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COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

THE VILLAS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

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RESTATED AND AMENDED DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

THE VILLAS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

THIS RESTATED AND AMENDED DECLARATION is made by The Villas Community Association, a non-profit corporation, which shall hereafter be referred to as "Declarant" or "Association."

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A. The Irvine Company, herein referred to as the "Original Declarant," was the fee owner of the real property encumbered by this Restated and Amended Declaration and located in the City of Irvine described as:

Lots 1 through 6 and Lot B of Tract 9742 as per map filed in Book 407, Pages 24 and 25, of Miscellaneous Maps, records of Orange County, California, Lots 1, 2 and A of Tract 9371 as per map filed in Book 407, Pages 22 and 23, of Miscellaneous Maps, records of Orange County, California. (hereinafter the "Covered Property").

B. Original Declarant deemed it desirable to establish covenants, conditions and restrictions upon the Covered Property and each and every portion thereof, constituting a general scheme for the management of the Covered Property, and for the use, occupancy and enjoyment thereof, all for the purpose of enhancing and protecting the value, desirability and attractiveness of the Covered Property and enhancing the quality of life within the Covered Property and therefore recorded the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions as Document Number 19664 on March 16, 1978 in the records of the Orange County Recorder's Office (hereinafter the "Original Declaration").

C. On August 20, 2015, the Owners of Condominiums in the Association voted by written ballot to amend and restate the Original Declaration, in accordance with the procedures for amendment set forth in the Original Declaration. Pursuant to the Order of the Superior Court of California, County of Orange, filed May 04, 2016, (Case No. 30-2015-00826706-CU-PT-CJC), a copy of which is attached as <u>Exhibit A</u>, IT IS HEREBY DECLARED that the Original Declaration shall be, and it is hereby, AMENDED AND RESTATED IN ITS ENTIRETY as set forth in the within Restated and Amended Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions of The Villas Community Association. The Owners' action to amend and restate the Original Declaration by duly authorized officers of the corporation.

D. All persons who purchase or have purchased Residences within the real property designated as a Project in this Restated and Amended Declaration shall be Owners as defined herein, and shall thereby automatically become Members of said Association and shall be subject to its powers and jurisdiction. Owners within each Project share ownership of that Project and the Association owns certain Community Facilities not contained within any parcel owned in common by the Members. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Declaration, the rights, duties and obligations of all Members of said Association must be determined with regard to the entire membership of said Association and not just with regard to those Members who are Owners in any particular Project.

E. All Owners shall hold and convey title to all of the Covered Property subject to certain protective covenants, conditions and restrictions hereafter set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby declared that all of the Covered Property shall be held and conveyed subject to the following covenants, conditions, restrictions and easements which are hereby declared to be for the benefit of said interests in the Covered Property, and the owners of said interests, their successors and assigns. These covenants, conditions, restrictions and easements shall run with said interests and shall be binding upon all parties having or acquiring any right or title in said interests or any part thereof, and shall inure to the benefit of each owner thereof and are imposed upon said interests and every part thereof as a servitude in favor of each and every of said interests as the dominant tenement or tenements.

<u>ARTICLE I – Definitions</u>

Unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, the following terms used in this Declaration are defined as follows:

<u>Section 1. – "Architectural Committee"</u> shall mean and refer to the committee or committees provided for in the Article hereof entitled "Architectural Control."

<u>Section 2. – "Articles" and "Bylaws"</u> shall mean and refer to the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association as the same may from time to time be duly amended.

<u>Section 3. – "Assessments."</u> The following meanings shall be given to the Assessments hereinafter defined:

"Regular Assessment" shall mean the amount which is to be paid by each Member to the Association for Common Expenses.

"Reimbursement Assessment" shall mean a charge against a particular Owner and his Residence, directly attributable to the Owner, to reimburse the Association for costs incurred in bringing the Owner and his Residence into compliance with the provisions of this Declaration, the Articles, Bylaws or Association Rules, or any other charge designated as a Special Assessment in this Declaration, the Articles, Bylaws or Association Rules, together with attorneys' fees and other charges payable by such Owner, pursuant to the provisions of this Declaration, plus interest thereon as provided for in this Declaration. "Reconstruction Assessment" shall mean a charge against each Member and his Residence representing a portion of the cost to the Association for reconstruction of any portion or portions of the Community Facilities or Common Area pursuant to the provisions of this Declaration.

"Special Assessment" shall mean an assessment levied by the Board to generate funds to defray the common expenses of the Association for the fiscal year in the event that the Regular Assessment is inadequate to meet the expenses of the Association.

Section 4. – "Association" shall mean and refer to The Villas Community Association, a nonprofit corporation, incorporated under the laws of the State of California, its successors and assigns.

<u>Section 5. – "Association Rules"</u> shall mean rules adopted by the Association pursuant to the Article hereof entitled "Duties and Powers of the Association."

Section 6. – "Board" shall mean the Board of Directors of the Association.

<u>Section 7. – "City"</u> shall mean and refer to the City of Irvine, California, a municipal corporation of the State of California.

<u>Section 8. – "Common Area"</u> shall mean all portions of the Projects except the Units and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, specifically including all structural projections within a Unit which are required for the support of a Condominium Building, gas, water, waste pipes, all sewers, all ducts, chutes, conduits, wires and other utility installations of the structures wherever located (except the outlets thereof when located within the Units), the land upon which the structures are located, the air space above these structures, all bearing walls, columns, floors, the roof, the slab foundation, common stairways, window glass and the like. Common Area shall specifically exclude all garage door opening systems and all air conditioning units notwithstanding that the foregoing are located in the Common Area.

Section 9. - "Common Expenses" shall mean and refer to the actual and estimated costs of:

(a) Maintenance, management, operation, repair and replacement of the Common Area, Community Facilities, and all other areas on the Covered Property which are maintained by the Association;

(b) Unpaid Assessments;

(c) Maintenance by the Association of areas within the public right-of-way of public streets in the vicinity of the Covered Property as provided in this Declaration or pursuant to agreements with the City;

(d) Costs of management and administration of the Association, including, but not limited to, compensation paid by the Association to managers, accountants, attorneys and employees;

(e) The costs of utilities, trash pickup and disposal, gardening and other services which generally benefit and enhance the value and desirability of the Covered Property;

(f) The costs of fire, casualty, liability, workmen's compensation and other insurance covering the Community Facilities and the Common Area.

(g) The costs of any other insurance obtained by the Association;

(h) Reasonable reserves as deemed appropriate by the Board;

(i) The costs of bonding of the members of the Board, any professional managing agent or any other person handling the funds of the Association;

(j) Taxes paid by the Association;

(k) Amounts paid by the Association for discharge of any lien or encumbrance levied against the Community Facilities or Common Area or portions thereof;

(l) Costs incurred by the Architectural Committee or other committees established by the Board; and

(m) Other expenses incurred by the Association for any reason whatsoever in connection with the Community Facilities and the Common Area, or the costs of any other item or items designated by this Declaration, the Articles, Bylaws or Association Rules, or in furtherance of the purposes of the Association or in the discharge of any duties or powers of the Association.

<u>Section 10. – "Community Facilities"</u> shall mean all real property, and the improvements thereon, owned or leased from time to time by the Association for the common use and enjoyment of the Members, including without limitation any of the following: private storm drains, private streets, private utilities, private parks, open spaces, trails and slopes.

<u>Section 11. – "Condominium"</u> shall mean a fractional undivided interest in common with the other Owners within a Project in the Common Area of such Project, together with a separate interest in a Unit and all right, title and interest appurtenant thereto. Such fractional undivided interest in common of each Owner shall be as described in the instrument conveying a Condominium to such Owner and shall not be changed except as provided in the Section entitled "Amendment of Condominium Plan" of the Article hereof entitled "Destruction of Improvements" and the Section entitled "Change of Condominium Interest" of the Article hereof entitled "Eminent Domain."

<u>Section 12. – "Condominium Building"</u> shall mean a separate building containing one or more Units or elements of Units.

Section 13. – "Condominium Elements" shall mean the following elements of a Unit:

(a) "Atrium" shall mean that portion of a Unit designed for use as an atrium and shall be identified on the Condominium Plan by a Unit number and the letter "A".

(b) "Garage" shall mean that portion of a Unit designed for use as a garage, and shall be identified on the Condominium Plan by a Unit number and the letter "G" and shall consist of the interior undecorated surfaces of the perimeter walls, floors, ceilings, windows (if any) and doors of each Garage element and the space encompassed thereby, including the outlets of all utility installations therein.

(c) "Patio" shall mean that portion of a Unit designed for use as a patio, and shall be identified on the Condominium Plan by a Unit number and the letter "P".

(d) "Residential Element" shall mean that portion of a Unit designed for use as a residence, and shall be identified on the Condominium Plan by a Unit number only and shall consist of the interior undecorated surfaces of the perimeter walls, floors, ceilings, windows and doors of each Residential Element and the space encompassed thereby, including the outlets of all utility installations therein and also including the interior surfaces of the firebox of each fireplace extending from the floor to the top of each fireplace, if any, and the space encompassed thereby, which adjoins any Residential Element.

<u>Section 14. – "Condominium Plan"</u> shall mean each of those certain condominium plans recorded by Original Declarant in the Office of the County Recorder of Orange County, California for the Projects as Document Number 35982 and Document No. 19665, and any amendments thereto. In interpreting deeds, leases, declarations and plans, the existing physical boundaries of a Unit constructed in substantial accordance with the Condominium Plan shall be conclusively presumed to be its boundaries rather than the description expressed in the deed, lease, declaration or plan, regardless of settling or lateral movement of the building and regardless of minor variances between boundaries as shown on the plan or in the deed, lease, or declaration and those of the building as constructed.

<u>Section 15. – "Covered Property"</u> shall mean and refer to all the real property described in Recital A, and any real property which shall become subject to this Restated and Amended Declaration.

<u>Section 16. – "Declaration"</u> shall mean and refer to this Restated and Amended Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions.

<u>Section 17. – "Federal Agencies"</u> shall mean and refer to collectively one or more of the following agencies and the following letter designation for such agencies shall mean and refer to respectively the agency specified within the parentheses following such letter designation: FHA (Federal Housing Administration), FHLMC (Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation), FNMA (Federal National Mortgage Association), GNMA (Government National Mortgage Association), VA (Veterans Administration).

<u>Section 18. – "Institutional Mortgagee"</u> shall mean and refer to a First Mortgagee which is a bank or savings and loan association or established mortgage company, or other entity chartered under federal or state laws, any corporation or insurance company, any federal or state agency, or any other institution regulated by federal or state law.

<u>Section 19. – "Member"</u> shall mean and refer to every person or entity who qualifies for membership pursuant to the Article of this Declaration entitled "Membership".

<u>Section 20. – "Mortgage"</u> shall mean and refer to any duly recorded mortgage or deed of trust encumbering a Residence. A "First Mortgage" shall refer to a Mortgage which has priority over any other Mortgage encumbering a specific Residence.

<u>Section 21. – "Mortgagee"</u> shall mean and refer to the mortgagee or beneficiary under any Mortgage. A "First Mortgagee" shall mean the holder of a Mortgage that has priority over any other Mortgage encumbering a Residence.

<u>Section 22. – "Owner"</u> shall mean and refer to one or more persons or entities who are alone or collectively the record owner of a fee simple title to a Residence or the vendee under an installment land sales contract, but excluding those having any such interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation.

<u>Section 23. – "Project"</u> shall mean each portion of the Covered Property for which a separate Condominium Plan is recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Orange County, California, and which is designated as a Project in this Declaration or in a Supplementary Declaration. The real property and all improvements constructed thereon known as Lots 1 to 5 inclusive, of Tract 9742 as per map filed in Book 407, Pages 24 and 25 of Miscellaneous Maps in the office of the County Recorder of Orange County, California is designated as a Project. The real property and all improvements constructed thereon known as Lots 1 and 2, inclusive, of Tract 9371, as per map filed in Book 407, Pages 22 and 23 of Miscellaneous Maps in the office of Orange County Recorder of Orange County California is also designated as a Project.

Section 24. – "Residence" shall mean and refer to a Condominium.

<u>Section 25. – "Trustee"</u> shall mean and refer to the insurance trustee as more fully described in the Article hereof entitled "Insurance".

<u>Section 26. – "Unit"</u> shall mean the elements of a Condominium not owned in common with the Owners of other Condominiums in a Project and shall consist of a Residential Element together with one or more other Condominium Elements set forth in this Article. Each Unit shall be identified on the Condominium Plan with a separate number.

<u>ARTICLE II – Membership</u>

<u>Section 1 – Membership</u>. Every Owner shall be a Member. The terms and provisions set forth in this Declaration, which are binding upon all Owners are not exclusive, as Owners shall, in addition, be subject to the terms and provisions of the Articles, Bylaws and Association Rules to

the extent the provisions thereof are not in conflict with this Declaration. Membership of Owners shall be appurtenant to and may not be separated from the interest of such Owner in any Residence. Ownership of a Residence shall be the sole qualification for membership; provided, however, a Member's voting rights or privileges in the Community Facilities, or both, may be regulated or suspended as provided in this Declaration, the Bylaws or the Association Rules. Not more than one membership shall exist based upon ownership of a single Residence.

<u>Section 2 – Transfer.</u> The membership held by any Owner shall not be transferred, pledged or alienated in any way, except that such membership shall automatically be transferred to the transferee of the interest of an Owner required for membership. Any attempt to make a prohibited transfer is void and will not be reflected upon the books and records of the Association. The Association shall have the right to record the transfer upon the books of the Association without any further action or consent by the transferring Owner.

<u>Section 3 – Voting Rights.</u> An Owner's right to vote shall vest immediately upon the date of recordation of the recorded deed for the Condominium. All voting rights shall be subject to the restrictions and limitations provided herein and in the Articles, Bylaws and Association Rules.

Section 4 – Classes of Voting Membership. The Association shall be one class of voting membership.

