easements, rights of way, encroachments, and other encumbrances as shown on the Plat Map. Within such easements, no Improvement of any type shall be placed or permitted to remain which may damage or interfere with the intended purpose of such easement.
- 9.2 <u>Easements Reserved</u>. In addition to easements shown on the Plat Map or otherwise provided for in this Declaration, the following easements, and right to grant easements, are reserved for the benefit of the Declarant, the Owners, and the Association:
 - 9.2.1 Easement for Encroachment. If, because of an error in original construction, an error on the Plat Map, natural settling or shifting of the earth, or good faith mistakes during repair or reconstruction, any part of the Common Areas encroaches on an adjoining Lot, an easement for the encroachment and for maintenance of the Common Areas shall exist in favor of the Declarant during the Period of Declarant's Control and the Association thereafter.
 - 9.2.2 <u>Public Dedication</u>. The Declarant reserves, for itself and its successors and assigns, the right to dedicate all roads, streets, alleys, open space, rights of way or easements shown on the Plat Map to public use. No road, street, avenue, alley, right of way or easement shall be laid out or constructed through or across any Lot or Lots in the Project except as set forth in this Declaration, or as shown on the Plat Map.
 - 9.2.3 <u>Current Utility Easements</u>. The Association and public utility or public service providers shall have an easement for the installation, maintenance, and repair of such utilities and services as shown on the Plat Map. Except for equipment or improvements for which the public utility or public service provider is responsible, each Owner shall maintain the portion of such Owner's Lot burdened by a utility easement.
 - 9.2.4 <u>Future Utility Easements</u>. Declarant reserves, for itself and its successors and assigns, an easement, and the right to grant easements to any person, individual, corporate body, or municipality, across, over, under, upon, and through any Lot, Common Area, road, street, open space, or other portion of the Project, for the installation, construction, maintenance, reconstruction and repair of public, quasi-public, or private utilities and related facilities to serve the Project and the Lots therein, including but not limited to the mains, conduits, pipelines, laterals, underground or above-ground lines and

cables, transmission facilities, meters and other facilities and appurtenances necessary or useful for the provision or management of water, stormwater, storm sewer, sanitary sewer, gas, electricity, telephone, cable television, internet and data and other public, quasi-public or private services or utilities deemed by Declarant necessary or advisable to provide any service to the Project or any Lot, Common Area, or other portion thereof.

- 9.2.5 Grading and Drainage. Declarant reserves, for itself and its successors and assigns, the right at or after the time of grading of any street or any part thereof for any purpose, to enter upon any abutting Lot and grade a portion of such Lot adjacent to such street, provided such grading does not materially interfere with the use or occupancy of any Residence built on such Lot, but Declarant shall not be under any obligation or duty to do such grading or to maintain any slope. In addition, if Declarant establishes a drainage system within the Project, each Owner must maintain such drainage system and not do anything to modify or interfere with the same.
- 9.2.6 Right of Entry onto Lots. The Declarant during the Period of Declarant's Control and the Association thereafter shall have the right, through authorized agents, to enter onto any Lot after reasonable notice to the Owner thereof for the purpose of performing maintenance or determining whether the Lot, or any Improvements thereon, complies with this Declaration, the Bylaws, and the Rules and Regulations. Except in the event of an emergency, entry made pursuant to this Section shall be during normal business hours, at a time convenient for the Owner, after reasonable notice.
- 9.2.7 Right of Entry onto Common Areas. Declarant during the Period of Declarant's Control and the Association thereafter shall have the right, through authorized agents, to enter upon the Common Areas for maintenance, repair, replacement, and such other purposes as Declarant deems necessary, including the right to make openings and excavations thereon, which openings and excavations shall be restored in a reasonable period of time, and the right to make such alterations of the contour of the land as may be necessary or desirable to affect such purposes.
- 9.3 <u>Easement for Entry Monuments</u>. Declarant reserves the right to place, at Declarant's discretion and at any time during the Period of Declarant's Control, one or more entry monuments on one or more Lots within the Project, provided that any such monuments shall not unreasonably interfere with the residential use of such Lot. If the Declarant elects to install one or more entry monument, the Association shall thereafter have an easement on the affected Lot or Lots for the purpose of maintenance of such monument and such maintenance shall be a Common Expense.

