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DECLARATION FOR PRESTON SQUARE

THIS DECLARATION FOR PRESTON SQUARE (this "Declaration") is made by Centerline Homes at Preston Square, LLC, a Florida limited liability company ("Developer"), and joined in by Preston Square Homeowners Association, Inc., a Florida not-for-profit corporation.

RECITALS

- Developer is the owner of that certain real property located in Orange County, Florida ("County"), more particularly described in Exhibit 1 attached hereto and made a part hereof ("Preston Square").
- Developer desires to subject Preston Square to the covenants, conditions and restrictions contained in this Declaration.
- This Declaration is a covenant running with all of the land comprising Preston Square, and each present and future owner of interests therein and their heirs, successors and assigns are hereby subject to this Declaration.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and mutual covenants contained in this Declaration, Developer hereby declares that every portion of Preston Square is to be held, transferred, sold, conveyed, used and occupied subject to the covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, reservations, regulations, charges and liens hereinafter set forth.

- Recitals. The foregoing Recitals are true and correct and are incorporated into and form a part of this Declaration.
- <u>Definitions</u>. In addition to the terms defined elsewhere in this Declaration, all initially capitalized terms herein shall have the following meanings:
 - "ACC" shall mean the Architectural Control Committee established pursuant to Section 19 hereof.
- "Articles" shall mean the Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of Association filed with the Florida Secretary of State in the form attached hereto as Exhibit 2 and made a part hereof, as amended from time to time.
- "Assessments" shall mean any assessments made in accordance with this Declaration and as further defined in Section 17.1 hereof.
 - "Association" shall mean Preston Square Homeowners Association, Inc., its successors and assigns.
- "Association Documents" shall mean this Declaration, the Articles, the By-Laws, and the Rules and Regulations of Association, as amended from time to time.
 - "Board" shall mean the Board of Directors of Association.
- "Builder" shall mean any person or entity that purchases a Parcel or Lot from Developer for the purpose of constructing one or more Homes.
- "By-Laws" shall mean the By-Laws of Association in the form attached hereto as Exhibit 3 and made a part hereof as amended from time to time.

"Common Areas" shall mean all real property interests and personalty within Preston Square designated as Common Areas from time to time by Plat or recorded amendment to this Declaration and provided for, owned, leased by, or dedicated to, the common use and enjoyment of the Owners within Preston Square. The Common Areas may include, without limitation, a pool, a cabana, a basketball court, a tot lot, open space areas, internal buffers, entrance features, perimeter buffers, perimeter walls and fences, landscaping areas, improvements, easement areas owned by others, public rights of way, additions, lakes, irrigation pumps, irrigation lines, sidewalks, landscape lighting, walls, commonly used utility facilities, project signage, parking areas, entranceways, and entrance features. The Common Areas do not include any portion of a Home. NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING HEREIN CONTAINED TO THE CONTRARY, THE DEFINITION OF "COMMON AREAS" AS SET FORTH IN THIS DECLARATION IS FOR DESCRIPTIVE PURPOSES ONLY AND SHALL IN NO WAY BIND, OBLIGATE OR LIMIT DEVELOPER TO CONSTRUCT OR SUPPLY ANY SUCH ITEM AS SET FORTH IN SUCH DESCRIPTION, THE CONSTRUCTION OR SUPPLYING OF ANY SUCH ITEM BEING IN DEVELOPER'S SOLE DISCRETION. FURTHER, NO PARTY SHALL BE ENTITLED TO RELY UPON SUCH DESCRIPTION AS A REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY AS TO THE EXTENT OF THE COMMON AREAS TO BE OWNED, LEASED BY OR DEDICATED TO ASSOCIATION, EXCEPT AFTER CONSTRUCTION AND DEDICATION OR CONVEYANCE OF ANY SUCH ITEM.

"Community Completion Date" shall mean the date upon which all Homes in Preston Square, as ultimately planned and as fully developed, have been conveyed by Developer and/or Builders to Owners.

"Community Plan" shall mean collectively the full or partial concept plan for the development of Preston Square, as it exists as of the date of recording this Declaration, regardless of whether such plan is currently on file with one or more governmental agencies. The Community Plan is subject to change as set forth herein. The Community Plan is not a representation by Developer as to the development of Preston Square or its amenities, as Developer reserves the right to amend all or part of the Community Plan from time to time.

'Community Standards" shall mean such standards of conduct, maintenance or other activity, if any, established by the ACC pursuant to Section 19.5 hereof.

"Contractors" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 19.12.2 hereof.

"County" shall mean Orange County, Florida.

"Declaration" shall mean this Declaration, together with all amendments and modifications thereof.

"Developer" shall mean Centerline Homes at Preston Square, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, and any of its designees (including its affiliated or related entities which conduct land development, homebuilding and sales activities), successors and assigns who receive a written assignment of all or some of the rights of Developer hereunder. Such assignment need not be recorded in the Public Records in order to be effective. In the event of such a partial assignment, the assignee shall not be deemed Developer, but may exercise such rights of Developer specifically assigned to it. Any such assignment may be made on a non-exclusive basis.

"Estate Home" shall mean each single family Home within Preston Square.

"Home" shall mean a residential home and appurtenances thereto constructed on a Parcel within Preston Square. A Home shall include, without limitation, a coach home, villa, townhome, estate home, single family home and zero lot line home. The term Home may not reflect the same division of property as reflected on a Plat. A Home shall be deemed created and have perpetual existence upon the issuance of a final or temporary Certificate of Occupancy for such residence; provided, however, the subsequent loss of such Certificate of Occupancy (e.g., by casualty or remodeling) shall not affect the status of a Home, or the obligation of Owner to pay Assessments with respect to such Home. The term "Home" includes any interest in land, improvements, or other property appurtenant

"Individual Assessments" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 17.2.5 hereof.

"Installment Assessments" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 17.2.1 hereof.

"Lender" shall mean (i) the institutional and licensed holder of a first mortgage encumbering a Lot or Home or (ii) Developer and its affiliates, to the extent Developer or its affiliates finances the purchase of a Home or Lot initially or by assignment of an existing mortgage.

"Lessee" shall mean the lessee named in any written lease respecting a Home who is legally entitled to possession of any rental Home within Preston Square.

"Lot" shall mean any platted lot shown on a Plat.

"Non-Conforming Pavers" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 9.13.

"Operating Costs" shall mean all costs and expenses of Association and the Common Areas. Operating Costs may include, without limitation, all costs of ownership; operation; administration; all amounts payable by Association; all amounts required to maintain the Surface Water Management System, if any, all community lighting including up-lighting, all amounts payable in connection with any private street lighting agreement between Association and Progress Energy; amounts payable to a Telecommunications Provider for Telecommunications Services furnished to all Owners, utilities; taxes; insurance; bonds; salaries; management fees; professional fees; service costs; supplies; maintenance; repairs; replacements; refurbishments; common area landscape maintenance; and any and all costs relating to the discharge of the obligations hereunder, or as determined to be part of the Operating Costs by Association. By way of example, and not of limitation, Operating Costs shall include all of Association's legal expenses and costs relating to or arising from the enforcement and/or interpretation of this Declaration.

"Owner" shall mean the record owner (whether one or more persons or entities) of fee simple title to any Home. The term "Owner" shall not include Developer, Builder, or a Lender.

"Parcel" shall mean a platted or unplatted lot, tract, unit or other subdivision of real property upon which a Home has been, or will be, constructed. Once improved, the term Parcel shall include all improvements thereon and appurtenances thereto. The term Parcel, as used herein, may include more than one Home.

"Party Roof" shall mean any roof built as part of the construction of two or more Homes, which Homes are connected by one or more Party Walls.

"Party Wall" shall mean any fence or wall built as part of the original construction of two or more Homes which is placed on the dividing line or platted lot line between such Homes.

"Permit" shall mean the permit issued by SFWMD respecting Preston Square attached hereto as Exhibit 4.

"Plat" shall mean any plat of any portion of Preston Square filed in the Public Records, as the same may be amended by Developer, from time to time.

"Preston Square" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals hereof subject to additions and deletions thereto as permitted pursuant to the terms of this Declaration. Developer may, when amending or modifying the description of real property which is subject to the operation of this Declaration, also amend or modify the definition of Preston Square.

"Public Records" shall mean the Public Records of Orange County, Florida.

"Reserves" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 17.2.4 hereof.

"Rules and Regulations" shall mean the Rules and Regulations governing Preston Square as adopted by the Board from time to time.

"SFWMD" shall mean the South Florida Water Management District.

"Special Assessments" shall mean those Assessments more particularly described as Special Assessments in Section 17.2.2 hereof.

"Surface Water Management System" shall mean the collection of devices, improvements, or natural systems whereby surface waters are controlled, impounded or obstructed. This term includes exfiltration trenches, Wetland Conservation Areas, mitigation areas, lakes, retention areas, water management areas, ditches, culverts, structures, dams, impoundments, reservoirs, drainage maintenance easements and those works defined in Section 373.403(1)-(5) of the Florida Statutes. The Preston Square Surface Water Management System includes those works authorized by SFWMD pursuant to the Permit.

"Telecommunications Provider" shall mean any party contracting with Association to provide Owners with one or more Telecommunications Services. Developer may be a Telecommunications Provider. With respect to any particular Telecommunications Services, there may be one or more Telecommunications Providers. By way of example, with respect to Data Transmission Services, one Telecommunications Provider may provide Association such service while another may own, maintain and service the Telecommunications Systems which allow delivery of such Data Transmission Services.

"Telecommunications Services" shall mean delivered entertainment services; all services that are typically and in the future identified as telecommunication services; Telephony Services; Cable Services; and Data Transmission Services. Without limiting the foregoing, such Telecommunications Services include the development, promotion, marketing, advertisement, provision, distribution, maintenance, transmission, and servicing of any of the foregoing services. The term Telecommunications Services is to be construed as broadly as possible.

"Telecommunications Systems" shall mean all facilities, items and methods required and/or used in order to provide Telecommunications Services to Preston Square. Without limiting the foregoing, Telecommunications Systems may include wires (fiber optic or other material), conduits, passive and active electronic equipment, pipes, pedestals, wireless cell sites, computers, modems, satellite antennae sites, transmission facilities, amplifiers, junction boxes, trunk distribution, feeder cables, lock boxes, taps, drop cables, related apparatus, converters, connections, head-end antennae, earth stations, appurtenant devices, network facilities necessary and appropriate to support provision of local exchange services and/or any other item appropriate or necessary to support provision of Telecommunications Services. Ownership and/or control of all or a portion of any part of the Telecommunications Services may be bifurcated among network distribution architecture, system head-end equipment, and appurtenant devices (e.g., individual adjustable digital units).

"Telephony Services" shall mean local exchange services provided by a certified local exchange carrier or alternative local exchange company, intraLATA and interLATA voice telephony and data transmission.

"Title Documents" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 25.7 hereof.

"Toll Calls" shall have meaning given to such term by the Florida Public Service Commission and\or the Federal Communications Commission.

"Townhome" shall mean each Home within Preston Square that is part of Townhome Building.

"Townhome Building" shall mean a single structure containing multiple Homes in which the Homes are separated by Party Walls.

"Turnover Date" shall mean the date on which transition of control of Association from Developer to Owners occurs

"Use Fees" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 17.2.3 hereof.

"Violations Committee" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 20.6.2 hereof.

"Wetland Conservation Areas" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 12.5.3 herein. The Wetland Conservation Areas may be part of the Common Areas.

3. Plan of Development.

- 3.1 Generally. The planning process for Preston Square is an ever-evolving one and must remain flexible in order to be responsible to and accommodate the needs of Developer's buyers. Subject to the Title Documents, Developer may wish and has the right to develop Preston Square and adjacent property owned by Developer into residences, comprised of homes, villas, coach homes, townhomes, zero lot line homes, patio homes, multi-family homes, condominiums, rental apartments, and other forms of residential dwellings, as well as commercial development, which may include shopping centers, stores, office buildings, showrooms, industrial facilities, technological facilities, and professional offices. The existence at any point in time of walls, landscape screens, or berms is not a guarantee or promise that such items will remain or form part of Preston Square as finally developed.
- 3.2 <u>Association's Obligation to Cooperate</u>. Association shall at all times cooperate with every entity comprising Developer. Without limiting the foregoing, Association shall provide Developer with such consents and approvals which Developer may reasonably require in connection with (i) the sale of Parcels and/or Lots to Builders, (ii) the development and conveyance of the Common Areas, and (iii) master land development requirements.

4. Amendment.

- 4.1 <u>General Restrictions on Amendments.</u> Notwithstanding any other provision herein to the contrary, no amendment to this Declaration shall affect the rights of Developer unless such amendment receives the prior written consent of Developer, which consent may be withheld for any reason whatsoever. If the prior written approval of any governmental entity or agency having jurisdiction is required by applicable law or governmental regulation for any amendment to this Declaration, then the prior written consent of such entity or agency must also be obtained. All amendments must comply with Section 12.5.2 which benefits the SFWMD. No amendment shall be effective until it is recorded in the Public Records.
- 4.2 No Vested Rights. Each Owner by acceptance of a deed to a Home irrevocably waives any claim that such Owner has any vested rights pursuant to case law or statute with respect to this Declaration or any of the other Association Documents. It is expressly intended that Developer and Association have the unfettered right to amend this Declaration and the other Association Documents except as expressly set forth herein.
- Amendments Prior to and Including the Turnover Date. Prior to and including the Turnover Date, Developer shall have the right to amend this Declaration as it deems appropriate, without the joinder or consent of any person or entity whatsoever. Such amendments may include, without limitation, the creation of easements for, Telecommunications Systems, utilities, drainage, ingress and egress and roof overhangs over any portion of Preston Square; additions or deletions from the properties comprising the Common Areas; changes in the Rules and Regulations, and modifications of restrictions on the Homes, and maintenance standards for landscaping. Developer's right to amend under this provision is to be construed as broadly as possible. By way of example, and not as a limitation, Developer may create easements over Homes conveyed to Owners provided that such easements do not prohibit the use of such Homes as residential homes. In the event that Association shall desire to amend this Declaration prior to and including the Turnover Date, Association must first obtain Developer's prior written consent to any proposed amendment. Thereafter, an amendment identical to that approved by Developer may be adopted by Association pursuant to the requirements for amendments after the Turnover Date. Thereafter, Developer shall join in such identical amendment so that its consent to the same will be reflected in the Public Records. Notwithstanding the foregoing, at all times after the Turnover Date, Developer shall have the right to amend Association Documents unilaterally to correct scrivener's errors.
- 4.4 Amendments After the Turnover Date. After the Turnover Date, but subject to the general restrictions on amendments set forth above, this Declaration may be amended with the approval of (i) sixty six and two-thirds percent (66%%) of the Board; and (ii) seventy-five percent (75%) of all of the votes present (in person or by proxy) at a duly noticed meeting of the members of Association at which there is a quorum.

Annexation and Withdrawal.

- Annexation by Developer. Prior to and including the Turnover Date, additional lands may be made part of Preston Square by Developer. Except for applicable governmental approvals (if any), no consent to such annexation shall be required from any other party (including, but not limited to, Association, Owners or any Lenders of any portion of Preston Square, including a Home). Such annexed lands shall be brought within the provisions and applicability of this Declaration by the recording of an amendment to this Declaration in the Public Records. The amendment shall subject the annexed lands to the covenants, conditions, and restrictions contained in this Declaration as fully as though the annexed lands were described herein as a portion of Preston Square. Such amendment may contain additions to, modifications of, or omissions from the covenants, conditions, and restrictions contained in this Declaration as deemed appropriate by Developer as may be necessary to reflect the different character, if any, of the annexed lands. Prior to and including the Turnover Date, only Developer may add additional lands to Preston Square.
- 5.2 Annexation by Association. After the Turnover Date, and subject to applicable governmental approvals (if any), additional lands may be annexed with the approval of sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66%%) of the Board at a duly noticed meeting of the Board at which there is a quorum.
- 5.3 <u>Withdrawal</u>. Prior to the Turnover Date, any portions of Preston Square (or any additions thereto) may be withdrawn by Developer from the provisions and applicability of this Declaration by the recording of an amendment to this Declaration in the Public Records. The right of Developer to withdraw portions of Preston

Square shall not apply to any Home which has been conveyed to an Owner unless that right is specifically reserved in the instrument of conveyance or the prior written consent of the Owner is obtained. The withdrawal of any portion of Preston Square shall not require the consent or joinder of any other party (including, but not limited to, Association, Owners, or any Lenders of any portion of Preston Square). Association shall have no right to withdraw land from Preston Square.

Dissolution.

- days, other than incident to a merger or consolidation, any Owner may petition the Circuit Court of the appropriate Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida for the appointment of a receiver to manage the affairs of the dissolved Association and to manage the Common Areas in the place and stead of Association, and to make of such provisions as may be necessary for the continued management of the affairs of the dissolved Association. In the event Association is dissolved, and any portion of the Surface Water Management System is part of the Common Areas, the Surface Water Management System shall be conveyed to an appropriate agency of local government, and that if not accepted, then the Surface Water Management System shall be dedicated to a similar non-profit corporation.
- 6.2 <u>Applicability of Declaration after Dissolution</u>. In the event of dissolution of Association, Preston Square and each Home therein shall continue to be subject to the provisions of this Declaration, including, without limitation, the provisions respecting Assessments specified in this Declaration. Each Owner shall continue to be personally obligated to the successors or assigns of Association for Assessments to the extent that Assessments are required to enable the successors or assigns of Association to properly maintain, operate and preserve the Common Areas. The provisions of this Section shall only apply with regard to the maintenance, operation, and preservation of those portions of Preston Square which had been Common Areas and continue to be so used for the common use and enjoyment of the Owners.

Binding Effect and Membership.

- 7.1 Term. This Declaration and all covenants, conditions and restrictions contained in this Declaration are perpetual and run with the land. Each Owner, by acceptance of a deed to a Home, irrevocably waives any right to deny, and any claim, that this Declaration and all covenants, conditions and restrictions contained in this Declaration are not enforceable under the Marketable Record Title Act, Chapter 712 of the Florida Statutes. It is expressly intended that the Marketable Record Title Act will not operate to extinguish any encumbrance placed on Preston Square by this Declaration. It is further expressly intended that no re-filing or notice of preservation is necessary to continue the applicability of this Declaration and the applicability of all covenants, conditions, and restrictions contained in this Declaration. This provision is not subject to amendment. The provisions of this Declaration are equitable servitudes and run with the land.
- 7.2 Transfer. The transfer of the fee title to a Home, whether voluntary or by operation of law, terminating the Owner's title to that Home shall terminate the Owner's rights to the use of and enjoyment of the Common Areas as it pertains to that Home and shall terminate such Owner's membership in Association. An Owner's rights and privileges under this Declaration are not assignable separately from a Home. The Owner of each Home is entitled to the benefits of, and is burdened with the duties and responsibilities set forth in, the provisions of this Declaration. All parties acquiring any right, title and interest in and to any Home shall be fully bound by the provisions of this Declaration. In no event shall any Owner acquire any rights that are greater than the rights granted to, and limitations placed upon its predecessor in title pursuant to the provisions of this Declaration. The transferor shall remain jointly and severally liable with the transferee for all obligations of the Owner and the Home pursuant to this Declaration including, without limitation, payment of all Assessments accruing prior to the date of transfer.
- 7.3 <u>Membership.</u> Upon acceptance of title to a Home, and as more fully provided in the Articles and By-Laws, each Owner shall be a member of the Association. Membership rights are governed by the provisions of the Association Documents and the deed to a Home. Membership shall be an appurtenance to, and may not be separated from, the ownership of a Home.
- 7.4 Ownership by Entity. In the event that an Owner is other than a natural person, that Owner shall, prior to occupancy of the Home, designate one or more persons who are to be the occupants of the Home and register such persons with Association. All provisions of this Declaration and other Association Documents shall apply to both such Owner and the designated occupants.
- 7.5 <u>Voting Interests</u>. Voting interests in Association are governed by the provisions of the Articles and By-Laws.
- 7.6 <u>Document Recordation by Owners Prohibited.</u> Neither Association nor any Owner, nor group of Owners, may record any documents which, in any way, affect or restrict the rights of Developer, or conflict with the provisions of this Declaration or the other Association Documents.
- 7.7 Conflicts. In the event of any conflict among this Declaration, the Articles, the By-Laws or any of the other Association Documents, this Declaration shall control.
- 8. <u>Paramount Right of Developer</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, prior to the Community Completion Date, Developer shall have the paramount right to dedicate, transfer, and/or convey (by absolute conveyance, easement, or otherwise) portions of Preston Square for various public purposes, or for the provision of Telecommunications Systems, to make any portions of Preston Square part of the Common Areas, or to create and implement a special taxing district and/or municipal service benefit unit which may include all or any portion of

Preston Square. In addition, the Common Areas of Preston Square may include, without limitation, decorative improvements, berms, and waterbodies. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the waterbodies may be dry during certain weather conditions or during certain times of the year. Developer may remove, modify, eliminate or replace these items from time to time in its sole discretion. SALES BROCHURES, SITE PLANS, AND MARKETING MATERIALS ARE CURRENT CONCEPTUAL REPRESENTATIONS AS TO WHAT FACILITIES, IF ANY, WILL BE INCLUDED WITHIN THE COMMON AREAS. DEVELOPER SPECIFICALLY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE THE LAYOUT, COMPOSITION, AND DESIGN OF ANY AND ALL COMMON AREAS AT ANY TIME WITHOUT NOTICE AT ITS DISCRETION.

Operation of Common Areas.

- 9.1 Prior to Conveyance. Prior to the conveyance, identification and/or dedication of the Common Areas to Association as set forth in Section 9.4 herein, any portion of the Common Areas owned by Developer shall be operated, maintained, and administered at the sole cost of Association for all purposes and uses reasonably intended, as Developer in its sole discretion deems appropriate. During such period, Developer shall own, operate, and administer the Common Areas without interference from any Owner or Lender of a Home or any portion of Preston Square or any other person or entity whatsoever. Owners shall have no right in or to any Common Areas referred to in this Declaration unless and until same are actually constructed, completed, and conveyed to, leased by, dedicated to, and/or maintained by Association. The current conceptual plans and/or representations, if any, regarding the composition of the Common Areas are not a guarantee of the final composition of the Common Areas. No party should rely upon any statement contained herein as a representation or warranty as to the extent of the Common Areas to be owned, leased by, or dedicated to Association. Developer, so long as it controls Association, further specifically retains the right to add to, delete from, or modify any of the Common Areas referred to herein at its discretion without notice.
- 9.2 Additional Common Area Facilities. Prior to the Community Completion Date, Developer reserves the absolute right to construct additional Common Areas facilities and improvements within Preston Square, from time to time, in its sole discretion, and to remove, add to, modify and change the boundaries, facilities and improvements now or then part of the Common Areas. Developer is not obligated to, nor has it represented that it will, modify or add to the facilities, improvements, or Common Areas as they are contemplated as of the date hereof. Without limiting the foregoing, Developer is the sole judge of the foregoing, including the plans, specifications, design, location, completion schedule, materials, size, and contents of the facilities, improvements, appurtenances, personalty (e.g., furniture), color, textures, finishes, or Common Areas, or changes or modifications to any of them.
- 9.3 <u>Use of Common Areas by Developer</u>. Until the Community Completion Date, Developer shall have the right to use any portion of the Common Areas, without charge, for any purpose deemed appropriate by Developer.

9.4 Conveyance.

- 9.4.1 <u>Generally.</u> Within sixty (60) days after the Turnover Date, or earlier as determined by Developer in its sole discretion, all or portions of the Common Areas may be dedicated by Plats, created in the form of easements, or conveyed by written instrument recorded in the Public Records, or by Quitclaim Deed from the Developer to Association.
- 9.4.2 Form of Common Area Deed. Each deed of the Common Areas shall be subject to the following provisions:
- 9.4.2.1 a perpetual nonexclusive easement in favor of governmental agencies for the maintenance and repair of existing road, speed and directional signs, if any;
 - 9.4.2.2 matters reflected in the plat(s) of Preston Square;
- 9.4.2.3 perpetual non-exclusive easements in favor of Developer, its successors, and assigns in, to, upon and over all of the Common Areas for the purposes of vehicular and pedestrian ingress and egress, installation of utilities, landscaping and/or drainage, without charge, including, without limitation, the right to use such roadways for construction vehicles and equipment. The easements reserved in the deed shall run in favor of Developer, and its employees, representatives, agents, licensees, guests, invitees, successors and/or assigns;
 - 9.4.2.4 all restrictions, easements, covenants and other matters of record;
- 9.4.2.5 in the event that Association believes that Developer shall have failed in any respect to meet Developer's obligations under this Declaration or has failed to comply with any of Developer's obligations under law or the Common Areas conveyed herein are defective in any respect, Association shall give written notice to Developer detailing the alleged failure or defect. Once Association has given written notice to Developer pursuant to this Section, Association shall be obligated to permit Developer and their agents to perform inspections of the Common Areas and to perform all tests and make all repairs/replacements deemed necessary by Developer to respond to such notice at all reasonable times. Association agrees that any inspection, test and/or repair/replacement scheduled on a business day between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. shall be deemed scheduled at a reasonable time. The rights reserved in this Section include the right of Developer to repair or address, in Developer's sole option and expense, any aspect of the Common Areas deemed defective by Developer during its inspections of the Common Areas. Association's failure to give the notice and/or otherwise comply with the provisions of this Section will damage Developer. At this time, it is impossible to determine the actual damages

Developer might suffer. Accordingly, if Association fails to comply with its obligations under this Section in any respect, Association shall pay to Developer liquidated damages in the amount of \$250,000.00 which Association and Developer agree is a fair and reasonable remedy, and

- 9.4.2.6 a reservation of right in favor of Developer (so long as Developer owns any portion of Preston Square) to require that Association reconvey all or a portion of the Common Areas conveyed by quitclaim deed in favor of Developer in the event that such property is required to be owned by Developer for any purpose, including, without limitation, the reconfiguration of any adjacent property by replatting or otherwise.
- 9.5 Operation After Conveyance. After the conveyance or dedication of any portion of the Common Areas to Association, the portion of the Common Areas so dedicated shall be owned, operated and administered by Association for the use and benefit of the owners of all property interests in Preston Square including, but not limited to, Association, Developer, Owners and any Lenders. Subject to Association's right to grant easements, and other interests as provided herein, Association may not convey, abandon, alienate, encumber, or transfer all or a portion of the Common Areas to a third party without (i) if prior to the Turnover Date, the approval of (a) a majority of the Board; and (b) the consent of Developer, or (ii) from and after the Turnover Date, approval of sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66 2/3%) of the Board.
- 9.6 Paved Common Areas. The Common Areas may contain certain paved areas. Without limiting any other provision of this Declaration, Association is responsible for the maintenance and/or resurfacing of all paved surfaces, including but not limited to pavers and sidewalks forming a part of the Common Areas, if any. Notwithstanding the foregoing, County shall be responsible for the maintenance and resurfacing of all public roads within Preston Square. Although pavement appears to be a durable material, it requires maintenance. Association shall have the right, but not the obligation, to arrange for an annual inspection of all paved surfaces forming a part of the Common Areas, if any, by a licensed paving contractor and/or engineer. The cost of such inspection shall be a part of the Operating Costs of Association. Association shall determine annually the parameters of the inspection to be performed, if any. By way of example, and not of limitation, the inspector may be required to inspect the pavers and sidewalks forming part of the Common Areas, if any, annually for deterioration and to advise Association of the overall pavement conditions including any upcoming maintenance needs. Any patching, grading, or other maintenance work should be performed by a Company licensed to perform the work. From and after the Community Completion Date, Association should monitor the pavers and sidewalks forming part of the Common Areas, if any, monthly to ensure that vegetation does not grow into the asphalt and that there are no eroded or damaged areas that need immediate maintenance.
- 9.7 <u>Delegation</u>. Once conveyed or dedicated to Association, the Common Areas and improvements located thereon shall, subject to the provisions of this Declaration and the document of conveyance or dedication, at all times be under the complete supervision, operation, control, and management of Association. Notwithstanding the foregoing Association may delegate all or a portion of its obligations hereunder to a licensed manager or professional management company. Association specifically shall have the right to pay for management services on any basis approved by the Board (including bonuses or special fee arrangements for meeting financial or other goals). Developer, its affiliates and/or subsidiaries shall have the right to manage Association. Owners and Association acknowledge that it is fair and reasonable to have Developer, its affiliates and/or subsidiaries manage Association. Further, in the event that Common Area is created by easement, Association's obligations and rights with respect to such Common Area may be limited by the terms of the document creating such easement.

9.8 <u>Use</u>.

- 9.8.1 Nonexclusive Use. The Common Areas shall be used and enjoyed by the Owners on a non-exclusive basis in common with other persons, entities and corporations (who may, but are not required to be, members of Association) entitled to use those portions of the Common Areas. Prior to the Community Completion Date, Developer, and thereafter, Association, has the right, at any and all times, and from time to time, to further additionally provide and make the Common Areas available to other individuals, persons, firms, or corporations, as it deems appropriate. The granting of such rights shall not invalidate this Declaration, reduce or abate any Owner's obligations pursuant to this Declaration, or give any Owner the right to avoid any of the covenants, agreements or obligations to be performed hereunder.
- 9.8.2 Right to Allow Use. Developer and/or Association may enter into easement agreements or other use or possession agreements whereby the Owners, Telecommunications Providers, and/or Association and/or others may obtain the use, possession of, or other rights regarding certain property, on an exclusive or non-exclusive basis, for certain specified purposes. Association may agree to maintain and pay the taxes, insurance, administration, upkeep, repair, and replacement of such property, the expenses of which shall be Operating Costs. Any such agreement by Association prior to the Community Completion Date shall require the consent of Developer. Thereafter, any such agreement shall require the approval of the majority of the Board of Directors which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed.
- 9.8.3 <u>Waterbodies.</u> BY ACCEPTANCE OF A DEED TO A HOME OR LOT, EACH OWNER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE WATER LEVELS OF ALL WATERBODIES MAY VARY. THERE IS NO GUARANTEE BY DEVELOPER OR ASSOCIATION THAT WATER LEVELS WILL BE CONSTANT OR AESTHETICALLY PLEASING AT ANY PARTICULAR TIME, AT TIMES, WATER LEVELS MAY BE NONEXISTENT. Developer and Association shall not be obligated to erect fences, gates, or walls around or adjacent to any waterbody or waterfall within Preston Square. No fence or other structure may be placed within any lake maintenance easement. Swimming and/or boating will not be permitted in any waterbody. No private docks may be erected within any waterbody forming part of the Common Areas.

- 9.8.4 <u>Obstruction of Common Areas</u>. No portion of the Common Areas may be obstructed, encumbered, or used by Owners for any purpose other than as permitted by Association.
- 9.8.5 Assumption of Risk. Without limiting any other provision herein, each person within any portion of the Common Areas accepts and assumes all risk and responsibility for noise, liability, injury, or damage connected with use or occupancy of any portion of such Common Areas, including, without limitation, (a) noise from maintenance equipment, (b) use of pesticides, herbicides and fertilizers, (c) view restrictions caused by maturation of trees and shrubbery, (d) reduction in privacy caused by the removal or pruning of shrubbery or trees within Preston Square, and (e) design of any portion of Preston Square. Each such person also expressly indemnifies and agrees to hold harmless Developer, Association, Builders, and all employees, directors, representatives, officers, agents, and partners of the foregoing, from any and all damages, whether direct or consequential, arising from or related to the person's use of the Common Areas, including for attorneys' fees, paraprofessional fees and costs at trial and upon appeal. Without limiting the foregoing, all persons using the Common Areas including, without limitation, all waterbodies, lakes, pools or areas adjacent to a lake, do so at their own risk. BY ACCEPTANCE OF A DEED, EACH OWNER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE COMMON AREAS MAY CONTAIN WILDLIFE SUCH AS ALLIGATORS, DOGS, RACCOONS, SNAKES, DUCKS, DEER, SWINE, TURKEYS, AND FOXES. DEVELOPER, BUILDERS AND ASSOCIATION SHALL HAVE NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR MONITORING SUCH WILDLIFE OR NOTIFYING OWNERS OR OTHER PERSONS OF THEIR OWN SAFETY.
- 9.8.6 Owner's Obligation to Indemnify. Each Owner agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Developer, Association, and their officers, partners, agents, employees, affiliates, directors and attorneys (collectively, "Indemnified Parties") against all actions, injury, claims, loss, liability, damages, costs and expenses of any kind or nature whatsoever ("Losses") incurred by or asserted against any of the Indemnified Parties from and after the date hereof, whether direct, indirect, or consequential, as a result of or in any way related to the Common Areas including, without limitation, use of the lakes, and other waterbodies within Preston Square by Owners, and their guests, family members, invitees, or agents, or the interpretation of this Declaration and/or exhibits attached hereto and/or from any act or omission of Developer and Association, or of any of the Indemnified Parties. Should any Owner bring suit against Developer, Association, or any of the Indemnified Parties for any claim or matter and fail to obtain judgment therein against such Indemnified Parties, such Owner shall be liable to such parties for all Losses, costs and expenses incurred by the Indemnified Parties in the defense of such suit, including attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at trial and upon appeal.