<u>Section 5 – Approval of Members.</u> Unless elsewhere otherwise specifically provided in this Declaration or the Bylaws, any provision of this Declaration or the Bylaws which requires the vote or written assent of a specified majority of the voting power of the Association or membership shall be deemed satisfied by the following:

(a) The vote of the specified percentage at a meeting duly called and noticed pursuant to the provisions of the Bylaws dealing with annual or special meetings of the Members. Such percentage must include the specified number of all Members entitled to vote at such meeting and not such a percentage of those Members present;

(b) Written consents signed by the specified percentage of Members as provided in the Bylaws.

(c) In any matter requiring the consent of the Members, but not specifically provided for in this Declaration or the Articles, Bylaws or any contract executed by the Association, a simple majority of the voting power of Members entitled to vote on such matters shall suffice.

ARTICLE III - Covenant For Maintenance Assessments

<u>Section 1 – Creation of the Lien and Personal Obligation of Assessments.</u> Each Owner of any Residence, by acceptance of a deed or other conveyance, creating in such Owner the interest required to be deemed an Owner, whether or not it shall be so expressed in any such deed or other conveyance, is deemed to covenant and agree to pay to the Association: Regular Assessments, Special Assessments, Reimbursement Assessments, and Reconstruction Assessments , if applicable, such Assessments to be fixed, established and collected from time to

time as provided in this Declaration. The Assessments, together with interest thereon, late charges, attorneys' fees and court costs, and other costs of collection thereof, as hereinafter provided, shall be a continuing lien upon the Residence against which each such Assessment is made. Each such Assessment, together with such interest, late charges, costs and attorneys' fees, shall also be the personal obligation of the Owner of such Residence at the time when the Assessment becomes due. The personal obligation shall not pass to the successors in title of an Owner unless expressly assumed by such successors.

<u>Section 2 – Purpose of Assessments.</u> The Assessments levied by the Association shall be used exclusively for the purposes of promoting the recreation, health, safety and welfare of the Members, the management of the Covered Property, enhancing the quality of life in the Covered Property, and the value of the Covered Property including, without limitation, the improvement and maintenance of the properties, services and facilities devoted to this purpose and related to the use and enjoyment of the Community Facilities and Common Area, or in furtherance of any other duty or power of the Association.

<u>Section 3 – Regular Assessments.</u> Within thirty (30) to ninety (90) days prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, the Board shall distribute to each Member a pro forma operating statement or budget for the upcoming fiscal year which shall, among other things, estimate the total Common Expenses to be incurred for such fiscal year. The Board shall at that time determine the amount of the Regular Assessment to be paid by each Member. Each Member shall thereafter pay to the Association his Regular Assessment in installments as established by the Board. Each such installment shall be due and payable on a date established by the Board in the written notice sent to Members. In the event the Board shall determine that the estimate of total charges for the current year is, or will become inadequate to meet all Common Expenses for any reason, it shall then immediately determine the approximate amount of such inadequacy and issue a supplemental estimate of the Common Expenses and determine the revised amount of Regular Assessment which is increased more than twenty percent (20%) over the amount of the Regular Assessment in the immediately preceding fiscal year, without the approval of a majority of a quorum of the voting power of the Association.

<u>Section 4 – Special Assessments.</u> In addition to the Regular Assessments, the Association may levy Special Assessments, for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the cost of performing its obligations under the governing documents and any applicable law, to the extent the same is not covered by the provisions affecting Reconstruction Assessments in the Article hereof entitled "Destruction of Improvements", including the necessary fixtures and personal property related thereto. The Association shall not impose a Special Assessment, the total amount of which exceeds five percent (5%) of the estimated Common Expenses, as set forth in the Section of this Article entitled "Regular Assessments," without the approval of a majority of a quorum of the voting power of the Association.

<u>Section 5 – Uniform Assessment.</u> Regular and Special Assessments shall be fixed at an equal amount for each Residence and may be collected at intervals selected by the Board.

<u>Section 6 – Certificate of Payment.</u> The Association shall, upon demand, furnish to any Member liable for Assessments, a certificate in writing signed by an officer or authorized agent of the Association, setting forth whether the Assessments on a specified Residence have been paid, and the amount of delinquency, if any. A reasonable charge may be collected by the Board for the issuance of these certificates. Such certificates shall be conclusive evidence of payment of any Assessment therein stated to have been paid.

<u>Section 7 – Exempt Property.</u> All properties dedicated to and accepted by, or otherwise owned or acquired by, a public authority shall be exempt from the Assessments created herein.

<u>Section 8 – Reimbursement Assessments.</u> Reimbursement Assessments shall be levied by the Board against a Residence to reimburse the Association for:

(a) Costs incurred in bringing an Owner and his Residence into compliance with the provisions of this Declaration, the Articles, the Bylaws or Association Rules;

(b) Cost incurred by the Association because of damage caused to the Common Area or Community Facilities by the Owner or Owner's tenant, guest, family, or invitee; and

(c) Attorneys' fees, interest and other charges relating thereto as provided in this Declaration.

(d) In the event the Association undertakes to provide materials or services which benefit individual Residences and which can be accepted or not by individual Owners, such as tree trimming, such Owners in accepting such materials or services agree that the costs thereof shall be a Reimbursement Assessment.

<u>Section 9 – No Offsets.</u> All Assessments shall be payable in the amount specified by the Assessment and no offsets against such amount shall be permitted for any reason.

<u>Section 10 – Homestead Waiver.</u> Each Owner, to the extent permitted by law, does hereby waive, to the extent of any liens created pursuant to this Declaration, whether such liens are now in existence or are created at any time in the future, the benefit of any homestead or exemption laws of the State of California now in effect, or in effect from time to time hereafter.

<u>Section 11 – Reserves.</u> The Regular and Special Assessments shall include reasonable amounts as determined by the Board collected as reserves for the future periodic maintenance, repair or replacement of all or a portion of the Community Facilities and Common Area, or any other purpose as determined by the Board. All amounts collected as reserves, whether pursuant to this Section or otherwise, shall be deposited by the Board in a separate bank account to be held in trust for the purposes for which they are collected and are to be segregated from and not commingled with any other funds of the Association.

ARTICLE IV – Nonpayment of Assessments

Section 1 - Delinquency. Any Assessment provided for in this Declaration which is not paid within fifteen days from the date when due shall be delinquent on said date (the "delinquency date") and subject to a late charge of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) or ten percent (10%), whichever is greater. Further, the unpaid Assessment, or portion thereof, shall bear interest thirty (30) days from the delinquency date at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum. The Association may, at its option, and without waiving the right to judicially foreclose its lien against the Residence, pursue any available remedies, including, without limitation, bringing an action at law against the Member personally obligated to pay the same, and/or upon compliance with the notice provisions set forth in the Section entitled "Notice of Lien" of this Article to foreclose the lien against the Residence. If action is commenced, there shall be added to the amount of such Assessment the late charge, interest, the costs of such action, and attorneys' fees incurred in connection with such action; and in the event a judgment is obtained, such judgment shall include said late charge, interest and a reasonable attorney's fee, together with the costs of action. Each Member vests in the Association or its assigns, the right and power to bring all actions at law or lien foreclosure against such Member or other Members for the collection of such delinquent Assessments.

<u>Section 2 – Notice of Lien.</u> No action shall be brought to foreclose said Assessment lien or to proceed under the power of sale herein provided until thirty (30) days after the date a notice of claim of lien is deposited in the United States mail, certified or registered, postage prepaid, to the Owner of said Residence, and a copy thereof is recorded by the Association in the office of the Orange County Recorder; said notice of claim of lien must recite a good and sufficient legal description of any such Residence, the record Owner or reputed Owner thereof, the amount claimed (which shall include interest on the unpaid Assessment at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, a late charge of ten percent (10%) or Ten Dollars (\$10.00), whichever is greater, plus reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses of collection in connection with the debt secured by said lien), and the name and address of the claimant.

<u>Section 3 – Foreclosure Sale</u>. Said Assessment lien may be enforced by sale by the Association, its attorney or any other person authorized by the Board to make the sale after failure of the Owner to make the payments specified in the notice of claim of lien within said thirty (30) day period. Any such sale provided for above is to be conducted in accordance with the provisions of Sections 2924, 2924b, 2924c, 2924f, 2924g and 2924h of the Civil Code of the State of California as said statutes may from time to time be amended, applicable to the exercise of powers of sale in mortgages and deeds of trust, or in any other manner permitted or provided by law. The Association, through its duly authorized agents, shall have the power to bid on the Residence, using Association funds, or funds borrowed for such purpose, at the sale, and to acquire and hold, lease, mortgage and convey the same.

<u>Section 4 – Curing of Default.</u> Upon the timely payment or other satisfaction of: (1) all delinquent Assessments specified in the notice of claim of lien, (b) all other Assessments which have become due and payable with respect to the Residence as to which such notice of claim of lien was recorded, and (c) interest, late charges, attorneys' fees and other costs of collection pursuant to this Declaration and the notice of claim of lien which have accrued, officers of the

Association or any other persons designated by Board are hereby authorized to file or record, as the case may be, an appropriate release of such notice, upon payment by the defaulting Owner of a fee, to be determined by the Association, to cover the costs of preparing and filing or recording such release.

ARTICLE V – ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL

<u>Section 1 – Appointment of Architectural Committee.</u> The Architectural Committee shall consist of not less than three (3) nor more than five (5) persons as fixed from time to time by resolution of the Board. In the event that the Board shall fail to appoint an Architectural Committee, the Board may carry out the obligations of the Committee.

Section 2 – General Provisions.

(a) The Architectural Committee may establish reasonable procedural rules and may assess a fee per submission of plans in connection with review of plans and specifications including, without limitation, the number of sets of plans to be submitted. Unless any such rules are complied with, such plans and specifications shall be deemed not submitted.

(b) The address of the Architectural Committee shall be the principal office of the Association as designated by the Board pursuant to the Bylaws. Such address shall be the place for the submittal of plans and specifications and the place where the current Architectural Standards shall be kept.

(c) The establishment of the Architectural Committee and the systems herein for architectural approval shall not be construed as changing any rights or restrictions upon Owners to maintain, repair, alter or modify or otherwise have control over the Residences as may otherwise be specified in this Declaration, in the Bylaws or in any Association Rules.

(d) In the event the Architectural Committee fails to approve or disapprove such plans and specifications within forty-five (45) days after the same have been duly submitted in accordance with any rules regarding such submission adopted by the Architectural Committee, such plans and specifications will be deemed approved.

<u>Section 3 – Approval and Conformity of Plans.</u> No building, fence, wall or other structure shall be commenced, erected or maintained upon the Covered Property, nor shall there be any addition to or change in the exterior of any Residence, structure or other improvement including, without limitation, the painting of exterior walls and fences, unless plans and specifications therefor have been submitted to and approved by the Architectural Committee. Further, no trees or other landscaping, which at maturity will exceed six feet in height, shall be planted after the recordation of this Declaration, without prior written approval of the Architectural Committee. The Board shall, from time to time, adopt and promulgate Architectural Standards to be administered through the Architectural Committee. The Architectural Standards shall include among other things those restrictions and limitations upon the Owners set forth below:

(a) Time limitations for the completion of the architectural improvements for which approval is required pursuant to the Architectural Standards:

(b) Conformity of completed architectural improvements to plans and specifications approved by the Architectural Committee; and

(c) Such other limitations and restrictions as the Board in its reasonable discretion shall adopt, including, without limitation, the regulation of the following: construction, reconstruction, exterior addition, change or alteration to or maintenance of any building, structure, wall or fence, including, without limitation, the nature, kind, shape, height, materials, exterior color and surface and location of such dwelling or structure.

<u>Section 4 – Nonliability for Approval of Plans.</u> Plans and specifications are not approved for engineering design, and by approving such plans and specifications neither the Architectural Committee, the members thereof, the Association, the Members, nor the Board assumes liability or responsibility therefor, or for any defect in any structure constructed from such plans and specifications.

<u>Section 5 – Appeal.</u> In the event plans and specifications submitted to the Architectural Committee are disapproved thereby, the party or parties making such submission may appeal in writing to the Board; however no such appeal right shall exist when the Board has failed to appoint an Architectural Committee and the denial was from the Board. The written request shall be received by the Board not more than thirty (30) days following the final decision of the Architectural Committee. The Board shall submit such request to the Architectural Committee for review, whose written recommendations will be submitted to the Board. Within sixty (60) days following receipt of the request for appeal, the Board shall render its written decision. The failure of the Board to render a decision within said sixty (60) day period shall be deemed a decision in favor of the appellant.

<u>Section 6 – Reconstruction After Destruction.</u> The reconstruction after destruction by casualty or otherwise of any Residences which is accomplished in substantial compliance with the Condominium Plan filed covering the portion of the Project in which such Residence is situated shall not require compliance with the provisions of this Article. Such reconstruction shall be conclusively deemed to be in substantial compliance with such condominium plan if it has received the approval of the Association.

ARTICLE VI – Duties and Powers of The Association

<u>Section 1 – General Duties and Powers.</u> In addition to the duties and powers enumerated in its Articles and Bylaws, or elsewhere provided for herein, and without limiting the generality thereof, the Association shall have the specific duties and powers specified in this Article.

<u>Section 2 – General Duties of the Association.</u> The Association through the Board shall have the duty and obligation to:

(a) Enforce the provisions of this Declaration, the Articles, Bylaws, and Association Rules, by appropriate means and carry out the obligations of the Association hereunder.

(b) Maintain and otherwise manage the following:

(i.) all easements and real property and all facilities, improvements and landscaping thereon in which the Association holds an interest, subject to the terms of any instrument transferring such interest to the Association;

(ii.) all personal property in which the Association holds an interest, subject to the terms of any instrument transferring such interest to the Association; and

(iii.) all property, real or personal, which the Association is obligated to repair or maintain pursuant to this Declaration, including, without limitation, the Article of this Declaration entitled "Repair and Maintenance."

(c) Pay any real and personal property taxes and other charges, or other charges assessed to or payable by the Association;

(d) Obtain, for the benefit of the Common Area and Community Facilities, water, gas and electric, refuse collections and other services.

(e) Act as a managing agent for all of the Projects.

