RESOLUTION OF THE

PENN PLAZA OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. ADOPTING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES REGARDING BOARD MEMBER/MANAGER CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

SUBJECT:

Adoption of a policy and procedure regarding Director and Manager

conflicts of interest and a Director code of ethics.

PURPOSE:

To adopt a policy and procedure to be followed when a Director or Manager has a conflict of interest to ensure proper disclosure of the conflict and voting procedures and to adopt a code of ethics for Directors.

AUTHORITY:

The Declaration, Bylaws and Articles of Incorporation of the

Association and Colorado law.

EFFECTIVE

DATE:

May 1, 2015

RESOLUTION:

The Association hereby adopts the following policy and procedure regarding Director conflicts of interest and code of ethics:

- 1. General Duty. The Board of Directors shall use its best efforts at all times to make decisions that are consistent with high principles, and to protect and enhance the value of properties of the members and Association. All Directors shall exercise their power and duties in good faith and in the best interest of, and with utmost loyalty to the Association. All Directors shall comply with all lawful provisions of the Declaration and the Association's Articles, Bylaws, and Rules and Regulations.
- 2. <u>Definition</u>. A conflict of interest exists whenever there is or is proposed a contract, transaction, or other financial relationship between the Association and a member of the Association's Board of Directors (hereafter "Director"), or between the Association and a party related to a Director, or between the Association and an entity in which a Director of the Association is a director or officer or has a financial interest (hereafter "Conflicting Interest Transaction"). A "party related to a Director" shall mean a spouse, a descendent, an ancestor, a sibling, the spouse or descendent of a sibling, an estate or trust in which the Director or a party related to a Director has a beneficial interest, or an entity in which a party related to a Director is a director, officer, or has a financial interest.
- 3. No loans. No loans shall be made by the Association to its Directors or officers. Any Director or officer who assents to or participates in the making of any such loan shall be liable to the Association for the amount of

such loan until the repayment thereof.

- 4. Disclosure of Conflict. Any conflict of interest on the part of any Director or Manager shall be verbally disclosed to the other Directors in open session at the first open meeting of the Board of Directors at which the interested Director or Manager is present prior to any discussion or vote on the matter. In the event, others, outside of the Board of Directors will be voting on any matter concerning a Conflicting Interest Transaction, then, the conflict of interest on the part of any Director or Manager shall be disclosed, verbally or in writing, to those entitled to vote prior to any discussion or vote on the matter. After disclosure, the Director shall neither participate in the discussion, vote on the matter, nor be in the room during either. The interested Manager shall neither participate in the discussion nor be in the room during the discussion. The minutes of the meeting shall reflect the disclosure made, the abstention from voting, the composition of the quorum and record who voted for and against. Common or interested Directors may be counted in determining the presence of a quorum at a meeting of the Board of Directors or of a committee which authorizes, approves, or ratifies the conflicting interest transaction.
- 5. <u>Code of Ethics</u>. In addition to the above, each Director and the Board as a whole shall adhere to the following Code of Ethics:
 - (a) No Director shall use his/her position for private gain, including for the purpose of enhancement of his/her financial status through the use of certain contractors or suppliers.
 - (b) No contributions will be made to any political parties or political candidates by the Association.
 - (c) No Director shall solicit or accept, directly or indirectly, any gifts, gratuity, favor, entertainment, loan or any other thing of monetary value from a person who is seeking to obtain contractual or other business or financial relations with the Association.
 - (d) No Director shall accept a gift or favor made influencing decision or action on any official matter.
 - (e) No Director shall receive any compensation from the Association for acting as a volunteer.
 - (f) No Director shall willingly misrepresent facts to the members of the community for the sole purpose of advancing a personal cause or influencing the community to place pressure on the Board to advance a personal cause.

- (g) No Director shall interfere with a contractor engaged by the Association while a contract is in progress. All communications with Association contractors shall go through the Board President or be in accordance with policy.
- (h) No Director shall harass, threaten, or attempt through any means to control or instill fear in any member, Director or agent of the Association.
- No promise of anything not approved by the Board as a whole can be made by any Director to any subcontractor, supplier, or contractor during negotiations.
- (j) Any Director convicted of a felony shall voluntarily resign from his/her position.
- (k) No Director shall knowingly misrepresent any facts to anyone involved in anything with the community which himself/herself in any way.
- (l) Language and decorum at Board meetings will be kept professional. Personal attacks against owners, residents, managers, service providers and Directors are prohibited and are not consistent with the best interest of the community.
- 6. Failure to Disclose Conflict. No Conflicting Interest Transaction shall be void or voidable or be enjoined, set aside, or give rise to an award of damages or other sanctions in a proceeding by a member or by or in the right of the Association, solely because the Conflicting Interest Transaction involves a Director or a party related to a Director or an entity in which a Director is a director or officer or has a financial interest or solely because the Director is present at or participates in the meeting of the Board of Directors or of the committee of the Board of Directors that authorizes, approves, or ratifies the Conflicting Interest Transaction or solely because the Director's vote is counted for such purpose if:
- (a) The material facts as to the Director's relationship or interest and as to the Conflicting Interest Transaction are disclosed or are known to the Board of Directors or the committee, and the Board of Directors or committee in good faith authorizes, approves, or ratifies the Conflicting Interest Transaction by the affirmative vote of a majority of the disinterested Directors, even though the disinterested Directors are less than a quorum; or
- (b) The material facts as to the Director's relationship or interest and as to the Conflicting Interest Transaction are disclosed or are known to the members entitled to vote thereon, and the Conflicting Interest Transaction is specifically authorized, approved, or ratified in good faith by a vote of the members entitled to vote thereon; or

- (c) The Conflicting Interest Transaction is fair as to the Association.
- Periodic Review. The Board shall, at least once a year, periodically review the Association's conflict of interest policies, procedures and rules and regulations.
- Definitions. Unless otherwise defined in this Resolution, initially capitalized or terms defined in the Declaration shall have the same meaning herein.
- Supplement to Law. The provisions of this Resolution shall be in addition to and in supplement of the terms and provisions of the Declaration and the law of the State of Colorado governing the community.
- Deviations. The Board may deviate from the procedures set forth in this Resolution if in its sole discretion such deviation is reasonable under the circumstances
- 11. Amendment. This policy may be amended from time to time by the Board of Directors.

PRESIDENT'S

CERTIFICATION: The undersigned, being the President of the

Penn Plaza Owners Association, Inc., a Colorado nonprofit corporation, certifies that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Board of Directors of the Association, at a duly called and held meeting of the Board of Directors on April 30, 2015 this and in witness thereof, the undersigned has subscribed his/her name.

PENN OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.,

A Colorado nonprofit corporation

President