ARTICLE 10

DECLARANT RIGHTS AND CONTROL

- 10.1 <u>Declarant's Administrative Control</u>. During the Period of Declarant's Control, neither the Board nor the Association shall take any action binding on, or enforceable against, the Association or the Declarant without Declarant's prior written approval.
- 10.2 <u>Construction Activities</u>. So long as Declarant owns at least one (1) Lot within the Project, Declarant shall have the right to conduct construction activities on or related to such Lot and shall not be bound by any limitations related to construction activities set forth in this Declaration. During the Period of Declarant's Control, Declarant shall have a non-exclusive easement and right-of-way in, through, under, over and across the Common Area for the purpose of the storage of building supplies and materials, and for all other purposes reasonably related to the completion of construction and development of the Project and the provision of utility services and other services or facilities to the Project. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Declaration to the contrary, Declarant, in its absolute discretion, shall have the right to construct and install any and all Improvements within the Project which Declarant desires, so long as they comply with the applicable ordinances of the City, but this provision shall not be construed to impose any obligations on Declarant to construct any such Improvements.
- 10.3 <u>Sales Activities</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Declaration, so long as Declarant owns at least one (1) Lot within the Project, Declarant shall have the right to conduct reasonable sales activities including, but not limited to maintaining one or more sales office or model home on Lots owned by the Declarant and using the same for business purposes and maintaining a reasonable number of "for sale" signs or other similar marketing materials in the Project.
- 10.4 <u>Declarant's Rights Assignable</u>. Declarant may assign the rights of Declarant set forth under this Declaration, or those rights in any way relating to the Property to a purchaser or successor in interest. Upon such assignment, such assignee shall be deemed the Declarant for all purposes under this Declaration.

ARTICLE 11

INSURANCE

11.1 <u>Insurance Held by Owner</u>. Each Owner shall obtain and maintain insurance covering the personal contents of the Residence or other Improvements on such Owner's Lot. Each Owner shall also maintain a policy of homeowner's insurance on the Residence on such Owner's Lot, protecting such Residence against casualty and loss, in an amount not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the current replacement value of such Residence.

- 11.2 <u>Limitation of Association's Insurance</u>. Unless otherwise required by law, the insurance held by the Association pursuant to this Declaration or the Act will not cover personal property of Owners or occupants of the Residence.
- 11.3 <u>Insurance Held by Association</u>. The Association shall obtain and maintain all insurance policies required by Part 4 of the Act consistent with the terms and conditions of the Act. All premiums for insurance policies held by the Association shall be funded by Assessments. Without limiting the foregoing, the Association shall obtain and maintain:
 - 11.3.1 Property and liability insurance for all Common Areas.
 - 11.3.2 Property insurance for all the exterior components of Attached Residences in the Project and other elements of Attached Residences as required by law. The cost of premium for coverage of Attached Residences will be allocated solely to the Owners of Attached Residences.
 - 11.3.3 Fidelity insurance (e.g., directors and officers coverage) for members of the Board, officers of the Association, and other employees or agents of the Association as the Board deems necessary or appropriate.
 - 11.3.4 Workers compensation insurance for any employees of the Association as required under applicable law.
 - 11.3.5 Such other insurance policies for casualty or liability as the Board deems necessary or desirable and with coverages and coverage limits comparable to similarly situated homeowner associations in the general market area of the Project. The Board is not limited to those coverages specifically required or permitted under the Act.
- 11.4 <u>Association's Right to Negotiate Claims and Losses</u>. Each Owner appoints the Board, or the Board's designee, as attorney-in-fact with respect to negotiating claims and losses covered by any policy held by the Association.
- 11.5 <u>Deductible</u>. If permitted by the Act, the deductible on any claim made under a policy maintained by the Association shall be allocated among all Owners if the loss affects the Common Areas or all the Lots in the Project or, if the loss affects or impacts less than all the Lots in the Project, the deductible shall be allocated among the Owners of affected Lots.