<u>Section 3 – General Powers of the Association.</u> The Association through the Board shall have the power but not the obligation to:

(a) Employ a manager or other persons and contract with independent contractors or managing agents who have professional experience in the management of residential developments similar to the Covered Property, to perform all or any part of the duties and responsibilities of the Association, provided that any contract not approved by FHA or VA with a person or firm appointed as a manager or managing agent shall be terminable for cause on not more than thirty (30) days' written notice by the Association and shall have a term of not more than one (1) year with successive one (1) year renewal periods upon mutual agreement of the parties;

(b) Acquire interests in real or personal property for offices or other facilities that may be necessary or convenient for the management of the Covered Property, the administration of the affairs of the Association or for the benefit of the Members;

(c) Borrow money as may be needed in connection with the discharge by the Association of its powers and duties, subject to the right to pledge assessments contained in Section 7;

(d) Establish in cooperation with the City a special tax assessment district for the performance of all or a portion of the maintenance or other functions now within the

responsibility of the Association.

(e) Provide trash pickup and disposal service for the benefit of the Owners and their Residences;

(f) Contract for cable television service or internet service for the benefit of the Owners; and

(g) Negotiate and enter into contracts with Institutional Mortgagees and mortgage insurers and guarantors as may be necessary or desirable to facilitate the availability of loans secured by Mortgages within the Covered Property.

(h) Subject to the limitations imposed under Section 4 below, contract with independent contractors or managing agents to perform all or any part of the duties and responsibilities of the Association.

<u>Section 4 – General Limitations and Restrictions on the Powers of the Board.</u> In addition to the limitations and restrictions enumerated in the Articles and Bylaws or elsewhere provided for herein, and without limiting the generality thereof, the Board shall be prohibited from taking any of the following action without the approval of a majority of the voting power of the Association:

(a) Enter contracts for materials or services which have a term in excess of one (1) year, with the following exceptions:

(i.) a management contract, the terms of which have been approved by the FHA or VA;

(ii.) a contract with a public utility company if the rates charged for the materials or services are regulated by the Public Utilities Commission; provided, however, that the term of the contract shall not exceed the shortest term for which the supplier will contract at the regulated rate; and

(iii.) prepaid casualty and/or liability insurance policies of not to exceed three (3) years duration, provided that the applicable policy permits short rate cancellation by the insured.

(b) Incur aggregate expenditures for capital improvements to the Covered Property in any fiscal year in excess of five percent (5%) of the estimated Common Expenses for the fiscal year. For purposes of this section, the term "capital improvement" shall mean any (i) substantial discretionary addition to the Common Areas, (ii) voluntary significant upgrade to Common Area materials, or (iii) discretionary material alterations to the appearance of the Covered Property.

(c) Sell any real or personal property of the Association with an aggregate fair market value in excess of five percent (5%) of said estimated Common Expenses during any fiscal year.

(d) Pay compensation to directors or to officers of the Association for services performed in the conduct of the Association's business; provided, however, the Board may cause a director or officer to be reimbursed for expenses incurred in carrying on the business of the Association.

Section 5 - Association Rules. The Board shall also have the power to adopt, amend, and repeal such rules and regulations as it deems reasonable (the "Association Rules") which may include the establishment of a system of fines and penalties, all as provided in the Bylaws. The Association Rules shall govern such matters in furtherance of the purposes of the Association, including, without limitation, the use of the Common Area and Community Facilities; provided, however, that the Association Rules may not discriminate among Owners, and shall not be inconsistent with this Declaration, the Articles or Bylaws. A copy of the Association Rules as they may from time to time be adopted, amended or repealed or a notice setting forth the adoption, amendment or repeal of specific portions of the Association Rules shall be delivered to each Owner in the same manner established in this Declaration for the delivery of notices. Upon completion of the notice requirements, said Association Rules shall have the same force and effect as if they were set forth in and were part of this Declaration and shall be binding on the Owners and their successors in interest whether or not actually received thereby. The Association Rules, as adopted, amended or repealed, shall be available at the principal office of the Association to each Owner and Institutional Mortgagee upon request. In the event of any conflict between any such Association Rules and any other provisions of this Declaration, or the Articles or Bylaws, the provisions of the Association Rules shall be deemed to be superseded by the provisions of this Declaration, the Articles or the Bylaws to the extent of any such conflict.

<u>Section 6 – Delegation of Powers.</u> The Association shall have the right, according to law, to delegate to committees, officers, employees or agents any of its duties and powers under this Declaration, the Articles and Bylaws; provided, however, no such delegation to a professional management company, the Architectural Committee or otherwise shall relieve the Association of its obligation to perform such delegated duty.

<u>Section 7 – Pledge of Assessment Rights.</u> The Association shall have the power to pledge the right to exercise its Assessment powers in connection with obtaining funds to repay a debt of the Association; provided, however, any such pledge shall require the prior affirmative vote or written assent of not less than a majority of the Members. Said power shall include, but not be limited to, the ability to make an assignment of Assessments which are then payable to or which will become payable to the Association; which assignment may be then presently effective but shall allow said Assessments to continue to be paid to and used by the Association as set forth in this Declaration, unless and until the Association shall default on the repayment of the debt which is secured by said assignment. The Association may levy Special Assessments against the Members to obtain such funds. Upon the failure of any Member to pay said Special Assessment when due, the Association may exercise all its rights, including, without limitation, the right to foreclose its lien, pursuant to the Article hereof entitled "Nonpayment of Assessments".

<u>Section 8 – Emergency Powers.</u> The Association or any person authorized by the Association may enter any Residence in the event of any emergency involving illness or potential danger to life or property. Such entry shall be made with as little inconvenience to the Owners as

practicable, and any damage caused thereby shall be repaired by the Association unless covered by insurance carried by the Owner.

ARTICLE VII – Repair and Maintenance

<u>Section 1 – Repair and Maintenance by Association.</u> Except to the extent that an Owner may be obligated to maintain and repair as hereinafter provided, and without limiting the generality of the statement of duties and powers contained in this Declaration, the Articles, Bylaws or Association Rules, the Association shall have the duty to accomplish the following upon the Covered Property or other land in such manner and at such times as the Board shall prescribe:

(a) Maintain, repair, restore, replace and make necessary improvements to the Common Area or Community Facilities, including, without limitation, the following:

(i.) the exterior surfaces or all Condominium Buildings, to include the painting thereof, including, without limitation, the interior surface boundaries of Condominium Elements which are exterior walls of Condominium Buildings. Notwithstanding the above, the Association shall not maintain or repair any Condominium Building exterior wall that forms the boundary of the Atrium.

(ii.) private walkways, bicycle paths, trails or other pedestrian paths;

(iii.) private streets and adjacent streetscapes within the Covered Property in conformance with the standard of maintenance established by the Director of Public Works of the City for public streets and streetscapes within the City;

(iv.) drainage facilities and easements in accordance with the requirements of the Orange County Flood Control District;

(b) Maintain, repair, restore, replace and make necessary improvements to the interior surface boundaries of the Patio element of Units which is not ground or floor surface, including, without limitation, the painting thereof;

(c) Maintain and repair drainage facilities (including without limitation pipes, lines, catches, grates, concrete structures and the like) lying within that certain easement for drainage purposes over, under, through and across certain real property described in Exhibit B (tennis club).

(d) Landscape and maintain the landscaping upon those areas shown on Exhibit C (Ethel Coplen Way).

(e) Maintain all other areas, facilities, equipment, services or aesthetic components of whatsoever nature as may from time to time be requested by the vote or written consent of two-thirds (2/3) of the voting power of the Members.

(f) The costs of any such maintenance and repair pursuant to this Section shall be paid out of the general funds of the Association, except as otherwise herein specified as payable by the particular Owners.

<u>Section 2 – Repair and Maintenance by Owner.</u> Except as the Association shall be obligated to maintain and repair as may be provided in this Declaration, every Owner shall:

(a) Maintain, repair, replace and restore all of the Residential element and the Garage elements, the ground or floor surface of the Patio element and all of the interior surfaces of the Atrium element. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Owners shall maintain all plants or other growing things emplaced or located within such nonresidential elements of Units, and such plants or other growing things shall be permitted to encroach into or onto the Common Area, subject to the Article hereof entitled "Architectural Control".

(b) Repair and replace all window glass for his own Condominium, and Owners shall be responsible for the interior and exterior cleaning of such window glass. Owners shall not be responsible for repair of original window frames. However, should an Owner wish to replace a window, the window frame, and all appurtenances, shall be repaired and maintained by that Owner and any subsequent Owner of the Condominium.

(c) Repair, maintain or replace Garage doors, including, without limitation, hinges, springs and other parts of the door mechanism;

(d) Maintain, repair, replace and restore all portions of the Unit, including without limitation, the interior walls, ceilings, floors and doors in a clean, sanitary and attractive condition.

(e) In the event the Board shall determine that the walls, ceiling, floors, doors or any other portion of the Common Area forming the boundaries of a Unit have been damaged from within the Unit, notwithstanding that such damage may be to the Common Area, the Owner of the Unit shall be responsible for repairing such damage in a timely manner and in accordance with such rules as the Board or Architectural Committee shall from time to time adopt.

(f) Maintain, repair, restore, replace and make necessary improvements to the interior surfaces of his Atrium, including the interior surfaces of walls or fences, landscaping, and all improvements constructed or installed in his Atrium. The repair of any wall or fence separating the Atrium elements of neighboring Condominiums shall be joint responsibility of the Owners whose Condominiums are separated by such walls or fences, notwithstanding that such walls or fences may consist in part of Common Area. Such adjoining Owners shall share the expense of such repair equally, but if one such Owner refuses to join in such repair, the other may undertake such repair himself and shall receive contribution from his neighbor for his neighbor's share of the cost thereof. In the event that such repair is required because of the acts or negligence of one of such adjoining Owners, such repair shall be accomplished by such Owner at his sole expense. Nothing contained in this subsection shall obligate any Owner to paint or maintain the surface of any such wall or fence except as such surface forms a portion of the boundary of his Atrium.

<u>Section 3 – Right of Association to Maintain and Install.</u> In the event that an Owner fails to accomplish any maintenance or repair required by this Section, the Association or its delegates may, but shall not be obligated to, cause such maintenance and installation to be accomplished. Upon finding by the Board of a deficiency in such maintenance or installation, the Board shall give notice of deficiency to the Owner which shall briefly describe the deficiency and set a date by which the deficiency shall be cured which shall be at least fifteen (15) days from the date of the mailing of the notice. If the deficiency continues to exist after the time limitation imposed, the Board may cause such maintenance or installation to be accomplished. In the event the Board elects to cause such maintenance or installation, such amount shall be a Reimbursement Assessment to the affected Owner and Residence.

<u>Section 4 – Right of Entry.</u> The Association shall have the right to enter upon any Residence in connection with any maintenance, repair or construction (or related inspection) in the exercise of the powers and duties of the Association.

<u>Section 5 – Maintenance of Public Utilities.</u> Nothing contained herein shall require or obligate the Association to maintain, replace or restore the underground facilities of public utilities which are located within easements in the Common Area or Community Facilities owned by such public utilities. However, the Association shall take such steps as are necessary or convenient to ensure that such facilities are properly maintained, replaced or restored by such public utilities.

Section 6 – Termite Eradication.

If determined by the Board to be economically feasible, the Association shall adopt an inspection and prevention program for the prevention and eradication of infestation by wood-destroying pests and organisms in the Covered Property. If the Association adopts an inspection and preventive program for the prevention and eradication of infestation by wood destroying pests and organisms, the Association, on no less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days' notice, may require each Owner and any occupants of the Owner's Condominium to vacate such Condominium to accommodate Association efforts to eradicate such infestation. The notice must state the reason for the temporary relocation, the date and time of the beginning of treatment, the anticipated date and time of termination of treatment, and that the occupants will be responsible for their own accommodations during the temporary relocation. Any damage caused to a Condominium by such entry by the Association or by any person authorized by the Association shall be repaired by the Association as a Common Expense. All costs involved in operating the inspection and preventive program, as well as repairing and replacing the Common Areas when the need for such maintenance, repair or replacement is the result of wood destroying pests or organisms are a Common Expense.

Section 7 – Damage by Owners.

Each Owner is liable to the Association for all damage to the Common Area and Common Facilities that is sustained due to the negligence or willful act of the Owner, the Owner's family, tenants or invitees, and any other persons who derive their use of the Covered Property, or any portion of it, from the Owner or from the Owner's family, tenants or invitees. The Association may, after notice and hearing, levy a Reimbursement Assessment against the Owner to recover the cost of correcting the damage. The amount of the Reimbursement Assessment may include (a) the amount of any deductible payable on the insured portion of the loss (if the Board elects to

make a claim under the Association's insurance policy or policies), (b) all costs and expenses actually incurred by the Association to correct damage that is not covered by the Association's insurance or for which the Association has elected not to make an insurance claim, and (c) the amount of the increase in premiums payable by the Association, to the extent the increase is directly caused by damage that is reasonably attributable to the negligence or actions of the Owner. If a Condominium is jointly owned, the liability of its Owners for damage to the Common Areas of Common Facilities is joint and several, except to the extent that the Association and the joint Owners have otherwise agreed in writing.

ARTICLE VIII – Insurance

<u>Section 1 – Types.</u> The Association shall obtain and maintain in effect the following types of insurance:

(a) A comprehensive public liability insurance insuring the Association and the agents and employees of each and the Owners and the respective family members, guests and invitees of the Owners against any liability incident to the ownership or use of the Common Area and Community Facilities, and including, if obtainable, a cross-liability endorsement insuring each insured against liability to each other insured. The limits of such insurance shall not be less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) for death of or injury to any one person in any one occurrence, and One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) for property damage in any one occurrence.

(b) A master or blanket policy of fire insurance for the full insurable replacement value, without deduction for depreciation, of all of the improvements within the Covered Property. Such policy and any endorsements thereon shall be in the form and content for such term and in such company as may be satisfactory to any Institutional Mortgagee; and, if more than one Institutional Mortgagee exists, such policy and endorsements shall meet the maximum standards of such Institutional Mortgagees. Such policy shall contain extended coverage and replacement cost endorsements, if available, and may also contain vandalism and malicious mischief coverage, special form endorsement, stipulated amount clause and a determinable cash adjustment clause, or a similar clause to permit cash settlement covering full value of the improvements on the Covered Property in the event of destruction of Improvements." Such policy shall be in such amounts as shall be determined from time to time by the Board, shall name as insured the Association, the Owners and all Mortgagees as their respective interests may appear, and shall contain a loss-payable endorsement in favor of the Trustee.