9.9 Rules and Regulations.

- 9.9.1 <u>Generally.</u> Prior to the Turnover Date, Developer, and thereafter Association, shall have the right to adopt Rules and Regulations governing the use of the Common Areas and Preston Square. The Rules and Regulations need not be recorded in the Public Records. The Common Areas shall be used in accordance with this Declaration and Rules and Regulations promulgated hereunder.
- <u>Developer Not Subject to Rules and Regulations</u>. The Rules and Regulations shall not apply to Developer or to any property owned by Developer. Without limiting the foregoing, Developer, Builder and/or their assigns, shall have the right to: (i) develop and construct commercial and industrial uses, Homes, Common Areas and the related improvements within Preston Square, and make any additions, alterations, improvements, or changes thereto; (ii) maintain sales offices (for the sale and re-sale of (a) Homes and (b) residences and properties located outside of Preston Square), general office and construction operations within Preston Square; (iii) place, erect or construct portable, temporary or accessory buildings or structures within Preston Square for sales, construction storage or other purposes; (iv) temporarily deposit, dump or accumulate materials, trash, refuse and rubbish in connection with the development or construction of any portion of Preston Square; (v) post, display, inscribe or affix to the exterior of any portion of the Common Areas or portions of Preston Square owned by Developer, signs and other materials used in developing, constructing, selling or promoting the sale of any portion of Preston Square including, without limitation, Parcels and Homes; (vi) excavate fill from any lakes, or waterways within and/or contiguous to Preston Square by dredge or dragline, store fill within Preston Square and remove and/or sell excess fill, and grow or store plants and trees within, or contiguous to, Preston Square and use and/or sell excess plants and trees; and (vii) undertake all activities which, in the sole opinion of Developer, are necessary for the development and sale of any lands and improvements comprising Preston Square.
- 9.10 <u>Public Facilities</u>. Preston Square may include one or more facilities which may be open and available for the use of the general public. By way of example, there may be a public park, fire station, police station, or other facility within the boundaries of Preston Square.
- 9.11 <u>Default by Another Owner.</u> No default by any Owner in the performance of the covenants and promises contained in this Declaration or by any person using the Common Areas or any other act of omission by any of them shall be construed or considered a breach by Developer or Association or a non-defaulting Owner or other person or entity of any of their promises or covenants in this Declaration; or an actual, implied or constructive dispossession of another Owner from the Common Areas; or an excuse, justification, waiver or indulgence of the covenants and promises contained in this Declaration.
- 9.12 Special Taxing Districts and Municipal Service Benefit Units. Preston Square may, but is not guaranteed to be located within a multi-purpose special taxing district, street lighting district and/or municipal service benefit district created by County for the purpose of providing local improvements and services including, without limitation, street lighting and lake maintenance. The costs for providing such improvements and services shall be paid by Special Assessments levied against Homes within such multi-purpose taxing, street lighting districts

and/or municipal service benefit units. Such Special Assessments may be collected at the same time and in the same manner as ad valorem taxes. For as long as Developer controls Association, Developer shall have the right, but not the obligation, to dedicate or transfer or cause the dedication or transfer of all or portions of the Common Areas of Association to a special taxing district and/or municipal service benefit unit, or a public agency or authority under such terms as Developer deems appropriate in order to create or contract with such special taxing districts and/or municipal service benefit unit and community development districts (or others) for lighting, perimeter walls, entrance features, roads, landscaping, irrigation areas, lakes, waterways, ponds, surface water management systems, wetlands mitigation areas, parks, recreational or other services, security or communications, or other similar purposes deemed appropriate by Developer including, without limitation, the maintenance and/or operation of any of the foregoing. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any district(s) created and/or Common Areas transferred pursuant to this Section shall be subject to governmental approval. As hereinafter provided, Developer may sign any taxing district petition as attorney-in-fact for each Owner. Each Owner's obligation to pay taxes associated with such district(s) shall be in addition to such Owner's obligation to pay Assessments. Any special taxing district and/or municipal service benefit unit shall be created pursuant to all applicable ordinances of County and all other applicable governing entities having jurisdiction with respect to the same.

- Water Transmission and Distribution Facilities Easement and Repair. Developer hereby grants and conveys to County, its successors and assigns, the non-exclusive right, privilege and easement to construct, reconstruct, lay, install, operate, maintain, relocate, repair, replace, improve and inspect water transmission and distribution facilities and sewer collection facilities and all appurtenances thereto, and all appurtenant equipment, with the full right of ingress thereto and egress therefrom, within Preston Square (excluding such facilities located inside a Home) in accordance with plans approved by Developer or Association. Certain water transmission and distribution facilities and sewer collection facilities may be covered with decorative brick pavers that do not conform to County regulations ("Non-Conforming Pavers") in the course of construction of Homes and Common Areas, as and to the extent permitted under the terms of this Declaration. In the event County or any of its subdivisions, agencies and/or divisions shall damage any Non-Conforming Pavers as a result of construction, repair or maintenance operations of the water and/or sewer facilities or the County's use of its easement rights granted in this Section 9.13, then Association shall replace or repair such damage at the expense of the Owner of the affected Home and such cost shall be billed to such Owner as an Individual Assessment, unless, and only to the extent that, such cost is not paid by County or such other subdivisions, agencies and/or divisions. Association shall indemnify and hold harmless County and its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses or damages, including attorney's fees and costs of defense, which County or its officers, employees, agents or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to or resulting from the performance by Association of Association's obligations under this Section 9.13.
- 9.14 <u>Water Mains</u>. In the event County or any of its subdivisions, agencies, and/or divisions must remove any portion of a Home driveway which is constructed of pavers within any portion of the Common Areas, then Association will be responsible to replace or repair the driveway at each Owner's expense as an Individual Assessment, if such expenses are not paid for by County or other entity.
- 9.15 Association's Obligation to Indemnify. Association and Owners each covenant and agree jointly and severally to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Developer, its officers, directors, shareholders, and any related persons or corporations and their employees from and against any and all claims, suits, actions, causes of action or damages arising from any personal injury, loss of life, or damage to property, sustained on or about the Common Areas or other property serving Association, and improvements thereon, or resulting from or arising out of activities or operations of Association or Owners, and from and against all costs, expenses, court costs, attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees (including, but not limited to, all trial and appellate levels and whether or not suit be instituted), expenses and liabilities incurred or arising from any such claim, the investigation thereof, or the defense of any action or proceedings brought thereon, and from and against any orders judgments or decrees which may be entered relating thereto. The costs and expense of fulfilling this covenant of indemnification shall be Operating Costs to the extent such matters are not covered by insurance maintained by Association.
- 9.16 Site Plans and Plats. Preston Square may be subject to one or more plats (each individually, a "Plat"). The Plat may identify some of the Common Areas within Preston Square. The description of the Common Areas on a Plat is subject to change and the notes on a Plat are not a guarantee of what facilities will be constructed on such Common Areas. Site plans used by Developer in its marketing efforts illustrate the types of facilities which may be constructed on the Common Areas, but such site plans are not a guarantee of what facilities will actually be constructed. Each Owner should not rely on a Plat or any site plans used for illustration purposes as the Declaration governs the rights and obligations of Developer and Owners with respect to the Common Areas.

10. Party Walls.

10.1 General Rules of Law to Apply. To the extent not inconsistent with the provisions of this Section, the general rule of law regarding party walls and liability for personal damage due to negligence of willful acts or omissions shall apply to all Party Walls within Preston Square which are built by Developer as part of the original construction of the Townhome Buildings and any replacement thereof. In the event any portion of any structure or facility, as originally constructed by Developer, including without limitation, any Party Wall, shall protrude over an adjoining Townhome, it shall be deemed that such Owners have granted perpetual easements to the adjoining Owner or Owners for continuing maintenance and use of the projection or Party Wall. The foregoing shall also apply to any replacements of any Party Walls. The foregoing conditions shall be perpetual in duration and shall not be subject to amendment of this Declaration.

10.2 <u>Duty to Paint Exterior of Homes</u>. Association shall be responsible for repainting the exterior of each Townhome within Preston Square, at such time as Association deems such repainting necessary or desirable in its sole discretion, and the costs of same shall be charged as an Individual Assessment to each Owner whose Home is repainted in accordance with this Section.

10.3 Sharing of Repair, Replacement and Maintenance for Party Walls.

- 10.3.1 Generally. The cost of reasonable repair and maintenance of Party Walls (other than painting) shall be shared equally by the Owners of the Townhomes sharing such improvements without prejudice, however, to the right of any Owner to call for a larger contribution from the other under any rule of law regarding liability for negligent or willful acts or omissions.
- 10.3.2 Failure to Contribute. In the event that an Owner shall fail or refuse to pay his pro rata share of costs of repair, maintenance or replacement of a Party Wall (whether or not through his own fault or the failure of his insurance company to pay any claim), then and in that event, the Owner advancing monies therefor shall have a right to file a claim of lien for such monies advanced in the Public Records and shall have the right to foreclose such lien in accordance with the same procedural requirements as now provided for in Florida Statutes for foreclosure of a construction lien; provided, however, such claim of lien shall be filed within ninety (90) days from date repairs or replacements are made to Party Wall and suit thereon shall be commenced one (1) year from date such lien is filed. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Association shall have the right, but not the obligation, to advance monies for the repair, replacement and/or maintenance of Party Wall(s) and charge the responsible Owner(s) an Individual Assessment for such Owner's pro rata share of the costs.
- 10.3.3 <u>Alterations</u>. The Owner of a Townhome sharing a Party Wall with an adjoining Townhome shall not cut windows or other openings in the Party Wall, nor make any alterations, additions or structural changes in the Party Wall without the joint agreement of all of the Owners sharing the Party Wall.
- 10.3.4 Weatherproofing. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Declaration, an Owner who by his negligent or willful act causes a Party Wall to be exposed to the elements shall bear the whole cost of furnishing the necessary protection against such elements.
- 10.3.5 <u>Easements</u>. Each Owner sharing a Party Wall shall have all easement rights reasonably necessary to perform the obligations contained herein over the Townhomes sharing the Party Wall.

11. Party Roofs.

11.1 General Rules of Law to Apply. To the extent not inconsistent with the provisions of this Section, the general rule of law regarding party roofs and liability for personal damage due to negligence of willful acts or omissions shall apply to all Party Roofs within Preston Square which are built by Developer as part of the original construction of the Townhomes and any replacement thereof. In the event any portion of any structure or facility, as originally constructed by Developer, including, without limitation, any Party Roof, shall protrude over an adjoining Home, it shall be deemed that such Owners have granted perpetual easements to the adjoining Owner or Owners for continuing maintenance and use of the protruding structure, facility or Party Roof. The foregoing shall also apply to amy replacements of Party Roofs. The foregoing conditions shall be perpetual in duration and shall not be subject to amendment of this Declaration.

11.2 Sharing of Repair, Replacement and Maintenance for Party Roofs.

- 11.2.1 Generally. Owners shall maintain the Party Roofs and the cost of reasonable repair and maintenance of Party Roofs shall be shared equally by the Owners of the Townhomes sharing such improvements without prejudice, subject however, to the right of any Owner to call for a larger contribution from the other under any rule of law regarding liability for negligent or willful acts or omissions.
- 11.2.2 Failure to Contribute. In the event that an Owner fails or refuses to pay his or her pro rata share of costs to repair, maintain and/or replace his or her portion of the Party Roof (whether or not through his or her own fault or the failure of his or her insurance company to pay any claim), then and in that event, any Owner advancing monies therefor shall have the right to file a claim of lien in the Public Records for such monies advanced and shall have the right to foreclose such lien in accordance with the same procedural requirements as now provided for in Florida Statutes for foreclosure of a construction lien; provided, however, such claim of lien shall be filed within ninety (90) days from the date repairs, replacements and/or maintenance are made to the Party Roof and the suit thereon shall be commenced one (1) year from the date such lien is filed. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Association shall have the right, but not the obligation, to advance monies for the repair, replacement and/or maintenance of Party Roof(s) and charge the responsible Owner(s) an Individual Assessment for such Owner's pro rata share of the costs.
- 11.3 <u>Alterations</u>. Subject to applicable building codes, the Owner of a Townhome sharing a Party Roof with an adjoining Townhome shall not make any alterations, additions or structural changes in the Party Roof without the written consent of the ACC.
- 11.4 <u>Easements</u>. Each Owner sharing a Party Roof shall have all easement rights reasonably necessary to perform the obligations contained herein over the Townhomes sharing the Party Roof.

12. Maintenance by Association.

- 12.1 <u>Common Areas</u>. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Declaration to the contrary, Association shall at all times maintain, repair, replace and insure the Common Areas, including all improvements placed thereon. Without limiting the foregoing, Association shall maintain the entrance wall(s) and entrance feature(s), if any, within Preston Square and Association shall be responsible for the maintenance of the sprinkler system servicing the Common Areas.
- 12.2 Lawn Maintenance Respecting Townhomes. Association shall cut and edge the lawn in the entire yard (the "Yard") of each Townhome. Association shall maintain the trees and hedges in the Yard of each Townhome, and shall fertilize the Yard of each Townhome. Association may also weed the plant bed(s) in the Yard of each Townhome, provided that the Owner of such Townhome has not modified the plant bed(s) from the original plant bed(s) installed by Developer. In the event an Owner modifies the plant bed(s) as initially installed by Developer, then such Owner shall be solely responsible for maintenance of such plant bed(s). EACH TOWNHOME OWNER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT SOME TOWNHOMES MAY HAVE YARDS THAT ARE LARGER OR SMALLER THAN THE YARDS OF OTHER TOWNHOMES. NOTWITHSTANDING THE FOREGOING, ALL LAWN MAINTENANCE EXPENSES SHALL BE DEEMED PART OF THE OPERATING COSTS OF ASSOCIATION ATTRIBUTABLE TO TOWNHOME OWNERS. AND EACH TOWNHOME OWNER SHALL PAY AN EQUAL SHARE OF SUCH COSTS.
- 12.3 <u>Lawn Maintenance Respecting Estate Homes.</u> Association shall not be responsible for the maintenance of yards within an Estate Home. All lawn maintenance of Estate Homes shall be the responsibility of each respective Owner. The Owner of each Estate Home shall be responsible for the maintenance of the sprinkler system and any or all landscaping and other improvements within any portion of the Lot containing the Estate Home. In the event grass is not maintained, Association may, but shall not be obligated to, cut the grass. The costs and expenses of such maintenance plus \$25.00 (or such other amount determined by Association in its sole and absolute discretion) shall be charged to such Owner as an Individual Assessment. Root pruning in any paved Common Areas shall be the responsibility of Association.
- 12.4 <u>Public Roads</u>. It is possible that Association may maintain the medians and swales of all public roads within Preston Square pursuant to an agreement with the appropriate governmental entities. The costs of such maintenance by Association shall be Operating Costs. Without limiting the foregoing, Association shall maintain the sprinkler system(s) on the medians and swales of all public roads.

12.5 Surface Water Management System.

- 12.5.1 <u>Duty to Maintain</u>. The Surface Water Management System within Preston Square will be owned, maintained and operated by Association as permitted by the SFWMD. If owned by Association as Common Areas, the costs of the operation and maintenance of the Surface Water Management System shall be part of the Operating Costs of Association. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the SFWMD has the right to take enforcement action, including a civil action for an injunction and penalties against Association to compel it to correct any outstanding problems with the Surface Water Management System facilities or in mitigation or conservation areas under the responsibility or control of Association.
- 12.5.2 <u>Amendments to Association Documents</u>. Any proposed amendment to Association Documents which will affect the Surface Water Management System, including any water management portions of the Common Areas must have the prior written approval of the SFWMD. Association's registered agent shall maintain copies of all Surface Water Management System permits and correspondence respecting such permits, and any future SFWMD permit actions shall be maintained by Association's registered agent for Association's benefit.
- 12.5.3 Wetland Conservation Areas. Parcels may contain or be adjacent to wetlands, wetland mitigation or preservation areas, upland conservation areas and drainage easements, which may be dedicated by Plat and/or protected by a conservation easement ("Wetland Conservation Areas of Homes abutting Wetland Conservation Areas shall not remove native vegetation (including catalis) that becomes established within the Wetland Conservation Areas abutting their Home. Removal includes dredging, the application of herbicide, cutting, and the introduction of grass carp. Owners shall address any questions regarding authorized activities within the Wetland Conservation Areas to the SFWMD Service Office, Surface Water Regulation Manager.
- 12.5.4 <u>Use Restrictions for Wetland Conservation Areas</u>. The Wetland Conservation Areas may in no way be altered from their natural or permitted state. These use restrictions may be defined on the Permit and the Plats associated with Preston Square. Activities prohibited within the conservation areas include, but are not limited to, the following:
- 12.5.4.1 Construction or placing of landscaping, buildings, roads, signs, billboards or other advertising, utilities, or other structures on or above the ground;
- 12.5.4.2 Dumping or placing of soil or other substances or material as landfill, or dumping or placing of trash, waste, or unsightly or offensive materials;
- 12.5.4.3 Removal or destruction of tress, shrubs or other vegetation; with exception of nuisance and exotic plant species as may be required by Developer;
- 12.5.4.4 Excavation, dredging, or removal of loam, peat, gravel, soil, rock or other material substance in such manner as to affect the surface;

- 12.5.4.5 Surface use except for purposes that permit the land or water area to remain predominately in its natural condition;
- Activities detrimental to drainage, flood control, water conservation, 12.5.4.6 erosion control, or fish and wildlife habitat preservation or conservation;
- 12.5.4.7 Acts or uses detrimental to such aforementioned retention and maintenance of land or water areas;
- Acts or uses detrimental to the preservation of any features or aspects of the 12.5.4.8 property having historical, archeological or cultural significance;
- No Builder or Owner within Preston Square may construct or maintain any 12.5,4.9 building, residence, or structure, or undertake or perform any activity in the Wetland Conservation Areas described in the Permit and recorded Plat(s) of Preston Square, unless prior approval is received from the SFWMD Environmental Resource Regulation Department; and
- Each Builder and Owner within Preston Square at the time of construction of a building, residence, or structure shall comply with the construction plans for the Surface Water Management System approved and on file the SFWMD.
- Adjoining Areas. Except as otherwise provided herein, Association shall also maintain those drainage areas, swales, lake maintenance easements, driveways, lake slopes and banks, and landscape areas that are within the Common Areas, provided that such areas are readily accessible to Association. Under no circumstances shall Association be responsible for maintaining any areas within fences or walls that form a part of a Home.
- Negligence. The expense of any maintenance, repair or construction of any portion of the Common Areas necessitated by the negligent or willful acts of an Owner or persons utilizing the Common Areas, through or under an Owner, shall be borne solely by such Owner and the Home and/or Lot owned by that Owner shall be subject to an Individual Assessment for that expense. By way of example, and not of limitation, an Owner shall be responsible for the removal of all landscaping and structures placed within easements or Common Areas without the prior written approval of Association.
- Right of Entry. Developer and Association are granted a perpetual and irrevocable easement over, under and across Preston Square for the purposes herein expressed, including, without limitation, for inspections to ascertain compliance with the provisions of this Declaration, and for the performance of any maintenance, alteration or repair which it is entitled to perform. Without limiting the foregoing, Developer specifically reserves easements for all purposes necessary to comply with any governmental requirement or to satisfy any condition that is a prerequisite for a governmental approval. By way of example, and not of limitation, Developer may construct, maintain, repair, alter, replace and/or remove improvements; install landscaping; install utilities; and/or remove structures on any portion of Preston Square if Developer is required to do so in order to obtain the release of any bond posted with any governmental agency.
- Maintenance of Property Owned by Others. Association shall, if designated by Developer (or by Association after the Community Completion Date) by amendment to this Declaration or any document of record maintain vegetation, landscaping, sprinkler system, community identification/features and/or other areas or elements designated by Developer (or by Association after the Community Completion Date) upon areas which are within or outside of Preston Square. Such areas may abut, or be proximate to, Preston Square, and may be owned by, or be dedicated to, others including, but not limited to, a utility, governmental or quasi-governmental entity. These areas may include, without limitation, swale areas, landscape buffer areas, berm areas or median areas within the right-ofway of public streets, roads, brick pavers, irrigation, drainage areas, community identification or entrance features, community signage or other identification and/or areas within canal rights-of-ways or other abutting waterways. To the extent there is any agreement between Developer and Association for the maintenance of any lakes, or ponds outside Preston Square, Association shall maintain the same as part of the Common Areas.
- Maintenance by Owners. All lawns, landscaping and sprinkler systems and any property, structures, improvements and appurtenances not maintained by Association shall be well maintained and kept in first class, good, safe, clean, neat and attractive condition consistent with the general appearance of Preston Square by the Owner of each Home. Each Owner is specifically responsible for maintaining all grass, landscaping and improvements within any portion of a Home that is fenced.
- Lawn Maintenance Standards. The following maintenance standards (the "Lawn Maintenance Standards") apply to landscaping maintained by Owners.
 - 13.1.1 Trees. Trees are to be pruned as needed.
 - Shrubs. All shrubs are to be trimmed as needed. 13.1.2
 - 13.1.3 Grass.
- 13.1.3.1 Cutting Schedule. Grass shall be maintained in a neat and appropriate manner. In no event shall an Owner's lawn get in excess of five inches (5") in height.

- 13.1.3.2 Edging. Edging of all streets, curbs, beds and borders shall be performed as needed. Chemical edging shall not be permitted.
- 13.1.3.3 Dead Grass. Owner shall be responsible to replace dead grass. Neither Developer nor Association shall be responsible to replace dead grass.
- 13.1.4 <u>Mulch</u>. Mulch is to be turned four (4) times per year and shall be replenished as needed on a yearly basis.
- 13.1.5 <u>Insect Control and Disease</u>. Disease and insect control shall be performed on an as
- 13.1.6 <u>Fertilization</u>. Fertilization of all turf, trees, shrubs, and palms shall be performed at a minimum of three (3) times a year during the following months: February, June and October.
- 13.1.7 <u>Irrigation</u>. Owners shall be responsible to irrigate grass. Sprinkler heads in Common Areas shall be maintained on a monthly basis. Pump stations and valves shall be checked as needed by an independent contractor to assure proper automatic operation.
- 13.1.8 <u>Weeding</u>. All beds are to be weeded upon every cut. Weeds growing in joints in curbs, driveways, and expansion joints shall be removed as needed. Chemical treatment is permitted.
- 13.1.9 <u>Trash Removal</u>. Dirt, trash, plant and tree cuttings and debris resulting from all operations shall be removed and all areas left in clean condition before the end of the day.
- 13.1.10 Right of Association to Enforce. Each Owner grants Association an easement over his or her Home for the purpose of insuring compliance with the requirements of this provision and the Lawn Maintenance Standards. In the event an Owner does not comply with this Section, Association may perform the necessary maintenance to the lawn and charge the costs thereof to the non-complying Owner as an Individual Assessment. Association shall have the right to enforce the foregoing Lawn Maintenance Standards by all necessary legal action. In the event that Association is the prevailing party with respect to any litigation respecting the Lawn Maintenance Standards, it shall be entitled to recover all of its attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees, and costs, pre-trial and at all levels of proceedings, including appeals.

13.1.11 <u>Landscaping and Irrigation of Lots; Removal of Sod and Shrubbery; Additional Planting.</u>

- shall be removed from Preston Square, and there shall be no change in the plant landscaping, elevation, condition of the soil or the level of the land of such areas which results in any change in the flow and drainage of surface water which the ACC, in their sole discretion, considers detrimental or potentially detrimental to person or property. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Owners who install improvements to the Home (including, without limitation, concrete or brick pavers) which result in any change in the flow and/or drainage of surface water shall be responsible for all of the costs of drainage problems resulting from such improvement. Further, in the event that such Owner fails to pay for such required repairs, each Owner agrees to reimburse the Association for all expenses incurred in fixing such drainage problems including, without limitation, removing excess water and/or repairing the Surface Water Management System.
- 13.1.11.2 No landscape lighting shall be installed by an Owner without the prior written approval of the ACC.
- 13.1.12 Lake Slopes. The rear yard of some Homes may contain lake slopes. Owners shall maintain those portions of the lake slopes located on their Lot and Association shall maintain such portions of the lake slopes contained in the Common Areas, as part of its Operating Expense. Association may establish from time to time maintenance standards for the lake and canal maintenance by Owners who own Homes adjacent to Common Area waterbodies (the "Lake Slope Maintenance Standards"). Such standards may include requirements respecting compaction and strengthening of lake banks. Association shall have the right to inspect such lake and canal slopes and banks to insure that each Owner has complied with its obligations hereunder and under the Lake Slope Maintenance Standards. Each Owner hereby grants Association an easement of ingress and egress across his or her Home to all adjacent lake and canal areas for the purpose of insuring compliance with the requirements of this provision and the Lake Slope Maintenance Standards. For the purposes of this Declaration, each day that an Owner fails to comply with the requirements of this paragraph or any Lake Slope Maintenance Standards shall be deemed a separate and independent violation of this Declaration.
- 13.1.13 <u>Weeds and Refuse.</u> No weeds, underbrush, or other unsightly growth shall be permitted to be grown or remain upon any Home. No refuse or unsightly objects shall be allowed to be placed or suffered to remain upon any Home.
- 13.1.14 <u>Driveway and Sidewalk Repair</u>. Each Owner shall be responsible to timely repair, maintain and/or replace the driveway which comprises part of a Home and the sidewalk abutting the front Lot or side of the Home including, but not limited to, any damage caused by Developer, Association or by the holder of any easement over which such driveway or sidewalk is constructed. Each Owner, by acceptance of a deed to a Home, shall be deemed to have agreed to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Association and the holder of any such easement including, without limitation, all applicable utility companies and governmental agencies, their

agents, servants, employees and elected officials, from and against any and all actions or claims whatsoever arising out of the use of the Common Areas and any easement or the construction and/or maintenance of any driveway or sidewalk in that portion of the Common Areas, easement area, or in a public right-of-way between the boundary of such Owner's Home and the edge of the adjacent paved roadway. Further, each Owner agrees to reimburse Association any expense incurred in repairing any damage to such driveway or sidewalk in the event that such Owner fails to make the required repairs, together with interest at the highest rate allowed by law.

- 14. <u>Use Restrictions</u>. Each Owner must comply with the following:
- 14.1 <u>Alterations and Additions</u>. No material alteration, addition or modification to a Parcel or Home, or material change in the appearance thereof, shall be made without the prior written approval of the ACC, as required by this Declaration.
- Animals. No animals of any kind shall be raised, bred or kept within Preston Square for commercial purposes. Association may prohibit breeds of dogs that the Board considers dangerous in its sole discretion. Otherwise, Owners may keep domestic pets as permitted by County ordinances and otherwise in accordance with the Rules and Regulations established by the Board from time to time. Notwithstanding the foregoing, pets may be kept or harbored in a Home only so long as such pets or animals do not constitute a nuisance. A determination by the Board that an animal or pet kept or harbored in a Home is a nuisance shall be conclusive and binding on all parties. All pets shall be walked on a leash. No pet shall be permitted outside a Home unless such pet is kept on a leash or within an enclosed portion of the yard of a Home, as approved and consented to by the ACC. No pet or animal shall be "tied out" on the exterior of the Home or in the Common Areas, or left unattended in a yard or on a balcony, porch, or patio. No dog runs or enclosures shall be permitted on any Home. When notice of removal of any pet is given by the Board, the pet shall be removed within forty-eight (48) hours of the giving of the notice. All pets shall defecate only in the "pet walking" areas within Preston Square designated for such purpose, if provided by Association, or on that Owner's Home. The person walking the pet or the Owner shall clean up all matter created by the pet. Each Owner shall be responsible for the activities of its pet. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, seeing eye dogs shall not be governed by the restrictions contained in this Section.
- 14.3 <u>Artificial Vegetation</u>. No artificial grass, plants or other artificial vegetation, or rocks or other landscape devices, shall be placed or maintained upon the exterior portion of any Home or Parcel, unless approved by the ACC.

14.4 Cars and Trucks.

- 14.4.1 Parking. Owners' automobiles shall be parked in the garage or driveway, if provided, and shall not block the sidewalk. No vehicles of any nature shall be parked on any portion of Preston Square or a Lot except on the surfaced parking area thereof. All lawn maintenance vehicles shall park on the driveway of the Home and not in the roadway or swale. To the extent Preston Square has any guest parking, Owners are prohibited from parking in such guest parking spaces. No vehicles used in business for the purpose of transporting goods, equipment and the like, or any trucks or vans which are larger than one (1) ton shall be parked in Preston Square except during the period of a delivery. Recreational vehicles, personal street vans, personal trucks of one (1) ton capacity or smaller, and personal vehicles that can be appropriately parked within standard size parking stalls may be parked in Preston Square.
- 14.4.2 <u>Repairs and Maintenance of Vehicles</u>. No vehicle which cannot operate on its own power shall remain on Preston Square for more than twenty-four (24) hours, except in the garage of a Home. No repair or maintenance, except emergency repair, of vehicles shall be made within Preston Square, except in the garage of a Home. No vehicles shall be stored on blocks. No tarpaulin covers on vehicles shall be permitted anywhere within the public view.
- limited to, boat trailers, house trailers, and trailers of every other type, kind or description, or camper, may be kept within Preston Square except in the garage of a Home. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a boat and/or boat trailer may be kept within the fenced yard of a Home so long as the boat and/or boat trailer, when located within a fenced yard, are fully screened from view by such fence. The term commercial vehicle shall not be deemed to include law enforcement vehicles or recreational or utility vehicles (i.e., Broncos™, Blazers™, Explorers™, Navigators™, etc.) or clean "non-working" vehicles such as pick-up trucks, vans, or cars if they are used by the Owner on a daily basis for normal transportation. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Declaration to the contrary, the foregoing provisions shall not apply to construction vehicles in connection with the construction, improvement, installation, or repair by Developer or Builder of Homes, Common Areas, or any other Preston Square facility. No vehicles displaying commercial advertising shall be parked within the public view. No vehicles bearing a "for sale" sign shall be parked within the public view anywhere on Preston Square. For any Owner who drives an automobile issued by the County or other governmental entity (i.e., police cars), such automobile shall not be deemed to be a commercial vehicle and may be parked in the garage or driveway of the Home. No vehicles shall be used as a domicile or residence either temporarily or permanently. No vehicles with expired registration or license plates may be kept within public view anywhere within Preston Square. The use of powered scooters, ATV's ATC's and/or other similar motorized vehicles shall be prohibited in the facilities and Common Areas.
- 14.5 <u>Casualty Destruction to Improvements</u>. In the event that a Home or other improvement is damaged or destroyed by casualty loss or other loss, then within a reasonable period of time after such incident, the Owner thereof shall either commence to rebuild or repair the damaged Home or improvement and diligently continue such rebuilding or repairing until completion, or properly clear the damaged Home or improvement and

restore or repair the Home as approved by the ACC. As to any such reconstruction of a destroyed Home or improvements, the same shall only be replaced as approved by the ACC.

- 14.6 <u>Commercial Activity</u>. Except for normal construction activity, sale, and re-sale of a Home, sale or re-sale of other property owned by Developer, administrative offices of Developer or Builders, no commercial or business activity shall be conducted in any Home within Preston Square. Notwithstanding the foregoing, and subject to applicable statutes and ordinances, an Owner may maintain a home business office within a Home for such Owner's personal use; provided, however, business invitees, customers, and clients shall not be permitted to meet with Owners in Homes unless the Board provides otherwise in the Rules and Regulations. No Owner may actively engage in any solicitations for commercial purposes within Preston Square. No solicitors of a commercial nature shall be allowed within Preston Square, without the prior written consent of Association. No garage sales are permitted, except as permitted by Association. No day care center or facility may be operated out of a Home. Prior to the Community Completion Date, Association shall not permit any garage sales without the prior written consent of Developer.
- 14.7 <u>Completion and Sale of Homes or Units.</u> No person or entity shall interfere with the completion and sale of Homes within Preston Square. WITHOUT LIMITING THE FOREGOING, EACH OWNER, BY ACCEPTANCE OF A DEED, AGREES THAT ACTIONS OF OWNERS MAY IMPACT THE VALUE OF HOMES; THEREFORE EACH OWNER IS BENEFITED BY THE FOLLOWING RESTRICTION: PICKETING AND POSTING OF NEGATIVE SIGNS OR POSTING OF NEGATIVE WEBSITES ON THE INTERNET, NEGATIVE ADVERTISING, NEGATIVE INFORMATION PROVIDED OR POSTED AT PUBLIC GATHERINGS ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED IN ORDER TO PRESERVE THE VALUE OF THE HOMES IN PRESTON SQUARE AND THE RESIDENTIAL ATMOSPHERE THEREOF.
- 14.8 <u>Control of Contractors</u>. Except for direct services which may be offered to Owners (and then only according to the Rules and Regulations relating thereto as adopted from time to time), no person other than an Association officer or representative of the management company retained by Association shall direct, supervise, or in any manner attempt to assert any control over any contractor of Association.
- 14.9 <u>Cooking.</u> No cooking shall be permitted nor shall any goods or beverages be consumed on the Common Areas except in areas designated for those purposes by Association. The ACC shall have the right to prohibit or restrict the use of grills or barbeque facilities throughout Preston Square.
- 14.10 <u>Decorations</u>. No decorative objects including, but not limited to, birdbaths, windchimes, figurines, light fixtures, sculptures, statues, weather vanes, or flagpoles shall be installed or placed within or upon any portion of Preston Square without the prior written approval of the ACC. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no statues, sculptures or birdbaths of any kind can be installed or placed within the Front Yard or visible from the street. Notwithstanding the foregoing, holiday lighting and decorations shall be permitted to be placed upon the exterior portions of the Home and upon the Lot in the manner permitted hereunder commencing on Thanksgiving and shall be removed not later than January 15th of the following year. The ACC may establish standards for holiday lights. The ACC may require the removal of any lighting that creates a nuisance (e.g., unacceptable spillover to adjacent Home).
- 14.11 <u>Disputes as to Use.</u> If there is any dispute as to whether the use of any portion of Preston Square complies with this Declaration, such dispute shall, prior to the Community Completion Date, be decided by Developer, and thereafter by Association. A determination rendered by such party with respect to such dispute shall be final and binding on all persons concerned.
- Areas and/or Homes. The maintenance of such systems and/or facilities within the Common Areas shall be the responsibility of the Association. Once drainage systems or drainage facilities are installed by Developer, the maintenance of such systems and/or facilities thereafter within the boundary of a Home shall be the responsibility of the Owner of the Home which includes such system and/or facilities. In the event that such system or facilities (whether comprised of swales, pipes, pumps, waterbody slopes, or other improvements) is adversely affected by landscaping, fences, structures (including, without limitation, pavers), or additions, the cost to correct, repair, or maintain such drainage system and/or facilities shall be the responsibility of the Owner of each Home containing all or a part of such drainage system and/or facilities. By way of example, and not of limitation, if the Owner of one Home plants a tree (pursuant to approval of the ACC) and the roots of such tree subsequently affect pipes or other drainage facilities within another Home, the Owner that plants the tree shall be solely responsible for the removal of the roots that adversely affect the adjacent Home. Likewise, if the roots of a tree located within the Common Areas adversely affect an adjacent Home, Association shall be responsible for the removal of the roots and the costs thereof shall be Operating Costs. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Association and Developer shall have no responsibility or liability for drainage problems of any type whatsoever.
- 14.13 <u>Driveway Repair</u>. Each Owner shall be responsible to timely repair, maintain and/or replace the driveway comprising part of a Home including, but not limited to, any damage caused by Developer, Association or by the holder of any easement over which such driveway is constructed. Each Owner, by acceptance of a deed to a Home, shall be deemed to have agreed to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Association and the holder of any such easement including without limitation, all applicable utility companies and governmental agencies, their agents, servants, employees and elected officials, from and against any and all actions or claims whatsoever arising out of the use of the Common Areas and any easement or the construction and/or maintenance of any driveway in that portion of the Common Areas, easement area, or in a public right-of-way between the boundary of such Owner's Home and the edge of the adjacent paved roadway. Further, each Owner agrees to reimburse Association any expense incurred in repairing any damage to such driveway in the event that such Owner fails to make the required repairs, together with interest at the highest rate allowed by law.