ARTICLE 12

DURATION AND AMENDMENT

- 12.1 <u>Duration</u>. This Declaration shall be effective, and the Covenants set forth herein shall encumber the Property, from the date the Declaration is recorded in the County Recorder's Office and, as amended from time to time, this Declaration shall continue in full force and effect against the Property and the Covenants shall run with the land in perpetuity, for as long as the law allows unless amended or terminated as provided herein.
- 12.2 <u>Amendment</u>. During the Period of Declarant's Control, the Declarant shall have the right to amend this Declaration without the consent of any other Owner. Any other amendment proposed during the Period of Declarant's Control must be approved by sixty-seven percent (67%) of the Members of the Association and must also be approved by the Declarant in writing before it can be effective. After the Period of Declarant's Control, this Declaration may be amended by the affirmative vote of not less than sixty-seven percent (67%) of the Members of the Association and such amendment must contain a statement from the Board certifying that the required vote has taken place. No amendment to this Declaration shall be effective until it is recorded in the County Recorder's Office.
- 12.3 <u>Termination</u>. An agreement to terminate this Declaration and the Covenants set forth herein, shall require same approval required for an amendment as set forth in Section 12.2 of this Declaration. In addition, after the Period of Declarant's Control any agreement to terminate must be approved, or deemed approved, by at least sixty-seven percent (67%) of the Eligible Mortgagees as provided in Section 14.3.3 of this Declaration.

ARTICLE 13

MANDATORY DISPUTE RESOLUTION REQUIREMENTS

Statement of Intent. Prior to purchasing a Lot, every Owner is capable of obtaining an inspection and is permitted to perform, or pay someone else to perform, an inspection on any Lot that Owner is purchasing or any other aspect of the Project, including, without limitation, the Common Areas. Moreover, if any written warranty has been provided, it identifies the only items that are warranted by the Declarant. Having had the ability to inspect prior to purchasing a Lot, having received a written warranty if any warranty is provided, and having paid market price for a Lot in the condition it and the Lots and Common Areas are in at the time of purchase, it is acknowledged that it is unfair and improper to later seek to have the Declarant and/or any subcontractor performing work in the Project to change, upgrade, or add additional work to the Project outside of any express warranty obligation. Moreover, the Owners (by purchasing a Lot) and the Declarant acknowledge and agree that litigation is an undesirable method of resolving disputes and conflicts in that it can be slow, expensive, uncertain, and can often negatively impact the sale value and ability to obtain financing for the purchase of Lots for years, unfairly prejudicing those Owners who must or want to sell their Lot during any period when litigation is pending. For this reason, the Owners, by purchasing a Lot, and the Declarant covenant and agree that claims and disputes shall not be pursued through court action, but shall be asserted and resolved only

through the specific alternative dispute resolution mechanisms described below and only after full disclosure, satisfaction of the right to cure periods, and knowing approval of the Owners, as set forth in the provisions of this Article 13. In addition, the Association and the Owners agree that they take ownership and possession of the Lots and Common Areas AS IS, with no warranties of any kind except as maybe provided in writing or as otherwise required as a matter of law. Unless otherwise provided in writing (and then only except to the extent of such writing), the Declarant specifically disclaims any and all warranties of merchantability, fitness for a particular use, or of habitability, to the full extent allowed by law.

claims and disputes of any kind that any Owner, group of Owners, or the Association may have involving the Declarant, or any agent, employee, executing officer, manager, affiliate or owner of the Declarant, or any engineer or contractor involved in the design or construction of the Project, which arise from or are in any way related to the design, use, construction, or maintenance of any Residence or other Improvement on a Lot, the Common Areas, or any other Improvement on, or component of, the Project (each, a "Dispute"), shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in lieu of litigation. Binding arbitration shall be the sole remedy for resolving claims and disputes between or involving the Declarant and any Owner or between or involving the Declarant and the Association. Each Owner recognizes that this Section 13.2 amounts to a WAIVER OF THE RIGHT TO A JURY TRIAL WITH RESPECT TO ANY DISPUTES and, by taking title to a Lot, knowingly agrees to that waiver. Notwithstanding the foregoing, arbitration proceedings shall not be commenced unless all of the Pre-Arbitration Requirements set forth in Section 13.3 have been satisfied in full. Without in any way limiting the foregoing, Disputes subject to binding arbitration shall include the following:

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- 13.2.1 Any allegation that a condition in any of the Residences on the Lots, the Common Areas, or other Improvements in the Project is or involves a construction defect;
- 13.2.2 Any disagreement as to whether an alleged construction defect has been corrected;
- 13.2.3 Any disagreement about whether any warranties, including implied warranties, are applicable to the subject matter of any Dispute;
- 13.2.4 Any disagreement as to the enforceability of any warranties alleged to be applicable to the subject matter of any Dispute;
- 13.2.5 Any disagreement about whether any warranty alleged to be applicable to the subject matter of any Dispute has been breached;