(c) Fidelity coverage against dishonest acts on the part of directors, officers, employees or volunteers who handle or who are responsible to handle the funds of the Association, and such fidelity bonds shall name the Association as obligee, shall be written in an amount equal to one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the estimated annual operating expenses of the Association, including reserves, and shall contain waivers of any defense based on the exclusion of persons who serve without compensation or from any definition of "employee" or similar expression.

<u>Section 2 – Waiver by Members.</u> All insurance obtained by the Association shall be maintained by the Association for the benefit of the Association, the Owners and the Mortgagees as their interests may appear. As to each of said policies which will not be voided or impaired thereby, the Owners hereby waive and release all claims against the Association, the Board, other Owners, and agents and employees of each of the foregoing, with respect to any loss covered by such insurance, whether or not caused by negligence of or breach of any agreement by said persons, but to the extent of insurance proceeds received in compensation for such loss only.

<u>Section 3 – Other Insurance.</u> The Board may and, if required by any Institutional Mortgagee, shall purchase and maintain in force demolition insurance in adequate amounts to cover demolition in the event of total or partial destruction and a decision not to rebuild, as well as a blanket policy of flood insurance. The Board shall also purchase and maintain workmen's compensation insurance, to the extent that the same shall be required by law, for all employees of the Association. The Board shall also purchase and maintain in effect such insurance on personal property owned by the Association, and such other insurance, as it deems necessary or as is required by any Institutional Mortgagee including, without limitation, earthquake insurance, plate-glass insurance and officers' and directors' liability insurance.

<u>Section 4 – Premiums, Proceeds and Settlement.</u> Insurance premiums for any such blanket insurance coverage obtained by the Association and any other insurance deemed necessary by the Association shall be a Common Expense to be included in the Regular Assessments levied by the Association. Casualty insurance proceeds shall be used by the Association for the repair or replacement of the property for which the insurance was carried, or otherwise disposed of as provided in the Article hereof entitled "Destruction of Improvements." The Association is hereby granted the authority to negotiate loss settlements with the appropriate insurance carriers. Any two (2) directors of the Association may sign a loss claim form and release form in connection with the settlement of a loss claim, and such signatures shall be binding on the Association and the Members.

<u>Section 5 – Annual Insurance Review.</u> The Board shall annually determine whether the amounts and types of insurance it has obtained provide adequate coverage for the Covered Property in light of increased construction costs, inflation, practice in the area in which the Covered Property is located, or any other factor which tends to indicate that either additional insurance policies or increased coverage under existing policies are necessary or desirable to protect the interests of the Owners of the Association. If the Board determines that increased coverage or additional insurance is appropriate, it shall obtain the same.

<u>Section 6 – Abandonment of Replacement Cost Insurance.</u> Unless at lease seventy-five percent (75%) of the Institutional Mortgagees based on one (1) vote for each First Mortgage held have given their prior written approval, the Association shall not be entitled to fail to maintain the extended coverage fire and casualty insurance required by this Article on less than a one hundred percent (100%) current replacement cost basis.

<u>Section 7 – Federal Requirements.</u> Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Article, the Association shall continuously maintain in effect such casualty, flood and liability insurance and

a fidelity bond meeting the insurance and fidelity bond requirements for condominium projects established by any of the Federal Agencies, so long as either is a Mortgagee, Owner, or insures or guarantees a Mortgage within the Covered Property, except to the extent such coverage is not available or has been waived in writing by the foregoing entities.

<u>Section 8 – Trustee.</u> Except as provided below, all insurance proceeds payable under Section 1(b) of this Article shall be paid to a Trustee. The Trustee shall hold, distribute and expend such proceeds for the benefit of the Owners, Mortgagees and others, as their respective interests shall appear, pursuant to the provisions of the Article herein entitled "Destruction of Improvements." The Trustee shall be appointed by the Board and shall be a commercial bank, or branch thereof, or a trust company in Orange County, which has agreed in writing to accept such trust. When proceeds from a single claim do not exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), such proceeds shall be paid to the Association to be used as provided in the Article hereof entitled "Destruction of Improvements".

<u>Section 9 – Individual Casualty Insurance Prohibited.</u> Except as expressly provided in the Section of this Article entitled "Obligation of Owners to Insure," no Owner will separately insure his Condominium or any part thereof against loss by fire or other casualty covered by any insurance carrier under Section 1(b) of this Article. Should any Owner violate this provision, and should any loss intended to be covered by insurance carried by the Association occur, and the proceeds payable thereunder be reduced by reason of insurance carried by any Owner, such Owner shall assign the proceeds of such insurance carried by it to the extent of such reduction to the Trustee for application by the Board to the same purposes as the reduced proceeds are to be applied.

In the event that such Owner has failed to pay such amount within thirty (30) days of a written demand therefor by the Association or the Trustee, the Board may levy a Special Assessment against such Owner and his Condominium for such amount. In the event such Special Assessment is not paid within thirty (30) days of its due date, the Board may effect the remedies of Section 5650 of the California Civil Code and the Article hereof entitled "Nonpayment of Assessments."

<u>Section 10 – Obligation of Owners to Insure.</u> Notwithstanding the other provisions of this Article, an Owner shall insure his personal property against loss by fire or other casualty and shall carry public liability insurance covering his individual liability for damage to persons or property occurring inside his individual Unit. In addition, any improvements made by an Owner to his Unit may be separately insured by such Owner, provided such insurance shall be limited to the type and nature of coverage commonly known as "tenant's improvements" coverage. All such policies as may be carried by the Owners shall contain waivers of subrogation of claims against the Association, the Board, other Owners, and the agents and employees of each of the foregoing, with respect to any loss covered by such insurance, whether or not caused by negligence of or breach of any agreement by said persons, but to the extent of insurance proceeds received in compensation for such loss only; provided, however, such other policies shall not adversely affect or diminish any liability under any insurance obtained by the Board.

<u>Section 11 – Required Waiver.</u> All policies of physical damage insurance shall provide for waiver of the following rights to the extent such waivers are obtainable from the respective insurers:

(a) Subrogation of claims against the Owners or tenants of the Owners;

(b) Any defense based on co-insurance;

(c) Any right of set-off, counterclaim, apportionment, proration or contribution by reason of other insurance not carried by the Association;

(d) Any invalidity, other adverse effect or defense on account of any breach of warranty or condition caused by the Association, any Owner or any tenant of any Owner or arising from any act, neglect or omission of any named insured or the respective agents, contractors and employees of any insured;

(e) Any right of the insurer to repair, rebuild or replace and, in the event the building is not repaired, rebuilt or replaced following loss, any right to pay under the insurance the lesser of the replacement value of the improvements insured or the fair market value thereof;

(f) Notice of the assignment of any Owner of its interest in the insurance by virtue of a conveyance of any Unit; and

(g) Any right to require any assignment of any Mortgage to the insurer.

ARTICLE IX – Destruction of Improvements

<u>Section 1 – Automatic Reconstruction.</u> In the event of partial or total destruction of any Condominium Building, the Board shall promptly take the following action:

(a) The Board shall ascertain the cost of reconstruction by obtaining fixed price bids from at least two (2) reputable contractors, including the obligation to obtain a performance bond, if the Board deems the same to be necessary or appropriate, and obtaining one or more independent appraisals if the Board deems such appraisal or appraisals to be necessary or desirable.

(b) The Board shall determine the amount of insurance proceeds, if any, payable by contacting the appropriate representative of the insurer of said Condominium Building.

(c) The Board shall meet and determine whether the insurance proceeds, if any, will cover eighty-five percent (85%) or more of the estimated cost of reconstruction as determined pursuant to subsection (a) of this Section, or whether the portion of the estimated cost not covered by insurance is less than One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per year per Condominium. Such percentage covered by insurance or such cost shall hereinafter be referred to as the "Acceptable Range of Reconstruction Cost." If the Board finds that a bid obtained under this Section is within the Acceptable Range of Reconstruction Cost, the Board shall cause a

notice to be sent to all Owners of Condominiums in the Project within which the partially or totally destroyed Condominium Building is located (hereinafter in this Article the "affected Owners") and to the Mortgagees of Mortgages encumbering Condominiums in said Condominium Building setting forth such findings and informing said Owners and said Mortgagees that the Board intends to commence reconstruction pursuant to this Declaration. In the event that at least twenty percent (20%) of the affected Owners, based on one (1) vote for each Condominium, object in writing to such reconstruction by the date indicated therefor on such notice, which in no event shall be sooner than ten (10) days or later than thirty (30) days after the date on which the Board sends such notice to the Members, the Board shall call a meeting of the affected Owners pursuant to the Section entitled "Reconstruction Pursuant to Meeting" of this Article. In the event that the foregoing requirements are satisfied and the requisite number of affected Owners do not object in writing by such date, the Trustee shall pay such insurance proceeds as are available to the Board and the Board shall cause reconstruction to take place as promptly as practicable and shall levy a uniform Reconstruction Assessment against each affected Owner at such time and in such amount as the Board shall determine is necessary to cover the costs of reconstruction in excess of insurance proceeds. If the Board in good faith determines that none of the bids submitted under this Section reasonably reflects the anticipated reconstruction costs, the Board shall proceed according to the Section entitled "Reconstruction Pursuant to Meeting" of this Article.

(d) The foregoing determination shall be made by the Board as soon as possible. However, if such determinations cannot be made within sixty (60) days of the date of destruction because of the unavailability or unacceptability of an insurance estimate or reconstruction bid, or otherwise, the Board shall immediately call a meeting of the affected Owners pursuant to the Section entitled "Reconstruction Pursuant to Meeting" of this Article.

(e) If the Board determines that any Unit has become uninhabitable by reason of its total or partial destruction, Regular Assessments shall abate against the Owner thereof until the Board determines that the reconstruction of the Unit has restored its habitability. However, if the Board determines that such abatement will adversely and substantially affect the management, maintenance and operation of the Covered Property, it may elect to disallow such abatement.

(f) In the event that Condominium Buildings are totally or partially destroyed in more than one (1) Project, the Board shall separately follow the procedures set forth in this Article as to each Project so affected.

<u>Section 2 – Reconstruction Pursuant to Meeting.</u> If the Board determines that the requirements of the Acceptable Range of Reconstruction Cost have not been met, or if the requisite number of affected Owners object in writing to a decision by the Board to reconstruct pursuant to the Section entitled "Automatic Reconstruction" of this Article, the Board shall call a meeting of the affected Owners by mailing notice of such determination and of the meeting to such Owner at his address as shown on the records of the Association. Such meeting shall be held not less than fourteen (14) days and not more than twenty-one (21) days after (i) the meeting at which the Board makes its determination that the cost of reconstruction was not within the Acceptable Range of Reconstruction Cost, or (ii) the date indicated on the notice of the Board sent to Members pursuant to subsection (c) of the Section entitled "Automatic Reconstruction" above,

as the case may be. The affected Owners may, by a vote at such meeting or by the written consent of not less than sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66-2/3%) of the affected Owners based on one (1) vote for each Condominium determine to proceed with the reconstruction. If the affected Owners so determine to reconstruct the partially or totally destroyed Condominium Building, the Board shall levy a uniform Reconstruction Assessment against each affected Owner at such time and in such amount as the Board shall determine is necessary to cover the costs of reconstruction in excess of insurance proceeds.

<u>Section 3 – Decision to Reconstruct: Procedure After Meeting.</u> In the event that the Association undertakes reconstruction pursuant to the Section entitled "Reconstruction Pursuant to Meeting" of this Article, the following shall apply:

(a) Immediately after such meeting, the Board shall notify by first-class mail, registered or certified, all Institutional Mortgages of Condominiums in totally or partially destroyed Condominium Buildings of the Association's decision to undertake reconstruction. The Board shall also send a true copy of all such notices to the Trustee.

(b) In the event that any such Institutional Mortgagee desires to apply insurance proceeds allocable to the Condominium encumbered by its Mortgage to the reduction or elimination of the indebtedness secured by such Mortgage, such Institutional Mortgagee shall notify the Trustee and the Association in writing of such election within thirty (30) days of the date the notice of the Board sent pursuant to subsection (a) above is deposited in the United States mail. Upon receipt of timely notice from any such Institutional Mortgagee, the Trustee shall promptly pay to such Institutional Mortgagee the insurance proceeds allocable to the Condominium encumbered by the Mortgage of such Institutional Mortgagee for the purpose of the reduction or elimination of the obligation secured by such Mortgage; provided, however, in no event shall the Trustee pay to such Institutional Mortgagee an amount greater than (i) the outstanding indebtedness secured by said Mortgage, or (ii) the insurance proceeds allocated to such Condominium, whichever of (i) or (ii) is the lesser. Simultaneously with such payment, the Trustee shall notify the Board of the amount of such payment. The Trustee shall not make any payments to Institutional Mortgagees pursuant to this subsection (b), unless such Institutional Mortgagee notifies the Trustee of its election prior to the expiration of the thirty (30) day period following the deposit in the United States mail of the Board's notice to such Institutional Mortgagee pursuant to this subsection (b).

(c) As to each Condominium for which insurance proceeds have been paid to the Trustee and for which an Institutional Mortgagee has not timely notified the Trustee of its election to apply such proceeds to the reduction or elimination of the obligation owing to such Institutional Mortgagee, the Trustee promptly upon the expiration of the appropriate time period shall pay all insurance proceeds allocable to such Condominium to the Board to be applied to reconstruction undertaken by the Association pursuant to the Section entitled "Reconstruction Pursuant to Meeting" of this Article. In the event that the Trustee has paid a portion of the insurance proceeds allocable to a Condominium to an Institutional Mortgagee after timely request therefor, simultaneously with such payment the Trustee shall pay all remaining proceeds, if any, allocable to such Condominium to the Board to be applied to reconstruction undertaken by the Association pursuant to Meeting" of this article.