- 14.14 <u>Extended Vacation and Absences</u>. In the event a Home will be unoccupied for an extended period, the Home must be prepared prior to departure by: (i) notifying Association in writing; (ii) removing all removable furniture, plants and other objects from outside the Home; and (iii) designating a responsible firm or individual to care for the Home, should the Home suffer damage or require attention, and providing a key to that firm or individual. The name of the designee shall be furnished to Association. Neither Association nor Developer shall have any responsibility of any nature relating to any unoccupied Home.
- 14.15 Fences and Walls. No walls or fences shall be erected or installed without prior written consent of the ACC. No chain link fencing of any kind shall be allowed. All enclosures of balconies or patios, including, without limitation addition of vinyl windows, and decks shall require the prior written approval of the ACC. Fences on the sides of a Home shall be six (6) feet or less, wood (natural wood stain or other color approved by the ACC), shadowbox or stockade. The rear of lakefront Lots may only be fenced with aluminum picket, no higher than four (4) feet in a color matching the scheme of Homes and approved by the ACC. No fences, walls, structures or trees shall be permitted within any lake maintenance easement of the Association or within any Association property abutting the lakes.
- 14.16 <u>Fuel Storage</u>. No fuel storage shall be permitted within Preston Square, except as may be necessary or reasonably used for swimming pools, spas, barbecues, fireplaces, emergency generators or similar devices and as otherwise permitted by this Declaration.
- 14.17 <u>Garages.</u> Each Home may have its own garage. No garage shall be converted into a general living area. Garage doors shall remain closed at all times except when vehicular or pedestrian access is required.
- 14.18 <u>Garbage Cans.</u> Trash collection and disposal procedures established by Association shall be observed. It is possible Association may provide for garbage pick-up, the cost of which shall be Operating Costs. No outside burning of trash or garbage is permitted. No garbage cans, supplies or other similar articles shall be maintained on any Home so as to be visible from outside the Home or Parcel. Each Owner shall be responsible for properly depositing his or her garbage and trash in garbage cans and trash containers sufficient for pick-up by the appropriate collection agencies in accordance with the requirements of any such agency. All such trash receptacles shall be maintained in a sanitary condition and shall be shielded from the view of adjacent properties and streets. Garbage cans and trash containers shall not be placed outside the Home for pick-up earlier than 6:00 p.m. on the day preceding the pick-up and must be returned to the Homes so that they are not visible from outside the Home on the day of pickup.
- 14.19 <u>General Use Restrictions</u>. Each Home, the Common Areas and any portion of Preston Square shall not be used in any manner contrary to the Association Documents.
- 14.20 <u>Hurricane Shutters</u>. Any hurricane shutters or other protective devices visible from outside a Home shall be of a type as approved in writing by the ACC. Panel, accordion and roll-up style hurricane shutters may not be left closed during hurricane season (nor at any other time). Any such approved hurricane shutters may be installed or closed up to forty-eight (48) hours prior to the expected arrival of a hurricane and must be removed or opened within seventy-two (72) hours after the end of a hurricane watch or warning or as the Board may determine otherwise. Except as the Board may otherwise decide, shutters may not be closed at any time other than a storm event. An approval by the ACC shall not be deemed an endorsement of the effectiveness of hurricane shutters.
- 14.21 Irrigation. The water used in the irrigation system is not suitable for drinking or water sports. Children and pets should not play in such water. Such water may be used by Owners to irrigate lawns. Due to water quality, irrigation systems may cause staining on Homes, other structures, paved areas, or vehicles. It is each Owner's responsibility to treat and remove any such staining. Association may require from time to time, that Owners adopt systems to prevent stains (e.g., automatic deionization systems). The yard of each Home may be equipped with irrigation lines, depending on the model of the Home. No Owner whose Home adjoins a waterway or lake, if any, may utilize the waterway or lake to irrigate unless so provided by Developer as part of original construction, subject to applicable permitting. Any use of lake water is at the Owner's sole risk as chemicals are used to control aquatic vegetation in lakes. Association may use waterways and lakes to irrigate Common Areas, as applicable, subject to applicable permitting and Developer shall not be liable for same. BY ACCEPTANCE OF A DEED TO A HOME OR PARCEL, EACH OWNER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE WATER LEVELS OF ALL LAKES AND WATERBODIES MAY VARY. THERE IS NO GUARANTEE BY DEVELOPER OR ASSOCIATION THAT WATER LEVELS WILL BE CONSTANT OR AESTHETICALLY PLEASING AT ANY PARTICULAR TIME. Developer and/or Association, shall have the right to use one or more pumps to remove water from lakes and waterbodies for irrigation purposes at all times, subject to applicable permitting. Developer may utilize a system to irrigate the Common Areas and/or Homes. Any irrigation system that is not specifically the maintenance obligation of an Owner, shall be the maintenance obligation and shall be deemed part of the Common Areas.
- 14.22 <u>Reuse Distribution System.</u> Developer, if required by the applicable governing agency, will install a reuse distribution system for irrigation use within Preston Square. The reuse distribution system, until such time as reuse may become available from the applicable governing agency, will use potable water. If constructed, Association will be required to connect the irrigation systems into the reuse distribution system and Association will maintain the reuse distribution system in operable and good condition.
- 14.23 <u>Laundry</u>. Subject to the provisions of Section 163.04 of the Florida Statutes, to the extent applicable, no rugs, mops or laundry of any kind, or any other similar type article, shall be shaken, hung or exposed so as to be visible outside the Home or Parcel. Clotheslines may be installed in the rear yard of a Home so long as not visible from the front of the Home.

- 14.24 <u>Lawful Use.</u> No immoral, improper, offensive, unlawful or obnoxious use shall be made in any portion of Preston Square. All laws, zoning ordinances and regulations of all governmental entities having jurisdiction thereof shall be observed. The responsibility of meeting the requirements of governmental entities for maintenance, modification or repair of a portion of Preston Square shall be the same as the responsibility for maintenance and repair of the property concerned.
- 14.25 Leases. Homes may be leased, licensed or occupied only in their entirety and no fraction or portion may be rented. No bed and breakfast facility may be operated out of a Home. Individual rooms of a Home may not be leased on any basis. No transient tenants may be accommodated in a Home. All leases or occupancy agreements shall be in writing and a copy of all leases of Homes shall be provided to Association. All leases shall be on forms approved by Association and shall provide that Association shall have the right to terminate the lease upon default by the tenant in observing any of the provisions of the Association Documents or other applicable provisions of any agreement, document or instrument governing Preston Square or administered by Association. Owners are responsible for providing their tenants with copies of all such documents or instruments at such Owner's sole cost and expense. Leasing of Homes shall also be subject to the prior written approval of Association, as more particularly explained in Section 23 hereof. No Home may be subject to more than two (2) leases in any twelve (12) month period, regardless of the lease term. No lease term shall be less than ninety (90) days. No subleasing or assignment of lease rights by the tenant is permitted. In no event shall occupancy of a leased Home (except for temporary occupancy by visiting guests) exceed two (2) persons per bedroom. Each Owner shall be jointly and severally liable with the tenant to Association for all costs incurred by Association for the repair of any damage to Common Areas or to pay any claim for injury or damage to property caused by tenants. Association shall repair any such damage and the cost of such repair shall be invoiced as an Individual Assessment to the Owner. Additionally, as a condition to the approval by Association of a proposed lease of a Home, Association has the authority to require that a security deposit in an amount not to exceed the equivalent of one (1) month's rent be deposited into an account maintained by Association. The security deposit shall protect against damages to the Common Areas or Association Property. A security deposit held by Association under this Section shall be governed by Chapter 83 of the Florida Statutes, as it may be renumbered from time to time. Association may also charge a reasonable fee of no more than One Hundred (\$100.00) dollars to offset the costs of a background check on tenant. All leases shall also comply with and be subject to the provisions of Section 23 hereof. Notwithstanding the foregoing, this Section shall not apply to a situation where an Owner or resident of a Home receives in-home care by a professional caregiver residing within the Home.
- 14.26 <u>Minor's Use of Facilities</u>. Each Owner shall be responsible for all actions of minor children dwelling in and/or visiting his or her Home. Developer, Association shall not be responsible for any use of the facilities and Common Areas by anyone, including minors. Children under the age of sixteen (16) shall be accompanied by an adult at all times.
- 14.27 <u>Nuisances.</u> No nuisance or any use or practice that is the source of unreasonable annoyance to others or which interferes with the peaceful possession and proper use of Preston Square is permitted. Nuisances shall include, without limitation, the playing of loud music or the gathering in front of Homes or Common Areas by an Owner or permitted occupant thereof, his or her immediate family, guests, tenants and invitees. No firearms shall be discharged within Preston Square. Nothing shall be done or kept within the Common Areas, or any other portion of Preston Square, including a Home or Lot which will increase the rate of insurance to be paid by Association.
- 14.28 Oil and Mining Operations. No oil, drilling development operations, oil refining, quarrying or mining operations of any kind shall be permitted upon or on any Lot, nor shall oil wells, tanks, tunnels, mineral excavations or shafts be permitted upon or on any Lot. No derrick or other structure designed for use in boring for oil or natural gas shall be erected, maintained or permitted on any Lot.
 - 14.29 Paint. Homes shall be repainted within forty-five (45) days of notice by the ACC.
- 14.30 <u>Personal Property</u>. All personal property of Owners or other occupants of Homes shall be stored within the Homes. No personal property, except usual patio furniture, may be stored on, nor any use made of, the Common Areas, any Parcel or Home, or any other portion of Preston Square, which is unsightly or which interferes with the comfort and convenience of others.
 - 14.31 Townhome Pools. No pools shall be permitted to be installed on Lots containing Townhomes.
- 14.32 Estate Home Pools. No above-ground pools shall be permitted. All in-ground pools, hot tubs, spas and appurtenances installed shall require the prior written approval of the ACC as set forth in this Declaration. The design must incorporate, at a minimum, the following: (i) the composition of the material must be thoroughly tested and accepted by the industry for such construction; (ii) any swimming pool constructed on any Lot shall have an elevation at the top of the pool of not over two (2) feet above the natural grade unless approved by the ACC; (iii) pool cages and screens must be of a design, color and material approved by the ACC and shall be no higher than twelve (12) feet unless otherwise approved by the ACC; and (iv) pool screening shall in no event be higher than the roof line of the Home. Pool screening shall not extend beyond the sides of the Home without the express approval of the ACC. All pools shall be adequately maintained and chlorinated (or cleaned with similar treatment). Unless installed by Developer, no diving boards, slides, or platforms shall be permitted without the approval of the ACC.
- 14.33 Removal of Soil and Additional Landscaping. Without the prior approval of the ACC, no Owner shall remove soil from any portion of Preston Square, change the level of the land within Preston Square, or plant landscaping which results in any permanent change in the flow and drainage of surface water within Preston Square. Owners may place additional plants, shrubs, or trees within any portion of Preston Square with the prior approval of the ACC.

- 14.34 <u>Roofs, Driveways and Pressure Treatment.</u> Roofs and/or exterior surfaces and/or pavement, including, but not limited to, walks and drives, shall be pressure treated within thirty (30) days of notice by the ACC. No surface applications to driveways shall be permitted without the prior written approval of the ACC as to material, color and pattern. Such applications shall not extend beyond the front Lot line or include the sidewalk. No oil stains, stains or weeds are permitted on driveways or Lots. Each Owner shall be responsible to pressure clean between paintings.
- 14.35 <u>Satellite Dishes and Antennas.</u> No exterior visible antennas, radio masts, towers, poles, aerials, satellite dishes, or other similar equipment shall be placed on any Home or Lot without the prior written approval of the ACC as required by this Declaration. The ACC may require, among other things, that all such improvements be screened so that they are not visible from adjacent Homes, or from the Common Areas. Each Owner agrees that the location of satellite dishes, antennas and other equipment under this Section must be first approved by the ACC in order to address the welfare of the residents of Preston Square. No Owner shall operate any equipment or device which will interfere with the radio or television reception of others and satellite dishes must be on the fascia board when possible with no exposed wires. All antennas not permitted by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") rules are prohibited. Installation, maintenance, and use of all antennas shall comply with restrictions adopted by the Board and shall be governed by the then current rules of the FCC.
- 14.36 <u>Servants</u>. Servants and domestic help of any Owner may not gather or lounge in or about the Common Areas.
- 14.37 Signs and Flags. No sign (including brokerage or for sale/lease signs), flag, banner, notice or other lettering shall be exhibited, displayed, inscribed, painted or affixed in, or upon any part of Preston Square that is visible from the outside without the prior written approval from the ACC as required by this Declaration; and without the prior written approval thereof by governmental agencies, if necessary (e.g., permit boards); provided, however, signs required by governmental agencies and approved by the ACC may be displayed. "For Sale" and "For Rent" signs must be approved by the ACC and shall be no larger than 12" x 12". Notwithstanding the foregoing, no broker, "For Sale" or "For Rent" signs shall be exhibited, displayed, inscribed, painted or affixed in or upon any part of Preston Square while the Developer still holds any Homes for sale in the ordinary course of business. No sign may be placed in the window of a Home. Developer and Builders are exempt from this Section. No in-ground flag poles (except as Developer may use) shall be permitted within Preston Square, unless written approval of the ACC is obtained. Notwithstanding the foregoing, flags which are no larger than 24" x 36" attached to a Home and displayed for the purpose of a holiday, and United States of America flags shall be permitted without ACC approval.
- 14.38 Sports Equipment. No recreational, playground or sports equipment shall be installed or placed within or about any portion of Preston Square without prior written approval of the ACC. No basketball backboards, skateboard ramps, or play structures will be permitted without written approval of the ACC. Such approved equipment shall be located at the rear of the Home or on the inside portion of corner Homes within the setback lines. Tree houses or platforms of a similar nature shall not be constructed on any part of a Home. No basketball hoops shall be attached to a Home and any portable basketball hoops must be stored inside the Home. No tennis courts are permitted within Lots.
- 14.39 <u>Storage</u>. No temporary or permanent utility or storage shed, storage building, tent, or other structure or improvement shall be permitted and no other structure or improvement shall be constructed, erected, altered, modified or maintained without the prior approval of the ACC, which approval shall conform to the requirements of this Declaration. Water softeners, trash containers, propane tanks and other similar devices shall be properly screened from the street in a manner approved by the ACC.
- 14.40 <u>Subdivision and Regulation of Land</u>. No portion of any Home, Lot or Parcel shall be divided or subdivided or its boundaries changed without the prior written approval of Association. No Owner shall inaugurate or implement any variation from, modification to, or amendment of governmental regulations, land use plans, land development regulations, zoning, or any other development orders or development permits applicable to Preston Square, without the prior written approval of Developer, which may be granted or denied in its sole discretion. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the prior written approval of the City is required in connection with any land use or zoning changes within Preston Square.
- 14.41 <u>Substances</u>. No flammable, combustible or explosive fuel, fluid, chemical, hazardous waste, or substance shall be kept on any portion of Preston Square or within any Home or Parcel, except those which are required for normal household use. All propane tanks and bottled gas for household and/or pool purposes (excluding barbecue grill tanks) must be installed underground or in a manner to be screened from view by landscaping or other materials approved by the ACC.
- 14.42 <u>Swimming, Fishing, Boating, Docks and Wildlife</u>. Swimming, fishing and feeding wildlife are prohibited within any of the lakes or waterbodies within or adjacent to Preston Square. Boating and personal watercraft (e.g., jet skis) are prohibited. No private docks may be erected within any waterbody.
- 14.43 <u>Use of Homes.</u> Each Home is restricted to residential use as a residence by the Owner or permitted occupant thereof, its immediate family, guests, tenants and invitees.
- 14.44 <u>Visibility on Corners</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in these restrictions, no obstruction to visibility at street intersections shall be permitted and such visibility clearances shall be maintained as required by the ACC, and governmental agencies. No vehicles, objects, fences, walls, hedges, shrubs or other planting shall be placed or permitted on a corner Lot where such obstruction would create a traffic problem.

- 14.45 Water Intrusion. Florida experiences heavy rainfall and humidity on a regular basis. Each Owner is responsible for making sure his or her Home remains watertight including, without limitation, checking caulking around windows and seals on doors. Each Owner acknowledges that running air conditioning machinery with windows and/or doors open in humid conditions can result in condensation, mold and/or water intrusion. Neither Developer nor Association shall have liability under such circumstances for any damage or loss that an Owner may
 - 14.46 Wells. Wells are not permitted unless through the prior written approval of the ACC.
- 14.47 Wetlands Areas. Preston Square may contain preserves, wetlands, and/or mitigation areas. No Owner or other person shall take any action or enter onto such areas so as to adversely affect the same. Such areas are to be maintained in their natural state.
- 14.48 Windows or Wall Units. No window or wall air conditioning unit may be installed in any window or wall of a Home.
- 14.49 Window Treatments. Window treatments shall consist of drapery, blinds, decorative panels, or other window covering, and no newspaper, aluminum foil, sheets or other temporary window treatments are permitted, except for periods not exceeding one (1) week after an Owner or tenant first moves into a Home or when permanent window treatments are being cleaned or repaired. No security bars shall be placed on the windows of any Home without prior written approval of the ACC. No awnings, canopies or shutters shall be affixed to the exterior of a Home without the prior written approval of the ACC. No reflective tinting or mirror finishes on windows shall be permitted unless approved by the ACC. Window treatments facing the street shall be of a neutral color, such as white, off-white or wood tones.

Requirement to Maintain Insurance.

- Association. Association shall maintain the following insurance coverage:
- Flood Insurance. If the Common Areas are located within an area which has special flood hazards and for which flood insurance has been made available under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), coverage in appropriate amounts, available under NFIP for all buildings and other insurable property within any portion of the Common Areas located within a designated flood hazard area.
- Liability Insurance. Commercial general liability insurance coverage providing coverage and limits deemed appropriate. Such policies must provide that they may not be canceled or substantially modified by any party, without at least thirty (30) days' prior written notice to Developer (until the Community Completion Date), and Association.
- Directors and Officers Liability Insurance. Each member of the Board shall be covered 15.1.3 by directors and officers liability insurance in such amounts and with such provisions as approved by the Board.
- Other Insurance. Such other insurance coverage as appropriate from time to time. All 15.1.4 coverage obtained by Association shall cover all activities of Association and all properties maintained by Association, whether or not Association owns title thereto.
- Developer. Prior to the Turnover Date, Developer shall have the right, at Association's expense, to provide insurance coverage under its master insurance policy in lieu of any of the foregoing.

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- 15.2.1 <u>Requirement to Maintain Insurance</u>. Each Owner shall be required to obtain and maintain adequate insurance of his or her Home. Such insurance shall be sufficient for necessary repair or reconstruction work, and/or shall cover the costs to demolish a damaged Home as applicable, remove the debris, and to resod and landscape land comprising the Home. Upon the request of Association, each Owner shall be required to supply the Board with evidence of insurance coverage on his Home which complies with the provisions of this Section. Without limiting any other provision of this Declaration or the powers of Association, Association shall specifically have the right to bring an action to require an Owner to comply with his or her obligations hereunder
- 15.2.2 Requirement to Reconstruct or Demolish. In the event that any Home is destroyed by fire or other casualty, the Owner of such Home shall do one of the following: the Owner shall commence reconstruction and/or repair of the Home ("Required Repair"), or Owner shall tear the Home down, remove all the debris, and resod and landscape the property comprising the Home as required by the ACC ("Required Demolition") to the extent permitted under law. If an Owner elects to perform the Required Repair, such work must be commenced within thirty (30) days of the Owner's receipt of the insurance proceeds respecting such Home. If an Owner elects to perform the Required Demolition, the Required Demolition must be completed within six (6) months from the date of the casualty or such longer period of time established by the Board in its sole and absolute discretion subject to extension if required by law. If an Owner elects to perform the Required Repair, such reconstruction and/or repair must be completed in a continuous, diligent, and timely manner. Association shall have the right to inspect the progress of all reconstruction and/or repair work. Without limiting any other provision of this Declaration or the powers of Association, Association shall have a right to bring an action against an Owner who fails to comply with the foregoing requirements. By way of example, Association may bring an action against an Owner who fails to either perform the Required Repair or Required Demolition on his or her Home within the time periods and in the manner provided herein. Each Owner acknowledges that the issuance of a building permit or a demolition permit in

no way shall be deemed to satisfy the requirements set forth herein, which are independent of, and in addition to, any requirements for completion of work or progress requirements set forth in applicable statutes, zoning codes, and/or building codes.

- 15.2.3 Townhome Buildings. Certain Homes are separated by Party Walls but form part of a Townhome Building. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, any Owner of a Home within a Townhome Building must have the written agreement of all of the Owners of Homes within such Townhome Building before any Required Demolition can be commenced. Such written agreement must be presented to the ACC before any Required Demolition can commence. If all of the Owners of Homes within a Townhome Building do not agree to the Required Demolition, then such Required Demolition shall not be commenced by any Owner of a Home within a Townhome Building and all Owners of damaged or destroyed Homes within such Townhome Building shall perform Required Repair with respect to such Homes.
- 15.2.4 <u>Standard of Work.</u> The standard for all demolition, reconstruction, and other work performed as required by this Section 15.2.4 shall be in accordance with the Community Standards and any other standards established by Association with respect to any casualty that affects all or a portion of Preston Square.
- 15.2.5 Additional Rights of Association. If an Owner refuses or fails, for any reason, to perform the Required Repair or Required Demolition as herein provided, then Association, in its sole and absolute discretion, by and through its Board is hereby irrevocably authorized by such Owner to perform the Required Repair or Required Demolition. All Required Repair performed by Association pursuant to this Section shall be in conformance with the original plans and specifications for the Home. Association shall have the absolute right to perform the Required Demolition to a Home pursuant to this Section if any contractor certifies in writing to Association that such Home cannot be rebuilt or repaired. The Board may levy an Individual Assessment against the Owner in whatever amount sufficient to adequately pay for Required Repair or Required Demolition performed by Association.
- 15.2.6 <u>Rights of County</u>. In the event that any Home is destroyed by fire or other casualty, County or other authorized governmental agency shall have the right, but not the obligation, to enter such Owner's Lot and/or Home for the purpose of inspecting and assessing the damage to such Home. County shall further have the right to enforce any local laws and/or ordinances with regard to the Required Repair or the Required Demolition of the Home.
- 15.2.7 <u>Association Has No Liability.</u> Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section, Association, its directors and officers, shall not be liable to any Owner should an Owner fail for any reason whatsoever to obtain insurance coverage on a Home. Moreover, Association, its directors and officers, shall not be liable to any person if Association does not enforce the rights given to Association in this Section.
- 15.3 <u>Fidelity Bonds</u>. If available, Association may obtain a blanket fidelity bond for all officers, directors, trustees and employees of Association, and all other persons handling or responsible for funds of, or administered by, Association. In the event Association delegates some or all of the responsibility for the handling of the funds to a professional management company or licensed manager, such bonds shall be required for its officers, employees and agents, handling or responsible for funds of, or administered on behalf of Association. The amount of the fidelity bond shall be based upon reasonable business judgment. The fidelity bonds required herein must meet the following requirements (to the extent available at a reasonable premium):
 - 15.3.1 The bonds shall name Association as an obligee.
- 15.3.2 The bonds shall contain waivers, by the issuers of the bonds, of all defenses based upon the exclusion of persons serving without compensation from the definition of "employee" or similar terms or expressions.
- 15.3.3 The premiums on the bonds (except for premiums on fidelity bonds maintained by a professional management company, or its officers, employees and agents), shall be paid by Association.
- 15.3.4 The bonds shall provide that they may not be canceled or substantially modified (including cancellation for non-payment of premium) without at least thirty (30) days' prior written notice to Developer (until the Community Completion Date) and Association.
- 15.4 <u>Association as Agent</u>. Association is irrevocably appointed agent for each Owner of any interest relating to the Common Areas to adjust all claims arising under insurance policies purchased by Association and to execute and deliver releases upon the payment of claims.
- 15.5 <u>Casualty to Common Areas</u>. In the event of damage to the Common Areas, or any portion thereof, Association shall be responsible for reconstruction after casualty. In the event of damage to a Home, or any portion thereof, the Owner shall be responsible for reconstruction after casualty.
- 15.6 <u>Nature of Reconstruction</u>. Any reconstruction of improvements hereunder shall be substantially in accordance with the plans and specifications of the original improvement, or as the improvement was last constructed, subject to modification to conform with the then current governmental regulation(s).
- 15.7 <u>Additional Insured</u> Developer and the respective Lender(s) shall be named as additional insured on all policies obtained by Association, as their interests may appear.

15.8 <u>Cost of Payment of Premiums</u>. The costs of all insurance maintained by Association hereunder, and any other fees or expenses incurred which may be necessary or incidental to carry out the provisions hereof are Operating Costs.

16. Property Rights.

- 16.1 Owners' Easement of Enjoyment. Every Owner, and its immediate family, tenants, guests and invitees, and every owner of an interest in Preston Square shall have a non-exclusive right and easement of enjoyment in and to those portions of the Common Areas which it is entitled to use for their intended purpose, subject to the following provisions:
- 16.1.1 Easements, restrictions, reservations, conditions, limitations and declarations of record, now or hereafter existing, and the provisions of this Declaration, as amended.
 - 16.1.2 Rules and Regulations adopted governing use and enjoyment of the Common Areas.
- 16.1.3 The right of Association to suspend an Owner's rights hereunder or to impose fines in accordance with Section 720.305, Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time.
- 16.1.4 The right to suspend the right to use all (except vehicular and pedestrian ingress and egress and necessary utilities) or a portion of the Common Areas by an Owner, its immediate family, etc., for any period during which any Assessment against that Owner remains unpaid.
- 16.1.5 The right of Developer and/or Association to dedicate or transfer all or any part of the Common Areas. No such dedication or transfer shall be effective prior to the Community Completion Date without prior written consent of Developer.
- 16.1.6 The right of Developer and/or Association to modify the Common Areas as set forth in this Declaration.
- 16.1.7 The perpetual right of Developer to access and enter the Common Areas at any time, even after the Community Completion Date, for the purposes of inspection and testing of the Common Areas. Association and each Owner shall give Developer unfettered access, ingress and egress to the Common Areas so that Developer and/or its agents can perform all tests and inspections deemed necessary by Developer. Developer shall have the right to make all repairs and replacements deemed necessary by Developer. At no time shall Association and/or an Owner prevent, prohibit and/or interfere with any testing, repair or replacement deemed necessary by Developer relative to any portion of the Common Areas.
- 16.1.8 The rights of Developer and Association regarding Preston Square as reserved in this Declaration, including the right to utilize the same and to grant use rights, etc. to others.
- 16.1.9 An Owner relinquishes use of the Common Areas at any time that a Home is leased to a Tenant.
- 16.2 <u>Ingress and Egress</u>. An easement for ingress and egress is hereby created for pedestrian traffic over, and through and across sidewalks, paths, walks, driveways, passageways, and lanes as the same, from time to time, may exist upon, or be designed as part of, the Common Areas, and for vehicular traffic over, through and across such portions of the Common Areas as, from time to time, may be paved and intended for such purposes.
- <u>Development Easement</u>. In addition to the rights reserved elsewhere herein, Developer reserves an easement for itself or its nominees and creates an easement over, upon, across, and under Preston Square as may be required in connection with the development of Preston Square, and other lands designated by Developer and to promote or otherwise facilitate the development, construction and sale and/or leasing of Homes or any portion of Preston Square, and other lands designated by Developer. Without limiting the foregoing, Developer specifically reserves the right to use all paved roads and rights of way within Preston Square for vehicular and pedestrian ingress and egress to and from construction sites and for the construction and maintenance of any Telecommunication Systems provided by Developer. Specifically, each Owner acknowledges that construction vehicles and trucks may use portions of the Common Areas. Developer shall have no liability or obligation to repave, restore, or repair any portion of the Common Areas as a result of the use of the same by construction traffic, and all maintenance and repair of such Common Areas shall be deemed ordinary maintenance of Association payable by all Owners as part of Operating Costs. Without limiting the foregoing, at no time shall Developer be obligated to pay any amount to Association on account of Developer's use of the Common Areas for construction purposes. Developer intends to use the Common Areas for sales of new and used Homes. Further, Developer may market other residences and commercial properties located outside of Preston Square from Developer's sales facilities located within Preston Square. Developer has the right to use all portions of the Common Areas in connection with its marketing activities, including, without limitation, allowing members of the general public to inspect model Homes, installing signs and displays, holding promotional parties and picnics, and using the Common Areas for every other type of promotional or sales activity that may be employed in the marketing of new and used residential Homes or the leasing of residential apartments. The easements created by this Section, and the rights reserved herein in favor of Developer, shall be construed as broadly as possible and supplement the rights of Developer set forth in Section 21 of this Declaration. At no time shall Developer incur any expense whatsoever in connection with its use and enjoyment of such rights and easements. Developer may non-exclusively assign its rights hereunder to each Builder.

- 16.4 <u>Public Easements.</u> Fire, police, school transportation, health, sanitation and other public service and utility company personnel and vehicles shall have a permanent and perpetual easement for ingress and egress over and across the Common Areas. In addition, Telecommunications Providers shall also have the right to use all paved roadways for ingress and egress to and from Telecommunications Systems within Preston Square.
- 16.5 <u>Delegation of Use.</u> Every Owner shall be deemed to have delegated its right of enjoyment to the Common Areas to occupants or lessees of that Owner's Home subject to the provisions of this Declaration and the Rules and Regulations, as may be promulgated, from time to time. Any such delegation or lease shall not relieve any Owner from its responsibilities and obligations provided herein.
- 16.6 <u>Basement for Encroachments</u>. In the event that any improvement upon Common Areas, as originally constructed, shall encroach upon any other property or improvements thereon, or for any reason, then an easement appurtenant to the encroachment shall exist for so long as the encroachment shall naturally exist.
- 16.7 <u>Permits, Licenses and Easements.</u> Prior to the Community Completion Date, Developer, and thereafter Association, shall, in addition to the specific rights reserved to Developer herein, have the right to grant, modify, amend and terminate permits, licenses and easements over, upon, across, under and through Preston Square (including Lots, Parcels and/or Homes) for Telecommunications Systems, utilities, roads and other purposes reasonably necessary or useful as it determines, in its sole discretion. To the extent legally required, each Owner shall be deemed to have granted to Developer and, thereafter, Association an irrevocable power of attorney, coupled with an interest, for the purposes herein expressed.
- 16.8 <u>Support Easement and Maintenance Easement</u>. An easement is hereby created for the existence and maintenance of supporting structures (and the replacement thereof) in favor of the entity required to maintain the same. An easement is hereby created for maintenance purposes (including access to perform such maintenance) over and across Preston Square (including Lots, Parcels and Homes) for the reasonable and necessary maintenance of Common Areas, utilities, cables, wires and other similar facilities.
- Drainage. A non-exclusive easement shall exist in favor of Developer, Association, and their designees, and any applicable water management district, state agency, county agency and/or federal agency having jurisdiction over, across and upon Preston Square for drainage, irrigation and water management purposes. A non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress and access exists as shown on the Plat for such parties in order to construct, maintain, inspect, record data on, monitor, test, or repair, as necessary, any water management areas, conservation areas, mitigation areas, irrigation systems and facilities thereon and appurtenances thereto. No structure, landscaping, or other material shall be placed or be permitted to remain which may damage or interfere with the drainage or irrigation of Preston Square and/or installation or maintenance of utilities or which may obstruct or retard the flow of water through Preston Square and/or water management areas and facilities or otherwise interfere with any drainage, irrigation and/or easement provided for in this Section or the use rights set forth elsewhere in this Declaration.
- 16.10 <u>Easements</u>. A non-exclusive easement shall exist in favor of Developer and its respective designees, invitees, guests, agents, employees, and members over and upon the Common Areas and portions of Preston Square necessary for ingress, egress, and access to the Common Areas for construction purposes.
- 16.11 Blanket Easement in favor of Association. Association is hereby granted an easement over all of Preston Square, including all Homes and Lots, for the purposes of (a) constructing, maintaining, replacing and operating all Common Areas, including, but not limited to, lakes, perimeter walls and fences and (b) performing any obligation of an Owner for which Association intends to impose an Individual Assessment.
- 16.12 <u>Duration</u>. All easements created herein or pursuant to the provisions hereof shall be perpetual unless stated to the contrary.

Assessments.