- 13.2.6 Any alleged violations of consumer protection, unfair trade practice, or other statutes or laws;
- 13.2.7 Any allegation of negligence, strict liability, fraud, and/or breach of duty of good faith, and all other claims arising in equity or from common law;
- 13.2.8 Any allegation that any condition existing in the Project or created by the Declarant (or any of its contractors), including construction-related noise, dust, and traffic, is a nuisance, a defect, or a breach of any implied warranties of habitability or other implied warranties;
- 13.2.9 Any disagreement concerning the scope of issues or claims that should be submitted to binding arbitration;
- 13.2.10 Any disagreement concerning the timeliness of performance of any act to be performed by Declarant or any of its contractors;
- 13.2.11 Any disagreement as to the payment or reimbursement of any fees associated with binding arbitration;
- 13.2.12 Any disagreement or dispute regarding management of the Association, or regarding reserve studies or funding of Association expenses; and
- 13.2.13 Any other claim or disagreement arising out of or relating to the sale, design, or construction of any of Improvement on the Lots, Common Areas, off-site improvements, the formation, operation, governance, and/or management of the Association, or other claims regarding the Project.

13.3 Pre-Arbitration Requirements.

13.3.1 Generally. An Owner or the Association may only pursue a claim against the Declarant in arbitration after ALL of the following efforts of dispute resolution have been completed: (a) the claimant (e.g. the affected Owner or the Association) shall provide to the Declarant a written Notice of Claim (defined below) and permit the Declarant one hundred eighty (180) days to cure or resolve the claim or defect or to try to get the applicable builder or the appropriate subcontractor to cure or resolve the claim or defect, prior to initiating any formal arbitration proceedings; and (b) if the Dispute is not resolved within the 180-day Right to Cure period, the parties shall participate in formal mediation with a mutually-acceptable third-party mediator in an effort to resolve the Dispute prior to taking further action or commencing arbitration. If additional, different, or modified

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claims, damages, calculations, supporting information, or descriptions are added, provided to, or asserted against the Declarant that were not included in any previously submitted Notice of Claim, the Right to Cure period provided for in this Section shall immediately apply again and any pending action or proceedings, including any mediation or arbitration, shall be stayed during the 180-day period.

- 13.3.2 Notice of Claim. For purposes of this Article 13, "Notice of Claim" shall mean and include ALL of the following information: (a) an explanation of the nature of the claim, (b) a specific breakdown and calculation of any alleged damages, (c) a specific description of the claim along with any supporting opinions, information, or factual evidence upon which the claim is based, (d) photographs of any alleged defective condition, if applicable, (e) samples of any alleged defective conditions or materials, if reasonably available, (f) an explanation of the efforts taken to avoid, mitigate, or minimize the claim or any alleged damages arising therefrom, and (g) the names, phone numbers, and address of each person providing factual information, legal or factual analysis, or legal or factual opinions related to the claim.
- Member Approval; Legal Opinion; Arbitration. If a claim or dispute has not been resolved after satisfying and complying with the above-described "Pre-Arbitration Requirements," then the claimant (Owner or Association) shall have the right to proceed with binding arbitration; however, the Association shall not pursue or commence binding arbitration unless such action is first approved by a majority of the total votes of the Association after the Association has obtained a written opinion from legal counsel advising the Association of the likelihood of success on the merits of the claims, the anticipated costs and legal fees, the anticipated expert witness fees, and the likelihood of recovery if the Association prevails. The written opinion from legal counsel, addressing these topics, must be provided to all Owners before the formal vote on whether to proceed with binding arbitration. The binding arbitration shall be conducted by a mutuallyacceptable arbitrator (preferably a former judge), or, if an arbitrator cannot be mutually selected, then by a member of the Panel of Construction Arbitrators appointed by the American Arbitration Association ("AAA"). The binding arbitration shall be conducted according to the rules and procedures set forth in the Construction Industry Arbitration Rules promulgated by the AAA. The award of the arbitrator shall be final and may be entered as a judgment by any court of competent jurisdiction.
- 13.5 <u>Fees and Costs of Arbitration</u>. Each party shall bear its own attorney fees and costs (including expert witness costs) for the arbitration. The arbitration filing fee and other arbitration fees shall be divided and paid equally as between the parties. The arbitrator **SHALL NOT** award attorney fees, expert witness fees, or arbitration costs, to the prevailing party.