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(d) For the purposes of this Article, the amount of insurance proceeds "allocated" or "allocable" to a Condominium shall be determined pursuant to this subsection (d). In the event that the insurance carrier allocates casualty insurance proceeds among Condominiums for which such proceeds are payable, such allocation shall be final and binding on the Owners, the Mortgagees, the Association and the Trustee. The Board shall make every possible effort to cause such insurance carrier to make such allocation. In the event that such allocation is not made, the Trustee shall allocate such proceeds among such Condominiums in totally or partially destroyed Condominium Buildings based upon the relative value of the Condominiums as established by the assessed valuation of each Condominium as last determined prior to the destruction by the tax assessor of the governmental entity having jurisdiction over the Covered Property and to the extent to which the Units involved have been affected by the destruction. Such allocation made by the Trustee shall be final and binding on the Owners, the Mortgagees and the Association.

(e) In the event that the Trustee pays insurance proceeds to any Institutional Mortgagee pursuant to this Section, the Owner of the Condominium which was encumbered by the Mortgage of such Institutional Mortgagee shall pay to the Association an amount equal to the insurance proceeds paid by the Trustee to such Institutional Mortgagee. In the event that such Owner has failed to pay such amount within thirty (30) days of a written demand therefor by the Association, the Board may levy a Special Assessment against such Owner and his Condominium for such amount. In the event such Special Assessment is not paid within thirty (30) days of its due date, the Board may effect the remedies of Section 4275 of the California Civil Code and the Article hereof entitled "Nonpayment of Assessments." Such Special Assessment and any Regular Assessment levied subsequent thereto shall not be a personal liability of the Owner against whom such Assessments are levied and shall only be charged against his Condominium.

<u>Section 4 – Decision Not to Reconstruct: Procedure After Meeting.</u> In the event that the affected Owners decide not to reconstruct at the meeting called pursuant to the Section entitled "Reconstruction Pursuant to Meeting" of this Article, the Trustee shall apply the insurance proceeds as follows:

(a) The Trustee shall first apply insurance proceeds to the reduction or elimination, as the case may be, of all outstanding Mortgages encumbering Condominiums for which insurance proceeds have been paid by reason of the casualty; provided, however, as to any Condominium, the Trustee shall not pay insurance proceeds to Mortgagees in an amount greater than (i) the outstanding indebtedness secured by Mortgages encumbering said Condominium, or (ii) the insurance proceeds allocable to said Condominium, whichever of (i) or (ii) is the lesser.

(b) All proceeds allocated to Condominiums and remaining after payments to Mortgagees pursuant to subsection (a) shall be distributed by the Trustee to such Owners in the partially or totally destroyed Condominium Building after the deduction of an amount determined pursuant to subsection (c) below. (c) The Board shall levy a uniform Reconstruction Assessment against all affected Owners equal to the costs of clearing of the debris of totally or partially destroyed Condominium Buildings and cleaning of the area. The Trustee shall pay to the Board said Reconstruction Assessments of the Owners of partially or totally destroyed Condominiums out of the insurance proceeds allocated to such Owners prior to the distribution of such proceeds thereto pursuant to subsection (b) above. In the event that insurance proceeds allocated to any Owner, after deduction of proceeds paid to Mortgagees, is not sufficient to pay the entire Reconstruction Assessment levied against such Owner, such Owner shall not be relieved of his obligation to pay any such excess.

<u>Section 5 – Certificate of Intention to Reconstruct.</u> In the event that the Association undertakes reconstruction pursuant to this Article, the Board shall execute, acknowledge and record in the Office of the County Recorder of Orange County, California, a certificate declaring the intention of the Association to rebuild not later than one hundred eighty (180) days from the date of destruction. If no such certificate of reconstruction is so filed within said one hundred eighty (180) day period, it shall be conclusively presumed that the Association has determined not to undertake reconstruction pursuant to this Article.

<u>Section 6 – Partition.</u> In the event that a certificate described in the Section entitled "Certificate of Intention to Reconstruct" of this Article is not recorded within the one hundred eighty (180) day period provided therein, the right of any Owner to partition through legal action as described in the Article hereof entitled "Limitations Upon the Right to Partition and Severance" shall forthwith revive.

<u>Section 7 – Compliance with Condominium Plan.</u> Any reconstruction undertaken pursuant to this Article shall substantially conform to the Condominium Plan, as amended pursuant to the Section entitled "Amendment of Condominium Plan" of this Article, or otherwise, if appropriate.

<u>Section 8 – Negotiations with Insurer.</u> The Board shall have full authority to negotiate in good faith with representatives of the insurer of the totally or partially destroyed Condominium Building or any other portion of the Common Area, and to make settlement with the insurer for less than full insurance coverage on the damage to the Condominium Building or any other portion of the Common Area. Any settlement made by the Board in good faith shall be binding upon all Owners.

<u>Section 9 – Repair of Units.</u> Installation of improvements to, and repair of any damage to, the interior of a Unit shall be made by and at the individual expense of the Owner of that Unit and, in the event of a determination to reconstruct after partial or total destruction, shall be completed as promptly as practical and in a lawful and workmanlike manner.

<u>Section 10 – Amendment of Condominium Plan.</u> In the event that reconstruction is to take place pursuant to this Article, the Board shall have the power to record an amendment to the Condominium Plan so that the Condominium Plan conforms to the Condominium Buildings as designed to be reconstructed; provided, however, the Board shall not file an amendment to the Condominium Plan without the prior authorization of the Mortgagee of a Mortgage encumbering any Condominium, the plan of which shall be altered by such amendment. In the event that the

Board, together with said Mortgagees, if appropriate, decide to record such amendment to the Condominium Plan, all Owners within the affected Project and the record holders of all security interests in said Project shall execute and acknowledge said amendment so that it will comply with Section 4285 of the California Civil Code or any similar statute then in effect. Said Owners and holders of security interests shall also execute such other documents or take such other actions as required to make such amendment effective.

<u>Section 11 – Reconstruction of Community Facilities or Common Area.</u> If Community Facilities or Common Area other than a Condominium Building is totally or partially destroyed, the Board shall cause reconstruction to commence by the earlier of (i) thirty (30) days of the Association's receipt of the insurance proceeds payable by reason of such destruction, or (ii) ninety (90) days after each destruction, and to thereafter be diligently and continuously prosecuted to completion within a reasonable period of time. The Trustee shall pay to the Board all insurance proceeds payable by reason of such destruction. In the event that the insurance proceeds are not sufficient to pay the costs of reconstruction Assessment against all Owners in the Project which suffered such damage to its Common Area in a total amount equal to such difference and in the case of Community Facilities, a similar Reconstruction Assessment shall be levied against all Members. If the insurance proceeds exceed the cost of reconstruction, the Board shall, in the case of Common Area, distribute the excess in equal shares to each Owner in such Project or to their Mortgagees as their interests may appear, and in the case of Community Facilities, to all Owners.

<u>Section 12 – Availability of Labor and Material.</u> In determining whether the plans for a reconstructed Condominium Building are in substantial conformance with the Condominium Plan, the Board may take into consideration the availability and expense of the labor and materials in the original construction of the Project. If such labor or material is not available or is prohibitively expensive at the time of reconstruction, the Board may permit the substitution of other labor or material as it deems proper.

<u>Section 13 – Contracting for Reconstruction</u>. In the event repair or reconstruction is undertaken pursuant to this Article, other than the Section entitled "Repair of Units" hereof, the Board or its delegates shall have the sole ability to contract for such work as may be necessary for said repair and reconstruction.

<u>Section 14 – Seventy-Five Percent (75%) Vote Required.</u> All insurance proceeds available from any total or partial destruction shall be applied to the purposes set forth in this Article, except upon the vote or written assent of not less than seventy-five percent (75%) of the Institutional Mortgagees based on one (1) vote for each First Mortgage held thereby.

<u>Section 15 – Costs of Collecting Insurance Proceeds.</u> If it should become necessary in the judgment of the Board to incur costs for appraisals, legal fees, court costs and similar expenses in order to determine or collect insurance proceeds, such costs shall be first deducted before distribution or application of insurance proceeds as provided in this Article.

ARTICLE X – Eminent Domain

<u>Section 1 – Definition of Taking.</u> The term "taking" as used in this Article shall mean condemnation by eminent domain, or by sale under threat thereof, of all or part of the Covered Property.

<u>Section 2 – Representation by Board in Condemnation Proceeding.</u> In the event of a taking, the Board shall, subject to the right of all Mortgagees who have requested the right to join the Board in the proceedings, represent all of the Members in an action to recover all awards. No Member shall challenge the good faith exercise of the discretion of the Board in fulfilling its duties under this Article. The Board is further empowered, subject to the limitations herein, as the sole representative of the Members, in all aspects of condemnation proceedings not specifically covered herein.

Section 3 – Award for Condominium. In the event of a taking of Condominiums, the Board shall distribute the award forthcoming from the taking authority according to the provisions of this Section after deducting therefrom fees and expenses related to the condemnation proceeding including, without limitation, fees for attorneys and appraisers and court costs. In the event that the taking is by judgment of condemnation and said judgment apportions the award among the Owners and their respective Mortgagees, the Board shall distribute the amount remaining after such deductions among such Owners and Mortgagees on the allocation basis set forth in such judgment. In the event that the taking is by sale under threat of condemnation, or if the judgment of condemnation fails to apportion the award, the Board shall distribute the award among the Owners in the Project in which the taking occurs and their respective Mortgagees based upon the relative values of the Condominiums affected by such taking as determined by: (i) the assessed valuation of each Condominium as last determined prior to the taking by the tax assessor of the governmental entity having jurisdiction over the Project, and (ii) the degree to which each Condominium has been affected by the taking. The determination by the Board as to the degree each Condominium has been affected by the taking shall be final and binding on all Owners and Mortgagees. Nothing contained herein shall entitle an Owner to priority over a Mortgagee of his Condominium as to the portion of the condemnation award allocated to his Condominium. In no event shall any portion of such award be distributed by the Board to an Owner and/or the Mortgagees of his Condominium in a total amount greater than the portion allocated hereunder to such Condominium.

<u>Section 4 – Inverse Condemnation.</u> The Board is authorized to bring an action in inverse condemnation. In such event, the provisions of this Article shall apply with equal force.

<u>Section 5 – Revival of Right to Partition.</u> Upon a taking which renders more than fifty percent (50%) of the Condominiums in any Project incapable of being restored to at least ninety-five percent (95%) of their floor area and substantially their condition prior to the taking, the right of any Owner within such Project to partition through legal action as described in the Article hereof entitled "Limitations Upon the Right to Partition and Severance" shall forthwith revive. The determination as to whether Condominiums partially taken are capable of being so restored shall be made by the Board, whose decision shall be final and binding on all Owners and Mortgagees.

<u>Section 6 – Awards for Members' Personal Property and Relocation Allowances.</u> Where all or part of the Covered Property is taken, each Member shall have the exclusive right to claim all of the award made for his personal property, and any relocation, moving expense, or other allowance of a similar nature designed to facilitate relocation. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions, the Board shall represent each Member in an action to recover all awards with respect to such portion, if any, of Members' personal property as is at the time of any taking, as a matter of law, part of the real estate comprising any Condominium, and shall allocate to such Member so much of any awards as is attributable in the taking proceedings, or failing such attribution, attributable by the Board to such portion of Members' personal property.

Section 7 – Notice to Members. The Board, immediately upon having knowledge of any taking or threat thereof with respect to the Covered Property, or any portion thereof, shall promptly notify all Members.

<u>Section 8 – Change of Condominium Interest.</u> In the event of a taking, and notwithstanding the Section entitled "Amendments" of the Article herein entitled "General Provisions," the Board may amend the Condominium Plan to reflect the change in the Project or Projects affected by a taking. In the event that the Board decides to record such amendment to the Condominium Plan, all Owners within such Project or Projects and the record holders of all security interests in such Project or Projects shall execute and acknowledge said amendment so that it will comply with Section 4285 of the California Civil Code or any similar statute then in effect. Said Owners and holders of security interests shall also execute such other documents or take such other actions as required to make such amendment effective. The Board shall cause a notice of change in the Condominium Plan to be sent to each Owner and Mortgagee in such Project or Projects within ten (10) days of the filing of such amendments in the County Recorder's Office of Orange County, California.

<u>Section 9 – Award for Community Facilities.</u> Any awards received on account of the taking of Community Facilities shall be paid to the Association. The Board may in its sole discretion retain any award in the general funds of the Association or distribute pro rata all or a portion thereof to the Members. The rights of an Owner and the Mortgagee of his Residence as to any pro rata distribution shall be governed by the provisions of the Mortgage encumbering such Residence.

ARTICLE XI – Use Restrictions

<u>Section 1 – Commercial Use.</u> No part of a Residence shall be used or caused to be used or allowed or authorized in any way, directly or indirectly, for any business, commercial, manufacturing, mercantile, storing, vending, or any nonresidential purposes; Notwithstanding the foregoing, the provisions of this Section shall not preclude any Owner of a Condominium in the Properties from maintaining any business permitted by law (e.g., a family day care center) or from using his Residence as a home-office and conducting business activities therefrom, provided such business activities are in compliance with the following: (a) there is no external evidence of such activities; (b) such activities are conducted in conformance with all applicable government ordinances; (c) the patrons or clientele of such activities do not visit the Condominium or park automobiles or other vehicles within the Covered Property; (d) the existence or operation of such activities is not apparent or detectable by sight, sound or smell

from outside of the boundaries of the Condominium; (e) no such activity increases the liability or casualty insurance obligation or premium of the Association; and (f) such activities are consistent with the residential character of the Covered Property and conform with the provisions of this Declaration.

<u>Section 2 – Signs.</u> No sign or billboard of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any portion of the Covered Property, except the following:

(a) A Member may display in his Residence, a sign advertising its sale or lease by him so long as such sign shall comply with any customary and reasonable standards promulgated by the Board as to the size, color, shape or other qualification for permitted signs;

(b) Noncommercial signs, posters, flags or banners otherwise permitted by law, except that under no circumstances may a noncommercial sign or poster exceed 9 square feet in size or a noncommercial flag or banner exceed 15 square feet in size; or

(c) Such signs as may be required for legal proceedings.