- 17.1 Types of Assessments. Each Owner and Builder, by acceptance of a deed or instrument of conveyance for the acquisition of title in any manner (whether or not so expressed in the deed), including any purchaser at a judicial sale, shall hereafter be deemed to have covenanted and agreed to pay to Association at the time and in the manner required by the Board, assessments or charges and any special assessments as are fixed, established and collected from time to time by Association (collectively, the "Assessments"). All Owners and Builders shall pay Assessments. Each Builder shall pay such portion of Operating Costs which benefits any Lot owned by such Builder, as determined by Developer, in Developer's sole discretion. By way of example, and not of limitation, Developer may require that each Builder pay some portion of Assessments on a Lot owned by a Builder which does not contain a Home. As vacant Lots owned by Builders may not receive Telecommunication Services, Builders shall not be required to pay for the same.
- 17.2 <u>Purpose of Assessments</u>. The Assessments levied by Association shall be used for, among other things, the purpose of promoting the recreation, health, safety, and welfare of the residents of Preston Square, and in particular for the improvement and maintenance of the Common Areas and any easement in favor of Association, including but not limited to the following categories of Assessments as and when levied and deemed payable by the Roard:
- 17.2.1 Any monthly, quarterly or annual assessment or charge for the purpose of operating Association and accomplishing any and all of its purposes, as determined in accordance herewith, including, without

limitation, payment of Operating Costs and collection of amounts necessary to pay any deficits from prior years' operation (hereinafter "Installment Assessments");

- 17.2.2 Any special assessments for capital improvements, major repairs, emergencies the repair or replacement of the Surface Water Management System, or nonrecurring expenses (hereinafter "Special Assessments");
- 17.2.3 Any specific fees, dues or charges to be paid by Owners for any special services provided to or for the benefit of an Owner or Home, for any special or personal use of the Common Areas, or to reimburse Association for the expenses incurred in connection with that service or use (hereinafter "Use Fees"); and
- 17.2.4 Assessments of any kind for the creation of reasonable reserves for any of the aforesaid purposes. At such time as there are improvements in any Common Areas for which Association has a responsibility to maintain, repair, and replace, the Board may, but shall have no obligation to, include a "Reserve for Replacement" in the Installment Assessments in order to establish and maintain an adequate reserve fund for the periodic maintenance, repair and replacement of improvements comprising a portion of the Common Area (hereinafter "Reserves"). Assessments pursuant to this Section shall be payable in such manner and at such times as determined by Association, and may be payable in installments extending beyond the fiscal year in which the Reserves are approved. Until the Community Completion Date, Reserves shall be subject to the prior written approval of Developer, which may be withheld for any reason.
- Assessments for which one or more Owners (but less than all Owners) within Preston Square is subject ("Individual Assessments") such as costs of special services provided to a Home or Owner or cost relating to enforcement of the provisions of this Declaration as it relates to a particular Owner or Home. By way of example, and not of limitation, all of the Owners within a Plat may be subject to Individual Assessments for maintenance, repair and/or replacement of facilities serving only the residents of such Plat. Further, in the event an Owner fails to maintain the exterior of his Home (other than those portions of a Home maintained by Association) in a manner satisfactory to Association, Association shall have the right, through its agents and employees, to enter upon the Home and to repair, restore, and maintain the Home as required by this Declaration. The cost thereof, plus the reasonable administrative expenses of Association, shall be an Individual Assessment. The lien for an Individual Assessment may be foreclosed in the same manner as any other Assessment. As a further example, if one or more Owners receive optional Telecommunications Services such as Toll Calls, Cable Services and/or Data Transmission Services, and Association pays a Telecommunications Provider for such services, then the cost of such services shall be an Individual Assessment as to each Owner receiving such services. Further, in the event that Association decides it is in the best interest of Preston Square that Association perform any other obligation of an Owner under this Declaration, the cost of performing such obligation shall be an Individual Assessment. The lien for an Individual Assessment may be foreclosed in the same manner as any other Assessment.
- 17.3 <u>Designation</u>. The designation of Assessment type shall be made by Association. Prior to the Community Completion Date, any such designation must be approved by Developer. Such designation may be made on the budget prepared by Association. The designation shall be binding upon all Owners.

17.4 Allocation of Operating Costs.

- 17.4.1 For the period until the adoption of the first annual budget, the allocation of Operating Costs shall be as set forth in the initial budget prepared by Developer.
- 17.4.2 Commencing on the first day of the period covered by the annual budget, and until the adoption of the next annual budget, the Installment Assessments shall be allocated so that each Owner shall pay his pro rata portion of Installment Assessments, Special Assessments, and Reserves based upon a fraction, the numerator of which is one (1) and the denominator of which is the total number of Homes in Preston Square conveyed to Owners or any greater number determined by Developer from time to time. Developer, in its sole and absolute discretion may change such denominator from time to time. Under no circumstances will the denominator be less than the number of Homes owned by Owners other than Developer. Notwithstanding the foregoing, it is anticipated, but not guaranteed, that Owners of Townhomes will be required to pay additional Operating Cots for services exclusive to such Townhomes and/or Townhome Buildings.
- 17.4.3 In the event the Operating Costs as estimated in the budget for a particular fiscal year are, after the actual Operating Costs for that period is known, less than the actual costs, then the difference shall, at the election of Association: (i) be added to the calculation of Installment Assessments, as applicable, for the next ensuing fiscal year; or (ii) be immediately collected from the Owners as a Special Assessment. Association shall have the unequivocal right to specially assess Owners retroactively on January 1st of any year for any shortfall in Installment Assessments, which Special Assessment shall relate back to the date that the Installment Assessments could have been made. No vote of the Owners shall be required for such Special Assessment (or for any other Assessment) except to the extent specifically provided herein.
- 17.4.4 Each Owner agrees that so long as it does not pay more than the required amount it shall have no grounds upon which to object to either the method of payment or non-payment by other Owners of any sums due.
- 17.5 <u>General Assessments Allocation</u>. Except as hereinafter specified to the contrary, Installment Assessments, Special Assessments and Reserves shall be allocated equally to each Owner except that it is anticipated, but not guaranteed, that Owners of Townhomes will be required to pay additional Operating Cots for services exclusive to such Townhomes and/or Townhome Buildings.

- 17.6 <u>Individual Assessment.</u> Except as hereinafter specified to the contrary, Individual Assessments shall be made against the Owners benefiting from, or subject to the special service or cost as specified by Association.
- 17.7 <u>Commencement of First Assessment</u>. Assessments shall commence as to each Owner on the day of the conveyance of title of a Home to an Owner. The applicable portion of Assessments shall commence as to each Builder on the day of the conveyance of title of a Lot to the Builder.
- Deficit Funding, Shortfalls and Surpluses. Each Owner acknowledges that because Installment Assessments, Special Assessments, and Reserves are allocated based on the formula provided herein, or upon the number of Homes conveyed to Owners on or prior to September 30 of the prior fiscal year, it is possible that Association may collect more or less than the amount budgeted for Operating Costs. Any time (and from time to time) prior to and including the Turnover Date, Developer shall have the option ("Developer's Option") to either: (i) fund all or any portion of the shortfall in Installment Assessments not raised by virtue of all income received by Association pursuant to Section 17.8.1of the Declaration or (ii) to pay Installment Assessments on Homes or Lots owned by Developer. If Developer has cumulatively overfunded Operating Costs and/or prepaid expenses of Association which have not been reimbursed to Developer prior to and including the Turnover Date, Association shall refund such amounts to Developer on or prior to and including the Turnover Date or as soon as possible thereafter (e.g. once the amount is finally determined). Developer shall never be required to (i) pay Installment Assessments if Developer has elected to fund the deficit instead of paying Installment Assessments on Homes or Lots owned by Developer, or (ii) pay Special Assessments, management fees or Reserves. Any surplus Assessments collected by Association may be (i) allocated towards the next year's Operating Costs, (ii) used to fund Reserves, whether or not budgeted, (iii) retained by Association, and/or (iv) used for any other purpose, in Association's sole and absolute discretion, to the creation of Reserves, whether or not budgeted. Under no circumstances shall Association be required to pay surplus Assessments to Owners.
- 17.8.1 Without limiting Developer's Option under Section 17.8 of the Declaration, Developer shall be excused from the payment of the share of the Monthly Assessments relating to Homes it is offering for sale, for a period beginning with the recording of this Declaration and ending the earlier of the Turnover Date of December 31 of the year in which the Declaration is recorded (the "Guarantee Expiration Date"), provided that the Monthly Assessments for Operating Costs equally imposed on each Owner other than Developer shall not increase during such period over \$1,000.00 and provided further that Developer shall be obligated to pay any amount of Operating Costs actually incurred during such period and not produced by the Monthly Assessments at the guaranteed level receivable from Owners. The period that Developer is excused from the payment of the share of Monthly Assessments relating to Homes it is offering for sale may be unilaterally extended by Developer for one or more successive periods of three months each.
- 17.8.2 If an audit of the Association's financial records, performed for the period which includes the Guarantee Expiration Date (including any extensions thereof), reveals that Developer has funded a greater amount than required under this Section, then any such excess shall be promptly refunded to the Developer by Association.
- 17.9 <u>Budgets</u>. The initial budget prepared by Developer is adopted as the budget for the period of operation until adoption of the first annual Association Budget. Thereafter, annual budgets shall be prepared and adopted by Association. To the extent Association has commenced or will commence operations prior to the date this Declaration is recorded or the first Home is closed, the Operating Costs may vary in one or more respects from that set forth in the initial Budget. A Builder shall pay Assessments as per the Budget for each Lot owned by such Builder commencing from the date the Builder obtained title to such Lot. Developer shall fund entirely all Operating Costs not covered by Builders' Assessments until the month prior to the closing of the first Home. Thereafter, Assessments shall be payable by each Owner and Builder as provided in this Declaration. THE INITIAL BUDGET OF ASSOCIATION IS PROJECTED (NOT BASED ON HISTORICAL OPERATING FIGURES). THEREFORE, IT IS POSSIBLE THAT ACTUAL ASSESSMENTS MAY BE LESSER OR GREATER THAN PROJECTED.
- 17.10 <u>Establishment of Assessments</u>. Assessments shall be established in accordance with the following procedures:
- 17.10.1 Installment Assessments shall be established by the adoption of a twelve (12) month operating budget by the Board. The budget shall be in the form required by Section 720.303(6) of the Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time. Written notice of the amount and date of commencement thereof shall be given to each Owner not less than ten (10) days in advance of the due date of the first installment thereof. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the budget may cover a period of less than twelve (12) months if the first budget is adopted mid-year or in order to change the fiscal year of Association.
- 17.10.2 Special Assessments and Individual Assessments against the Owners may be established by Association, from time to time, and shall be payable at such time or time(s) as determined. Until the Community Completion Date, no Special Assessment shall be imposed without the consent of Developer.
- 17.11 <u>Initial Contribution</u>. The first purchaser of each Lot, Home or Parcel, at the time of closing of the conveyance from Developer to the purchaser, shall pay to Developer an initial contribution in the amount of three (3) months Assessments (the "<u>Initial Contribution</u>"). The funds derived from the Initial Contributions shall be used at the discretion of Developer for any purpose, including but not limited to, future and existing capital improvements, operating expenses, support costs and start-up costs. Developer may waive this requirement for

some Lots and Homes, if the first purchaser is a Builder, and the Builder becomes unconditionally obligated to collect and pay the Initial Contribution upon the subsequent sale of each Lot and Home to an end purchaser.

- 17.12 <u>Assessment Estoppel Certificates.</u> No Owner shall sell or convey its interest in a Home unless all sums due to Association have been paid in full and an estoppel certificate in recordable form shall have been received by such Owner. Association shall prepare and maintain a ledger noting Assessments due from each Owner. The ledger shall be kept in the office of Association, or its designees, and shall be open to inspection by any Owner. Within ten (10) days of a written request therefore, there shall be furnished to an Owner an estoppel certificate in writing setting forth whether the Assessments have been paid and/or the amount which is due as of any date. As to parties other than Owners who, without knowledge of error, rely on the certificate, the certificate shall be revidence of the amount of any Assessment therein stated. The Owner requesting the estoppel certificate shall be required to pay Association a reasonable sum to cover the costs of examining records and preparing such estoppel certificate. Each Owner waives its rights (if any) to an accounting related to Operating Costs or Assessments.
- 17.13 Payment of Home Real Estate Taxes. Each Owner shall pay all taxes and obligations relating to its Home which, if not paid, could become a lien against the Home which is superior to the lien for Assessments created by this Declaration.
- 17.14 Creation of the Lien and Personal Obligation. Each Owner, by acceptance of a deed or instrument of conveyance for the acquisition of title to a Home, shall be deemed to have covenanted and agreed that the Assessments, and/or other charges and fees set forth herein, together with interest, late fees, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels of proceedings including appeals, collections and bankruptcy, shall be a charge and continuing lien in favor of Association encumbering the Home and all personal property located thereon owned by the Owner against whom each such Assessment is made. The lien is effective from and after recording a Claim of Lien in the Public Records stating the legal description of the Home, name of the Owner, and the amounts due as of that date, but shall relate back to the date that the Declaration was recorded. The Claim of Lien shall also cover any additional amounts which accrue thereafter until satisfied. Each Assessment, together with interest, late fees, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels including appeals, collections and bankruptcy, and other costs and expenses provided for herein, shall be the personal obligation of the person who was the Owner of the Home at the time when the Assessment became due, as well as the Owner's heirs, devisees, personal representatives, successors or assigns.
- 17.15 Subordination of the Lien to Mortgages. The lien for Assessments shall be subordinate to a bona fide first mortgage held by a Lender on any Home, if the mortgage is recorded in the Public Records prior to the claim of lien as further provided in this Section. The lien for Assessments shall be a lien superior to all other liens save and except tax liens and mortgage liens, provided such mortgage liens are first liens against the property encumbered thereby, subject only to tax liens, and secure indebtedness which is amortized in monthly or quarterannual payments over a period of not less than ten (10) years. The lien for Assessments shall not be affected by any sale or transfer of a Home. Any such unpaid Assessments not paid by an acquirer of title may, without any obligation of Association to do so, be reallocated and assessed to all Owners (including such acquirer of title) as a part of Operating Costs included within Installment Assessments. Any sale or transfer pursuant to a foreclosure (or by deed in lieu of foreclosure or otherwise) shall not relieve the Owner from liability for, nor the Home from the lien of, any Assessments made prior to such sale or thereafter. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as releasing the party liable for any delinquent Assessments from the payment thereof, or the enforcement of collection by means other than foreclosure. A Lender shall give written notice to Association if the mortgage held by such Lender is in default. Association shall have the right, but not the obligation, to cure such default within the time periods applicable to Owner. In the event Association makes such payment on behalf of an Owner, Association shall, in addition to all other rights reserved herein, be subrogated to all of the rights of the Lender. All amounts advanced on behalf of an Owner pursuant to this Section shall be added to Assessments payable by such Owner with appropriate
- 17.16 <u>Acceleration</u>. In the event of a default in the payment of any Assessment, Association may accelerate the Assessments then due for up to the next ensuing twelve (12) month period.
- 17.17 Non-Payment of Assessments. If any Assessment is not paid within fifteen (15) days (or such other period of time established by the Board) after the due date, a late fee of \$25.00 per month (or such greater amount established by the Board), together with interest in an amount equal to the maximum rate allowable by law (or such lesser rate established by the Board), per annum, beginning from the due date until paid in full, may be levied. The late fee shall compensate Association for administrative costs, loss of use of money, and accounting expenses. Association may, at any time thereafter, bring an action at law against the Owner personally obligated to pay the same, and/or foreclose the lien against the Home, or both. Association shall not be required to bring such an action if it believes that the best interests of Association would not be served by doing so. There shall be added to the Assessment all costs expended in preserving the priority of the lien and all costs and expenses of collection, including attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees, at all levels of proceedings, including appeals, collection and bankruptey. No Owner may waive or otherwise escape liability for Assessments provided for herein by non-use of, or the waiver of the right to use the Common Areas or by abandonment of a Home.
- 17.18 Exemption. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, Developer shall not be responsible for any Assessments of any nature or any portion of the Operating Costs. Each entity comprising Developer, at such entity's sole option, may pay Assessments on Homes and Lots owned by it, or fund the deficit, if any, as set forth in Section 17.8 herein, resulting from the failure of Lots and/or Homes to pay Assessments. Deficits shall be allocated among the entities comprising Developer on a pro rata basis based on Lots. In addition, the Board shall have the right to exempt any portion of Preston Square subject to this Declaration from the Assessments, provided that such part of Preston Square exempted is used (and as long as it is used) for any of the following purposes:

- 17.18.1 Any easement or other interest therein dedicated and accepted by the local public authority and devoted to public use;
 - 17.18.2 Any real property interest held by a Telecommunications Provider;
- 17.18.3 Any of Preston Square exempted from ad valorem taxation by the laws of the State of Florida or exempted from Assessments by other provisions of this Declaration;
- 17.19 <u>Collection by Developer</u>. If for any reason Association shall fail or be unable to levy or collect Assessments, then in that event, Developer shall at all times have the right, but not the obligation: (i) to advance such sums as a loan to Association to bear interest and to be repaid as hereinafter set forth; and/or (ii) to levy and collect such Assessments by using the remedies available as set forth above, which remedies; including, but not limited to, recovery of attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels including appeals, collections and bankruptcy, shall be deemed assigned to Developer for such purposes. If Developer advances sums, it shall be entitled to immediate reimbursement, on demand, from Association for such amounts so paid, plus interest thereon at the Wall Street Journal Prime Rate plus two percent (2%), plus any costs of collection including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels including appeals, collections and bankruptcy.
- 17.20 <u>Association Right to Allocate Portion of Operating Costs.</u> Association shall have the right to allocate and charge to Townhome Owners any portion of the Operating Costs that may be attributable solely to Townhome Buildings. By way of example, and not of limitation, Association is required to repaint Townhome Buildings and maintain Townhome Yards and such costs shall only be assessed as part of the Operating Costs for Townhome Owners.
- 17.21 Rights to Pay Assessments and Receive Reimbursement. Association, Developer and any Lender of a Home shall have the right, but not the obligation, jointly and severally, and at their sole option, to pay any Assessments or other charges which are in default and which may or have become a lien or charge against any Home. If so paid, the party paying the same shall be subrogated to the enforcement rights of Association with regard to the amounts due.
- 17.22 Mortgagee Right. Each Lender may request in writing that Association notify such Lender of any default of the Owner of the Home subject to the Lender's Mortgage under the Association Documents which default is not cured within thirty (30) days after Association learns of such default. A failure by Association to furnish notice to any Lender shall not result in liability of Association because such notice is given as a courtesy to a Lender and the furnishing of such notice is not an obligation of Association to Lender.

18. <u>Information to Lenders and Owners</u>.

- 18.1 Availability. There shall be available for inspections upon request, during normal business hours or under other reasonable circumstances, to Owners and Lenders current copies of the Association Documents.
- 18.2 <u>Copying</u>. Any Owner and/or Lender shall be entitled, upon written request, and at its cost, to a copy of the documents referred to above.
- 18.3 Notice. Upon written request by a Lender (identifying the name and address of the Lender and the name and address of the applicable Owner), the Lender will be entitled to timely written notice of:
- 18.3.1 Any condemnation loss or casualty loss which affects a material portion of a Home to the extent Association is notified of the same;
- 18.3.2 Any delinquency in the payment of Assessments owed by an Owner of a Home subject to a first mortgage held by the Lender, which remains uncured for a period of sixty (60) days;
- 18.3.3 Any lapse, cancellation, or material modification of any insurance policy or fidelity bond maintained hereunder;
- 18.3.4 Any proposed action (if any) which would require the consent of a specific mortgage holder.
- 19. <u>Architectural Control</u>. In addition to the requirements set forth in the Horizons West Zoning Guidelines, the following provisions govern Preston Square:
- 19.1 Architectural Control Committee. The ACC shall be a permanent committee of Association and shall administer and perform the architectural and landscape review and control functions relating to Preston Square. The ACC shall consist of a minimum of three (3) members who shall initially be named by Developer and who shall hold office at the pleasure of Developer. The ACC shall have the right to form subcommittees to review ACC applications. The ACC shall oversee such subcommittees and shall take precedence over any decision made by such subcommittees. Until the Community Completion Date, Developer shall have the right to change the number of members on the ACC, and to appoint, remove, and replace all members of the ACC. Developer shall determine which members of the ACC shall serve as its chairman and co-chairman. In the event of the failure, refusal, or inability to act of any of the members appointed by Developer, Developer shall have the right to replace any member within thirty (30) days of such occurrence. If Developer fails to replace that member, the remaining members of the ACC shall fill the vacancy by appointment. From and after the Community Completion Date, the

Board shall have the same rights as Developer with respect to the ACC. The ACC shall enforce the Master Community Standards.

- 19.2 <u>Membership</u>. There is no requirement that any member of the ACC be an Owner or a member of Association.
- 19.3 General Plan. It is the intent of this Declaration to create a general plan and scheme of development of Preston Square. Accordingly, the ACC shall have the right to approve or disapprove all architectural, landscaping, and improvements within Preston Square by Owners other than Developer. The ACC shall have the right to evaluate all plans and specifications as to harmony of exterior design, landscaping, location of any proposed improvements, relationship to surrounding structures, topography and conformity with such other reasonable requirements as shall be adopted by ACC. The ACC may impose standards for construction and development which may be greater or more stringent than standards prescribed in applicable building, zoning, or other local governmental codes. Prior to the Community Completion Date, any additional standards or modification of existing standards shall require the consent of Developer, which may be granted or denied in its sole discretion.
- 19.4 Community Plan. Developer has established an overall Community Plan. However, notwithstanding the above, or any other document, brochures or plans, Developer reserves the right to modify the Community Plan or any site plan at any time as it deems desirable in its sole discretion and in accordance with applicable laws and ordinances. WITHOUT LIMITING THE FOREGOING, DEVELOPER MAY PRESENT TO THE PUBLIC OR TO OWNERS RENDERINGS, PLANS, MODELS, GRAPHICS, TOPOGRAPHICAL TABLES, SALES BROCHURES, OR OTHER PAPERS RESPECTING PRESTON SQUARE. SUCH RENDERINGS, PLANS, MODELS, GRAPHICS, TOPOGRAPHICAL TABLES, SALES BROCHURES, OR OTHER PAPERS ARE NOT A GUARANTEE OF HOW PRESTON SQUARE WILL APPEAR UPON COMPLETION AND DEVELOPER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE ANY AND ALL OF THE FOREGOING AT ANY TIME AS DEVELOPER DEEMS NECESSARY IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION.
- 19.5 <u>Community Standards</u>. Each Owner and its contractors and employees shall observe, and comply with, the Community Standards which now or may hereafter be promulgated by the ACC and approved by the Board of Association from time to time. The Community Standards shall be effective from the date of adoption; shall be specifically enforceable by injunction or otherwise; and shall have the effect of covenants as set forth herein verbatim. The Community Standards shall not require any Owner to alter the improvements previously constructed. Until the Community Completion Date, Developer shall have the right to approve the Community Standards, which approval, may be granted in its sole discretion.
- 19.6 Quorum. A majority of the ACC shall constitute a quorum to transact business at any meeting. The action of a majority present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall constitute the action of the ACC. In lieu of a meeting, the ACC may act in writing.
- 19.7 <u>Power and Duties of the ACC.</u> No improvements shall be constructed on any portion of Preston Square, no exterior of a Home shall be repainted, no landscaping, sign, or improvements erected, removed, planted, or maintained on any portion of Preston Square, nor shall any material addition to or any change, replacement, or alteration of the improvements as originally constructed by Developer (visible from the exterior of the Home) be made until the plans and specifications showing the nature, kind, shape, height, materials, floor plans, color scheme, and the location of same shall have been submitted to and approved in writing by the ACC.
 - 19.8 Procedure. In order to obtain the approval of the ACC, each Owner shall observe the following:
- improvement or material change in an improvement, together with the required application(s) and other fee(s) as established by the ACC. The applications shall include such information as may be required by the application form adopted by the ACC. The ACC may also require submission of samples of building materials and colors proposed to be used. At the time of such submissions, the Owner shall, if requested, submit to the ACC, such site plans, plans and specifications for the proposed improvement, prepared and stamped by a registered Florida architect or residential designer, and landscaping and irrigation plans, prepared by a registered landscape architect or designer showing all existing trees and major vegetation stands and surface water drainage plan showing existing and proposed design grades, contours relating to the predetermined ground floor finish elevation, pool plans and specifications and the times scheduled for completion, all as reasonably specified by the ACC.
- 19.8.2 In the event the information submitted to the ACC is, in the ACC's opinion, incomplete or insufficient in any manner, the ACC may request and require the submission of additional or supplemental information. The Owner shall, within fifteen (15) days thereafter, comply with the request.
- 19.8.3 No later than forty-five (45) days after receipt of all information required by the ACC for final review, the ACC shall approve or deny the application in writing. The ACC shall have the right to refuse to approve any plans and specifications which are not suitable or desirable, in the ACC's sole discretion, for aesthetic or any other reasons or to impose qualifications and conditions thereon. In approving or disapproving such plans and specifications, the ACC shall consider the suitability of the proposed improvements, the materials of which the improvements are to be built, the site upon which the improvements are proposed to be erected, the harmony thereof with the surrounding area and the effect thereof on adjacent or neighboring property. In the event the ACC fails to respond within such forty-five (45) day period, the plans and specifications shall be deemed disapproved by the ACC.

- 19.8.4 Construction of all improvements shall be completed within the time period set forth in the application and approved by the ACC.
- 19.8.5 In the event that the ACC disapproves any plans and specifications, the applicant may request a rehearing by the ACC for additional review of the disapproved plans and specifications. The meeting shall take place no later than forty-five (45) days after written request for such meeting is received by the ACC, unless Owner waives this time requirement in writing. The ACC shall make a final written decision no later than forty-five (45) days after such meeting. In the event the ACC fails to provide such written decision within such forty-five (45) days, the plans and specifications shall be deemed disapproved.
- 19.8.6 Upon disapproval (even if the members of the Board and ACC are the same), the applicant may appeal the decision of the ACC to the Board within forty-five (45) days of the ACC's written review and disapproval. Review by the Board shall take place no later than forty-five (45) days subsequent to the receipt by the Board of the Owner's request therefore. If the Board fails to hold such a meeting within forty-five (45) days after receipt of request for such meeting, then the plans and specifications shall be deemed disapproved. The Board shall make a final decision no later than sixty (60) days after such meeting. In the event the Board fails to provide such written decision within such sixty (60) days after such meeting, such plans and specifications shall be deemed disapproved. The decision of the ACC, or if appealed, the Board of Association, shall be final and binding upon the Owner, his/her heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns.
- 19.9 <u>Alterations</u>. Any and all alterations, deletions, additions and changes of any type or nature whatsoever to then existing improvements or the plans or specifications previously approved by the ACC shall be subject to the approval of the ACC in the same manner as required for approval of original plans and specifications.
- 19.10 <u>Variances</u>. Association or ACC shall have the power to grant variances from any requirements set forth in this Declaration or from the Community Standards, on a case by case basis, provided that the variance sought is reasonable and results from a hardship upon the Owner. The granting of a variance shall not nullify or otherwise affect the right to require strict compliance with the requirements set forth herein or in the Community Standards on any other occasion.
- 19.11 <u>Permits</u>. The Owner is solely responsible to obtain all required building and other permits from all governmental authorities having jurisdiction.
- 19.12 <u>Construction by Owners</u>. The following provisions govern construction activities by Owners after consent of the ACC has been obtained:
- 19.12.1 Each Owner shall deliver to the ACC, if requested, copies of all construction and building permits as and when received by the Owner. Each construction site in Preston Square shall be maintained in a neat and orderly condition throughout construction. Construction activities shall be performed on a diligent, workmanlike and continuous basis. Roadways, easements, swales, Common Areas and other such areas in Preston Square shall be kept clear of construction vehicles, construction materials and debris at all times. No construction office or trailer shall be kept in Preston Square and no construction materials shall be stored in Preston Square subject, however, to such conditions and requirements as may be promulgated by the ACC. All refuse and debris shall be removed or deposited in a dumpster on a daily basis. No materials shall be deposited or permitted to be deposited in any canal or waterway or Common Areas or other Homes in Preston Square or be placed anywhere outside of the Home upon which the construction is taking place. No hazardous waste or toxic materials shall be stored, handled and used, including, without limitation, gasoline and petroleum products, except in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local statutes, regulations and ordinances, and shall not be deposited in any manner on, in or within the construction or adjacent property or waterways. All construction activities shall comply with the Community Standards. If a contractor or Owner shall fail to comply in any regard with the requirements of this Section, the ACC may require that such Owner or contractor post security with Association in such form and such amount deemed appropriate by the ACC in its sole discretion.
- 19.12.2 There shall be provided to the ACC, if requested, a list (name, address, telephone number and identity of contact person), of all contractors, subcontractors, materialmen and suppliers (collectively, "Contractors") and changes to the list as they occur relating to construction. Each Builder and all of its employees and Contractors and their employees shall utilize those roadways and entrances into Preston Square as are designated by the ACC for construction activities. The ACC shall have the right to require that each Builder's and Contractor's employees check in at the designated construction entrances and to refuse entrance to persons and parties whose names are not registered with the ACC.
- 19.12.3 Each Owner is responsible for insuring compliance with all terms and conditions of these provisions and of the Community Standards by all of its employees and Contractors. In the event of any violation of any such terms or conditions by any employee or Contractor, or, in the opinion of the ACC, the continued refusal of any employee or Contractor to comply with such terms and conditions, after five (5) days' notice and right to cure, the ACC shall have, in addition to the other rights hereunder, the right to prohibit the violating employee or Contractor from performing any further services in Preston Square.
- 19.12.4 The ACC may, from time to time, adopt standards governing the performance or conduct of Owners, Contractors and their respective employees within Preston Square. Each Owner and Contractor shall comply with such standards and cause its respective employees to also comply with same. The ACC may also promulgate requirements to be inserted in all contracts relating to construction within Preston Square and each Owner shall include the same therein.

- 19.13 Inspection. There is specifically reserved to Association and ACC and to any agent or member of either of them, the right of entry and inspection upon any portion of Preston Square at any time within reasonable daytime hours, for the purpose of determination whether there exists any violation of the terms of any approval or the terms of this Declaration or the Community Standards.
- Violation. Without limiting any other provision herein, if any improvement shall be constructed or altered without prior written approval, or in a manner which fails to conform with the approval granted, the Owner shall, upon demand of Association or the ACC, cause such improvement to be removed, or restored until approval is obtained or in order to comply with the plans and specifications originally approved. The Owner shall be liable for the payment of all costs of removal or restoration, including all costs and attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees, pre-trial and at all levels of proceedings, including appeals, incurred by Association or ACC. The costs shall be deemed an Individual Assessment and enforceable pursuant to the provisions of this Declaration. The ACC and/or Association are specifically empowered to enforce the architectural and landscaping provisions of this Declaration and the Community Standards, by any legal or equitable remedy.
- 19.15 Court Costs. In the event that it becomes necessary to resort to litigation to determine the propriety of any constructed improvement or to cause the removal of any unapproved improvement, Association and/or ACC shall be entitled to recover court costs, expenses and attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees, pre-trial and at all levels of proceedings, including appeals, in connection therewith.
- 19.16 Certificate. In the event that any Owner fails to comply with the provisions contained herein, the Community Standards, or other rules and regulations promulgated by the ACC, Association and/or ACC may, in addition to all other remedies contained herein, record a certificate of non-compliance against the Home stating that the improvements on the Home fail to meet the requirements of this Declaration and that the Home is subject to further enforcement remedies.
- Certificate of Compliance. If requested by an Owner, prior to the occupancy of any improvement 19.17 constructed or erected on any Home by other than Developer, or its designees, the Owner thereof shall obtain a certificate of compliance from the ACC, certifying that the Owner has complied with the requirements set forth herein. The ACC may, from time to time, delegate to a member or members of the ACC, the responsibility for issuing the certificate of compliance. The issuance of a certificate of compliance does not abrogate the ACC's rights set forth in Section 19.13 herein.
- 19.18 Exemption. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, or in the Community Standards, any improvements of any nature made or to be made by Developer, Builder or their nominees, including, without limitation, improvements made or to be made to the Common Areas or any Home, shall not be subject to the review of the ACC, Association, or the provisions of the Community Standards.
- 19.19 Exculpation. Developer, Association, the directors or officers of Association, the ACC, the members of the ACC, or any person acting on behalf of any of them, shall not be liable for any cost or damages incurred by any Owner or any other party whatsoever, due to any mistakes in judgment, negligence, or any action of Developer, Association, ACC or their members, officers, or directors, in connection with the approval or disapproval of plans and specifications. Each Owner agrees, individually and on behalf of his/her heirs, devisees, legal and personal representatives, successors and assigns, by acquiring title to a Home, that it shall not bring any action or suit against Developer, Association or their respective directors or officers, the ACC or the members of the ACC. or their respective agents, in order to recover any damages caused by the actions of Developer, Association, or ACC or their respective members, officers, or directors in connection with the provisions of this Section. Association does hereby indemnify, defend and hold Developer and the ACC, and each of their members, officers, and directors harmless from all costs, expenses, and liabilities, including attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees, pre-trial and at all levels of proceedings, including appeals, of all nature resulting by virtue of the acts of the Owners, Association, ACC or their members, officers and directors. Developer, Association, its directors or officers, the ACC or its members, or any person acting on behalf of any of them, shall not be responsible for any defects in any plans or specifications or the failure of same to comply with applicable laws or code nor for any defects in any improvements constructed pursuant thereto. Bach party submitting plans and specifications for approval shall be solely responsible for the sufficiency thereof and for the quality of construction performed pursuant thereto.

20. Owners Liability.

- Right to Cure. Should any Owner do any of the following: 20.1
- Fail to perform its responsibilities as set forth herein or otherwise breach the provisions of the Declaration including, without limitation, any provision herein benefiting SFWMD; or
 - Cause any damage to any improvement or Common Areas; or 20.1.2
- Impede Developer or Association from exercising its rights or performing its 201.3 responsibilities hereunder; or
- Undertake unauthorized improvements or modifications to a Home and/or the Common 20.1.4 Areas; or
- Impede Developer from proceeding with or completing the development of Preston 20.1.5 Square, as the case may be;

then Developer and/or Association, where applicable, after reasonable prior written notice, shall have the right, through its agents and employees, to cure the breach, including, but not limited to, the entering upon the Home and causing the default to be remedied and/or the required repairs or maintenance to be performed, or as the case may be, remove unauthorized improvements or modifications. The cost thereof, plus reasonable overhead costs and attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels including appeals, collections and bankruptcy, incurred shall be assessed against the Owner as an Individual Assessment.

- 20.2 <u>Non-Monetary Defaults</u>. In the event of a violation by any Owner, other than the nonpayment of any Assessment or other monies, of any of the provisions of this Declaration, Developer or Association shall notify the Owner of the violation, by written notice. If such violation is not cured as soon as practicable and in any event within seven (7) days after such written notice, the party entitled to enforce same may, at its option:
- 20.2.1 Commence an action to enforce the performance on the part of the Owner or to enjoin the violation or breach or for equitable relief as may be necessary under the circumstances, including injunctive relief, and/or
 - 20.2.2 Commence an action to recover damages; and/or
 - 20.2.3 Take any and all action reasonably necessary to correct the violation or breach.

All expenses incurred in connection with the violation or breach, or the commencement of any action against any Owner, including reasonable attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels including appeals, collections and bankruptcy, shall be assessed against the Owner, as an Individual Assessment, and shall be immediately due and payable without further notice.