- 13.6 No Waiver of Arbitration Right. If any Owner, the Association, or the Declarant files a proceeding in any court to resolve any Dispute, such action shall not constitute a waiver of the right of such party, or a bar to the right of any other party, to seek arbitration or to insist on compliance with the requirements set forth in this Article 13. If any such court action is filed, then the court in such action shall, upon motion of any party to the proceeding, stay the proceeding before it and direct that such Dispute be arbitrated in accordance with the terms set forth herein, including, without limitation, compliance with the pre-arbitration requirements set forth above.
- Waiver of Subrogation. The Association and each Owner waives any and all rights to subrogation against the Declarant and any builder, contractor, and engineer in the Project. This waiver shall be broadly construed and applied to waive, among other things, any attempt by any insurer of any Owner or of the Association from pursuing or exercising any subrogation rights, whether arising by contract, common law, or otherwise, against the Declarant, the Project engineer, and builder, contractors of the Declarant and the builder, and their officers, employees, owners, and representatives. To the full extent permitted by law, the Association and Owners hereby release Declarant, the Project engineer, and builder, and their respective officers, employees, owners, contractors, insurers, and representatives from any and all liability to the Association and all Owners, and anyone claiming through or under them by way of subrogation or otherwise, for any loss, injury, or damage to property, caused by fire or any other casualty or event, even if such fire or other casualty shall have been caused by the fault or negligence of Declarant or builder, their officers, employees, owners, and representatives. The Association and each Owner agrees that all policies of insurance shall contain a clause or endorsement to the effect that this release and waiver of subrogation shall not adversely affect or impair such policies or prejudice the right of the Association or any Owner to recover thereunder. The Association and all Owners shall indemnify and defend the Declarant, the builder, and any of their officers, employees, owners, contractors, or representatives from any claims barred or released by this provision, including but not limited to any claim brought under any right of subrogation
- 13.8 Enforcement of Covenants. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any legal action taken by Declarant to enforce the Covenants shall be subject to the terms of Section 2.6 of this Declaration, not this Article 13.

ARTICLE 14

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

14.1 <u>Damage or Destruction</u>.

14.1.1 Attorney in Fact. Each Owner irrevocably appoints the Association as such Owner's true and lawful attorney-in-fact in such Owner's name, place and stead for the purpose of dealing with the Project in the event of damage or destruction as hereinafter provided. Acceptance by any grantee of a deed from the Declarant or from any Owner shall

constitute an appointment by said grantee of the Association as his or her attorney-in-fact as herein provided. As attorney-in-fact, the Association shall have full and complete authorization, right and power to make, execute and deliver any contract, deed or other instrument with respect to the interest of an Owner which may be necessary or appropriate to exercise the powers herein granted. All insurance proceeds shall be payable to the Association, except as otherwise provided in this Declaration.

- 14.1.2 <u>Definition of Repair and Reconstruction</u>. Repair and reconstruction of the Improvements as used herein means restoring the Project to substantially the same condition in which it existed prior to the damage or destruction, with each Lot and the Common Areas having substantially the same vertical and horizontal boundaries as before.
- 14.1.3 Procedure. In the event all or any part of the Project is damaged or destroyed, the Association shall proceed as follows. The Association shall give timely written notice to any First Mortgagee on a Lot or who requests such notice in writing in the event of substantial damage to or destruction of any part of the Common Areas or a Lot subject to the Mortgage held by such First Mortgagee. As soon as practicable after an event causing damage to or destruction of any part of the Project, the Association shall obtain complete and reliable estimates of the costs to repair and reconstruct the part of the Project damaged or destroyed. In no event shall an Owner of a Lot or any other party have priority over the First Mortgagee on such Lot with respect to the distribution to such Lot of any insurance proceeds.
- 14.1.4 Repair or Reconstruction. If the damage or destruction is to be repaired or reconstructed as provided above, the Association shall, as soon as practicable after receiving the said estimate of costs, commence and diligently pursue to completion the repair and reconstruction of that part of the Project damaged or destroyed. The Association may take all necessary or appropriate action to effect repair and reconstruction, as attorney-in-fact for the Owners, and no consent or other action by any Owner shall be necessary in connection therewith, except as otherwise expressly provided herein.
- 14.1.5 <u>Disbursement of Funds for Repair and Reconstruction</u>. If repair or reconstruction is to occur, the insurance proceeds held by the Association, and any amounts received from assessments made shall constitute a fund for the payment of costs of repair and reconstruction after casualty. It shall be deemed that the first money disbursed in payment for costs of repair and reconstruction shall be made from insurance proceeds; if there is a balance after payment of all costs of such repair and reconstruction, such balance shall be distributed to the Owners equally.