<u>Section 3 – Nuisance.</u> No noxious or offensive trade or activity shall be carried on upon any Residence, or any part of the Covered Property nor shall anything be done thereon which may be, or may become an annoyance or nuisance to the neighborhood, or which shall in any way interfere with the quiet enjoyment of each of the Owners of his respective Residence, or which shall in any way increase the rate of insurance.

<u>Section 4 – Temporary Structures.</u> No structure of a temporary character, trailer, basement, tent, shack, garage, barn or other out-building shall hereafter be used on any Residence at any time, either temporarily or permanently.

Section 5 - Vehicles. No trailer, camper, boat or similar equipment shall hereafter be permitted to remain upon the Covered Property, including, without limitation, streets, alleys or driveways, unless placed or maintained within an enclosed area, or unless obscured from view of adjoining Residences, streets, or alleys by a fence or appropriate screen, nor permitted to be parked other than temporarily, on any street, alley, or any other portion of the Covered Property. Except for temporary parking, the following vehicles are not permitted within the Covered Property: (a) large commercial-type vehicles (e.g., stake bed trucks, tank trucks, dump trucks, step vans, and concrete trucks), (b) buses, limousines or vans designed to accommodate more than ten (10) people, (c) vehicles having more than two (2) axles, (d) trailers, (e) inoperable vehicles or parts of vehicles, (f) aircraft, or (g) any vehicle or vehicular equipment deemed a nuisance by the Association. Temporary parking shall mean parking of vehicles belonging to guests of Owners, delivery trucks, service vehicles and other commercial vehicles being used in the furnishing of services to the Association or the Owners and parking of vehicles belonging to or being used by Owners for loading and unloading purposes. The Board may adopt rules for this regulation of the admission and parking of vehicles within the Covered Property, including the levying of fines to Owners who violate or whose invitees violate such rules and rental of parking spaces. Any fence or screen required under this Section shall comply with any standards promulgated pursuant to the Article entitled "Architectural Control" of this Declaration as to size, color, or other qualification for permitted fences or screens. In addition, the Board may designate areas within the Covered Property for parking of campers and similar equipment without the requirement of fencing or screening.

<u>Section 6 – Animals.</u> No animals, livestock or poultry of any kind, shall be raised, bred or kept upon the Covered Property, except that dogs, cats or other household pets may be kept on the Residences, provided they are not kept, bred or maintained for any commercial purpose, or in numbers deemed unreasonable by the Board or in excess of that allowed by municipal ordinance. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no animals or fowl may be kept on the Residences which in the good faith judgment of the Board, result in an annoyance or are obnoxious to residents in the vicinity. All animals permitted to be kept by this Section shall be kept on a leash when on any portion of the Covered Property except within a Residence. Each person is liable for any unreasonable noise and for damage to person or property caused by any animals brought or kept on the Covered Property by such person. Any person who keeps any animal, insect or reptile in the Covered Property shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Association, its officers, directors, contractors, agents and employees from any claim brought by any person against the Association, its officers, directors, agents and employees for personal injuries or property damage caused by such animals.

<u>Section 7 – Oil and Mineral Rights.</u> No oil drilling, oil development operations, oil refining, quarrying, or mining operations of any kind shall be permitted upon or in the Covered Property nor, subsequent to the recording of this Declaration, shall oil wells, tanks, tunnels, or mineral excavations or shafts be installed upon the surface of the Covered Property or within five hundred (500) feet below the surface of such properties. No derrick or other structure designed for use in boring for water, oil or natural gas shall be erected, maintained or permitted upon the Covered Property.

<u>Section 8 – Unsightly Items.</u> All weeds, rubbish, debris, or unsightly material or objects of any kind shall be regularly removed from the Residences and shall not be allowed to accumulate thereon. Trash must be stored in sanitary trash containers. All clotheslines, refuse containers, woodpiles, storage areas, machinery and equipment shall be prohibited upon any Residence unless obscured from view of adjoining streets or portions of the Covered Property from a height of six (6) feet or less. Any fence or screen required by this Section shall comply with any standards promulgated pursuant to the Article entitled "Architectural Control" of this Declaration as to size, color or other qualification for permitted fences or screens.

<u>Section 9 – Antennae.</u> No person may install any antenna or over-the-air receiving device within the Covered Property except in the manner authorized in the Association Rules.

<u>Section 10 – Drainage</u>. All drainage of water from any Residence shall drain or flow into adjacent streets or alleys and shall not be allowed to drain or flow upon, across, or under any other portion of the Covered Property unless an easement fur such purpose is granted.

<u>Section 11 – Garages.</u> No Garage doors shall be permitted to remain open except for a temporary purpose (such as vehicle ingress or egress or for repairs to the area), and the Board may adopt rules for the regulation of the opening of Garage doors, including levying fines to

Owners who violate or whose invitees violate such rules. Garages shall be maintained so as to accommodate the storage of at least two (2) vehicles. Residents shall park vehicles in the garage and to the extent that the vehicle will not fit in the garage (as a result of the size of the vehicle and not because of modifications to the garage) or there are more vehicles than may be accommodated by the garage, then and only then, may a vehicle be parked in the Common Area.

<u>Section 12 – Window Covers.</u> Curtains, drapes, shutters or blinds may be installed as window covers. No window shall be covered with aluminum foil or similar material.

<u>Section 13 – California Vehicle Code.</u> The City shall be allowed to impose and enforce all provisions of the applicable California Vehicle Code sections on any private streets contained within the Covered Property.

<u>Section 14 – Single-Family Residential.</u> All Residences shall only be used for the residential purposes of a family.

ARTICLE XII – Rights of Enjoyment

<u>Section 1 – Members' Right of Enjoyment.</u> Every member shall have a nonexclusive easement for use and enjoyment in and to the Common Area, regardless of the Project in which such Member is an Owner, and in and to the Community Facilities and such right shall be appurtenant to and shall pass with the interest required to be an Owner to every Residence, subject to all of the easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions and other provisions contained in this Declaration, including, without limitation, the following provisions:

(a) The right of the Association to limit the number of guests of Members and to limit the use of the Community Facilities by persons not in possession of a Residence, but owning a portion of the interest in a Residence required for membership.

(b) The right of the Association to establish reasonable rules and regulations pertaining to the use of the Community Facilities and Common Area.

(c) The right of the Association to borrow money provided that the prior affirmative vote or written approval of a majority of the Members has been obtained.

(d) The rights of the Association to suspend the right of a Member to use the recreational facilities, if any, located on the Common Area or Community Facilities or any portion thereof designated by the Board during any time in which any Assessment against his Residence remains unpaid and delinquent or for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days for any single infraction of the rules and regulations of the Association, provided that any suspension of such right to use such recreational facilities, if any, located on the Common Area or Community Facilities, except for failure to pay Assessments, shall be made only by the Association for a duly appointed committee thereof, after notice and hearing given and held in accordance with the Bylaws. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Association shall not have the right hereunder to suspend any Member's right to use any portion of the Covered Property necessary for such Member to gain access to his Residence.

(e) The right of the Association subject to the approval rights of Institutional Mortgagees pursuant to the Article hereof entitled "Rights of Lenders", to dedicate or transfer all or any part of the Community Facilities to any public agency, authority or utility or other entity. No such dedication or transfer, including, without limitation, the conveyance, lease or other transfer of any portion of the Community Facilities to a special tax assessment district or to the City, shall be effective unless an instrument signed by Members entitled to cast two-thirds (2/3) of the voting power of the membership has been recorded, agreeing to such dedication or transfer. The certificate of the President and the Secretary of the Association attached to such instrument certifying that the Members signing such instrument represent two-thirds (2/3) of the voting power of the Association shall be deemed conclusive proof thereof.

(f) The right of the Association to establish in cooperation with the City, a special tax assessment district for the performance of all or a portion of the maintenance and other functions now within the responsibility of the Association, together with the right of the Association to convey, lease or otherwise transfer, subject to the provisions of this Section, all or any portion of the Community Facilities to said district.

(g) The right of the Association to grant easements on, over and under the Common Area to third parties, including public utilities or governmental entities or agencies; provided that such easement shall not unreasonably interfere with the right of any Owner to the use and enjoyment of his Residence and the Common Area. No such easement shall be granted without the approval of the Members entitled to cast a majority of the voting power of the Members.

<u>Section 2 – Delegation of Use.</u> Any Member may delegate his right of enjoyment to the Community Facilities and Common Area to the members of his family or his tenants who reside on his Residence, or to his guests, subject to rules and regulations adopted by the Board.

<u>Section 3 – Waiver of Use.</u> No member may exempt himself from personal liability for Assessments duly levied by the Association, nor release the Residence owned by him from the liens, charges and other provisions of this Declaration, the Articles, Bylaws and Association Rules, by waiver of the use and enjoyment of the Community Facilities and Common Area, or the abandonment of his Residence.

ARTICLE XIII – Easements

Section 1 – Certain Rights and Easements

(a) <u>Utilities</u>. Easements over the Covered Property for the installation and maintenance of electric, telephone, cable television, water, gas, sanitary sewer lines and drainage facilities as are needed to service the Covered Property were granted by the Original Declarant.

(b) <u>Cable Television</u>. There is hereby reserved to Association over the Covered Property, together with the right to grant and transfer the same, the right to emplace on, under or across the Covered Property transmission lines and other facilities for a community antenna television system or cable services and thereafter to own and convey such lines and facilities and

the right to enter upon the Covered Property to service, maintain, repair, reconstruct and replace said lines or facilities; provided, however, that the exercise of such rights shall not unreasonably interfere with any Owner's reasonable use and enjoyment of his Residence.

(c) <u>Atrium Utilities.</u> There is hereby reserved to Declarant together with the right to grant and transfer the same, an easement over the Atrium elements of Units for the installation and maintenance of drainage facilities and public utilities under the surface of any land in said Atriums, provided that such installation and maintenance shall not unreasonably interfere with an Owner's use and enjoyment of his Atrium or damage or weaken any improvement constructed therein.

Section 2 - Certain Easements for Owners.

(a) <u>Rights and Duties: Utilities and Cable Television</u>. Wherever sanitary sewer house connections, water house connections, electricity, gas, telephone and cable television lines or drainage facilities are installed within the Covered Property, the Owners of any Residence served by said connections, lines or facilities shall have the right and there is hereby reserved an easement to the full extent necessary for the full use and enjoyment of such portion of such connections which service his Residence, and to enter upon the Residences owned by others, or to have utility companies enter upon the Residences owned by others, in or upon which said connections, lines or facilities, or any portion thereof lie, to repair, replace and generally maintain said connections as and when the same may be necessary as set forth below, provided that such Owner or utility company shall promptly repair any damage to a Residence caused by such entry as promptly as possible after completion of work thereon.

(b) <u>Ingress Egress and Recreational Rights.</u> Owners have a nonexclusive easement for ingress, egress, pedestrian walkway and general recreational purposes over and upon the Community Facilities and Common Area which is not a Condominium Building. Such easements are subject to the rights of the Association as set forth in the Article hereof entitled "Rights of Enjoyment".

Section 3- Certain Easements for Association.

(a) <u>Association Rights</u>. There is hereby reserved to Association easements over the Covered Property for the purpose of permitting the Association to discharge its obligations as described in this Declaration.

(b) <u>Rights and Duties: Utilities and Cable Television</u>. Wherever sanitary sewer house connections, water house connections, electricity, gas, telephone and cable television lines or drainage facilities are installed within the Covered Property, and said connections, lines or facilities serve the Community Facilities, the Association shall have the right and there is hereby reserved to the Association an easement to the full extent necessary for the full use and enjoyment of such portion of such connections which service the Community Facilities and to enter upon the Residences owned by others, or to have utility companies enter upon the Residences owned by others, in or upon which said connections, lines or facilities, or any portion thereof lie, to repair, replace and generally maintain said connections as and when the same may

be necessary as set forth below, provided the Association or utility company shall promptly repair any damage to a Residence caused by such entry as promptly as possible after completion of work thereon.

<u>Section 4 – Support, Settlement and Encroachment.</u> There is hereby reserved to Owners and Association, the following reciprocal easements for the purposes set forth below:

(a) An easement appurtenant to each Residence which is contiguous to another Residence or Common Area or Community Facilities which Residence shall be the dominant tenement and the contiguous Residence or Common Area or Community Facilities shall be the servient tenement.

(b) An easement appurtenant to the Common Area or Community Facilities contiguous to a Residence, which Common Area or Community Facilities shall be the dominant tenement and which contiguous Residence shall be the servient tenement.

(c) An easement appurtenant to the Community Facilities which are contiguous to Common Area, which Community Facilities shall be the dominant tenement and which Common Area shall be the servient tenement.

(d) Said easements shall be for the purpose of:

(i.) support and accommodation of the natural settlement of structures;

(ii.) encroachment by reason of a roof or eave overhang from a Residence and for the maintenance of such roof or eave overhang by the Owner of the dominant tenement;

(iii.) encroachment of fireplaces, doorsteps, foundation footings, garage doors, utilities and other appurtenances or fixtures and the maintenance thereof by the Owner of the dominant tenement, which, in the construction of the structures upon the dominant tenement or from any reconstruction or modifications of such structures, project beyond the external surface of the outer walls of such structures.

ARTICLE XIV – Integrated Nature of the Covered Property

Any other real property may be annexed to and become subject to this Declaration by any of the methods set forth hereinafter in this Article, as follows:

<u>Section 1 – Supplementary Declarations.</u> A Supplementary Declaration shall be a writing in recordable form which annexes real property to the plan of this Declaration and which incorporates by reference all of the covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements and other provisions of this Declaration and shall contain such other provisions as set forth in this Declaration relating to Supplementary Declarations. Such Supplementary Declarations of the covenants, conditions and modifications of the covenants, conditions and restrictions contained in this Declaration as may be necessary to

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reflect the different character, if any, of the annexed property and as are not inconsistent with the plan of this Declaration. In no event, however, shall any such Supplementary Declaration, or any merger or consolidation, revoke, modify or add to the covenants established by this Declaration with respect to the existing property.