- 20.3 No Waiver. The failure to enforce any right, provision, covenant or condition in this Declaration, shall not constitute a waiver of the right to enforce such right, provision, covenant or condition in the future.
- 20.4 <u>Rights Cumulative</u>. All rights, remedies, and privileges granted to Developer and/or Association pursuant to any terms, provisions, covenants or conditions of this Declaration, shall be deemed to be cumulative, and the exercise of any one or more shall neither be deemed to constitute an election of remedies, nor shall it preclude any of them from pursuing such additional remedies, rights or privileges as may be granted or as it might have by
- 20.5 <u>Enforcement By or Against Other Persons.</u> In addition to the foregoing, this Declaration may be enforced by Developer and/or, where applicable, Owners or Association by any procedure at law or in equity against any person violating or attempting to violate any provision herein, to restrain such violation, to require compliance with the provisions contained herein, to recover damages, or to enforce any lien created herein. The expense of any litigation to enforce this Declaration shall be borne by the person against whom enforcement is sought, provided such proceeding results in a finding that such person was in violation of this Declaration.
- 20.6 Fines. Association may suspend, for reasonable periods of time, the rights of an Owner or an Owner's tenants, guests and invitees, or both, to use the Common Areas and may levy reasonable fines, not to exceed the maximum amounts permitted by Section 720.305(2) of the Florida Statutes, against an Owner, tenant, guest or invitee, for failure to comply with any provision of this Declaration including, without limitation, those provisions benefiting the SFWMD.
- 20.6.1 A fine may be levied on the basis of each day of a continuing violation, with a single notice and opportunity for hearing. Fines in the aggregate are not capped to any amount.
- 20.6.2 A fine or suspension may not be imposed without notice of at least fourteen (14) days to the person sought to be fined or suspended and an opportunity for a hearing before a committee of at least three (3) persons (the "Violations Committee") appointed by the Board who are not officers, directors or employees of Association, or the spouse, parent, child, brother, sister of an officer, director or employee. If the Violations Committee does not by a majority vote approve a fine or suspension the same may not be imposed. The written notice of violation shall be in writing to the Owner, tenant, guest or invitee and detail the infraction or infractions. Included in the notice shall be the date and time of the hearing of the Violations Committee.
- 20.6.3 The non-compliance shall be presented to the Violations Committee acting as a tribunal, after which the Violations Committee shall hear reasons why a fine should not be imposed. The hearing shall be conducted in accordance with the procedures adopted by the Violations Committee from time to time. A written decision of the Violations Committee shall be submitted to the Owner, tenant, guest or invitee, as applicable, by not later than twenty-one (21) days after the meeting of the Violations Committee. The Owner, tenant, guest or invitee shall have a right to be represented by counsel and to cross-examine witnesses.
- 20.6.4 The Violations Committee may impose Individual Assessments against the Owner in the amount of \$100 (or any greater amount permitted by law from time to time) for each violation. Each day of non-compliance shall be treated as a separate violation and there is no cap on the aggregate amount the Violations Committee may fine an Owner, tenant, guest or invitee. Individual Assessment fines shall be paid not later than five (5) days after notice of the imposition of the Individual Assessment. All monies received from fines shall be allocated as directed by the Board of Directors.

21. Additional Rights of Developer.

- 21.1 Sales and Administrative Offices. Developer shall have the perpetual right to take such action reasonably necessary to transact any business necessary to consummate the development of Preston Square and sales and re-sales of Homes and/or other properties owned by Developer or others outside of Preston Square. This right shall include, but not be limited to, the right to maintain models, sales offices and parking associated therewith, have signs on any portion of Preston Square, including Common Areas, employees in the models and offices without the payment of rent or any other fee, maintain offices in models and use of the Common Areas to show Homes. The sales office and signs and all items pertaining to development and sales remain the property of Developer. Developer shall have all of the foregoing rights without charge or expense. Without limiting any other provision of this Declaration, Developer may assign its rights hereunder to each Builder. The rights reserved hereunder shall extend beyond the Community Completion Date.
- 21.2 <u>Modification</u>. The development and marketing of Preston Square will continue as deemed appropriate in Developer's sole discretion, and nothing in this Declaration, or otherwise, shall be construed to limit or restrict such development and marketing. It may be necessary or convenient for the development of Preston Square to, as an example and not a limitation, amend a Plat, modify the boundary lines of the Common Areas, grant easements, dedications, agreements, licenses, restrictions, reservations, covenants, rights-of-way, and to take such other actions which Developer, or its agents, affiliates, or assignees may deem necessary or appropriate. Association and Owners shall, at the request of Developer, execute and deliver any and all documents and instruments which Developer deems necessary or convenient, in its sole and absolute discretion, to accomplish the
- 21.3 Promotional Events. Prior to the Community Completion Date, Developer shall have the right, at any time, to hold marketing, special and/or promotional events within Preston Square and/or on the Common Areas, without any charge for use. Developer, its agents, affiliates, or assignees shall have the right to market Preston Square and Homes in advertisements and other media by making reference to Preston Square, including, but not limited to, pictures or drawings of Preston Square, Common Areas, Lots, Parcels and Homes constructed in Preston Square. All logos, trademarks, and designs used in connection with Preston Square are the property of Developer, and Association shall have no right to use the same after the Community Completion Date except with the express written permission of Developer. Without limiting any other provision of this Declaration, Developer may assign its rights hereunder to each Builder.
- 21.4 <u>Use by Prospective Purchasers.</u> Prior to the Community Completion Date, Developer shall have the right, without charge, to use the Common Areas for the purpose of entertaining prospective purchasers of Homes, or other properties owned by Developer outside of Preston Square.
- 21.5 <u>Franchises.</u> Developer may grant franchises or concessions to commercial concerns on all or part of the Common Areas and shall be entitled to all income derived therefrom.
- 21.6 <u>Management.</u> Developer may manage the Common Areas by contract with Association. Developer may also contract with a third party ("<u>Manager</u>") for management of Association and the Common Areas. Each Owner acknowledges that Developer may receive lump sum or monthly compensation from any Manager in connection with the costs of services provided by such Manager. Such compensation may be paid on or per Home or other basis. All such compensation shall be the sole property of Developer, who shall have no duty to account for or disclose the amount of such compensation.
- Easements. Until the Community Completion Date, Developer reserves the exclusive right to grant, in its sole discretion, easements, permits and/or licenses for ingress and egress, drainage, utilities service, maintenance, Telecommunications Services and other purposes over, under, upon and across Preston Square so long as any such easements do not materially and adversely interfere with the intended use of Homes previously conveyed to Owners. By way of example, and not of limitation, Developer may be required to take certain action, or make additions or modifications to the Common Areas in connection with an environmental program. All easements necessary for such purposes are reserved in favor of Developer, in perpetuity, for such purposes. Without limiting the foregoing, Developer may relocate any easement affecting a Home, or grant new easements over a Home, after conveyance to an Owner, without the joinder or consent of such Owner, so long as the grant of easement or relocation of easement does not materially and adversely affect the Owner's use of the Home as a residence. As an illustration, Developer may grant as easement for utilities, Telecommunications Systems, irrigation, drainage lines or electrical lines over any portion of a Parcel so long as such easement is outside the footprint of the foundation of any residential improvement constructed on such Parcel. Developer shall have the sole right to any fees of any nature associated therewith, including, but not limited to, license or similar fees on account thereof. Association and Owners will, without charge, if requested by Developer: (a) join in the creation of such easements, etc. and cooperate in the operation thereof, and (b) collect and remit fees associated therewith, if any, to the appropriate party. Association will not grant any easements, permits or licenses to any other entity providing the same services as those granted by Developer, nor will it grant any such easement, permit or license prior to the Community Completion Date without the prior written consent of Developer which may be granted or denied in its sole discretion.
- 21.8 Right to Enforce. Developer has the right, but not the obligation, to enforce the provisions of this Declaration and to recover all costs relating thereto, including attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels of proceeding, including appeals, collections and bankruptcy. Such right shall include the right to perform the obligations of Association and to recover all costs incurred in doing so.

- Additional Development. If Developer withdraws portions of Preston Square from the operation of this Declaration, Developer may, but is not required to, subject to governmental approvals, create other forms of residential property ownership or other improvements of any nature on the property not subjected to or withdrawn from the operation of this Declaration. Developer shall not be liable or responsible to any person or entity on account of its decision to do so or to provide, or fail to provide, the amenities and/or facilities which were originally planned to be included in such areas. If so designated by Developer, owners or tenants of such other forms of housing or improvements upon their creation, may share in the use of all or some of the Common Areas and other facilities and/or roadways which remain subject to this Declaration. The expense of the operation of such facilities shall be allocated to the various users thereof, if at all, as determined by Developer.
- 21.10 <u>Representations</u>. Developer makes no representations concerning development both within and outside the boundaries of Preston Square including, but not limited to, the number, design, boundaries, configuration and arrangements, prices of all Parcels or Homes and buildings in all other proposed forms of ownership and/or other improvements on Preston Square or adjacent to or near Preston Square, including, but not limited to, the size, location, configuration, elevations, design, building materials, height, view, airspace, number of homes, number of buildings, location of easements, parking and landscaped areas, services and amenities offered.

21.11 Telecommunications Services.

- 21.11.1 Right to Contract for Telecommunications Services. Association shall have the right, but not the obligation, to enter into one or more contracts for the provision of one or more Telecommunications Services for all or any part of Preston Square. Prior to the Community Completion Date, all contracts between a Telecommunications Provider and Association, shall be subject to the prior written approval of Developer. Developer and/or its nominees, successors, assigns, affiliates, and licensees may contract with Association and act as a Telecommunications Provider for one or more Telecommunications Services, subject only to the requirements of all applicable laws, statutes, and regulations. If Developer is not the Telecommunications Provider for any particular Telecommunications Service, Developer shall have the right to receive, on a perpetual basis, all or a portion of access fees and/or the revenues derived from such Telecommunications Service within Preston Square as agreed, from time to time, between the Telecommunications Provider and Developer.
- 21.11.2 Easements. Developer (i) reserves unto itself and its nominees, successors, assigns, affiliates, and licensees, and (ii) grants to each Telecommunications Provider that has entered into an agreement with Association respecting Telecommunications Services and/or Telecommunications Systems a perpetual right, privilege, easement and right-of-way across, over, under and upon Preston Square for the installation, construction and maintenance of Telecommunications Systems together with a perpetual right, privilege and easement of ingress and egress, access, over and upon Preston Square for installing, constructing, inspecting, maintaining, altering, moving, improving and replacing facilities and equipment constituting such Telecommunications Systems. If, and to the extent, Telecommunications Services provided by such Telecommunications Providers are to serve all of Preston Square, then the amounts payable to such Telecommunications Providers under their written agreements with Association shall be part of Operating Costs of Association and shall be assessed as a part of the Assessments.
- 21.11.3 Restoration. Upon the completion of any installation, upgrade, maintenance, repair, or removal of the Telecommunications Systems or any part thereof, each Telecommunications Provider shall restore the relevant portion of the Common Areas and/or any Home to as good a condition as that which existed prior to such installation, maintenance, repair or removal. Failure by Telecommunications Provider to commence such restoration within twenty (20) days after receiving written notice from Association of such failure or the Telecommunications Provider's failure to complete such restoration within ninety (90) days of commencement shall vest in Association the right (but not the obligation) to restore or cause to be restored such portion of the Common Areas and/or Home disturbed by such work, all at such Telecommunications Provider's sole cost and expense, except for in emergency situations whereby Association may restore or cause to be restored such disturbed portion of the Common Areas and/or Home immediately. In the event that Association exercises the right of self-help, each Telecommunications Provider agrees in advance that Association shall have the sole right to (i) select the contractors to perform such work and (ii) determine the extent of required restoration. This remedy of self-help is in addition to all other remedies of Association hereunder. All reasonable expenses incurred by Association in connection with such restoration shall be paid by Telecommunications Provider within twenty (20) days of completion of restoration and delivery to Telecommunications Provider of Association's invoice therefor. Any expenses not so paid when due shall bear interest from the due date at the lesser of (i) the publicly announced prime rate (or similar successor reference rate) of Wachovia National Bank or its successor on the date of such invoice, or (ii) the maximum rate of interest allowed by the law of the State of Florida for such obligations, or as provided in an agreement between Association and a Telecommunications Provider.
- 21.11.4 Operating Costs. Each Owner understands that the expense of any Telecommunications Service may not be charged on a bulk basis, but may be charged at the rate equal to any rate paid by individual home owners that are not subject to a homeowners association in County. Each Owner acknowledges that Developer may receive lump sum or monthly compensation from any Telecommunications Provider in connection with the supply of Telecommunications Services. Such compensation may be paid on a per Home or other basis. All such compensation shall be the sole property of Developer, who shall have no duty to account for or disclose the amount of such compensation.
- 21.12 <u>Non-Liability</u>. NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE CONTRARY IN THE ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS, ASSOCIATION SHALL NOT BE LIABLE OR RESPONSIBLE FOR, OR IN ANY MANNER A GUARANTOR OR INSURER OF, THE HEALTH, SAFETY OR WELFARE OF ANY OWNER, OCCUPANT OR USER OF ANY PORTION OF PRESTON SQUARE INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, RESIDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES, GUESTS, LESSEES, LICENSEES, INVITEES, AGENTS,

SERVANTS, CONTRACTORS, AND/OR SUBCONTRACTORS OR FOR ANY PROPERTY OF ANY SUCH PERSONS. WITHOUT LIMITING THE GENERALITY OF THE FOREGOING:

- 21.12.1 IT IS THE EXPRESS INTENT OF ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS THAT THE VARIOUS PROVISIONS THEREOF WHICH ARE ENFORCEABLE BY ASSOCIATION AND WHICH GOVERN OR REGULATE THE USES OF PRESTON SQUARE HAVE BEEN WRITTEN, AND ARE TO BE INTERPRETED AND ENFORCED, FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE OF ENHANCING AND MAINTAINING THE ENJOYMENT OF PRESTON SQUARE AND THE VALUE THEREOF; AND
- 21.12.2 ASSOCIATION IS NOT EMPOWERED, AND HAS NOT BEEN CREATED, TO ACT AS AN AGENCY WHICH ENFORCES OR ENSURES THE COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA AND/OR ORANGE COUNTY OR PREVENTS TORTIOUS ACTIVITIES; AND
- 21.12.3 THE PROVISIONS OF ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS SETTING FORTH THE USES OF ASSESSMENTS WHICH RELATE TO HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE SHALL BE INTERPRETED AND APPLIED ONLY AS LIMITATIONS ON THE USES OF ASSESSMENT FUNDS AND NOT AS CREATING A DUTY OF ASSOCIATION TO PROTECT OR FURTHER THE HEALTH, SAFETY, OR WELFARE OF ANY PERSON(S), EVEN IF ASSESSMENT FUNDS ARE CHOSEN TO BE USED FOR ANY SUCH REASON.

EACH OWNER (BY VIRTUE OF HIS ACCEPTANCE OF TITLE TO A HOME) AND EACH OTHER PERSON HAVING AN INTEREST IN OR LIEN UPON, OR MAKING A USE OF, ANY PORTION OF PRESTON SQUARE (BY VIRTUE OF ACCEPTING SUCH INTEREST OR LIEN OR MAKING SUCH USE) SHALL BE BOUND BY THIS SECTION AND SHALL BE DEEMED TO HAVE AUTOMATICALLY WAIVED ANY AND ALL RIGHTS, CLAIMS, DEMANDS AND CAUSES OF ACTION AGAINST ASSOCIATION ARISING FROM OR CONNECTED WITH ANY MATTER FOR WHICH THE LIABILITY OF ASSOCIATION HAS BEEN DISCLAIMED IN THIS SECTION OR OTHERWISE. AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "ASSOCIATION" SHALL INCLUDE WITHIN ITS MEANING ALL OF ASSOCIATION'S DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, COMMITTEE AND BOARD MEMBERS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, CONTRACTORS (INCLUDING MANAGEMENT COMPANIES, SUBCONTRACTORS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS).

- 21.13 Resolution of Disputes. BY ACCEPTANCE OF A DEED, EACH OWNER AGREES THAT THE ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS ARE VERY COMPLEX; THEREFORE, ANY CLAIM, DEMAND, ACTION, OR CAUSE OF ACTION, WITH RESPECT TO ANY ACTION, PROCEEDING, CLAIM, COUNTERCLAIM, OR CROSS CLAIM, WHETHER IN CONTRACT AND/OR IN TORT (REGARDLESS IF THE TORT ACTION IS PRESENTLY RECOGNIZED OR NOT), BASED ON, ARISING OUT OF, IN CONNECTION WITH OR IN ANY WAY RELATED TO ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING ANY CONNECTION WITH OR IN ANY WAY RELATED TO ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING ANY CONNECTION WITH OR IN ANY WAY RELATED TO ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING ANY CONNECTION WITH OR IN ANY WAY RELATED TO ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING ANY CONNECTION WITH OR IN ANY WAY RELATED TO ASSOCIATION DECEMBER OF A DEVALOR OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PRO COURSE OF CONDUCT, COURSE OF DEALING, VERBAL OR WRITTEN STATEMENT, VALIDATION, PROTECTION, ENFORCEMENT ACTION OR OMISSION OF ANY PARTY SHOULD BE HEARD IN A COURT PROCEEDING BY A JUDGE AND NOT A JURY IN ORDER TO BEST SERVE JUSTICE. DEVELOPER HEREBY SUGGESTS THAT EACH OWNER UNDERSTAND THE LEGAL CONSEQUENCES OF ACCEPTING A DEED TO A HOME.
- Venue. EACH OWNER ACKNOWLEDGES REGARDLESS OF WHERE SUCH OWNER (i) EXECUTED A PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT, (ii) RESIDES, (iii) OBTAINS FINANCING OR (iv) CLOSED ON A HOME, THIS DECLARATION LEGALLY AND FACTUALLY WAS EXECUTED IN ORANGE COUNTY. DEVELOPER HAS AN OFFICE IN ORANGE COUNTY AND EACH HOME IS LOCATED IN ORANGE COUNTY. ACCORDINGLY, AN IRREBUTTABLE PRESUMPTION EXISTS THAT THE ONLY APPROPRIATE VENUE FOR THE RESOLUTION OF ANY DISPUTE LIES IN ORANGE COUNTY. IN ADDITION TO THE FOREGOING, EACH OWNER AND DEVELOPER AGREES THAT THE VENUE FOR RESOLUTION OF ANY DISPUTE LIES IN ORANGE COUNTY.
- 21.15 <u>Reliance</u>. BEFORE ACCEPTING A DEED TO A HOME, EACH OWNER HAS AN OBLIGATION TO RETAIN AN ATTORNEY IN ORDER TO CONFIRM THE VALIDITY OF THIS DECLARATION. BY ACCEPTANCE OF A DEED TO A HOME, EACH OWNER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT HE HAS SOUGHT AND RECEIVED SUCH AN OPINION OR HAS MADE AN AFFIRMATIVE DECISION NOT TO SEEK SUCH AN OPINION. DEVELOPER IS RELYING ON EACH OWNER CONFIRMING IN ADVANCE OF ACQUIRING A HOME THAT THIS DECLARATION IS VALID, FAIR AND ENFORCEABLE. SUCH RELIANCE IS DETRIMENTAL TO DEVELOPER. ACCORDINGLY, AN ESTOPPEL AND WAIVER EXISTS PROHIBITING EACH OWNER FROM TAKING THE POSITION THAT ANY PROVISION OF THIS EXISTS PROHIBITING EACH OWNER FROM TAKING THE PUSITION THAT ANY PROVISION OF THIS DECLARATION IS INVALID IN ANY RESPECT. AS A FURTHER MATERIAL INDUCEMENT FOR DEVELOPER TO SUBJECT PRESTON SQUARE TO THIS DECLARATION, EACH OWNER DOES HEREBY RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE, COVENANT NOT TO SUE, ACQUIT, SATISFY AND FOREVER DISCHARGE DEVELOPER, ITS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, AND AGENTS AND ITS AFFILIATES AND ASSIGNS FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, COUNTERCLAIMS, DEFENSES, ACTIONS, CAUSES OF ACTION, SUITS, CONTROVERSIES, AGREEMENTS, PROMISES AND DEMANDS WHATERDEVER IN LAW OF IN LOUTE WHICH AN OWNER MAY HAVE IN THE RITTIER OR WHICH WHATSOEVER IN LAW OR IN EQUITY WHICH AN OWNER MAY HAVE IN THE FUTURE, OR WHICH ANY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE, SUCCESSOR, HEIR OR ASSIGN OF OWNER HEREAFTER CAN, SHALL OR MAY HAVE AGAINST DEVELOPER, ITS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, AND AGENTS, AND ITS AFFILIATES AND ASSIGNS, FOR, UPON OR BY REASON OF ANY MATTER, CAUSE OR THING WHATSOEVER RESPECTING THIS DECLARATION, OR THE EXHIBITS HERETO. THIS RELEASE AND WAIVER IS INTENDED TO BE AS BROAD AND INCLUSIVE AS PERMITTED BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

- Refund of Taxes and Other Charges. Unless otherwise provided herein, Association agrees that any taxes, fees or other charges paid by Developer to any governmental authority, utility company or any other entity which at a later date are refunded in whole or in part, shall be returned to Developer in the event such refund is received by
- Selling. Leasing and Mortgaging of Hornes. In order to maintain complementary uses, congenial neighbors and to protect the value of Homes, the transfer of title to or possession of Homes by any Owner shall be subject to the following provisions so long as Association exists, which provisions each Owner covenants to observe:

Transfers Subject to Approval.

- Sale. No Owner may dispose of a Home or any interest therein by sale without approval of Association.
- Lease. No Owner may transfer possession of a Home or any interest therein by lease for any period without approval of Association. The renewal of any lease, including any lease previously approved by Association under this Section 23, shall be re-submitted for approval by Association. No Owner may transfer possession of a Home or any interest therein by lease for any period until such Owner is current in payment of all assessments due to Association under the terms of this Declaration, and Association shall have the right to withhold approval of any lease until such time as the Owner is current in payment of such Assessments.
- Gift. If any Owner proposes to transfer a Home by gift, the proposed transfer shall be subject to the approval of Association.
- Approval by Association. To obtain approval of Association which is required for the transfer of Homes, each Owner shall comply with the following requirements:

23.2.1 Notice to Association.

- 23.2.1.1 Sale. An Owner intending to make a bona fide sale of his or her Home, or any interest therein, shall give to Association a transfer fee (in an amount determined by the Board and permitted by Florida Statutes) and notice pursuant to a form approved by Association of such intentions, together with the name and address of the intended purchaser and such other information concerning the intended purchaser as Association may reasonably require. Such notice, at the Owner's option, may include a demand by the Owner that Association furnish a new purchaser if the proposed purchaser is not approved; and if such demand is made, the notice shall be accompanied by an executed copy of the proposed contract for sale.
- 23.2.1.2 Lease. An Owner intending to make a bona fide lease of his or her Home or any interest therein shall give to Association a transfer fee (in an amount determined by the Board and permitted by Florida Statutes) and notice pursuant to a form approved by Association of such intention, together with the name and address of the intended lessee, such other information concerning the intended lessee as Association may reasonably require, and an executed copy of the proposed lease, which lease shall provide that it is subject to approval by Association.
- 23.2.1.3 Gift. An Owner who proposes to transfer his or her title by gift shall give to Association a transfer fee (in an amount determined by the Board and permitted by Florida Statutes) and notice pursuant to a form approved by Association of the proposed transfer of his or her title, together with such information concerning the transferee as Association may reasonably require, and a copy of all instruments to be used in transferring title.
- 23.2.1.4 Failure to Give Notice. If the notice to Association herein required is not given, then at any time after receiving knowledge of a transaction or event transferring ownership or possession of a Home, Association at its discretion and without notice may approve or disapprove the lease, sale or transfer. If Association disapproves the transaction or ownership, Association shall proceed as if it had received the required
- 23.2.1.5 Effect and Manner of Notice. The giving of notice shall constitute a representation and warranty by the offeror to Association and any purchaser produced by the Board that the offering is a bona fide offer in all respects. The notice shall be given by certified mail, return receipt requested, or delivered by professional courier or by hand-delivery to Association which shall give a receipt therefor.

23.2.2 Certificate of Approval.

- 23.2.2.1 Sale. If the proposed transaction is a sale, then, within thirty (30) days after receipt of such notice and information, Association must either approve or disapprove the proposed transaction. If approved, the approval shall be stated in a certificate executed by the proper officers of Association in recordable form and shall be delivered to the purchaser and may be recorded in the Public Records of County (the "Public Records").
- 23.2.2.2 Lease. If the proposed transaction is a lease then, within thirty (30) days after receipt of such notice and information, Association must either approve or disapprove the proposed transaction. If approved, the approval shall be stated in a certificate executed by the proper officers of Association and shall be delivered to the lessee.

- 23.2.2.3 Devise or Inheritance. Any person who has obtained a Home by devise or inheritance (except for the spouse, parents or children of the immediately previous Owner of such Home) shall give to Association notice thereof together with such information concerning the person(s) obtaining such Home as may be reasonably required by the Board and a certified copy of the instrument by which such Home was obtained. If such notice is not given to Association, then at any time after receiving knowledge thereof, the Board shall proceed in accordance with Section 26.2.4 as if it had been given such notice on the date of receipt of such knowledge. Within thirty (30) days after receipt of such notice and information, Association must either approve or disapprove the proposed transfer. If approved, the approval shall be stated in a certificate executed by the proper officers of Association in recordable form and shall be delivered to the person receiving title by devise or inheritance.
- 23.2.2.4 Gift. If the Owner giving notice proposes to transfer his or her title by gift, then, within thirty (30) days after receipt of such notice and information, Association must either approve or disapprove the proposed transfer of title to the Home. If approved, the approval shall be upon such terms and conditions as Association may reasonably require, and the approval shall be stated in a certificate executed by the proper officers of Association in recordable form and shall be delivered to the Owner and shall be recorded in the Public Records.
- 23.2.3 Approval of Owner Other Than an Individual. Inasmuch as the Home may be used only for residential purposes, and a corporation, trust or other entity cannot occupy a Home for such use, if the Owner or purchaser of a Home is a corporation, trust or other entity, the approval of ownership by the corporation, trust or other entity shall be conditioned upon the primary occupant or the beneficial owners of the entity being approved by Association. Any change in such primary occupant or beneficial owners of the Home shall be deemed a change of ownership subject to Association approval pursuant to this Section.
- 23.3 <u>Disapproval by Association</u>. Although an Owner complies with the foregoing requirements, Association may disapprove of the transfer. If Association disapproves a transfer or ownership of a Home, the matter shall be disposed of in the following manner:
- 23.3.1 <u>Sale</u>. If the proposed transaction is a sale and if the notice of sale given by the Owner shall so demand, then, within thirty (30) days after receipt of such notice and information by Association, Association shall deliver by professional courier or hand-delivery, or mail by certified mail, to the Owner an agreement to purchase by Association, or a purchaser approved by Association who will purchase and to whom the Owner must sell the Home, upon the following terms:
- 23.3.1.1 The price to be paid by the purchaser, to be identified in the agreement, shall be that stated in the disapproved contract to sell.
 - 23.3.1.2 The purchase price shall be paid by official check or federal wire.
- 23.3.1.3 The sale shall be closed within ninety (90) days after the delivery or mailing of the agreement to purchase to the Owner and shall be upon terms no less favorable than the terms of the disapproved contract.
- 23.3.1.4 If Association fails to provide a purchaser upon the demand of the Owner in the manner provided, or if a purchaser furnished by Association shall default in his or her agreement to purchase, the proposed transaction shall be deemed to have been approved and Association shall furnish a certificate of approval as provided in this Section 23.
- 23.3.2 <u>Lease</u>. In the event the Board disapproves of a transfer of possession of a Home by lease, then the Owner may not lease the Home to the intended lessee for whom the Owner sought approval.
- transfer of title by gift, devise or inheritance, the Board shall advise in writing within such thirty (30) day period, the person who has obtained such title of a purchaser approved by the Board to purchase the respective Home at its fair market value. The fair market value of the Home will be determined by any one of the following methods determined by the Board: (i) by three (3) M.A.I. appraisers, one of whom shall be selected by the Association's proposed purchaser, one by the person holding title, and one by the two (2) appraisers so selected; or (ii) by mutual agreement by the Association's proposed purchaser and the person holding title. All costs for such appraisal shall be paid by the Association's proposed purchaser. The purchase price shall be paid by federal wire or official check and the sale closed within thirty (30) days after the determination of the purchase price. Simultaneously upon notification to the person holding title that the Board has a purchaser for the respective Home, the person holding title and such purchaser shall execute a contract providing for the acquisition of such Home in accordance with the terms of this Declaration. In the event the purchaser furnished by Association shall default in his or her obligation to purchase such Home, then the Board shall be required to approve the passage of title to the person then holding title thereof and shall issue and deliver a certificate of approval therefor.
- 23.4 <u>Exceptions</u>. The foregoing provisions of this Section shall not apply to a transfer or purchase by a Lender or other approved mortgagee which acquires its title as the result of owning a mortgage upon the Home concerned, and this shall be so whether the title is acquired by deed from the mortgagor or its successor in title or through foreclosure proceedings; nor shall such provisions apply to a transfer, sale or lease by a Lender or other approved mortgagee which so acquires its title. Neither shall such provisions require the approval of a purchaser who acquires the title to a Home at a duly advertised public sale with open bidding which is provided by law including, but not limited to, an execution sale, foreclosure sale, judicial sale or tax sale. The provisions of this Section shall not apply to Developer.

Unauthorized Transactions. Any sale, transfer mortgage or lease which is not authorized pursuant 23.5 to the terms of this Declaration shall be void unless subsequently approved by Association.

Notice of Lien or Suit.

- Notice of Lien. An Owner shall give notice to Association of every lien upon his or 23.6.1 her Home other than for permitted mortgages, taxes and special assessments within five (5) days after the attaching of such lien.
- Notice of Suit. An Owner shall give notice to Association of every suit or other 23.6.2 proceeding which may affect the title to his or her Home; such notice is to be given within five (5) days after the Owner receives knowledge thereof.
- Failure to Comply. Failure to comply with this Section will not affect the validity of 23.6.3 any judicial sale.
- Assignment of Powers. All or any part of the rights, exemptions and powers and reservations of Developer herein contained may be conveyed or assigned in whole or part to other persons or entities by an instrument in writing duly executed, acknowledged, and, at Developer's option, recorded in the Public Records.

25. General Provisions

- Authority of Board. Except when a vote of the membership of Association is specifically required, all decisions, duties, and obligations of Association hereunder may be made by the Board. Association and Owners shall be bound thereby.
- Severability. Invalidation of any of the provisions of this Declaration by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any other provision, and the remainder of this Declaration shall remain in full force and effect.
- Execution of Documents. Developer's plan of development for the Property including, without limitation, the creation of one (1) or more special taxing districts and/or municipal service benefit units may necessitate from time to time the execution of certain documents as required by governmental agencies. To the extent that such documents require the joinder of Owners other than Developer, Developer, by its duly authorized officers, may, as the agent or the attorney-in-fact for the Owners, execute, acknowledge and deliver such documents (including, without limitation, any consents or other documents required by any governmental agencies in connection with the creation of any special taxing district and/or municipal service benefit unit); and the Owners, by virtue of their acceptance of deeds, irrevocably nominate, constitute and appoint Developer, through its duly authorized officers, as their proper and legal attorneys-in-fact, for such purpose. Such appointment is coupled with an interest and is therefore irrevocable. Any such documents executed pursuant to this Section may recite that it is made pursuant to this Section. Notwithstanding the foregoing, each Owner agrees, by its acceptance of a deed to a Home or any other portion of Preston Square, to execute or otherwise join in any petition and/or other documents required in connection with the creation of any special taxing district and/or municipal service benefit unit relating to Preston Square or any portion(s) thereof.
- Notices. Any notice required to be sent to any person, firm, or entity under the provisions of this Declaration shall be deemed to have been properly sent when mailed, postpaid, to the last known address at the time of such mailing.
- 25.5 <u>Florida Statutes</u>. Whenever this Declaration refers to the Florida Statutes, it shall be deemed to refer to the Florida Statutes as they exist on the date this Declaration is recorded except to the extent provided otherwise as to any particular provision of the Florida Statutes.
- Construction Activities. ALL OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND USERS OF PRESTON SQUARE ARE HEREBY PLACED ON NOTICE THAT (1) DEVELOPER AND ITS AGENTS, CONTRACTORS, SUBCONTRACTORS, LICENSEES AND OTHER DESIGNEES AND/OR (2) ANY OTHER PARTIES WILL BE, FROM TIME TO TIME, CONDUCTING CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES, BLASTING, EXCAVATION, CONSTRUCTION AND OTHER ACTIVITIES WITHIN OR IN PROXIMITY TO PRESTON SQUARE. BY THE ACCEPTANCE OF THEIR DEED OR OTHER CONVEYANCE OR MORTGAGE, LEASEHOLD, LICENSE OR OTHER INTEREST, AND BY USING ANY PORTION OF PRESTON SQUARE, EACH SUCH OWNER, OCCUPANT AND USER AUTOMATICALLY ACKNOWLEDGES, STIPULATES AND AGREES (i) THAT NONE OF THE AFORESAID ACTIVITIES SHALL BE DEEMED NUISANCES OR NOXIOUS OR OFFENSIVE ACTIVITIES, HEREUNDER OR AT LAW GENERALLY, (ii) NOT TO ENTER UPON, OR ALLOW THEIR CHILDREN OR OTHER PERSONS UNDER THEIR CONTROL OR DIRECTION TO ENTER UPON (REGARDLESS OF WHETHER SUCH ENTRY IS A TRESPASS OR OTHERWISE) ANY PROPERTY WITHIN OR IN PROXIMITY TO PRESTON SQUARE WHERE SUCH ACTIVITY IS BEING CONDUCTED WITHIN OR IN PROXIMITY TO PRESTON SQUARE WHERE SUCH ACTIVITY IS BEING CONDUCTED (EVEN IF NOT BEING ACTIVELY CONDUCTED AT THE TIME OF ENTRY, SUCH AS AT NIGHT OR OTHERWISE DURING NON-WORKING HOURS), (iii) DEVELOPER AND THE OTHER AFORESAID RELATED PARTIES SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR ANY AND ALL LOSSES, DAMAGES (COMPENSATORY, CONSEQUENTIAL, PUNITIVE OR OTHERWISE), INJURIES OR DEATHS ARISING FROM OR RELATING TO THE AFORESAID ACTIVITIES, EXCEPT RESULTING DIRECTLY FROM DEVELOPER'S GROSS NEGLIGENCE OR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT, AND (iv) ANY PURCHASE OR USE OF ANY PORTION OF PRESTON SQUARE HAS BEEN AND WILL BE MADE WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE OF THE FOREGOING.