14.2 <u>Condemnation.</u>

- 14.2.1 In General. If at any time, or from time to time, all or any part of the Project shall be taken or condemned by any public authority under power of eminent domain, the provisions of this Section shall apply. A voluntary sale or conveyance of all or any part of the Project in lieu of condemnation, but under threat of condemnation, shall be deemed to be a taking by power of eminent domain. If any Lot or portion thereof, or the Common Areas or any portion thereof, are made the subject matter of any condemnation or eminent domain proceeding, or are otherwise sought to be acquired by a condemning authority, the Board shall give prompt written notice of any such proceeding or proposed acquisition to each Owner in the Project and to any First Mortgagee who has requested in writing notice thereof. The Association shall represent the Owners in any condemnation proceedings or in negotiations, settlements and agreements with the condemning authority for acquisition of the Common Areas, or any part thereof, and each Owner hereby appoints the Association as such Owner's attorney-in-fact for the purposes of such representation.
- 14.2.2 <u>Proceeds</u>. All compensation, damages and other proceeds from any such taking by power of eminent domain (hereinafter "Condemnation Award") shall be made payable to the Association and shall be distributed by the Board, on behalf of the Association as herein provided.
- 14.2.3 <u>Complete Taking</u>. In the event the entire Project is taken by power of eminent domain, ownership pursuant hereto shall terminate and the Condemnation Award shall be allocated among and distributed to the Owners and the Owners shall divide the Condemnation Award based upon the relative values of the Lots immediately prior to the condemnation. Such distribution shall be made by check payable jointly to the respective Owners and their respective Mortgagees, as appropriate.
- 14.2.4 <u>Partial Taking</u>. In the event that less than the entire Project is taken by power of eminent domain, the following shall occur:
 - 14.2.4.1 Allocation of Condemnation Award. As soon as practicable, the Board shall, on behalf of the Association, reasonably and in good faith, apportion the Condemnation Award between compensation, severance damages or other proceeds and shall allocate such apportioned amount and pay the same to the Owners as follows: (a) The total amount apportioned to taking of or injury to the Common Areas shall be allocated among and distributed to all Owners (including Owners whose entire Lots have been taken); (b) The total amount apportioned to severance damages shall be allocated among and distributed equally to the Owners of those Lots that have not been taken; (c) The respective amounts apportioned to the taking of or injury to a particular Lot shall be allocated and distributed to the

Owner of such Lot; (d) The total amount apportioned to consequential damages and any other taking or injuries shall be allocated and distributed as the Association determines to be equitable under the circumstances; (e) If apportionment or allocation is already established by negotiation, judicial decree, statue or otherwise, the Association shall employ such apportionment and allocation to the extent it is relevant and applicable; (f) Distribution of allocated proceeds shall be made by check payable jointly to individual Owners and their respective Mortgagees, as their interests may appear; and (g) No provision of this Section, or any other provision of this Declaration, the Association's Articles of Incorporation or the Bylaws shall entitle the Owner of a Lot, or other party, to priority over any First Mortgagee of such Lot with respect to the distribution to such Lot of the proceeds of any award, settlement or proceeds from any eminent domain or condemnation proceedings.

- 14.2.4.2 Continuation and Reorganization. If less than the entire Project is taken by power of eminent domain, ownership pursuant hereto shall not terminate but shall continue. In such event the Project shall be reorganized as follows: (a) If any partial taking results in the taking of an entire Lot, then the Owner thereof shall cease to be a Member of the Association and all voting rights shall terminate; (b) If any partial taking results in the taking of a portion of a Lot, the voting rights appertaining to such Lot shall continue; (c) If any partial taking results in the taking of a portion of a Lot and if there is a determination made by the Board, after duly considering any recommendations, proposals, or other input from the Owners, that such taking makes it impractical to use the remaining portion of such Lot, then all voting rights shall terminate and the remaining portion of such Lot shall thenceforth be part of the Common Areas; (d) The Board, after duly considering any recommendations, proposals or other input from the Owners, shall have the duty and authority to make all determinations and to take all actions necessary or appropriate to effectuate reorganization of the Project under the provisions of this Section (including a possible reallocation of voting rights); provided, however, that if any such determination shall have been or such action is taken by judicial decree, the Board shall defer thereto and proceed in accordance therewith.
- 14.2.4.3 <u>Repair and Reconstruction</u>. Any repair and reconstruction necessitated by condemnation shall be governed by the provisions specified in Section 14.1 of this Declaration for cases of Damage or Destruction, as applicable.