<u>Section 2 – Annexation Pursuant to Approval.</u> Upon approval in writing of the Association, pursuant to a two-thirds (2/3) of the voting power of its Members, or the written assent of such Members, any person who desires to add real property and to subject such property to the jurisdiction of the Association, may file of record a Supplementary Declaration. The certificate of the President and the Secretary of the Association attached to any Supplementary Declaration recorded pursuant to this Section certifying that the required two-thirds (2/3) majority of the voting power the Members has approved the recordation of such Supplementary Declaration shall be deemed conclusive proof thereof.

<u>Section 3 – Mergers or Consolidations.</u> Upon a merger or consolidation of the Association with another association which merger or consolidation must be approved by two-thirds (2/3) of the Members, the Association's properties, rights and obligations may, by operation of law, be transferred to the surviving or consolidated association, or, alternatively, the properties, rights and obligations of another association may, by operation of law, be added to the properties, rights and obligations of the Association as a surviving corporation pursuant to a merger. The surviving or consolidated association may administer the covenants, conditions and restrictions established by this Declaration within the Covered Property, together with the covenants and restrictions established upon any other property as one plan.

ARTICLE XV – Rights of Lenders

Section 1 - Filing Notice: Notices and Approvals. A Mortgagee shall not be entitled to receive any notice which this Declaration requires the Association to deliver to Mortgagees unless and until such Mortgagee, or its mortgage servicing contractor, has delivered to the Board a written notice stating that such Mortgagee is the holder of a Mortgage encumbering a Residence within the Covered Property. Such notice need not state which Residence or Residences are encumbered by such Mortgage, but shall state whether such Mortgagee is a First Mortgagee. Wherever the approval of all or a specified percentage of Mortgagees is required pursuant to this Declaration, it shall be deemed to mean the vote or approval of all or a specified percentage only of those Mortgagees which have delivered such notice to the Board. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if any right of a Mortgagee under this Declaration is conditioned on a specific written request to the Association, in addition to having delivered the notice provided in this Section, a Mortgagee must also make such request, either in a separate writing delivered to the Association or in the notice provided above in this Section, in order to be entitled to such right. Except as provided in this Section, a Mortgagee's rights pursuant to this Declaration, including, without limitation, the priority of the lien of Mortgages over the lien of Assessments levied by the Association hereunder shall not be affected by the failure to deliver a notice to the Board. Any notice or request delivered to the Board by a Mortgagee shall remain effective without any further action by such Mortgagee for so long as the facts set forth in such notice or request remain unchanged.

<u>Section 2 – Priority of Mortgage Lien.</u> No breach of the covenants, conditions or restrictions herein contained, or the enforcement of any lien provisions herein, shall affect, impair, defeat or render invalid the lien or charge of any Mortgage made in good faith and for value encumbering any Residence, but all of said covenants, conditions and restrictions shall be binding upon and effective against any Owner whose title is derived through foreclosure or trustee's sale, or otherwise, with respect to a Residence except as otherwise provided in this Article.

<u>Section 3 – Curing Defaults.</u> A Mortgagee or the immediate transferee of such Mortgagee, who acquires title by judicial foreclosure, deed in lieu of foreclosure or trustee's sale shall not be obligated to cure any breach of the provisions of this Declaration which is noncurable or of a type which is not practical or feasible to cure. The determination of the Board made in good faith as to whether a breach is noncurable or not feasible to cure shall be final and binding on all Mortgagees.

<u>Section 4 – Resale.</u> It is intended that any loan to facilitate the resale of any Residence after judicial foreclosure, deed in lieu of foreclosure or trustee's sale is a loan made in good faith and for value and entitled to all of the rights and protections afforded to other Mortgagees.

Section 5 – Relationship with Assessment Liens.

(a) The lien provided for in the Article hereof entitled "Nonpayment of Assessments" for the payment of Assessments shall be subordinate to the lien of any Mortgage which was recorded prior to the date any such Assessment becomes due.

(b) If any Residence subject to a monetary lien created by any provision hereof shall be subject to the lien of a Mortgage: (1) the foreclosure of any lien created by anything set forth in this Declaration shall not operate to affect or impair the lien of such Mortgage; and (2) the foreclosure of the lien of said Mortgage, the acceptance of a deed in lieu of foreclosure of the Mortgage or sale under a power of sale included in such Mortgage (such events being hereinafter referred to as "Events of Foreclosure") shall not operate to affect or impair the lien hereof, except that any persons who obtain an interest through any of the Events of Foreclosure, and their successors in interest, shall take title free of the lien hereof or any personal obligation for said charges as shall have accrued up to the time of any of the Events of Foreclosure, but subject to the lien hereof for all said charges that shall accrue subsequent to the Events of Foreclosure.

(c) Any Mortgagee who obtains title to a Residence by reason of any of the Events of Foreclosure, or any purchaser at a private or judicial foreclosure sale, shall take title to such Residence free of any lien or claim for unpaid Assessments against such Residence which accrue prior to the time such Mortgagee or purchaser takes title to such Residence, except for liens or claims for a share of such Assessments resulting from a pro rata reallocation of such Assessments to all Residences within the Covered Property.

(d) Nothing in this Section shall be construed to release any Owner from his obligations to pay for any Assessment levied pursuant to this Declaration.

<u>Section 6 – Seventy-Five Percent (75%) Vote of Institutional Mortgagees.</u> Except upon the prior written approval of at least seventy-five percent (75%) of Institutional Mortgagees, based on one (1) vote for each First Mortgage held, neither the Association nor the Members shall be entitled to do any of the following:

(a) Abandon or terminate by any act or omission the condominium legal status of the Covered Property, or any part thereof, except for abandonment or termination provided by law and/or this Declaration in the case of substantial destruction by fire or other casualty or in the case of a taking by condemnation or eminent domain;

(b) Amend a material provision of this Declaration, the Bylaws or the Articles, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the provisions of the Article hereof entitled "Insurance," this Article, any other rights granted specifically to Mortgagees pursuant to any other provision of this Declaration, or any provision of this Declaration, the Articles, or Bylaws which is a requirement of FNMA, GNMA, FHLMC, FHA or VA shall be deemed to be material; or

(c) Effectuate any decision to terminate professional management and assume selfmanagement of the Covered Property;

(d) Abandon, partition, sell, alienate, subdivide, release, transfer, hypothecate or otherwise encumber the Common Area or Community Facilities; provided, however, the granting of easements for public utilities or other public purposes consistent with the intended use of the Common Area of Community Facilities shall not require such approval.

(e) Partition or subdivide a Unit or any elements thereof;

(f) Change the Ownership interest of the Condominium as provided in the Section entitled "Condominium" in the Article hereof entitled "Definitions".

(g) Dissolve the Association or abandon or terminate the maintenance of the Community Facilities by the Association; or

<u>Section 7 – Other Rights of Institutional Mortgagees.</u> Any Institutional Mortgagee or its mortgage servicing contractor, shall, upon written request to the Association, be entitled to:

(a) Inspect the books and records of the Association during normal business hours;

(b) Receive the annual audited financial statement of the Association ninety (90) days following the end of the Association's fiscal year;

(c) Receive written notice of all annual and special meetings of the Members or of the Board, and Institutional Mortgagees shall further be entitled to designate a representative to attend all such meetings in order to, among other things, draw attention to violations of this Declaration which have not been corrected or made the subject of remedial action by the Association; provided, however, nothing contained in this Section shall give an Institutional Mortgagee the right to call a meeting of the Board or of the Members for any purpose or to vote at any such meeting; and

(d) Receive written notification from the Association of any default in the performance of the obligations imposed by this Declaration by the Owner whose Residence is encumbered by such Institutional Mortgagee's Mortgage, which default has not been cured within sixty (60) days of a request therefor by the Association; provided, however, the Association shall only be obligated to provide such notice to Institutional Mortgagees who have delivered a written request therefor to the Association specifying the Residence or Residences to which such request relates.

<u>Section 8 – Mortgagees Furnishing Information</u>. Mortgagees are hereby authorized to furnish information to the Board concerning the status of any Mortgage.

<u>Section 9 – Right of First Refusal.</u> In the event this Declaration is amended to provide for any right of first refusal to purchase or lease a Residence in the Association, a Mortgagee who comes into possession of a Residence pursuant to a judicial foreclosure, a deed in lieu of foreclosure or a trustee's sale shall be exempt therefrom. In addition conveyances to and from third party foreclosure purchasers and mortgage insurers and guarantors shall also be exempt.

<u>Section 10 – Conflicts.</u> In the event of any conflict between any of the provisions of this Article and any of the other provisions of this Declaration, the provisions of this Article shall control.

<u>Section 11 – Notice of Destruction or Taking.</u> In the event that any Condominium, Common Area or Community Facilities and any improvements thereto or any portion thereof is damaged or is made the subject of any condemnation proceedings in eminent domain or is otherwise sought to be acquired by a condemning authority, the Board shall promptly notify any Institutional Mortgagee affected by such destruction, taking or threatened taking. As used herein, "damaged" or "taking" shall mean damage or taking to the Common Area or Community Facilities exceeding Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) or damage or taking to a Unit exceeding One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00). If requested in writing by an Institutional Mortgagee, the Association shall evidence its obligations under this Section in a written agreement in favor of such Institutional Mortgagee.

<u>Section 12 – Payment of Taxes or Premiums by Institutional Mortgagees.</u> Institutional Mortgagees may, jointly or singly, pay taxes or other charges which are in default and which may or have become a charge against the Common Area or Community Facilities unless such taxes or charges are separately assessed against the Owners, in which case the rights of Institutional Mortgagees shall be governed by the provisions of their Mortgages. Institutional Mortgagees may, jointly or singly, also pay overdue premiums on hazard insurance policies, or secure new hazard insurance coverage on the lapse of a policy, for the Common Area or Community Facilities and Institutional Mortgagees making such payments shall be owed immediate reimbursement therefor from the Association. Entitlement to such reimbursement shall be reflected in an agreement in favor of any Institutional Mortgagee which requests the same to be executed by the Association.

ARTICLE XVI - Limitation Upon the Right to Partition and Severance

<u>Section 1 – No Partition.</u> The right of partition is hereby suspended, except that the right to partition shall revive and the Project may be sold as a whole when the conditions for such action set forth in the Articles hereof entitled "Destruction of Improvements" and "Eminent Domain" have been met; provided, however, notwithstanding the foregoing, any Owner may, upon the prior written approval of the Institutional Mortgagee of the first Mortgage encumbering his Condominium, bring an action for partition by sale of the Project in which his Condominium is located, as provided in Section 5975 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California or any similar statute then in effect upon the occurrence of any of the events therein provided. Provided, further, that if any Condominium shall be owned by two (2) or more co-tenants, nothing herein contained shall be deemed to prevent a judicial partition as between such co-tenants.

<u>Section 2 – No Severance.</u> The elements of a Condominium and other rights appurtenant to the ownership of a Condominium are inseparable, and each Owner agrees that he shall not, while this Declaration or any similar declaration is in effect, make any conveyance of less than an entire Condominium and such appurtenances. Any conveyance made in contravention of this Section shall be void. The provisions of this Section shall terminate on the date that judicial partition shall be decreed.

Section 3 – Proceeds of Partition Sale.

(a) Whenever an action is brought for the partition by sale of a Project, whether upon the occurrence of any of the events provided in Section 5975 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California (or similar statute then in effect) or upon the revival of the right to partition pursuant to the Articles hereof entitled "Destruction of Improvements" or "Eminent Domain", the Owners of Condominiums in such Project shall share in the proceeds of such sale in the same proportion as their interest in the Common Area of such Project. As used in the foregoing sentence, such interest of each Owner shall be determined by comparing (i) the latest assessed valuation of an Owner's Condominium as determined by the tax assessor having authority over such Project, to (ii) the total of such assessed valuation for all Condominiums in such Project.

(b) The distribution of the proceeds of any such partition sale shall be adjusted as necessary to reflect any prior distribution of insurance proceeds or condemnation award as may have been made to Owners and their Mortgagees pursuant to the Articles hereof entitled "Destruction of Improvements" and "Eminent Domain". In the event of any such partition and sale, the liens and provisions of all Mortgages or Assessment liens encumbering Condominiums within the Project or Projects so encumbered shall extend to each applicable Owner's interest in the proceeds of such partition and sale. The interest of an Owner in such proceeds shall not be distributed to such Owner except upon the prior payment of any Mortgage or Assessment lien encumbering such proceeds as aforesaid.

ARTICLE XVII – Protection of the Project from Liens

<u>Section 1 – Association to Defend Certain Actions.</u> In the event that a lawsuit is brought against all or substantially all of the Members within a Project which will or could result in any lien or encumbrance being levied against an entire Project, the Association shall defend such lawsuit and the costs of such defense shall be a Special Assessment against all of the Members within such Project joined as defendants in such lawsuit; provided, however, in the event that an insurance carrier is obligated to provide such defense under a policy of insurance carried by the Association, the Association shall be relieved of the obligation to provide such defense. Nothing contained herein shall in any way limit the rights of any Member or Members to retain counsel of their choice to represent them in such lawsuit at their own expense. In the event that a Member so chooses, he shall not be relieved of liability for the Special Assessment provided for in this Section.

Section 2 – Payment of Lien. In the event that a lien or encumbrance not covered by California Civil Code Section 5675 attaches to all or substantially all of a Project by reason of a judgment or otherwise, the Association shall promptly take the appropriate steps to remove such lien, including but not limited to the payment of money and the posting of a bond. The Association shall have the power to borrow money and to take such other steps as are necessary to free a Project of such liens.

<u>Section 3 – Owners to be Specially Assessed.</u> Simultaneously with any action taken pursuant to the Section entitled "Payment of Lien" of this Article, the Association shall levy a Special Assessment against all of the Members whose Condominiums were subject to the lien or encumbrance which caused the Association to act pursuant to said Section equal to each such Member's pro rata share of such lien or encumbrance. In the event that such Special Assessment is not paid within thirty (30) days of its due date, the Board may effect the remedies of Section 4275 of the California Civil Code and the Article hereof entitled "Nonpayment of Assessments."