- 25.7 <u>Title Documents</u>. Each Owner by acceptance of a deed to a Home acknowledges that such Home is subject to certain land use and title documents and all amendments thereto, recorded in the Public Records (collectively, the "<u>Title Documents</u>").
- 25.7.1 Pay-As-You-Go Agreement for Overstreet PD recorded June 23, 2006 in Official Records Book 8716, at Page 2059 of the Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
- 25.7.2 Restrictions, reservations, conditions, limitations, and easements, as contained in the Plat, to be recorded.

Developer's plan of development for Preston Square may necessitate from time to time the further amendment, modification and/or termination of the Title Documents. DEVELOPER RESERVES THE UNCONDITIONAL RIGHT TO SEEK AMENDMENTS AND MODIFICATIONS OF THE TITLE DOCUMENTS. It is possible that a governmental subdivision or agency may require the execution of one or more documents in connection with an amendment, modification, and/or termination of the Title Documents. To the extent that such documents require the joinder of Owners other than Developer, Developer, by any one of its duly authorized officers, may, as the agent and/or the attorney-in-fact for the Owners, execute, acknowledge and deliver any documents required by applicable governmental subdivision or agency; and the Owners, by virtue of their acceptance of deeds, irrevocably nominate, constitute and appoint Developer, through any one of its duly authorized officers, as their proper and legal attorney-in-fact for such purpose. This appointment is coupled with an interest and is therefore irrevocable. Any such documents executed pursuant to this Section may recite that it is made pursuant to this Section. Notwithstanding the foregoing, each Owner agrees, by its acceptance of a deed to a Home:

(i) to execute or otherwise join in any documents required in connection with the amendment, modification, or termination of the Title Documents, and (ii) that such Owner has waived its right to object to or comment the form or substance of any amendment, modification, or termination of the Title Documents. Without limiting the foregoing, upon the Community Completion Date Association shall assume all of the obligations of Developer under the Title Documents unless otherwise provided by Developer by amendment to this Declaration recorded by Developer in the Public Records, from time to time, and in the sole and absolute discretion of Developer.

	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned	d Developer has hereunto set their hands and seals this 2187
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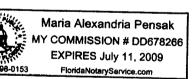
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JOINDER

PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. ("Association") does hereby join in the Declaration for Preston Square (the "Declaration") to which this Joinder is attached, and the terms thereof are and shall be binding upon the undersigned and its successors in title. Association acknowledges that this Joinder is for convenience purposes only and does not apply to the effectiveness of the Declaration, as Association has no right to approve the Declaration.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Joinder on this 2007. WITNESSES: PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida not for profit corporation SA Peodo Title: [SEAL] STATE OF FLORIDA SS.: COUNTY OF BROWARD The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 218 day of Dalburg 2007 by STEPHEN MARSOLIA, as President of PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida not for profit corporation, who is personally known to me or who has produced as identification, on behalf of the corporation. My commission expires: Juny 11, 2009 State of Florida at Large Print Name MARVA AL



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LEGAL DESCRIPTION

THE SOUTH 1/2 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 (LESS THE WEST 105 FEET AND LESS THE NORTH 30 FEET) LYING WEST OF COUNTY ROAD 535 IN SECTION 25, TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST, ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCE AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 25, THENCE SOUTH 00° 12' 05" EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 25, DISTANCE OF 1334.40 FEET; THENCE LEAVING SAID WEST LINE OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 25, NORTH 88° 38' 20" EAST A DISTANCE OF 105.02 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 88° 38' 20" EAST A DISTANCE OF 1220.76 FEET TO THE WESTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY OF COUNTY ROAD 535; THENCE ALONG SAID WESTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY THE FOLLOWING SEVEN COURSES, SOUTH 05° 53' 28" WEST A DISTANCE OF 122.29 FEET A POINT OF CURVATURE OF A CURVE CONCAVE NORTHWESTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 1432.39 FEET, THENCE RUN SOUTHWESTERLY ALONG THE ARC OF SAID CURVE THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 128.48 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 19° 1/4' 50" WEST A DISTANCE OF 128.48 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 56° 53' 43" WEST A DISTANCE OF 99.18 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 22° 00' 17" WEST A DISTANCE OF 299.95 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 26° 34' 47" WEST A DISTANCE OF 100.32 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 28° 41' 46" WEST A DISTANCE OF 791.34'; THENCE NORTH 00° 12' 05" WEST A DISTANCE OF 1274.85 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

EXHIBIT 2 ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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AMENDED AND RESTATED
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

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AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

In compliance with the requirements of the laws of the State of Florida, the following are the Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation for Preston Square Homeowners Association, Inc. These Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation shall replace, in their entirety, those Articles of Incorporation for The Villages at Overstreet Master Homeowners' Association, Inc. previously filed on March 3, 2005, Document No. N05000002209.:

- Name. The name of the corporation shall be Preston Square Homeowners Association, Inc. (the "Association").
- Principal Office. The principal office of the Association is 825 Coral Ridge Drive, Coral Springs, Florida 33071.
- 3. Registered Office Registered Agent. The street address of the Registered Office of the Association is Solomon & Furshman, LLP, 1666 Kennedy Canseway, Suite 302, North Bay Village, Florida. The name of the Registered Agent of the Association is:

SOLOMON & FURSHMAN, LLP

- Definitions. A declaration entitled Declaration for Preston Square (the "Declaration") has been(or will be) recorded in the Public Records of Orange County, Florida, and shall govern all of the operations of the community to be known as Preston Square (the "Community"). All initially capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Declaration.
- Purpose. Association is formed to: (a) provide for ownership, operation, maintenance and preservation of the Common Areas, and improvements thereon; (b) perform the duties delegated to it in the Declaration; (c) administer the interests of Association and the Owners; (d) promote the health, safety and welfare of the Owners.
- Not-for-Profit. Association is a not-for-profit Florida corporation and does not contemplate pecuniary gain to, or profit for, its members.
- Powers and Duties. The powers of the Association shall include and be governed by the 7. following:
- To perform all the duties and obligations of Association set forth in the Declaration and By-Laws, as herein provided.
- To enforce, by legal action or otherwise, the provisions of the Declaration and By-Laws and of all rules, regulations, covenants, restrictions and agreements governing or binding Association and Preston Square.
- To fix, levy, collect and enforce payment, by any lawful means, of all Assessments pursuant to the terms of the Declaration, these Articles and By-Laws.
- To pay all Operating Costs, including, but not limited to, all licenses, taxes or governmental charges levied or imposed against the property of Association.
- 7.5. To acquire (by gift, purchase or otherwise), annex, own, hold, improve, build upon, operate, maintain, convey, grant rights and easements, sell, dedicate, lease, transfer or otherwise dispose of real or personal property (including the Common Areas) in connection with the functions of Association except as limited by the Declaration.
- To borrow money, and to mortgage, pledge or hypothecate any or all of its real or personal property as security for money or debts incurred.
- To dedicate, grant, license, lease, concession, create easements upon, sell or transfer all or any part of Preston Square to any public agency, entity, authority, utility or other

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person or entity for such purposes and subject to such conditions as it determines and as provided in the Declaration.

- 7.8. To participate in mergers and consolidations with other non-profit corporations organized for the same purposes.
- 7.9. To adopt, publish, promulgate or enforce rules, regulations, covenants, restrictions or agreements governing Association, Preston Square, the Common Areas, Parcels and Homes as provided in the Declaration and to effectuate all of the purposes for which Association is organized.
- 7.10. To have and to exercise any and all powers, rights and privileges which a not-for-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida may now, or hereafter, have or exercise.
- 7.11. To employ personnel and retain independent contractors to contract for management of Association, Preston Square, and the Common Areas as provided in the Declaration and to delegate in such contract all or any part of the powers and duties of Association.
- 7.12. To contract for services to be provided to, or for the benefit of, Association, Owners, the Common Areas, and Preston Square as provided in the Declaration, such as, but not limited to, Telecommunications Services, maintenance, garbage pick-up, and utility services.
 - 7.13. To establish committees and delegate certain of its functions to those committees.
 - 7.14. To sue and be sued.
 - 7.15. To contract with special taxing districts and/or MSBU's, if any, for any purpose.
- 7.16. The obligation to operate and maintain the Surface Water Management System within Preston Square (including, without limitation, all waterbodies, retention areas, culverts and related appurtenances, if any) in a manner consistent with the applicable SFWMD Permit requirements and applicable SFWMD rules, and to assist in the enforcement of the provisions contained in the Declaration which relate to the Surface Water Management System. The Association shall be responsible for assessing and collecting assessments for the operation, maintenance, and if necessary, repairs of the Surface Water Management System within Preston Square.

Owners and Membership.

- 8.1. <u>Membership</u>. The Members of the Association shall consist of all of the record owners of Homes in the Community from time to time.
- 8.2. <u>Assignment.</u> The share of a Home Owner in the funds and assets of the Association cannot be assigned, hypothecated or transferred in any manner except as an appurtenance to the Home for which that share is held. The funds and assets of the Association shall be expended, held or used only for the benefit of the Owners and for the purposes authorized herein, in the Declaration, and in the By-Laws.
- 8.3. Voting. On all matters upon which the Owners shall be entitled to vote, there shall be only one (1) vote for each Home, which vote shall be exercised or cast in the manner provided by the By-Laws. Any person or entity owning more than one (1) Home shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each Home owned.
- 8.4. Prior to Recordation of Declaration. Until such time as the real property comprising the Community, and the improvements now and/or to be constructed thereon, are submitted to the community form of ownership by recordation of the Declaration in the Public Records of Orange County, Florida, the membership of the Association (the "Membership") shall be comprised of the Directors of the Association, each of whom shall be entitled to cast a vote on all matters upon which the Membership would be entitled to vote.
- Term of Existence. The Association shall have perpetual existence.

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10. Directors.

- 10.1. Number and Qualification. The property, business and affairs of the Association shall be managed by a Board of Directors (the "Board") consisting initially of three (3) directors, but subject to change as provided by the By-Laws. Directors appointed or designated by the Developer need not be Owners of the Association or residents of Homes in the Community. All other directors must be Owners.
- 10.2. <u>Duties and Powers</u>. All of the duties and powers of the Association existing under the Declaration, these Articles, and the By-Laws shall be exercised exclusively by the Board, its agents, contractors and/or employees, subject only to approval by Owners when such approval is specifically required by the Declaration.
- 10.3. <u>Election: Removal.</u> Directors shall be appointed, elected, and removed as provided in the By-Laws.
- 10.4. <u>Current Directors</u>. The names and addresses of the members of the current Board who shall hold office until their successors are appointed and/or elected, are as follows:

NAME ADDRESS

Stephen Margolis 825 Coral Ridge Drive
Coral Strings Florida

Coral Springs, Florida 33071

Nicholas Gluckman 825 Coral Ridge Drive Coral Springs, Florida 33071

Michael Metzkes 825 Coral Ridge Drive
Coral Springs, Florida 33071

11. Officers. The affairs of the Association shall be administered by the officers holding the offices designated in the By-Laws. The officers shall be elected by the Board and shall serve at the pleasure of the Board. The names and addresses of the current officers who shall serve until their successors are designated by the Board are as follows:

PRESIDENT: Stephen Margolis

825 Coral Ridge Drive Coral Springs, Florida 33071

VICE PRESIDENT/SECRETARY: Nicholas Gluckman

825 Coral Ridge Drive Coral Springs, Florida 33071

TREASURER:

Michael Metzkes 825 Coral Ridge Drive Coral Springs, Florida 33071

12. Original Incorporator. The name and address of the Original Incorporator is as follows:

Daniel L. Roberts 105 E. Robinson Street, Suite 312 Orlando, Florida 32801

13. Indemnification.

13.1. <u>Indemnity</u>. The Association shall indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending, or contemplated action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative, or investigative, by reason of the fact that he is or was a director, employee, officer, or agent of the Association, against expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at trial and upon appeal), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit or proceedings, if he acted in good faith and in a manner he reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interest of the Association, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, has no reasonable cause to believe his conduct was unlawful.

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- 25.7 <u>Title Documents</u>. Each Owner by acceptance of a deed to a Home acknowledges that such Home is subject to certain land use and title documents and all amendments thereto, recorded in the Public Records (collectively, the "<u>Title Documents</u>").
- 25.7.1 Pay-As-You-Go Agreement for Overstreet PD recorded June 23, 2006 in Official Records Book 8716, at Page 2059 of the Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
- 25.7.2 Restrictions, reservations, conditions, limitations, and easements, as contained in the Plat, to be recorded.

Developer's plan of development for Preston Square may necessitate from time to time the further amendment, modification and/or termination of the Title Documents. DEVELOPER RESERVES THE UNCONDITIONAL RIGHT TO SEEK AMENDMENTS AND MODIFICATIONS OF THE TITLE DOCUMENTS. It is possible that a governmental subdivision or agency may require the execution of one or more documents in connection with an amendment, modification, and/or termination of the Title Documents. To the extent that such documents require the joinder of Owners other than Developer, Developer, by any one of its duly authorized officers, may, as the agent and/or the attorney-in-fact for the Owners, execute, acknowledge and deliver any documents required by applicable governmental subdivision or agency, and the Owners, by virtue of their acceptance of deeds, irrevocably nominate, constitute and appoint Developer, through any one of its duly authorized officers, as their proper and legal attorney-in-fact for such purpose. This appointment is coupled with an interest and is therefore irrevocable. Any such documents executed pursuant to this Section may recite that it is made pursuant to this Section. Notwithstanding the foregoing, each Owner agrees, by its acceptance of a deed to a Home: (i) to execute or otherwise join in any documents required in connection with the amendment, modification, or termination of the Title Documents; and (ii) that such Owner has waived its right to object to or comment the form or substance of any amendment, modification, or termination of the Title Documents. Without limiting the foregoing, upon the Community Completion Date Association shall assume all of the obligations of Developer under the Title Documents unless otherwise provided by Developer by amendment to this Declaration recorded by Developer in the Public Records, from time to time, and in the sole and absolute discretion of Developer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Developer has hereunto set their hands and seals this 215T day of DECEMBER 2007.

WITNESSES:

CENTERLINE HOMES TO RESTON SQUARE, LLC, a Florida limited liability company

Print Name: MARIA ALEXANDRIA (Engar By:

Name: Lacisa Rabics

STATE OF FLORIDA

SS.:

THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT was acknowledged before me this 215 day of DECEMBER 2007, by CRAIS PERRY, as PRESIDENT of CENTERLINE HOMES AT PRESTON SQUARE, LLC, a Florida limited liability company. Such individual is personally known to me or has produced a driver's license as identification.

My commission expires: LLY 11, 2009

WITNESSES:

CENTERLINE HOMES TO RESTON SQUARE, LLC, a Florida limited liability company. Such individual is personally known to me or has produced a driver's license as identification.

My commission expires: LLY 11, 2009

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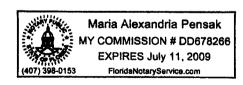
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My commission expires: LLY 11, 2009

NOTIARY PUBLIC, State of Florida at Large

Print Name: MARIA ALEXANDRIA PENSAR

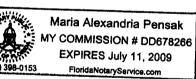


JOINDER

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Joinder on this 2007. WITNESSES: PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION. INC., a Florida not for profit corporation STEPHEN Name: Title: (SEAL) STATE OF FLORIDA SS.: COUNTY OF BROWARD The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 218 day of DELEVER 2007 by STEPHEN MARACULE, as President of PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida not for profit corporation, who is personally known to me or who has produced as identification, on behalf of the corporation. My commission expires: July 11, 2009 State of Florida at Large Print Name MANZIA A1



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- 13.2. Limitations on Indemnification. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no indemnification shall be made with respect to any claim, issue or matter as to which such person shall have adjudged to be liable for gross negligence or intentional misconduct in the performance of his duties to the Association, unless and only to the extent that the court in which such action or suit was brought shall determine upon application that despite the adjudication of liability, but in view of all of the circumstances of the case, such person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses which such court shall deem proper.
- 13.3. Effect of Termination of Action. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction or upon a plea of nole contendere or its equivalent shall not, of itself, create a presumption that the person did not act in good faith and in a manner which he reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interest of the Association, and with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had reasonable cause to believe that his conduct was unlawful.
- 13.4. Expenses. To the extent that a director, officer, employee or agent of the Association has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding referred to in Section 13.1 above, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, he shall be indemnified against expenses (including attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at trial and upon appeal) actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection therewith.
- 13.5. Approval. Any indemnification under Section 13.1 above (unless ordered by a court) shall be made by the Association only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification of the director, officer, employee or agent is proper under the circumstances because he has met the applicable standard of conduct set forth in Section 13.1 above. Such determination shall be made (a) by the Board by a majority vote of a quorum consisting of directors who were not parties to such action, suit or proceeding, or (b) if such quorum is not obtainable, or, even if obtainable, if a quorum of disinterested directors so directs, by independent legal counsel in a written opinion, or by a majority of the voting interests of the Owners.
- 13.6. Advances. Expenses incurred in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding shall be paid by the Association in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding as authorized by the Board in any specific case upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of the affected director, officer, employee or agent to repay such amount until such time it shall ultimately be determined that he was not entitled to be indemnified by the Association as authorized in this Article 13.
- 13.7. <u>Miscellaneous</u>. The indemnification provided by this Article shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those seeking indemnification may be entitled under the By-Laws, agreement, vote of Owners or otherwise, and shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee or agent and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs and personal representatives of such person.
- 14. <u>By-Laws</u>. The first By-Laws of the Association shall be adopted by the Board and may be altered, amended or rescinded by the Board, Owners, and/or the Developer as provided in the By-Laws.
- 15. <u>Amendments</u>. Amendments to these Articles shall be proposed and adopted in the following manner:
- 15.1. <u>Notice</u>. Notice of the subject matter of a proposed amendment shall be included in the notice of any meeting at which the proposed amendment is to be considered.
- 15.2. <u>Proposal</u>. A resolution for the adoption of a proposed amendment may be proposed either by a majority of the Board or Owners holding one-third (1/3) of the voting interests in the Association.
 - 15.3. Approval. An amendment shall be approved once it is approved:
- 15.3.1. by Owners holding a majority of the voting interests in the Association present in person or by proxy at a Members meeting at which a quorum thereof has been attained and by not less than sixty-six and two thirds percent (66-2/3%) of the entire Board; or

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- 15.3.2. by Owners holding eighty percent (80%) of the voting interests in the Association present in person or by proxy at a Members meeting at which a quorum has been attained; or
- 15.3.3. prior to the date upon which Owners other than Developer control the Board, by not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the entire Board.
- 15.4. <u>Attendance Not Required</u>. Directors not present in person at the meeting considering the amendment may express their agreement or disagreement in writing, provided that the same is delivered to the Secretary at or prior to the meeting. Such agreement or disagreement may not be used as a vote for or against the action taken and may not be used as a vote for the purpose of creating a quorum.
- 15.5. <u>Limitation</u>. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no amendment shall be made that is in conflict with the Declaration, or the By-Laws, nor shall any amendment make any changes which would in any way affect any of the rights, privileges, powers, or options herein provided in favor of or reserved to the Developer herein or in the Declaration unless the Developer shall join in the execution of the amendment.
- 15.6. <u>Recording</u>. A copy of each amendment shall be filed with the Secretary of State pursuant to the provisions of applicable Florida law, and a copy certified by the Secretary of State shall be recorded in the Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
- 15.7. <u>Developer</u>. The Developer may amend these Articles consistent with the provisions of the Declaration allowing certain amendments to be effected by the Developer alone. This paragraph may not be amended.

For the purpose of amending and restating the Articles of Incorporation of the Association under the laws of the State of Florida, the undersigned, being the President of the Association, has executed these Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation as of the day of December, 2007.

PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS
ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida not-for-profit

corporation

By: ___

Stephen Margolis

Title:

President

(SEAL)

ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned, having been named to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, hereby agrees to act in this capacity, and is familiar with, and accepts, the obligations of this position and further agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of its duties.

Dated this 6th day of December, 2007.

SOLOMON & FURSHMAN, LL

Ben Solomon, Esq., Partner

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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT AND RESTATEMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. (A CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT)

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 617.1007, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of incorporation.

FIRST:	Amendment adopted:
	The Articles of Incorporation for The Villages at Overstreet Master Homeowners' Association, Inc. filed with the Florida Secretary of State on March 3, 2005 are hereby replaced in their entirety by the Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of Preston Square Homeowners Association, Inc., attached hereto and made a part hereof.
SECOND:	The date of adoption of the amendment was December 6, 2007.
THIRD:	Adoption of Amendment (CHECK ONE)
	☐ The Amendment was adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the Amendment was sufficient for approval.
	There are no members entitled to vote on this amendment. The Amendment was adopted by the Board of Directors.
	Min
	Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, President or other officer
	Stephen Margolis Typed or printed name
	President December 6, 2007

Title

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Date



Bepartment of State

I certify from the records of this office that PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, filed on March 3, 2005, effective March 2, 2005.

The document number of this corporation is N05000002209.

- I further certify that said corporation has paid all fees due this office through December 31, 2007, that its most recent annual report/uniform business report was filed on November 28, 2007, and its status is active.
- I further certify that said corporation has not filed Articles of Dissolution.
- I further certify that this is an electronically transmitted certificate authorized by section 15.16, Florida Statutes, and authenticated by the code, 607A00069077-120707-N05000002209-1/1, noted below.

Authentication Code: 607A00069077-120707-N05000002209-1/1



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, the Capital, this the Seventh day of December, 2007

Secretary of State



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I certify the attached is a true and correct copy of the Restated Articles of Incorporation, filed on December 7, 2007, for THE VILLAGES AT OVERSTREET MASTER HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION, INC. which changed its name to PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida corporation, as shown by the records of this office.

I further certify the document was electronically received under FAX audit number H07000294238. This certificate is issued in accordance with section 15.16, Florida Statutes, and authenticated by the code noted below

The document number of this corporation is N05000002209.

Authentication Code: 607A00069077-120707-N05000002209-1/1



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, the Capital, this the Seventh day of December, 2007

Secretary of State

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BY-LAWS

OF

PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

- Name and Location. The name of the corporation is Preston Square Homeowners Association, Inc. ("Association"). The principal office of the corporation shall be located at 825 Coral Ridge Drive, Coral Springs, Florida 33071, or at such other location determined by the Board of Directors (the "Board") from time to time.
- The definitions contained in the Declaration for Preston Square (the "Declaration") relating to the residential community known as Preston Square, recorded, or to be recorded, in the Public Records of Orange County, Florida, are incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof. In addition to the terms defined in the Declaration, the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below:
- "Annual Members Meeting" shall have the meaning assigned to such term in Section 3.2 of these By-Laws.
- "Articles" shall mean the Articles of Incorporation for Association, as amended from time to time.
- "By-Laws" shall mean these By-Laws, together with all amendments and modifications thereof.
 - "Declaration" shall mean the Declaration as modified from time to time.
- "Developer" shall mean Centerline Homes at Preston Square, LLC and any of its designees, successors and assigns who receive a written assignment of all or some of the rights of Developer hereunder. Such assignment need not be recorded in the Public Records in order to be effective. In the event of such a partial assignment, the assignee shall not be deemed Developer, but may exercise such rights of Developer specifically assigned to it. Any such assignment may be made on a non-exclusive basis.
- "Minutes" shall mean the minutes of all Member and Board meetings, which shall be in the form required by the Florida Statutes. In the absence of governing Florida Statutes, the Board shall determine the form of the minutes.
- "Official Records" shall mean all records required to be maintained by Association pursuant to Section 720.303(4) of the Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time.
- "Special Members Meeting" shall have the meaning assigned to such term in Section 3 of these By-Laws.
 - "Turnover Date" shall have the meaning set forth in the Declaration.
 - "Voting Interests" shall mean the voting rights held by the members.

3. Members.

- Voting Interests. Each Owner and Developer (until the Turnover Date) shall be a Member of Association. No person who holds an interest in a Home only as security for the performance of an obligation shall be a Member of Association. Membership shall be appurtenant to, and may not be separated from, ownership of any Home. There shall be one vote appurtenant to each Home. For the purposes of determining who may exercise the Voting Interest associated with each Home, the following rules shall govern:
- 3.1.1 Home Owned By Husband and Wife. Either the husband or wife (but not both) may exercise the Voting Interest with respect to a Home. In the event the husband and wife cannot agree, neither may exercise the Voting Interest.
- 3.1.2 Trusts. In the event that any trust owns a home, Association shall have no obligation to review the trust agreement with respect to such trust. If the Home is owned by Robert Smith, as Trustee, Robert Smith shall be deemed the Owner of the Home for all

Association purposes. If the Home is owned by Robert Smith as Trustee for the Laura Jones Trust, then Robert Smith shall be deemed the Member with respect to the Home for all Association purposes. If the Home is owned by the Laura Jones Trust, and the deed does not reference a trustee, then Laura Jones shall be deemed the Member with respect to the Home for all Association purposes. If the Home is owned by the Jones Family Trust, the Jones Family Trust may not exercise its Voting Interest unless it presents to Association, in the form of an attorney opinion letter or affidavit reasonably acceptable to Association, the identification of the person who should be treated as the Member with respect to the Home for all Association purposes. If Robert Smith and Laura Jones, as Trustees, hold title to a Home, either trustee may exercise the Voting Interest associated with such Home. In the event of a conflict between trustees, the Voting Interest for the Home in question cannot be exercised. In the event that any other form of trust ownership is presented to Association, the decision of the Board as to who may exercise the Voting Interest with respect to any Home shall be final. Association shall have no obligation to obtain an attorney opinion letter in making its decision, which may be made on any reasonable basis whatsoever.

- 3.1.3 <u>Corporations</u>. If a Home is owned by a corporation, the corporation shall designate a person, an officer, employee, or agent who shall be treated as the Member who can exercise the Voting Interest associated with such Home.
- 3.1.4 <u>Partnerships</u>. If a Home is owned by a limited partnership, any one of the general partners may exercise the Voting Interest associated with such Home. By way of example, if the general partner of a limited partnership is a corporation, then the provisions hereof governing corporations shall govern which person can act on behalf of the corporation as general partner of such limited partnership. If a Home is owned by a general partnership, any one of the general partners may exercise the Voting Interest associated with such Home. In the event of a conflict among general partners entitled to exercise a Voting Interest, the Voting Interest for such Home cannot be exercised.
- 3.1.5 <u>Multiple Individuals</u>. If a Home is owned by more than one individual, any one of such individuals may exercise the Voting Interest with respect to such Home. In the event that there is a conflict among such individuals, the Voting Interest for such Home cannot be exercised.
- 3.1.6 <u>Liability of Association</u>. Association may act in reliance upon any writing or instrument or signature, whether original or facsimile, which Association, in good faith, believes to be genuine, may assume the validity and accuracy of any statement or assertion contained in such a writing or instrument, and may assume that any person purporting to give any writing, notice, advice or instruction in connection with the provisions hereof has been duly authorized to do so. So long as Association acts in good faith, Association shall have no liability or obligation with respect to the exercise of Voting Interests, and no election shall be invalidated (in the absence of fraud) on the basis that Association permitted or denied any person the right to exercise a Voting Interest. In addition, the Board may impose additional requirements respecting the exercise of Voting Interests (e.g., the execution of a Voting Certificate).
- 3.2 <u>Annual Meetings</u>. The annual meeting of the members (the "<u>Annual Members Meeting</u>") shall be held at least once each calendar year on a date, at a time, and at a place to be determined by the Board.
- 3.3 Special Meetings of the Members. Special meetings of the members (a "Special Members Meeting") may be called by the President, a majority of the Board, or upon written request of ten percent (10%) of the Voting Interests of the members. The business to be conducted at a Special Members Meeting shall be limited to the extent required by Florida Statutes.
- 3.4 Notice of Members Meetings. Written notice of each members meeting shall be given by, or at the direction of, any officer of the Board or any management company retained by Association. A copy of the notice shall be mailed to each Member entitled to vote, postage prepaid, not less than ten (10) days before the meeting (provided, however, in the case of an emergency, two (2) days' notice will be deemed sufficient). The notice shall be addressed to the member's address last appearing on the books of Association. The notice shall specify the place, day, and hour of the meeting and, in the case of a Special Members Meeting, the purpose of the meeting. Alternatively, and to the extent not prohibited by the Florida Statutes, the Board may

adopt from time to time, other procedures for giving notice to the members of the Annual Members Meeting or a Special Members Meeting. By way of example, and not of limitation, such notice may be included in a newsletter sent to each Member by the Club.

- 3.5 Quorum of Members. Until and including the Turnover Date, a quorum shall be established by Developer's presence, in person or by proxy, at any meeting. After the Turnover Date, a quorum shall be established by the presence, in person or by proxy, of the members entitled to cast twenty percent (20%) of the Voting Interests, except as otherwise provided in the Articles, the Declaration, or these By-Laws. Notwithstanding any provision herein to the contrary, in the event that technology permits members to participate in members meetings and vote on matters electronically, then the Board shall have authority, without the joinder of any other party, to revise this provision to establish appropriate quorum requirements.
- 3.6 Adjournment of Members Meetings. If, however, a quorum shall not be present at any members meeting, the meeting may be adjourned as provided in the Florida Statutes. In the absence of a provision in the Florida Statutes, the members present shall have power to adjourn the meeting and reschedule it on another date.
- 3.7 <u>Action of Members</u>. Decisions that require a vote of the members must be made by a concurrence of a majority of the Voting Interests present in person or by proxy, represented at a meeting at which a quorum has been obtained unless provided otherwise in the Declaration, the Articles, or these By-Laws.
- 3.8 Proxies. At all meetings, members may vote their Voting Interests in person or by proxy. All proxies shall comply with the provisions of Section 720.306(6) of the Florida Statutes, as amended form time to time, be in writing, and be filed with the Secretary at, or prior to, the meeting. Every proxy shall be revocable prior to the meeting for which it is given.

4. Board of Directors.

- 4.1 Number. The affairs of Association shall be managed by a Board consisting of no less than three (3) persons and no more than nine (9) persons. Board members appointed by Developer need not be members of Association. Board members elected by the other members must be members of Association.
- 4.2 <u>Term of Office</u>. The election of Directors shall take place after Developer no longer has the authority to appoint the Board and shall take place on the Turnover Date. Directors shall be elected for a term ending upon the election of new Directors at the following Annual Members Meeting (except that the term of the Board appointed by the Developer shall extend until the date designated by Developer, or until the Turnover Date).
- 4.3 Removal. Any vacancy created by the resignation or removal of a Board member appointed by Developer may be replaced by Developer. Developer may replace or remove any Board member appointed by Developer in Developer's sole and absolute discretion. In the event of death or resignation of a Director elected by the members, the remaining Directors may fill such vacancy. Directors may be removed with or without cause by the vote or agreement in writing of members holding a majority of the Voting Interests.
- 4.4 <u>Compensation</u>. No Director shall receive compensation for any service rendered as a Director to Association; provided, however, any Director may be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred as a Director.
- 4.5 Action Taken Without a Meeting. Except to the extent prohibited by law, the Board shall have the right to take any action without a meeting by obtaining the written approval of the required number of Directors. Any action so approved shall have the same effect as though taken at a meeting of Directors.
- 4.6 Appointment and Election of Directors. Until the Turnover Date, the Developer shall have the unrestricted power to appoint all Directors of Association. From and after the Turnover Date, or such earlier date determined by Developer in its sole and absolute discretion, the members shall elect all Directors of Association at or in conjunction with the Annual Members Meeting of the members.

4.7 <u>Election</u>. Election to the Board shall be by secret written ballot, unless unanimously waived by all members present. The persons receiving the largest numbers of votes shall be elected. Cumulative voting is not permitted.

5. Meeting of Directors.

- 5.1 <u>Regular Meetings</u>. Regular meetings of the Board shall be held on a schedule adopted by the Board from time to time. Meetings shall be held at such place and hour as may be fixed, from time to time, by resolution of the Board.
- 5.2 <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special meetings of the Board shall be held when called by the President, or by any two (2) Directors. Each Director shall be given not less than two (2) days' notice except in the event of an emergency. Notice may be waived. Attendance shall be a waiver of notice. Telephone conference meetings are permitted.
- 5.3 Emergencies. In the event of an emergency involving immediate danger of injury or death to any person or damage to property, if a meeting of the Board cannot be immediately convened to determine a course of action, the President or, in his absence, any other officer or director, shall be authorized to take such action on behalf of Association as shall be reasonably required to appropriately respond to the emergency situation, including the expenditure of Association funds in the minimum amount as may be reasonably required under the circumstances. The authority of officers to act in accordance herewith shall remain in effect until the first to occur of the resolution of the emergency situation or a meeting of the Board convened to act in response thereto.
- 5.4 <u>Quorum.</u> A majority of the number of Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Every act or decision done or made by a majority of the Directors present at a duly held meeting, at which a quorum is present, or in writing in lieu thereof, shall be action of the Board.
 - 5.5 Open Meetings. Meetings of the Board shall be open to all members.
- 5.6 <u>Voting</u>. Board members shall cast votes in the manner provided in the Florida Statutes. In the absence of a statutory provision, the Board shall establish the manner in which votes shall be cast.
- 5.7 Notice of Board Meetings. Notices of meetings of the Board shall be posted in a conspicuous place on the Common Areas and/or in the Club at least 48 hours in advance, except in an event of an emergency. Alternatively, notice may be given to members in any other manner provided by Florida Statute. By way of example, and not of limitation, notice may be given in any Club newsletter distributed to the members. For the purposes of giving notice, the area for notices to be posted within the Club shall be deemed a conspicuous place. Notices of any meetings of the Board at which Assessments against Homes are to be established shall specifically contain a statement that Assessments shall be considered and a statement of the nature of such Assessments.