14.3 Mortgagee Provisions.

- 14.3.1 Owner's Right to Separate Mortgages. Each Owner shall have the right to separately mortgage or otherwise encumber such Owner's Lot, regardless of whether the Lot contains an Attached Residence. No mortgage by any Owner shall encumber any other Owner's Lot or any portion thereof, including an adjacent Attached Residence.
- Mortgagee, or an insurer or governmental guarantor of a First Mortgage (any one of which is an "Eligible Mortgagee"), which written request shall identify the name and mailing address of such First Mortgagee, insurer, or governmental guarantor and the Lot number or physical address of the Residence, any such First Mortgage, insurer or governmental guarantor shall be entitled to timely written notice of: (a) Any condemnation, loss or any casualty loss which affects a material portion of the Project, or any Lot on which there is a First Mortgage held, insured or guaranteed by such First Mortgagee, insurer or governmental guarantor; (b) Any delinquency in the payment of assessments or charges owed by an Owner, whose Lot is subject to a First Mortgage held, insured or guaranteed by such First Mortgagee, insurer or governmental guarantor, which default remains uncured for a period of sixty (60) days; (c) Any lapse, cancellation or material modification of any insurance policy or fidelity bond maintained by the Association; and (d) Any proposed action which would require the consent of a specified percentage of Eligible Mortgagees as specified in this Section or elsewhere herein.
- 14.3.3 Matters Requiring Mortgagee Approval. After the Period of Declarant's Control, and except as otherwise provided in this Declaration, the prior written consent of Owners entitled to vote at least sixty-seven percent (67%) of the votes of the Lots in the Association, and Eligible Mortgagees holding First Mortgages on Lots having at least fiftyone percent (51%) of the votes of the Lots subject to First Mortgages held by Eligible Mortgagees shall be required to: (a) Abandon or terminate the legal status of the Project after substantial destruction or condemnation occurs; (b) Add or amend any material provision of the Declaration, Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws or Plat Map, which establishes, provides for, governs or regulates any of the following (an addition or amendment to such documents shall not be considered material if it is for the purpose of correcting technical errors or for clarification only): the conversion of Lots into Common Areas or vice versa, a material change to hazard or fidelity insurance requirements, the imposition of any restrictions on Owner's right to sell or transfer his Lot, the establishment of self-management by the Association if professional management had been required previously by the Declaration or by an Eligible Mortgagee, or a change to or deletion of any provision that expressly benefits Mortgagees, insurers, or guarantors.
- 14.3.4 <u>Response</u>. Any Eligible Mortgagee who receives a written request from the Association to approve additions or amendments to the constituent documents and who

fails to deliver or post to the Association a negative response within sixty (60) days shall be deemed to have approved such request, provided the written request was delivered by certified or registered mail, with a "return receipt" requested.

- 14.3.5 Availability of Project Documents and Financial Statements. The Association shall maintain and have current copies of the Declaration, Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, and Rules and Regulations as well as its own books, records, and financial statements available for inspection by Owners or by holders, insurers, and guarantors of First Mortgages that are secured by Lots in the Project. Generally, these documents shall be available during normal business hours. The Association shall make any audited financial statement which the Association obtains available to the holder, insurer, or guarantor of any First Mortgage on submission of a written request, and at such requestor's expense.
- 14.3.6 <u>Subordination of Lien</u>. The lien or claim against a Lot for unpaid assessments or charges levied by the Association pursuant to this Declaration shall be subordinate to the First Mortgage affecting such Lot if the First Mortgage was recorded before the delinquent assessment was due, and the First Mortgagee thereunder which comes into possession of or which obtains title to the Lot shall take the same free of such lien or claim for unpaid assessment or charges, but only to the extent of assessments or charges which accrue prior to foreclosure of the First Mortgage, exercise of a power of sale available thereunder, or taking of a deed or assignment in lien of foreclosure. No assessment, charge, lien, or claim which is described in the preceding sentence as being subordinate to a First Mortgage, or as not to burden a First Mortgagee which comes into possession or which obtain title, shall be collected or enforced by the Association from or against a First Mortgagee or the Lot affected or previously affected by the First Mortgage concerned.
- 14.3.7 Payment of Taxes. In the event any taxes or other charges which may or have become a lien on the Common Areas are not timely paid, or in the event the required hazard insurance described in this Declaration lapses, is not maintained, or the premiums therefore are not paid when due, any Mortgagee or any combination of Mortgagees may jointly or singly, pay such taxes or premiums or secure such insurance. Any Mortgagee which expends funds for any of such purposes shall be entitled to immediate reimbursement therefore from the Association.
- 14.3.8 <u>Priority</u>. No provision of this Declaration gives or may give an Owner or any other party priority over any rights of Mortgagees pursuant to their respective Mortgages in the case of a distribution to Owners of insurance proceeds or condemnation awards for loss to or taking of all or any part of the Lots or the Common Areas.