<u>Section 4 – Reimbursement by Certain Owners.</u> In the event that it shall be proven in a court of law of competent jurisdiction over the claim or claims causing the Association to take action under this Article that a judgment resulting in a lien on all or a portion of a Project was primarily due to the acts or omissions of a particular Member or Members of the families thereof, such Member or Members shall reimburse the Association for all expenses incurred by it pursuant to the provisions of this Article. Upon such reimbursement, the Association shall distribute the funds received to the Members against whom Special Assessments were levied pursuant to the provisions of this Article.

ARTICLE XVIII – General Provisions

<u>Section 1 – Enforcement.</u> The Association, or any Owner, shall have the right to enforce by proceedings at law or in equity, all restrictions, conditions, covenants and reservations, now or hereafter imposed by the provisions of this Declaration or any amendment thereto, including the right to prevent the violation of any such restrictions, conditions, covenants, or reservations and the right to recover damages or other dues for such violation. The Association or any Owner shall also have the right to enforce by proceedings at law or in equity the provisions of the

Articles or Bylaws and any amendments thereto. With respect to architectural control, Assessment liens or any other liens or charges and Association Rules, the Association shall have the exclusive right to the enforcement thereof.

<u>Section 2 – No Waiver.</u> Failure by the Association or by any Member to enforce any covenant, condition, or restriction herein contained, or the Articles, Bylaws or Association Rules, in any certain instance or on any particular occasion shall not be deemed a waiver of such right on any such future breach of the same or any other covenant, condition or restriction.

<u>Section 3 – Cumulative Remedies.</u> All rights, options and remedies of the Association, the Owners or Mortgagees under this Declaration are cumulative, and not one of them shall be exclusive of any other, and the Association, the Owners and the Mortgagees shall have the right to pursue any one or all of such rights, options and remedies or any other remedy or relief which may be provided by law, whether or not stated in this Declaration.

<u>Section 4 – Severability.</u> Invalidation of any one or a portion of these covenants, conditions or restrictions by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.

<u>Section 5 – Covenants to Run with the Land: Term.</u> The covenants, conditions and restrictions of this Declaration shall run with and bind the Covered Property and shall inure to the benefit of and be enforceable by the Association or any Owner, their respective legal representatives, heirs, successors and assigns.

<u>Section 6 – Construction.</u> The provisions of this Declaration shall be liberally construed to effectuate its purpose of creating a plan for the development of a residential community or tract and for the maintenance of the Covered Property. The Article and Section headings have been inserted for convenience only, and shall not be considered or referred to in resolving questions of interpretation or construction.

<u>Section 7 – Singular Includes Plural.</u> Whenever the context of this Declaration requires same, the singular shall include the plural and the masculine shall include the feminine and the neuter.

<u>Section 8 – Nuisance.</u> The result of every act or omission, whereby any provisions, condition, restriction, covenant, easement, or reservation contained in this Declaration is violated in whole or in part, is hereby declared to be and constitutes a nuisance, and every remedy allowed by law or equity against a nuisance, either public or private, shall be applicable against every such result, and may be exercised by the Association or any Member. Such remedy shall be deemed cumulative and not exclusive.

<u>Section 9 – Attorneys' Fees.</u> In the event action is instituted to enforce any of the provisions contained in this Declaration, the party prevailing in such action shall be entitled to recover from the other party thereto as part of the judgment, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of such suit.

<u>Section 10 – Notices.</u> Any notice to be given to an Owner or a Mortgagee or mortgage servicing contractor under the provisions of this Declaration shall be in writing and may be delivered as

follows:

(a) Notice to an Owner shall be deemed to have been properly delivered when delivered personally or placed in the first-class United States mail, postage prepaid, to the most recent address furnished by such Owner in writing to the Association for the purpose of giving notice, or if no such address shall have been furnished, then to the street address of such Owner's Residence. Any notice so deposited in the mail within Orange County, California, shall be deemed delivered forty-eight (48) hours after such deposit. In the case of co-Owners, any such notice may be delivered or sent to any one of the co-Owners on behalf of all co-Owners and shall be deemed delivery on all such co-Owners.

(b) Notice to a Mortgagee or its mortgage servicing contractor shall be deemed to have been properly delivered when placed in the first-class United States mail, postage prepaid, to the address furnished to the Association by such Mortgagee or such contractor for the purposes of notice or, if no such address is furnished, to any office of the Mortgagee in Orange County, California, or if no such office is located in said County, to any office of such Mortgagee.

(c) Prior to delivery of a Membership Agreement to the Board by an Owner, any and all notices required to be delivered to such Owner pursuant to this Declaration or the Bylaws shall be deemed to be duly made and given to such Owner if duly and timely made pursuant to the terms of this Declaration or the Bylaws to the person or persons who are the transferor to such Owner of the interest required for ownership.

(d) The affidavit of an officer or authorized agent of the Association declaring under penalty of perjury that a notice has been mailed to any Owner or Owners, to any Mortgagee or Mortgagees, or to all Members or all Mortgagees, to the address or addresses shown on the records of the Association, shall be deemed conclusive proof of such mailing, whether or not such notices are actually received.

<u>Section 11 – Effect of Declaration.</u> This Declaration is made for the purposes set forth in the Recitals to this Declaration and Declarant makes no warranties or representations, express or implied, as to the binding effect or enforceability of all or any portion of this Declaration, or as to the compliance of any of these provisions with public laws, ordinances and regulations applicable thereto.

<u>Section 12 – Personal Covenant.</u> To the extent the acceptance of a conveyance of a Residence creates a personal covenant between the Owner of such Residence and Declarant or other Owners, such personal covenant shall terminate and be of no further force or effect from and after the date when a person or entity ceases to be an Owner except to the extent this Declaration may provide otherwise with respect to the payment of money to the Association.

<u>Section 13 – Nonliability of Officials.</u> To the fullest extent permitted by law, neither the Board, the Architectural Committee, any other committees of the Association or any member of such Board or committee shall be liable to any Member or the Association for any damage, loss or prejudice suffered or claimed on account of any decision, approval or disapproval of plans or

specifications (whether or not defective), course of action, act, omission, error, negligence or the like made in good faith within which such Board, committees or persons reasonably believed to be the scope of their duties.

<u>Section 14 – Leases.</u> Any agreement for the leasing or rental of a Residence (hereinafter in this Section referred to as a "lease") shall provide that the terms of such lease shall be subject in all respects to the provisions of this Declaration, the Articles, the Bylaws, the Association Rules and any applicable agreements between the Association and any of the Federal Agencies. Said lease shall further provide that any failure by the lessee thereunder to comply with the terms of the foregoing documents shall be a default under the lease. All leases shall be in writing. Any Owner who shall lease his Residence shall be responsible for assuring compliance by such Owner's lessee with this Declaration, the Articles, the Bylaws and the Association Rules. No Residence shall be leased for transient or hotel purposes, which shall be defined as rental for any period less than thirty (30) days or any rental whatsoever, if the occupants of the Residence are provided customary hotel services such as room service for food and beverage, maid service, furnishing laundry and linen and bellboy service.

<u>Section 15 – Amendments.</u> Subject to the other provisions of this Declaration, including, without limitation, the rights of Mortgagees pursuant to the Articles hereof entitled "Insurance" and "Rights of Lenders," or otherwise, this Declaration may be amended as follows:

(a) Any amendment shall require the affirmative written assent or vote of not less than sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66-2/3%) of the voting power of the Members and, further, this amendment provision shall not be amended to allow amendments by the written assent or vote of less than sixty-six and two-thirds (66-2/3%) of the voting power of the Members.

(b) Any amendment or modification to this Declaration affecting the maintenance obligations of the Association or the property exempt from Assessments shall require the prior written approval of the City's Planning Director and City Attorney.

(c) An amendment or modification that requires the vote and written assent of the Members as hereinabove provided shall be effective when executed by the President and Secretary of the Association who shall certify that the amendment or modification has been approved as hereinabove provided, and when recorded in the Official Records of Orange County, California.

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Notwithstanding the foregoing, any provision of this Declaration, or the Articles, (d) Bylaws or Association Rules which expressly requires the approval of a specified percentage of the voting power of the Association for action to be taken under said provision can be amended only with the affirmative vote or written assent of not less than the same percentage of the voting power as the Association.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Declarant has executed this instrument the day and year first herein above written.

> The Villas Community Association, a California non-profit corporation.

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Its President

Catherine Lewis

Print Name

D. Wells By:

Its Secretary

Daniel D. Wells

Print Name

EXHIBIT A

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22	Restrictions and Amended and Restated Bylaws pursuant to Civil Code section 4275 and			
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24	having considered the pleadings and papers filed herein finds:			
25	1. The Petition on file herein complies with the requirements of Civil Code section			
26	4275 and Corporations Code section 7515;			
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1	3. Balloting on the Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and		
2	Restrictions and Amended and Amended and Restated Bylaws was conducted in accordance with		
3	Petitioner's governing documents and Civil Code section 5115;		
4	4. Notice of these proceedings was properly given; and		
5	5. The Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions		
6	and Amended and Restated Bylaws are reasonable and there are no reasons why they should not		
7	be deemed approved and are hereby deemed approved. The consent of Petitioners to the		
8	Amended and Restated Bylaws cannot be obtained as a result of apathy or for other reasons.		
9	6. The Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions		
10	and a copy of this Order may be recorded in the Office of the Recorder of the County of Orange		
11	and a copy thereof shall be served upon Petitioner's members promptly thereafter. The Amended		
12	and Restated Bylaws are hereby deemed approved.		
13	IT IS SO ORDERED.		
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15	DATED: May 04, 2016 ROBERT J. MOSS		
16	SUPERVISING JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT		
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	-2- ORDER GRANTING PETITION TO AUTHORIZE APPROVAL OF AMENDED AND RESTATED		
BERDING & WEIL LLP 178 Annua Bird: Sym 460 Costa Mana, California 92525	DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS AND AMENDED AND RESTATED BYLAWS OF THE VILLAS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION		

EXHIBIT B

AREA WITHIN TENNIS CLUB

TO BE MAINTAINED BY

HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

That portion of Parcel 1, in the City of Irvine, County of Orange, State of California, as shown on a map filed in Book 74, page 3 of Parcel Maps, Records of Orange County, California, lying northerly and westerly of the following described line:

BEGINNING at the point of intersection of the easterly line of said Parcel 1 with a line parallel with and distant southerly 5.00 feet from the northerly line of said Parcel 1; thence:

South 81°42'38"	West 498.85 feet;	
South 08°17'22"	East 249.00 feet;	
South 81°42'38"	West 203.00 feet;	
South 08°17'22"	East 273.00 feet;	
South 81°42'38"	West 2.00 feet;	
South 08°17'22"	East 130.20 feet;	
South 39°16'47"	West 92.09 feet,	to
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a point on the southwesterly line of said Parcel 1.

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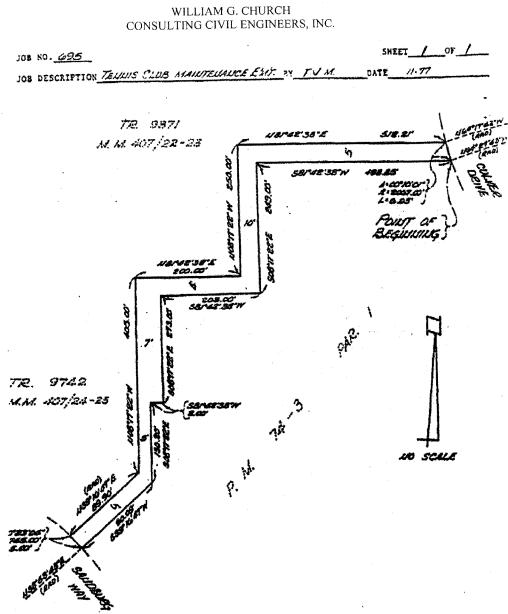


EXHIBIT C

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PORTION TO BE MAINTAINED

BY HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

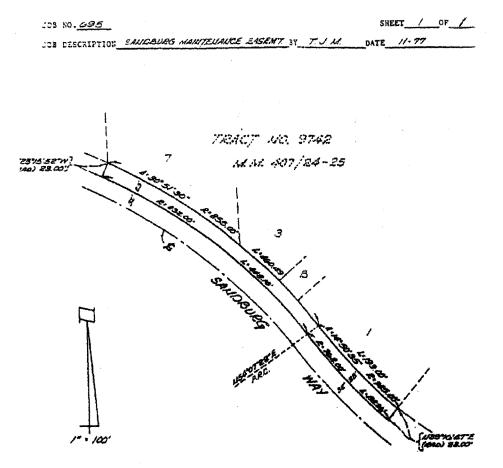
That portion of Ethel Coplen Way (formerly known as Sandburg Way), in the City of Irvine, County of Orange, State of California, as shown on a map of Tract No. 9742, recorded in Book 407, pages 24 and 25 of Miscellaneous Maps, Records of Orange County, California, described as follows:

A strip of land 23.00 feet wide, the northeasterly line of which is contiguous with the southwesterly line of Lots 1, B, 3 and 7 of said Tract No. 9742. The northwesterly line of said 23.00 foot wide strip being a line which bears South 23°15'52" West and which passes thru the southwest corner of said Lot 7.

All as shown on Exhibit "C" attached hereto and made a part hereof.

EXHIBIT C

WILLIAM G. CHURCH CONSULTING CIVIL ENGINEERS, INC.



CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

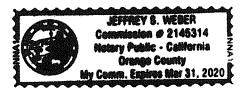
State of California)) ss County of <u>ORANGE</u>)

On <u>MAY 27 2016</u> before me, <u>JEFFREY 5. WEBER</u>, Notary Public, personally appeared <u>CATHERINE</u> Louis C LEWIS, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature



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On <u>May 27 20/6</u> before me, <u>JEPPNEY</u> S. WEBEN, Notary Public, personally appeared <u>Sance/David Wells</u>, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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