6. Powers and Duties of the Board.

- 6.1 <u>Powers</u>. The Board shall, subject to the limitations and reservations set forth in the Declaration and Articles, have the powers reasonably necessary to manage, operate, maintain and discharge the duties of Association, including, but not limited to, the power to cause Association to do the following:
- 6.1.1 General. Exercise all powers, duties and authority vested in or delegated to Association by law and in these By-Laws, the Articles, and the Declaration, including, without limitation, adopt budgets, levy Assessments, enter into contracts with Telecommunications Providers for Telecommunications Services.
- 6.1.2 <u>Rules and Regulations</u>. Adopt, publish, promulgate and enforce rules and regulations governing the use of Santa Barbara of Homestead by the members, tenants and their guests and invitees, and to establish penalties and/or fines for the infraction thereof subject only to the requirements of the Florida Statutes, if any.

- 6.1.3 <u>Enforcement.</u> Suspend the right of use of the Common Areas (other than for vehicular and pedestrian ingress and egress and for utilities) of a Member during any period in which such Member shall be in default in the payment of any Assessment or charge levied, or collected, by Association.
- 6.1.4 <u>Declare Vacancies</u>. Declare the office of a member of the Board to be vacant in the event such Member shall be absent from three (3) consecutive regular Board meetings.
- 6.1.5 <u>Hire Employees</u>. Employ, on behalf of Association, managers, independent contractors, or such other employees as it deems necessary, to prescribe their duties and delegate to such manager, contractor, etc., any or all of the duties and functions of Association and/or its officers.
- 6.1.6 <u>Common Areas</u>. Acquire, sell, operate, lease, manage and otherwise trade and deal with property, real and personal, including the Common Areas, as provided in the Declaration, and with any other matters involving Association or its members, on behalf of Association or the discharge of its duties, as may be necessary or convenient for the operation and management of Association and in accomplishing the purposes set forth in the Declaration.
- 6.1.7 <u>Granting of Interest</u>. Grant licenses, easements, permits, leases, or privileges to any individual or entity, which affect Common Areas and to alter, add to, relocate or improve the Common Areas as provided in the Declaration.
- 6.1.8 <u>Financial Reports</u>. Prepare all financial reports required by the Florida Statutes.
- 6.2 <u>Vote</u>. The Board shall exercise all powers so granted except where the Declaration. Articles or these By-Laws specifically require a vote of the members.
- 6.3 <u>Limitations</u>. Until the Turnover Date, Developer shall have and is hereby granted a right to disapprove or veto any such action, policy, or program proposed or authorized by Association, the Board, the ACC, any committee of Association, or the vote of the members. This right may be exercised by Developer at any time within ten (10) days following a meeting held pursuant to the terms and provisions hereof. This right to disapprove may be used to veto proposed actions but shall not extend to the requiring of any action or counteraction on behalf of Association, the Board, the ACC or any committee of Association.
- 7. <u>Obligations of Association</u>. Association, subject to the provisions of the Declaration, Articles, and these By-Laws. shall discharge such duties as necessary to operate Association pursuant to the Declaration, including, but not limited to, the following:
 - 7.1 Official Records. Maintain and make available all Official Records.
- 7.2 <u>Supervision</u>. Supervise all officers, agents and employees of Association, and to see that their duties are properly performed.
- 7.3 <u>Assessments and Fines</u>. Fix and collect the amount of the Assessments and fines; take all necessary legal action; and pay, or cause to be paid, all obligations of Association or where Association has agreed to do so, of the members.
- 7.4 <u>Enforcement.</u> Enforce the provisions of the Declaration, Articles, these By-Laws, and Rules and Regulations.

8. Officers and Their Duties.

- 8.1 Officers. The officers of this Association shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer.
- 8.2 <u>Election of Officers</u>. Except as set forth below, the election of officers shall be by the Board and shall take place at the first meeting of the Board following each Annual Members Meeting.

- 8.3 Term. The officers named in the Articles shall serve until their replacement by the Board. The officers of Association shall hold office until their successors are appointed or elected unless such officer shall sooner resign, be removed, or otherwise disqualified to serve.
- 8.4 <u>Special Appointment</u>. The Board may elect such other officers as the affairs of Association may require, each of whom shall hold office for such period, have such authority, and perform such duties as the Board may, from time to time, determine.
- 8.5 <u>Resignation and Removal</u>. Any officer may be removed from office, with or without cause, by the Board. Any officer may resign at any time by giving written notice to the Board. Such resignation shall take effect on the date of receipt of such notice or at any later time specified therein. Acceptance of such resignation shall not be necessary to make it effective.
- 8.6 <u>Vacancies</u>. A vacancy in any office shall be filled by appointment by the Board. The officer appointed to such vacancy shall serve for the remainder of the term of the replaced officer.
- 8.7 <u>Multiple Offices</u>. The office of President and Vice-President shall not be held by the same person. All other offices may be held by the same person.
 - 8.8 Duties. The duties of the officers are as follows:
- 8.8.1 <u>President</u>. The President shall preside at all meetings of Association and Board, sign all leases, mortgages, deeds and other written instruments and perform such other duties as may be required by the Board. The President shall be a member of the Board.
- 8.8.2 <u>Vice President</u>. The Vice President shall act in the place and stead of the President in the event of the absence, inability or refusal to act of the President, and perform such other duties as may be required by the Board.
- 8.8.3 Secretary. The Secretary shall record the votes and keep the Minutes of all meetings and proceedings of Association and the Board; keep the corporate seal of Association and affix it on all papers required to be sealed; serve notice of meetings of the Board and of Association; keep appropriate current records showing the names of the members of Association together with their addresses; and perform such other duties as required by the Board.
- 8.8.4 Treasurer. The Treasurer shall cause to be received and deposited in appropriate bank accounts all monies of Association and shall disburse such funds as directed by the Board; sign, or cause to be signed, all checks, and promissory notes of Association; cause to be kept proper books of account and accounting records required pursuant to the provisions of Section 720.303 of the Florida Statutes cause to be prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles all financial reports required by the Florida Statutes; and perform such other duties as required by the Board.

Committees.

- 9.1 <u>General</u>. The Board may appoint such committees as deemed appropriate. The Board may fill any vacancies on all committees.
- 9.2 ACC. Developer shall have the sole right to appoint the members of the ACC until the Turnover Date. Upon expiration of the right of Developer to appoint members of the ACC, the Board shall appoint the members of the ACC. As provided under the Declaration, Association shall have the authority and standing to seek enforcement in courts of competent jurisdiction any decisions of the ACC.
- 10. Records. The official records of Association shall be available for inspection by any Member at the principal office of Association. Copies may be purchased, by a Member, at a reasonable cost.
- 11. Corporate Seal. Association shall have an impression seal in circular form.

12. Amendments.

- 12.1 <u>General Restrictions on Amendments</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision herein to the contrary, no amendment to these By-Laws shall affect the rights of Developer unless such amendment receives the prior written consent of Developer which may be withheld for any reason whatsoever. If the prior written approval of any governmental entity or agency having jurisdiction is required by applicable law or governmental regulation for any amendment to these By-Laws, then the prior written consent of such entity or agency must also be obtained. No amendment shall be effective until it is recorded in the Public Records.
- 12.2 Amendments Prior to and Including the Turnover Date. Prior to and including the Turnover Date, Developer shall have the right to amend these By-Laws as it deems appropriate, without the joinder or consent of any person or entity whatsoever. Developer's right to amend under this provision is to be construed as broadly as possible. In the event that Association shall desire to amend these By-Laws prior to and including the Turnover Date, Association must first obtain Developer's prior written consent to any proposed amendment. Thereafter, an amendment identical to that approved by Developer may be adopted by Association pursuant to the requirements for amendments after the Turnover Date. Thereafter, Developer shall join in such identical amendment so that its consent to the same will be reflected in the Public Records.
- 12.3 Amendments After the Turnover Date. After the Turnover Date, but subject to the general restrictions on amendments set forth above, these By-Laws may be amended with the approval of (i) sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66 2/3%) of the Board; and (ii) seventy-five percent (75%) of the votes present (in person or by proxy) at a duly noticed meeting of the members of Association at which there is a quorum. Notwithstanding the foregoing, these By-Laws may be amended after the Turnover Date by sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66 2/3%) of the Board acting alone to change the number of directors on the Board. Such change shall not require the approval of the members. Any change in the number of directors shall not take effect until the next Annual Members Meeting.
- 13. <u>Conflict</u>. In the case of any conflict between the Articles and these By-Laws, the Articles shall control. In the case of any conflict between the Declaration and these By-Laws, the Declaration shall control.
- 14. <u>Fiscal Year</u>. The first fiscal year shall begin on the date of incorporation and end on December 31 of that year. Thereafter, the fiscal year of Association shall begin on the first day of January and end on the 31st day of December of every year.

Miscellaneous.

- 15.1 <u>Florida Statutes</u>. Whenever these By-Laws refers to the Florida Statutes, it shall be deemed to refer to the Florida Statutes as they exist on the date these By-Laws are recorded except to the extent provided otherwise as to any particular provision of the Florida Statutes.
- 15.2 <u>Severability</u>. Invalidation of any of the provisions of these By-Laws by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any other provision, and the remainder of these By-Laws shall remain in full force and effect.

EXHIBIT 4 PERMIT

Declaration for Preston Square v2.DOC



SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT **ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE** STANDARD GENERAL PERMIT NO. 48-01436-P DATE ISSUED: March 19, 2004

Form #0941 08/95

PERMITTEE: TOUSA HOMES INC

775 SOUTH KIRKMAN ROAD SUITE 100

ORLANDO, FL 32811

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Construction and operation of a surface water management system to serve a 30.7

acre project known as Overstreet PD.

PROJECT LOCATION:

ORANGE COUNTY.

SEC 25 TWP 23S RGE 27E

PERMIT DURATION:

See Special Condition No:1. See attached Rule 40E-4.321, Florida Administrative

Code.

This is to notify you of the District's agency action concerning Notice of Intent for Permit Application No. 030805-12, dated August 5, 2003. This action is taken pursuant to Rule 40E-1.603 and Chapter 40E-40, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

Based on the information provided, District rules have been adhered to and an Environmental Resource General Permit is in effect for this project subject to:

Not receiving a filed request for a Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, administrative hearing. 1.

2. the attached 19 General Conditions (See Pages: 2-4 of 6).

the attached 15 Special Conditions (See Pages: 5 - 8 of 6) and 3.

the attached 8 Exhibit(s). 4.

Should you object to these conditions, please refer to the attached "Notice of Rights" which addresses the procedures to be followed if you desire a public hearing or other review of the proposed agency action. Please contact this office if you have any questions concerning this matter. If we do not hear from you in accordance with the "Notice of Rights," we will assume that you concur with the District's action.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a "Notice of Rights" has been mailed to the Permittee (and the persons listed in the attached distribution list) no later than 5:00 p.m. on this 19th day of March, 2004, in accordance with Section 120.60(3), Fibrida Signifes.

Thomas P. Génovese Service Center Director

Orlando Service Center

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40E-4.321 **Duration of Permits**

Unless revoked or otherwise modified the duration of an environmental resource-permit

issued under this chapter or Chapter 40E-40, F.A.C. is as follows:

For a conceptual approval, two years from the date of issuance or the date specified as a condition of the permit, unless within that period an application for an individual or standard general permit Is filed for any portion of the project. If an application for an environmental resource permit is filed, then the conceptual approval remains valid until final action is taken on the environmental resource permit application. If the application is granted, then the conceptual approval is valid for an additional two years from the date of issuance of the permit. Conceptual approvals which have no individual or standard general environmental resource permit applications filed for a period of two years shall expire automatically at the end of the two year period.

For a conceptual approval filed concurrently with a development of regional impact (DRI) (b) application for development approval (ADA) and a local government comprehensive plan amendment, the duration of the conceptual approval shall be two years from whichever one of the following occurs at the

latest date:

the effective date of the local government's comprehensive plan amendment.

the effective date of the local government development order. 2. 3.

the date on which the District Issues the conceptual approval, or

- the latest date of the resolution of any Chapter 120.57, F.A.C., administrative proceeding 4. or other legal appeals.
- For an individual or standard general environmental resource permit, five years from the (c) date of issuance or such amount of time as made a condition of the permit.

For a noticed general permit issued pursuant to Chapter 40-E-400, F.A.C., five years from the date the notice of intent to use the permit is provided to the District.

- (2)(a) Unless prescribed by special permit condition, permits expire automatically according to the timeframes indicated in this rule. If application for extension is made in writing pursuant to subsection (3), the permit shall remain in full force and effect until:
- the Governing Board takes action on an application for extension of an individual permit, or
 - staff takes action on an application for extension of a standard general permit. 2. (b)

Installation of the project outfall structure shall not constitute a vesting of the permit.

The permit extension shall be issued provided that a permittee files a written request with (3) the District showing good cause prior to the expiration of the permit. For the purpose of this rule, good cause shall mean a set of extenuating circumstances outside of the control of the permittee. Requests for extensions, which shall include documentation of the extenuating circumstances and how they have delayed this project, will not be accepted more than 180 days prior to the expiration date.

Substantial modifications to Conceptual Approvals will extend the duration of the Conceptual Approval for two years from the date of issuance of the modification. For the purposes of this section, the term "substantial modification" shall mean a modification which is reasonably expected to lead

to substantially different water resource or environmental impacts which require a detailed review.

Substantial modifications to individual or standard general environmental resource permits issued pursuant to a permit application extend the duration of the permit for three years from the date of Issuance of the modification. Individual or standard general environmental resource permit modifications do not extend the duration of a conceptual approval.

Permit modifications issued pursuant to subsection 40E-4.331(2)(b), F.A.C. (letter

modifications) do not extend the duration of a permit,

Failure to complete construction or alteration of the surface water management system and obtain operation phase approval from the District within the permit duration shall require a new permit authorization in order to continue construction unless a permit extension is granted.

Specific authority 373.044, 373.113 F.S. Law Implemented 373.413, 373.416, 373.419, 373.426 F.S. History--New 9-3-81, Amended 1-31-82, 12-1-82, Formerly 16K-4.07(4), Amended 7-1-86, 4/20/94, 10-3-95

GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1. All activities authorized by this permit shall be implemented as set forth in the plans, specifications and performance criteria as approved by this permit. Any deviation from the permitted activity and the conditions for undertaking that activity shall constitute a violation of this permit and Part IV, Chapter 373. F.S.
- 2. This permit or a copy thereof, complete with all conditions, attachments, exhibits, and modifications shall be kept at the work site of the permitted activity. The complete permit shall be available for review at the work site upon request by District staff. The permittee shall require the contractor to review the complete permit prior to commencement of the activity authorized by this permit.
- 3. Activities approved by this permit shall be conducted in a manner which does not cause violations of State water quality standards. The permittee shall implement best management practices for erosion and pollution control to prevent violation of State water quality standards. Temporary erosion control shall be implemented prior to and during construction, and permanent control measures shall be completed within 7 days of any construction activity. Turbidity barriers shall be installed and maintained at all locations where the possibility of transferring suspended solids into the receiving waterbody exists due to the permitted work. Turbidity barriers shall remain in place at all locations until construction is completed and soils are stabilized and vegetation has been established. All practices shall be in accordance with the guidelines and specifications described in Chapter 6 of the Fiorida Land Development Manual; A Guide to Sound Land and Water Management (Department of Environmental Regulation, 1988), incorporated by reference in Rule 40E-4.091, F.A.C. unless a project-specific erosion and sediment control plan is approved as part of the permit. Thereafter the permittee shall be responsible for the removal of the barriers. The permittee shall correct any erosion or shoaling that causes adverse impacts to the water resources.
- 4. The permittee shall notify the District of the anticipated construction start date within 30 days of the date that this permit is issued. At least 48 hours prior to commencement of activity authorized by this permit, the permittee shall submit to the District an Environmental Resource Permit Construction Commencement Notice Form Number 0960 indicating the actual start date and the expected construction completion date.
- 5. When the duration of construction will exceed one year, the permittee shall submit construction status reports to the District on an annual basis utilizing an annual status report form. Status report forms shall be submitted the following June of each year.
- 6. Within 30 days after completion of construction of the permitted activity, the permitee shall submit a written statement of completion and certification by a registered professional engineer or other appropriate individual as authorized by law, utilizing the supplied Environmental Resource Permit Construction Completion/Certification Form Number 0881. The statement of completion and certification shall be based on onsite observation of construction or review of as-built drawings for the purpose of determining if the work was completed in compliance with permitted plans and specifications. This submittal shall serve to notify the District that the system is ready for inspection. Additionally, if deviation from the approved drawings is discovered during the certification process, the certification must be accompanied by a copy of the approved permit drawings with deviations noted. Both the original and revised specifications must be clearly shown. The plans must be clearly labeled as "As-built" or "Record" drawing. All surveyed dimensions and elevations shall be certified by a registered surveyor.
- 7. The operation phase of this permit shall not become effective: until the permittee has complied with the requirements of condition (6) above, and submitted a request for conversion of Environmental Resource Permit from Construction Phase to Operation Phase, Form No. 0920; the District determines the system to be in compliance with the permitted plans and specifications; and the entity approved by the District in accordance with Sections 9.0 and 10.0 of the Basis of Review for Environmental Resource Permit Applications within the South Florida Water Management District, accepts responsibility for operation and maintenance of the system. The permit shall not be transferred to such approved operation and maintenance entity until the operation phase of the permit becomes effective. Following inspection and approval of the permitted system by the District, the permittee shall initiate transfer of the permit to the

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approved responsible operating entity if different from the permittee. Until the permit is transferred pursuant to Section 40E-1.6107, F.A.C., the permittee shall be liable for compliance with the terms of the permit.

- 8. Each phase or independent portion of the permitted system must be completed in accordance with the permitted plans and permit conditions prior to the initiation of the permitted use of site infrastructure located within the area served by that portion or phase of the system. Each phase or independent portion of the system must be completed in accordance with the permitted plans and permit conditions prior to transfer of responsibility for operation and maintenance of the phase or portion of the system to a local government or other responsible entity.
- 9. For those systems that will be operated or maintained by an entity that will require an easement or deed restriction in order to enable that entity to operate or maintain the system in conformance with this permit, such easement or deed restriction must be recorded in the public records and submitted to the District along with any other final operation and maintenance documents required by Sections 9.0 and 10.0 of the Basis of Review for Environmental Resource Permit applications within the South Florida Water Management District, prior to lot or units sales or prior to the completion of the system, whichever comes first. Other documents concerning the establishment and authority of the operating entity must be filled with the Secretary of State, county or municipal entities. Final operation and maintenance documents must be received by the District when maintenance and operation of the system is accepted by the local government entity. Failure to submit the appropriate final documents will result in the permittee remaining liable for carrying out maintenance and operation of the permitted system and any other permit conditions.
- 10. Should any other regulatory agency require changes to the permitted system, the permittee shall notify the District in writing of the changes prior to implementation so that a determination can be made whether a permit modification is required.
- 11. This permit does not eliminate the necessity to obtain any required federal, state, local and special district authorizations prior to the start of any activity approved by this permit. This permit does not convey to the permittee or create in the permittee any property right, or any interest in real property, nor does it authorize any entrance upon or activities on property which is not owned or controlled by the permittee, or convey any rights or privileges other than those specified in the permit and Chapter 40E-4 or Chapter 40E-40, F.A.C..
- 12. The permittee is hereby advised that Section 253.77, F.S. states that a person may not commence any excavation, construction, or other activity involving the use of sovereign or other lands of the State, the title to which is vested in the Board of Trustees of the Internal improvement Trust Fund without obtaining the required lease, license, easement, or other form of consent authorizing the proposed use. Therefore, the permittee is responsible for obtaining any necessary authorizations from the Board of Trustees prior to commencing activity on sovereignty lands or other state-owned lands.
- 13. The permittee must obtain a Water Use permit prior to construction dewatering, unless the work qualifies for a general permit pursuant to Subsection 40E-20.302(3), F.A.C., also known as the "No Notice" Rule.
- 14. The permittee shall hold and save the District harmless from any and all damages, claims, or liabilities which may arise by reason of the construction, alteration, operation, maintenance, removal, abandonment or use of any system authorized by the permit.
- 15. Any delineation of the extent of a wetland or other surface water submitted as part of the permit application, including plans or other supporting documentation, shall not be considered binding, unless a specific condition of this permit or a formal determination under Section 373.421(2), F.S., provides otherwise.
- 16. The permittee shall notify the District in writing within 30 days of any sale, conveyance, or other transfer of ownership or control of a permitted system or the real property on which the permitted system is located. All transfers of ownership or transfers of a permit are subject to the requirements of Rules 40E-1.6105 and

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- 40E-1.6107, F.A.C.. The permittee transferring the permit shall remain liable for corrective actions that may be required as a result of any violations prior to the sale, conveyance or other transfer of the system.
- 17. Upon reasonable notice to the permittee, District authorized staff with proper identification shall have permission to enter, inspect, sample and test the system to insure conformity with the plans and specifications approved by the permit.
- 18. If historical or archaeological artifacts are discovered at any time on the project site, the permittee shall immediately notify the appropriate District service center.
- 19. The permittee shall immediately notify the District in writing of any previously submitted information that is later discovered to be inaccurate.

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- 1. The construction phase of this permit shall expire on March 19, 2009.
- 2. Operation of the surface water management system shall be the responsibility of HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION. Within one year of permit issuance or concurrent with the engineering certification of construction completion, whichever comes first, the permittee shall submit a copy of the recorded deed restrictions (or declaration of condominium, if applicable), a copy of the filed articles of incorporation, and a copy of the certificate of incorporation for the association.
- 3. Discharge Facilities:

1-12.75" W X 12.75" H CIRCULAR ORIFICE weir with crest at elev. 112.78' NGVD. 1-6.75" dia. CIRCULAR ORIFICE with invert at elev. 111.5' NGVD. 400 LF of 45" wide X 29" high ELLIPTICAL REINFORCED CONCRETE culvert. 1-36" W X 54" L drop inlet with crest at elev. 115.55' NGVD.

Receiving body: wetland Control elev: 111,5 feet NGVD.

- 4. The permittee shall be responsible for the correction of any erosion, shoaling or water quality problems that result from the construction or operation of the surface water management system.
- 5. Measures shall be taken during construction to insure that sedimentation and/or turbidity violations do not occur in the receiving water.
- 6. The District reserves the right to require that additional water quality treatment methods be incorporated into the drainage system if such measures are shown to be necessary.
- 7. Lake side slopes shall be no steeper than 5:1 (horizontal:vertical) to a depth of two feet below the control elevation. Side slopes shall be nurtured or planted from 2 feet below to 1 foot above control elevation to insure vegetative growth, unless shown on the plans.
- 8. Facilities other than those stated herein shall not be constructed without an approved modification of this permit.
- 9. A stable, permanent and accessible elevation reference shall be established on or within one hundred (100) feet of all permitted discharge structures no later than the submission of the certification report. The location of the elevation reference must be noted on or with the certification report.
- 10. The permittee shall provide routine maintenance of all of the components of the surface water management system in order to remove all trapped sediments/debris. All materials shall be properly disposed of as required by law. Failure to properly maintain the system may result in adverse flooding conditions.
- 11. This permit is issued based on the applicant's submitted information which reasonably demonstrates that adverse water resource related impacts will not be caused by the completed permit activity. Should any adverse impacts caused by the completed surface water management system occur, the District will require the permittee to provide appropriate mitigation to the District or other impacted party. The District will require the permittee to modify the surface water management system, if necessary, to eliminate the cause of the adverse impacts.
- 12. Minimum building floor elevation: BASIN: Overstreet 116.41 feet NGVD.
- 13. Minimum road crown elevation: Basin: Overstreet 115.55 feet NGVD.
- 14. Slit screens, hay bales, turbidity screens/barriers or other such sediment control measures shall be utilized

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during construction. The selected sediment control measure shall be installed landward of the upland buffer zones around all protected wetlands and shall be properly "trenched" etc. All areas shall be stabilized and vegetated immediately after construction to prevent erosion into the wetlands and upland buffer zones.

15. Prior to to commencement of construction in wetlands and in accordance with the work schedule in Exhibit No. 6, the permittee shall submit documentation from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection that 0.70 FH credits have been deducted from the ledger for Florida Mitigation Bank.

NOTICE OF RIGHTS

Section 120.569(1), Fla. Stat. (1999), requires that "each notice shall inform the recipient of any administrative hearing or judicial review that is available under this section, s. 120.57, or s. 120.68; shall indicate the procedure which must be followed to obtain the hearing or judicial review, and shall state the time limits which apply." Please note that this Notice of Rights is not intended to provide legal advice. Not all the legal proceedings detailed below may be an applicable or appropriate remedy. You may wish to consult an attorney regarding your legal rights.

Petition for Administrative Proceedings

- 1. A person whose substantial interests are affected by the South Florida Water Management District's (SFWMD) action has the right to request an administrative hearing on that action. The affected person may request either a formal or an informal hearing, as set forth below. A point of entry into administrative proceedings is governed by Rules 28-106.111 and 40E-1.511, Fla. Admin. Code, (also published as an exception to the Uniform Rules of Procedure as Rule 40E-0.109), as set forth below. Petitions are deemed filed upon receipt of the original documents by the SFWMD Clerk.
- genuine issue(s) of material fact is in dispute, the affected person seeking a formal hearing on a SFWMD decision which does or may determine their substantial interests shall file a petition for hearing pursuant to Sections 120.569 and 120.57(1), Fla. Stat. or for mediation pursuant to Section 120.573. Fla. Stat. within 21 days, except as provided in subsections c. and d. below, of either written notice through mall or posting or publication of notice that e SFWMD has or intends to take final agency action.
- e SFVMD has or intends to take final agency action. etitions must substantially comply with the requirements of Rule 28-106.201(2), Fla. Admin. Code, a copy of the which is attached to this Notice of Rights.
- b. <u>Informal Administrative Hearing:</u> If there are no issues of material fact in dispute, the affected person seeking an informal hearing on a SFVMD decision which does or may determine their substantial interests shall file a petition for hearing pursuant to Sections 120.569 and 120.57(2), Fla. Stat. or for mediation pursuant to Section 120.573, Fla. Stat. within 21 days, except as provided in subsections c. and d. below, of either written notice through mail or posting or publication of notice that the SFVMD has or intends to take final agency action. Petitions must substantially comply with the requirements of Rule 28-106.301(2), Fla. Admin. Code, a copy of the which is attached to this Notice of Rights.
- c. Administrative Complaint and Order:

 If a Respondent objects to a SFWMD Administrative Complaint and Order, pursuant to Section 373.119, Fia. Stat. (1997), the person named in the Administrative Complaint and Order may file a petition for a hearing no later than 14 days after the date such order is served. Petitions must substantially comply with the requirements ther subsection a. or b. above.

- d. State Lands Environmental Resource Permit: Pursuant to Section 373.427, Fia. Stat., and Rule 40E-1.511(3), Fia. Admin. Code (also published as an exception to the Uniform Rules of Procedure as Rule 40E-0.109(2)(c)), a petition objecting to the SFWMD's agency action regarding consolidated applications for Environmental Resource Permits and Use of Sovereign Submerged Lands (SLERPs), must be filed within 14 days of the notice of consolidated intent to grant or dany the SLERP. Petitions must substantially comply with the requirements of either subsection a. or b. above.
- e. <u>Emergency Authorization and Order:</u>
 A person whose substantial interests are affected by a SFWMD Emergency Authorization and Order, has a right to file a petition under Sections 120.569, 120.57(1), and 120.57(2), Fla. Stat., as provided in subsections a. and b. above. However, the person, or the agent of the person responsible for causing or contributing to the emergency conditions shall take whatever action necessary to cause immediate compliance with the terms of the Emergency Authorization and Order.
- f. Order for Emergency Action: A person whose substantial interests are affected by a SFWMD Order for Emergency Action has a right to file a petition pursuant to Rules 28-107.005 and 40E-1.611, Fla. Admin. Code, copies of which are attached to this Notice of Rights, and Section 373.119(3), Fla. Stat., for a hearing on the Order. Any subsequent agency action or proposed agency action to initiate a formal revocation proceeding shall be separately noticed pursuant to section g. below.
- g. Permit Suspension, Revocation, Annulment, and Withdrawal: If the SFWMD issues an administrative complaint to suspend, revoke, annul, or withdraw a permit, the permittee may request a hearing to be conducted in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Fla. Stat., within 21 days of either written notice through mail or posting or publication of notice that the SFWMD has or intends to take final agency action. Petitions must substantially comply with the requirements of Rule 28-107.004(3), Fla. Admin. Code, a copy of the which is attached to this Notice of Rights.
- 2. Because the administrative hearing process is designed to formulate final agency action, the filling of a petition means that the SFWMD's final action may be different from the position taken by it previously. Persons whose substantial interests may be affected by

any such final decision of the SFWMD shall have, pursuant to Rule 40E-1.511(2), Fla. Admin. Code (also published as an exception to the Uniform Rules of Procedure as Rule 40E-0.109(2)(c)), an additional 21 days from the date of receipt of notice of said decision to request an administrative hearing. However, the scope of the administrative hearing shall be limited to the substantial deviation.

- 3. Pursuant to Rule 40E-1.511(4), Fia. Admin. Code, substantially affected persons entitled to a hearing pursuant to Section 120.57(1), Fia. Stat., may waive their right to such a hearing and request an informal hearing before the Governing Board pursuant to Section 120.57(2), Fia. Stat., which may be granted at the option of the Governing Board.
- 4. Pursuant to Rule 28-106.111(3), Fla. Admin. Code, persons may file with the SFWMD a request for extension of time for filing a petition. The SFWMD, for good cause shown, may grant the extension. The request for extension must contain a certificate that the petitioner has consulted with all other parties, if any, concerning the extension and that the SFWMD and all other parties agree to the extension.

CIRCUIT COURT

- 5. Pursuant to Section 373.617, Fla. Stat., any substantially affected person who claims that final agency action of the SFWMD relating to permit decisions nstitutes an unconstitutional taking of property without just compensation may seek judicial review of the action in circuit court by filing a civil action in the circuit court in the judicial circuit in which the affected property is located within 90 days of the rendering of the SFWMD's final agency action.
- 6. Pursuant to Section 403.412, Fla. Stat., any citizen of Fiorida may bring an action for injunctive relief against the SFVMD to compel the SFVMD to enforce the laws of Chapter 373, Fla. Stat., and Title 40E, Fla. Admin. Code. The complaining party must file with the SFVMD Clerk a verified complaint setting forth the facts upon which the complaint is based and the manner in which the complaining party is affected. If the SFVMD does not take appropriate action on the complaint within 30 days of receipt, the complaining party may then file a civil suit for injunctive relief in the 15th Judicial Circuit in and for Palm Beach County or circuit court in the county where the cause of action allegedly occurred.
- 7. Pursuant to Section 373.433, Fia. Stat., a private citizen of Florida may file suit in circuit court to require the abatement of any stormwater management system, dam, impoundment, reservoir, appurtenant work or works that violate the provisions of Chapter 373, Fia. Stat.

DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL

8. Pursuant to Section 120.68, Fla. Stat., a party who is adversely affected by final SFWMD action may seek judicial review of the SFWMD's final decision by filing a notice of appeal pursuant to Florida Rule of Appellate Procedure 9.110 in the Fourth District Court of Appeal or in the appellate district where a party resides and filing a second copy of the notice with the SFWMD Clerk within 30 days of rendering of the final SFWMD action.

LAND AND WATER ADJUDICATORY COMMISSION

9. A party to a "proceeding below" may seek review by the Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission (FLAWAC) of SFWMD's final agency action to determine if such action is consistent with the provisions and purposes of Chapter 373, Fla. Stat. Pursuant to Section 373.114. Fla. Stat.; and Rules 42-2.013 and 42-2.0132, Fla. Admin. Code, a request for review of (a) an order or rule of the SFWMD must be filed with FLAWAC within 20 days after rendition of the order or adoption of the rule sought to be reviewed; (b) an order of the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) requiring amendment or repeal of a SFWMD rule must be filed with FLAWAC within 30 days of rendition of the DEP's order, and (c) a SFWMD order entered pursuant to a formal administrative hearing under Section 120.57(1), Fla. Stat., must be filed no later than 20 days after rendition of the SFWMD's final order. Simultaneous with filing, a copy of the request for review must be served on the DEP Secretary, any person named in the SFWMD or DEP final order, and all parties to the proceeding below. A copy of Rule 42-2.013, Fla. Admin. Code is attached to this Notice of Rights.

PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS PROTECTION ACT

10. A property owner who alleges a specific action of the SFWMD has inordinately burdened an existing use of the real property, or a vested right to a specific use of the real property, may file a claim in the circuit court where the real property is located within 1 year of the SFWMD action pursuant to the procedures set forth in Subsection 70.001(4)(a), Fla. Stat.

LAND USE AND ENVIRONMENTAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION

11. A property owner who alleges that a SFWMD development order (as that term is defined in Section 70.51(2)(a), Fla. Stat. to include permits) or SFWMD enforcement action is unreasonable, or unfairly burdens the use of the real property, may file a request for relief with the SFWMD within 30 days of receipt of the SFWMD's order or notice of agency action pursuant to the procedures set forth in Subsections 70.51(4) and (6), Fla. Stat.

MEDIATION

12. A person whose substantial interests are, or may be, affected by the SFWMD's action may choose mediation as an alternative remedy under Section 120.573, Fia. Stat. Pursuant to Rule 28-106.111(2), Fia. Admin. Code, the petition for mediation shall be filed within 21 days of either written notice through mail or posting or

publication of notice that the SFWMD has or intends to take final agency action. Choosing mediation will not affect the right to an administrative hearing if mediation does not result in settlement.

Pursuant to Rule 28-106.402, Fla. Admin. Code, the contents of the petition for mediation shall contain the following information:

- (1) the name, address, and telephone number of the person requesting mediation and that person's representative, if any:
- (2) a statement of the preliminary agency action;
- (3) an explanation of how the person's substantial interests will be affected by the agency determination; and
- (4) a statement of relief sought. As provided in Section 120.573, Fla. Stat. (1997), the timely agreement of all the parties to mediate will toil the time limitations imposed by Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Fla. Stat., for requesting and holding an administrative hearing. Unless otherwise agreed by the parties, the mediation must be concluded within 60 days of the execution of the agreement, If mediation results in settlement of the dispute, the SFWMD must enter a final order incorporating the agreement of the parties. Persons whose substantial interest will be affected by such a modified agency decision have a right to petition for hearing within 21 days of receipt of the final order in accordance with the requirements of Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Fla. Stat., and SFWMD Rule 28-106.201(2), Fla.