- 14.4 <u>Notices</u>. The Association shall keep a list of contact information for Owners of all Lots within the Project and all Eligible Mortgagees. Each Owner, upon becoming an Owner, shall provide the Association with appropriate contact information including mailing address, telephone number, and email address. Each Owner or Eligible Mortgagee shall update the Association with any changes to contact information. Where written notice to an Owner is required under this Declaration, the Bylaws, or the Rules and Regulations, such notice will be deemed sufficient if it is sent to the mailing address or email address on file with the Association.
- 14.5 <u>Interpretation</u>. The captions and section headings set forth in this Declaration are for convenience and the meaning of the provisions set forth in the sections hereof shall be governed by the body of the text. The use of any plural shall, where the context requires, include the singular thereof, and vice-versa.
- 14.6 Governing Law. This Declaration shall be governed by, and interpreted in accordance with, the laws of the State of Utah.
- 14.7 <u>Severability</u>. If any section, term, or provision of this Declaration is determined to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unenforceability shall not affect the remaining sections, terms, and provisions of this Declaration, which shall all remain in full force and effect.
- 14.8 <u>Waiver</u>. The failure by the Declarant, the Association, or any Owner to enforce any term or provision of this Declaration shall not be deemed as a waiver of the right to thereafter enforce such term or provision.

[End of Declaration. Signature Page Follows.]

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Declarant has executed this Declaration on this 4 day of

DECLARANT

Gold Stream Partners LLC, a Utah limited liability company

Name: James Po

Title: President

STATE OF UTAH

SS.

COUNTY OF Salt Lake)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 4 day of December, 2019 by James Paterian as the President of Gold Stream Partners LLC.

Notary Public

NANCY HALE LAROQUE
NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF UTAH
COMMISSION# 696540
COMM. EXP. 08-18-2021

EXHIBIT A

Depot Crossing Residential Subdivision

A RESIDENTIAL SUBDIVISION OF LOT 2, MASONIC TEMPLE SUBDIVISION LOCATED IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 12, TOWNSHIP 4 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, SALT LAKE BASE & MERIDIAN DAVIS COUNTY, UTAH

ALL OF LOT 2, MASONIC TEMPLE SUBDIVISION (AMENDED), ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN THE DAVIS COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 2, MASONIC TEMPLE SUBDIVISION (AMENDED), SAID POINT BEING NORTH 89°48'25" WEST, ALONG THE SECTION LINE, A DISTANCE OF 184.47 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 0°11'35" WEST, ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID MASONIC TEMPLE SUBDIVISION (AMENDED) AND THE PROJECTION THEREOF, A DISTANCE OF 232.34 FEET, FROM THE NORTH QUARTER CORNER OF SECTION 12, TOWNSHIP 4 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, SALT LAKE BASE AND MERIDIAN AND RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 0°11'35" WEST, ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID LOT 2, A DISTANCE OF 295.15 FEET, TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 89°48'25" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 184.47 FEET; THENCE NORTH 0°11'35" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 17.51 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89°48'27" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 92.23 FEET; THENCE NORTH 0°11'35" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 182.98 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89°48'25" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 120.45 FEET, TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 2; THENCE NORTH 0°10'56" EAST, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF LOT 2, AND THE EAST LINE OF DEPOT STREET, A DISTANCE OF 126.38 FEET, TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 2; THENCE SOUTH 89°48'25" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 212.70 FEET; THENCE NORTH 0°11'35" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 42.15 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 46°51'10" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 24.74 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 0°11'35" WEST, A DISTANCE OF 57.02 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89°48'25" EAST, A DISTANCE OF 166.37 FEET, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

CONTAINS: 99,388 SQ. FT., OR 2.282 ACRES AND 32 RESIDENTIAL LOTS.