Imin. Code. If mediation terminates without settlement of ... ie dispute, the SFWMD shall notify all parties in writing that the administrative hearing process under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Fia. Stat., remain available for disposition of the dispute, and the notice will specify the deadlines that then will apply for challenging the agency action.

VARIANCES AND WAIVERS

13. A person who is subject to regulation pursuant to a SFWMD rule and believes the application of that rule will create a substantial hardship or will violate principles of fairness (as those terms are defined in Subsection 120.542(2), Fla. Stat.) and can demonstrate that the purpose of the underlying statute will be or has been achieved by other means, may file a petition with the SFWMD Clerk requesting a variance from or waiver of the SFWMD rule. Applying for a variance or waiver does not substitute or extend the time for filing a petition for an administrative hearing or exercising any other right that a person may have concerning the SFWMD's action. Pursuant to Rule 28-104.002(2), Fla. Admin. Code, the petition must include the following information:

(a) the caption shall read:
Petition for (Variance from) or (Waiver of) Rule (Citation)

(b) The name, address, telephone number any facsimile number of the petitioner;

- (c) The name, address telephone number and any facsimile number of the attorney or qualified representative of the petitioner, (if any);
 - (d) the applicable rule or portion of the rule;
- (e) the citation to the statue the rule is implementing;
 - (f) the type of action requested:
- (g) the specific facts that demonstrate a substantial hardship or violation of principals of fairness that would justify a waiver or variance for the petitioner;
- (h) the reason why the variance or the waiver requested would serve the purposes of the underlying statute; and
- (i) a statement of whether the variance or walver is permanent or temporary. If the variance or walver is temporary, the petition shall include the dates indicating the duration of the requested variance or walver.

A person requesting an emergency variance from or waiver of a SFWMD rule must clearly so state in the caption of the petition. In addition to the requirements of Section 120.542(5), Fla. Stat. pursuant to Rule 28-104.004(2), Fla. Admin. Code, the petition must also include:

- a) the specific facts that make the situation an emergency; and
- b) the specific facts to show that the petitioner will suffer immediate adverse effect unless the variance or waiver is issued by the SFWMD more expeditiously than the applicable timeframes set forth in Section 120.542, Fla. Stat.

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14. Failure to observe the relevant time frames prescribed above will constitute a waiver of such right.

28-106.201 INITIATION OF PROCEEDINGS (INVOLVING DISPUTED ISSUES OF MATERIAL FACT)

- (2) All petitions filed under these rules shall contain:
- (a) The name and address of each agency affected and each agency's file or identification number, if known;
- (b) The name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner; the name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner's representative, if any, which shall be the address for service purposes during the course of the proceeding, and an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial interests will be affected by the agency determination:
- (c) A statement of when and how the petitioner received notice of the agency decision:
- (d) A statement of all disputed issues of material fact.If there are none, the petition must so indicate;
- (e) A concise statement of the ultimate facts alleged, as well as the rules and statutes which entitle the petitioner to relief; and
 - (f) A demand for relief.

28-106.301 INITIATION OF PROCEEDINGS (NOT INVOLVING DISPUTED ISSUES OF MATERIAL FACT)

- (2) All petitions filed under these rules shall contain:
- (a) The name and address of each agency affected and each agency's file or identification number, if known;
- (b) The name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner; the name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner's representative, if any, which shall be the address for service purposes during the course of the proceeding, and an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial interests will be affected by the agency determination:
- (c) A statement of when and how the petitioner received notice of the agency decision;
- (d) A concise statement of the ultimate facts alleged, as well as the rules and statutes which entitle the petitioner to relief; and
 - (e) A demand for relief.

28-107.004 SUSPENSION, REVOCATION, ANNULMENT, OR WITHDRAWAL

- (3) Requests for hearing filed in accordance with this rule shall include:
- (a) The name and address of the party making the request, for purposes of service;
- (b) A statement that the party is requesting a hearing involving disputed issues of material fact, or a hearing not involving disputed issues of material fact; and
- (c) A reference to the notice, order to show cause, administrative complaint, or other communication that the early has received from the agency.

42-2.013 REQUEST FOR REVIEW PURSUANT TO SECTION 373.114 OR 373.217

- (1) In any proceeding arising under Chapter 373, F.S., review by the Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission may be initiated by the Department or a party by filing a request for such review with the Secretary of the Commission and serving a copy on any person named in the rule or order, and on all parties to the proceeding which resulted in the order sought to be reviewed. A certificate of service showing completion of service as required by this subsection shall be a requirement for a determination of sufficiency under Rule 42-2.0132. Failure to file the request with the Commission within the time period provided in Rule 42-2.0132 shall result in dismissal of the request for review.
- (2) The request for review shall identify the rule or order requested to be reviewed, the proceeding in which the rule or order was entered and the nature of the rule or order. A copy of the rule or order sought to be reviewed shall be attached. The request for review shall state with particularity:
- (a) How the order or rule conflicts with the "uirements, provisions and purposes of Chapter 373, ., or rules duly adopted thereunder;

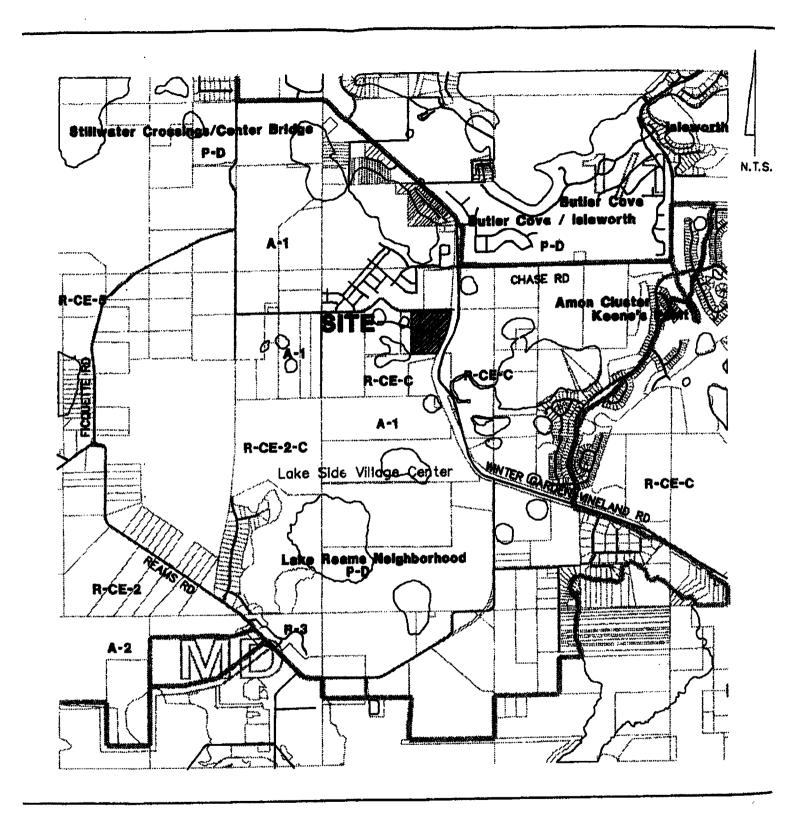
- (b) How the rule or order sought to be reviewed affects the interests of the party seeking review:
- (c) The oral or written statement, sworn or unsworn, which was submitted to the agency concerning the matter to be reviewed and the date and location of the statement, if the individual or entity requesting the review has not participated in a proceeding previously instituted pursuant to Chapter 120, F.S., on the order for which review is sought;
- (d) If review of an order is being sought, whether and how the activity authorized by the order would substantially affect natural resources of statewide or regional significance, or whether the order raises issues of policy, statutory interpretation, or rule interpretation that have regional or statewide significance from a standpoint of agency precedent, and all the factual bases in the record which the petitioner claims support such determination(s); and
- (e) The action requested to be taken by the Commission as a result of the review, whether to rescind or modify the order, or remand the proceeding to the water management district for further action, or to require the water management district to initiate rulemaking to adopt, amend or repeal a rule.

28-107.005 EMERGENCY ACTION

- (1) If the agency finds that immediate serious danger to the public health, safety, or welfare requires emergency action, the agency shall summarily suspend, limit, or restrict a license.
- (2) the 14-day notice requirement of Section 120.569(2)(b), F. S., does not apply and shall not be construed to prevent a hearing at the earliest time practicable upon request of an aggrieved party.
- (3) Unless otherwise provided by law, within 20 days after emergency action taken pursuant to paragraph (1) of this rule, the agency shall initiate a formal suspension or revocation proceeding in compliance with Sections 120.569, 120.57, and 120.60, F.S.

40E-1.611 EMERGENCY ACTION

- (1) An emergency exists when immediate action is necessary to protect public health, safety or welfare; the health of animals, fish or aquatic life; the works of the District; a public water supply, or recreational, commercial, industrial, agricultural or other reasonable uses of land and water resources.
- (2) The Executive Director may employ the resources of the District to take whatever remedial action necessary to alleviate the emergency condition without the issuance of an emergency order, or in the event an emergency order has been issued, after the expiration of the requisite time for compliance with that order.



LOCATION MAP

EXHIBIT 1

Last Date For Agency Action: 21-MAR-2004

GENERAL ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE PERMIT STAFF REPORT

Project Name:

Overstreet Pd

Permit No.:

48-01436-P

Application No.: 030805-12

Application Type: Environmental Resource (New General Permit)

Location:

Orange County, S25/T23S/R27E

Permittee :

Tousa Homes Inc

Operating Entity: Homeowners Association

Project Area: 30.7 acres

Project Land Use: Residential

Drainage Basin:

REEDY CREEK

Receiving Body: Lake Burden via wetland

Class: CLASS III

Special Drainage District: NA

Total Acres Wetland Onsite:

.45

Total Acres Wetland Preserved Onsite:

.00

Total Acres impacted Onsite:

Offsite Mitigation Credits-Mit.Bank:

.45

Florida Mitigation Bank .70

Conservation Easement To District:

No

Sovereign Submerged Lands: No

PROJECT PURPOSE:

This application is a request for an Environmental Resource Permit to authorize construction and operation of a surface water management system to serve 30.7 acres of residential development. Staff recommends approval with conditions.

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PROJECT EVALUATION:

PROJECT SITE DESCRIPTION:

The site is located southwest of the intersection of C.R. 535 and Overstreet Road in Orange County

There are no permitted surface water management facilities within the project area. Most of the site drains to the wetland along the south property line which drains through an existing swale into the CR 535 stormwater system, which discharges into Lake Burden.

The project site consists of dense planted pine with two small, isolated wetlands. Proposed development activities will result in impact to both on-site wetlands, totalling 0.45 acres. The Applicant will purchase credits within Florida Mitigation Bank to mitigate the wetland impacts. No listed species were documented to occur within the project boundaries.

PROPOSED PROJECT:

The applicant proposes construction and operation of a surface water management system to serve a 30.7 acre project known as Overstreet PD. Runoff from the site will be directed into a wet detention pond for water quality treatment and attenuation prior to discharge into the existing wetland, which discharges to CR 535, with ultimate discharge to Lake Burden. A portion of the site which discharged to a pond west of the proposed site is now being directed into the proposed wet detention pond. The applicant has submitted calculations which show that no adverse impacts will result to the pond west of the siter, or downstream properties as a result of the proposed system.

LAND USE:

Construction:

Project:

This Phase

Impervious	14.93	acres
Pervious	13.90	acres
Water Mgnt Acreage	1.87	acres
Total:	30.70	

WATER QUANTITY:

Discharge Rate:

"The Reedy Creek and Cypress Creek Drainage Basins Stormwater Management Master Plan, June 1996" indicates that there is no discharge from this site. However, after site inspections it was determined that an outfall does exist from Lake Story through the wetland into the CR 535 conveyance system. Predevelopment discharge was determined to be 18.3 cfs from this system. The post development model indicates that 8.6 cfs discharges from Pond 1 and 2.6 cfs discharges from the wetland to the CR 535 system. As shown in the table below, the proposed project discharge is within the allowable limit for the area.

Discharge Storm Frequency : 25 YEAR-1 DAY

Design Rainfall: 8.6 inches

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No adverse water quality impacts are anticipated as a result of the proposed project.

Basin		Treatment Method	Vol Req.d (ac-ft)	Vol Prov'd (ac-ft)
Overstreet	Treatment	Wet Detention 1.87 acr	es 2.52	2.52

WETLANDS:

There are two small, isolated wetlands within the project site. Wetland W-1 is approximately 0.02 acres in size and is located in the northwest corner of the property. This wetland is an herbaceous and open water system with nuisance species.

Wetland W-2 straddles the southern property boundary, with 0.43 acres on-site and 0.29 acres off-site to the south. Wetland W-2 is a low quality herbaceous system consisting of elderberry, sea myrtle and a variety of ferns with a dense cover of grape vine and blackberry. The hydrology of the wetland has been altered by the ditch that connects to the roadside swales along C.R.535.

Wetland Impacts:

Project development will result in impact to both on-site wetlands, totalling 0.45 acres. The original site plan did not propose impact to the southern wetland. However, due to the low quality, poor function, small size and the fact that the system straddles the property boundary, it was determined that alternate mitigation would be more ecologically beneficial than on-site preservation.

No cumulative impacts will be incurred by the proposed impacts. The wetlands to be impacted to not provide unique habitat to any listed species and the loss of the wetlands associated with this project will not have a detrimental effect on the Reedy Creek Drainage Basin.

Mitigation Proposal:

Pursuant to Section 4.2.2.1 of the Basis of Review, no mitigation is required for the Impact to wetland W-1 since it is less than one-half acre in size.

Welland W-2 straddles the southern property boundary, with 0.43 acres on-site and 0.29 acres off-site. The proposed development will impact the 0.43 acre on-site portion. Due to the system's poor quality and low ecological function, the remaining 0.29 acre off-site portion may not be a viable, functioning system in the post-development condition. The Applicant is providing mitigation for the entire 0.72 acre system through the purchase of 0.70 credits within the Florida Mitigation Bank.

The purchase of credits within a mitigation bank will provide an ecologically beneficial plan with regional benefits.

Wetland Inventory:

CONSTRUCTION NEW -OVERSTREET PD

ONSITE

CONSTRUCTION TIET					
Pre-Development			Post-Development		
	Total Existing	Impacted	Undisturbed Enhanced	Preserved	Restored/ Created
Fresh Water Herbaceous	.45	.45			
Total:	.45	.45			
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Wetland Inventory:

MITBANK	FLORIDA MITIGATION BANK	OFFSITE
Pre-Development	Post-Development	
	Mitigation Bank Cr Used	
Fresh Water Herbaceous	.70	
Total:	.70	

Endangered Species:

The project site does not contain preferred habitat for wetland-dependent endangered or threatened wildlife species or species of special concern. No wetland-dependent endangered/threatened species or species of special concern were observed onsite, and submitted information indicates that potential use of the site by such species is minimal. This permit does not relieve the applicant from complying with all applicable rules and any other agencies' requirements if, in the future, endangered/threatened species or species of special concern are discovered on the site.

LEGAL ISSUES:

The Applicant will purchase 0.70 credits within Florida Mitigation Bank in accordance with Exhibit 6, prior to wetland impact or within 45 days of permit issuance.

CERTIFICATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE WATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM:

It is suggested that the permittee retain the services of a Professional Engineer registered in the State of Florida for periodic observation of construction of the surface water management (SWM) system. This will facilitate the completion of construction completion certification Form #0881 which is required pursuant to Section 10 of the Basis of Review for Environmental Resource Permit Applications within the South Florida Water Management District, and Rule 40E-4361(2), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

Pursuant to Chapter 40E-4 F.A.C., this permit may not be converted from the construction phase to the operation phase until certification of the SWM system is submitted to and accepted by this District. Rule 40E-4.321(7) F.A.C. states that failure to complete construction of the SWM system and obtain operation phase approval from the District within the permit duration shall require a new permit authorization unless a permit extension is granted.

For SWM systems permitted with an operating entity who is different from the permittee, it should be noted that until the permit is transferred to the operating entity pursuant to Rule 40E-1.6107, F.A.C., the permittee is liable for compliance with the terms of this permit.

The permittee is advised that the efficiency of a SWM system will normally decrease over time unless the system is periodically maintained. A significant reduction in flow capacity can usually be attributed to partial blockages of the conveyance system. Once flow capacity is compromised, flooding of the project may result. Maintenance of the SWM system is required to protect the public health, safety and the natural resources of the state. Therefore, the permittee must have periodic inspections of the SWM system performed to ensure performance for flood protection and water quality purposes. If deficiencies are found, it is the responsibility of the permittee to correct these deficiencies in a timely manner.

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RELATED CONCERNS:

Water Use Permit Status:

The applicant has indicated that Orange County Utilities will supply potable water, wastewater treament and reuse water for the project.

This permit does not release the permittee from obtaining all necessary Water Use authorization(s) prior to the commencement of activities which will require such authorization, including construction dewatering and irrigation, unless the work qualifies for a general permit issued pursuant to Section 40E-20 FAC.

Historical/Archeological Resources:

No information has been received that indicates the presence of archaeological or historical resources or that the proposed activities could cause adverse impacts to archaeological or historical resources.

DCA/CZM Consistency Review:

The District has not received a finding of inconsistency from the Florida Department of Community Affairs or other commenting agencies regarding the provisions of the federal Coastal Zone Management Plan.

Enforcement:

There has been no enforcement activity associated with this application.

STAFF REVIEW:

DIVISION APPROVAL:

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT:

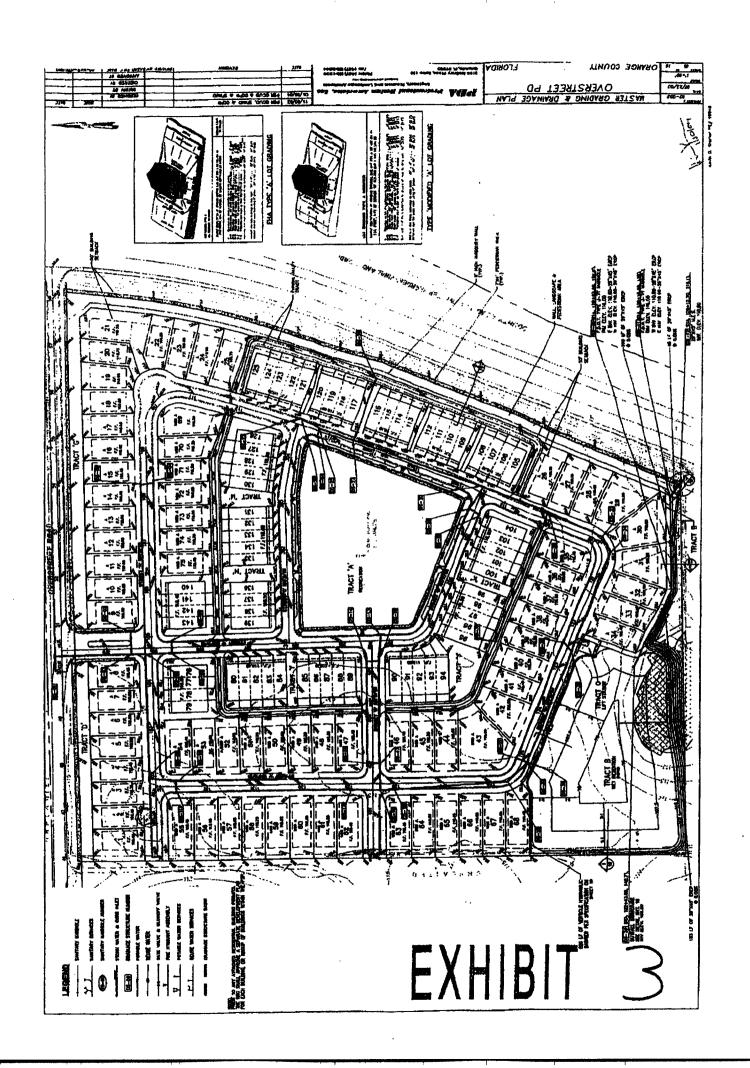
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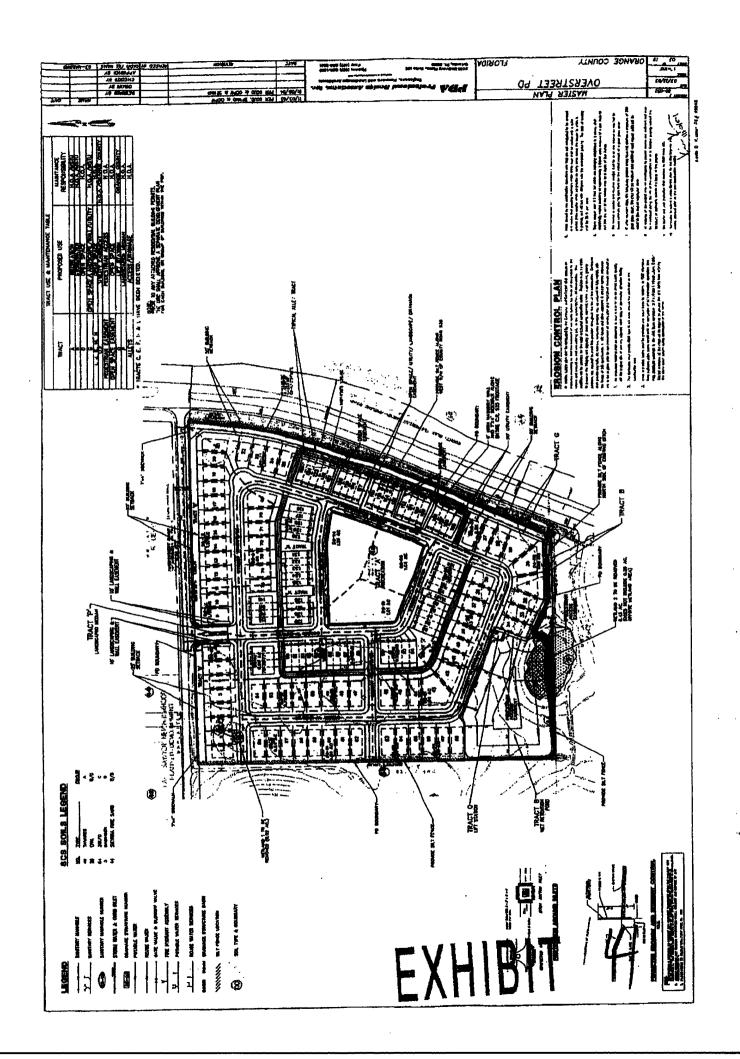
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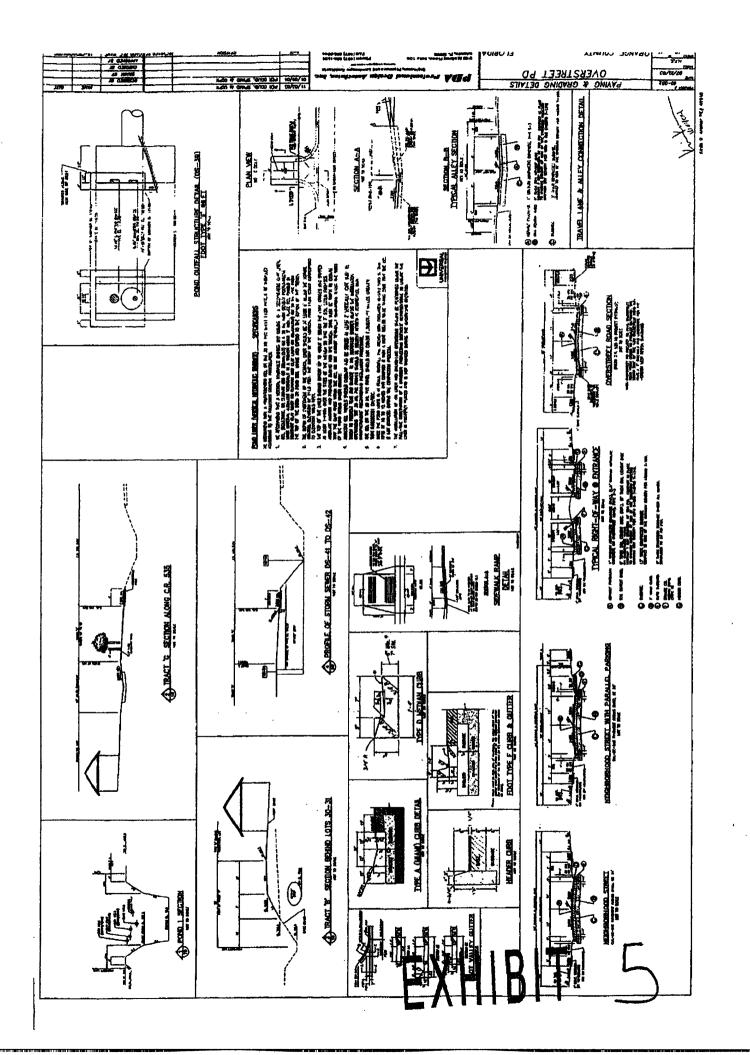
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Mitigation Plan ID: OVERSTREET PD

Activity

Due Date

SUBMITTAL OF FDEP DOCUMENTATION RE FMB CREDIT PURCHASE AND LEDGER

UPDATE

01-JUN-2004

Exhibit No: 6

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STAFF REPORT DISTRIBUTION LIST

OVERSTREET PD

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- X ERC Engineering 6850
- X ERC Environmental 6850
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EXTERNAL DISTRIBUTION

- X Permittee Tousa Homes Inc
- X Engr Consultant Professional Design Associates Inc

GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

- X Div of Recreation and Park District 6 FDEP
- X Florida Department of Environmental Protection
- X Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission -**Bureau of Protected Species Mgmt**
- X Orange County Environmental Protection Division
- X Orange County Public Utilities Division
- X Orange County Engineer Public Works Division Dvlpmnt Engineering Dept.
- X US Army Corps of Engineers

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES

- X Sierra Club Central Florida Group P.O. Box 941692
- X Water Management Institute Michael N. Vanatta





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Environmental Resource Regulation Department

POST-CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

For projects requiring permit transfer to the operating entity

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION / CONSTRUCTION CERTIFICATION (Form No. 0881)

- For Environmental Resource / Surface Water Management Permits
- Submit within 30 days of construction completion
- A Florida registered professional engineer must certify that all surface water management system facilities are constructed in substantial conformance with plans and specifications approved by the District
- Required by Sections 373.117 and 373.419, Fla. Stat.
- If another certification form is used by the engineer, it must address all components of
 the surface water management system and state that the engineer has reviewed the
 permit and that the constructed system is in substantial conformance with the plans
 and specifications approved by the District.

REQUEST FOR CONVERSION OF ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE / SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT PERMIT FROM CONSTRUCTION PHASE TO OPERATION PHASE AND TRANSFER OF PERMIT TO THE OPERATING ENTITY (Form No. 0920)

- For Environmental Resource / Surface Water Management Permits
- Form must be completed and signed by an authorized representative of the operating entity
- Form must include all applications to be transferred
- Required enclosures (listed on Form No. 0920) should be submitted at the same time
- Permit file must contain documentation that all applicable permit conditions have been satisfied.

AFFIDAVIT AND CHECKLIST FOR CONTENT OF ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS IN COMPLIANCE WITH SFWMD PERMITTING CRITERIA

- For Environmental Resource / Surface Water Management Permits
- Applies when a homeowner or property owner association, or master association, is the proposed operating entity for a surface water management system
- Submittal of affidavit greatly facilitates the review of the permit transfer
- Provides reasonable assurance that the association meets minimum requirements of Section 9.2, Basis of Review (BOR), to operate and maintain the surface water management system (Rev 6/02)

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South Florida Water Management District

ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE / SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT PERMIT SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATION

FORM 0881A 09/2003

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South Florida Water Management District

SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT PERMIT SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATION - FOR PROJECTS PERMITTED PRIOR TO OCTOBER 3, 1995.

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08/95

South Florida Water Management District

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ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE/SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT PERMIT

FROM CONSTRUCTION PHASE TO OPERATION PHASE AND

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(TO BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED BY THE OPERATING ENTITY)

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Copy of plat(s)

Copy of recorded restrictive covenants, articles of incorporation, certificate of incorporation

Copy of recorded transfer of title to surface water management system

Ap	plica	tion No(s).	
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	b.	All the powers set forth in Section 718, Fla. Stat.	Page no
OR	ļ		
1.	The	e power to:	
	a.	own and convey property;	Page no
	b.	operate and maintain common property, specifically the surface water management (SWM) as permitted by the SFWMD including all lakes, retention areas, culverts and related appurtenances;	Page no
	c.	establish rules and regulations;	Page no
	d.	assess members and enforce assessments;	Page no
!	Θ.	to sue and be sued; and	Page no
	f.	contract for services to provide for operation and maintenance services.	Page no.
2.	All	homeowners, lot owners, property owners, unit owners and golf course(s), if any members of the Association.	Page no
3.	bro	e Association exists in perpetuity; however, if the Association is dissolved, the perty consisting of the surface water management system will be conveyed to an propriate agency of local government. If this is not accepted, then the surface ter management system will be dedicated to a similar non-profit corporation.	Page no.

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(9.2.4. BOR) I further attest that the following covenants and restrictions are contained in the Declaration of Protective Covenants, Declaration of Condominium, Deed Restrictions or Articles of Incorporation (documents) on the page numbers indicated:

1.	The Association is responsible for the operation and maintenance of the SWM system described in the permit.	Page no
2,	The SWM system is:	
	a. owned by the Association; or	Page no
	b. described in the documents as common property.	Page no
3.	The Association is responsible for assessing and collecting fees for the operation, maintenance, and if necessary, replacement of the SWM system.	Page no
4.	Any amendment proposed to these documents which would affect the SWM system, conservation areas or water management portions of the common areas will be submitted to the District for a determination of whether the amendment necessitates a modification of the SFWMD permit. If a modification is necessary, the District will so advise the permittee.	Page no
5.	The rules and regulations shall remain in effect for a minimum of twenty-five (25) years and shall be automatically renewed thereafter.	Page no
6.	If wetland mitigation or monitoring is required the association shall be responsible to carry out this obligation. The rules and regulations state that it shall be the association's responsibility to complete the task successfully, including meeting all (permit) conditions associated with wetland mitigation, maintenance and monitoring.*	Page no
7.	a. The SFWMD Permit No is attached to the documents as Exhibit	Page no
	 copies of the permit and any future SFWMD permit actions shall be maintained by the Association's Registered Agent for the Association's benefit.* 	Page no
8.	The District has the right to take enforcement action, including a civil action for an injunction and penalties against the association to compel it to correct any outstanding problems with the surface water management system facilities or in mitigation or conservation areas under the responsibility or control of the association.	Page no

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^{*} You may strike out this section if it is not applicable.

(9.2.6, BOR) If the project is a phased project or has independent associations, I further attest that the following powers and duties are contained in the documents:

1.	Th ph	e (Master) Association has the power to accept into the association subsequent ases, that will utilize the same SWM system; or	Page no.
2.	a.	The documents provide that independent associations have the right to utilize the permitted SWM system;	Page no.
•••	b.	The documents delineate maintenance responsibilities between the independent associations;	Page no.
	C.	Cross easements for drainage, and ingress and egress for maintenance, copies of which are attached, have been granted between all independent associations utilizing the SWM system.	Page no
	d.	The golf course owner / operator is a member of the Association and the documents reflect this relationship.	Page no.
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PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

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PRESTON SQUARE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. COMMUNITY STANDARDS

Pursuant to the Declaration for Preston Square (the "<u>Declaration</u>"), Centerline Homes at Preston Square, LLC, as Developer, has appointed the Architectural Control Committee for Preston Square (the "<u>ACC</u>"). Pursuant to the Declaration, the ACC hereby adopts the following procedures, which shall be known as Community Standards.

- 1. <u>Defined Terms</u>. All initially capitalized terms shall have the meanings set forth in the Declaration unless otherwise defined herein.
- 2. Approval Required. The ACC shall approve or disapprove any improvements or structure of any kind within any portion of Preston Square including, without limitation, any building, fence, wall, swimming pool, tennis court, screen enclosure, decorative building, landscape device or object, and/or other improvement or change or modification thereto, the construction, erection, performance or placement of which is proposed upon any Home or any other portion of Preston Square. The ACC shall approve or disapprove any exterior addition, changes, modifications or alterations therein or thereon. All decisions of the ACC shall be submitted in writing to the Board. Any party aggrieved by a decision of the ACC shall have the right to make a written request to the Board, within thirty (30) days of such decision, for a review thereof. The determination of the Board upon reviewing any such decision shall in all events be dispositive. Notwithstanding the foregoing ACC approval is not required for improvements or changes to the interior of a Home not visible from the exterior of a Home.
- 3. <u>Deviations</u>. The ACC has the right to deviate from the provisions of these Community Standards for reasons of practical difficulty or particular hardship which otherwise would be suffered by any Owner, without consent of the Owner of any adjoining or adjacent Home. Any deviation, which shall be manifested by written agreement, and shall not constitute a waiver of any restriction or provision of these Community Standards as to any other Home. The granting of a deviation or variance shall not nullify or otherwise affect the right to require strict compliance with the requirements set forth herein on any other occasion.
- 4. <u>Procedure</u>. In order to obtain the approval of the ACC, each Owner shall observe the following:
- 4.1 <u>Application</u>. Each applicant shall submit an application to the ACC with respect to any proposed improvement or material change in an improvement, together with the required application and fee(s) as established by the ACC. The current application form is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.
- 4.2 Plans Generally. The ACC may require, at its discretion, up to three (3) complete sets of all plans and specifications for any improvement or structure of any kind, including without limitation, any building, fence, wall, swimming pool, tennis court, enclosure, decorative building, landscape device or object, or other improvement, the construction or placement of which is proposed upon any Home, which plans shall include the proposed elevation of all floor slabs and pool decks, and three (3) complete sets of the drainage plan, grading plan, tree survey, lot survey, color plan and materials designation plan for such improvement or structure.
- 4.3 Revised Plans. Preliminary plans and drawings must be submitted to the ACC, and approval of the same obtained. The ACC may require the submission of final plans and specifications if initial plans must be revised. All plans and drawings submitted must be signed by both the professional who has prepared such plans and drawings and the Owner of the Home, and must include (unless waived by the ACC) the following:
- 4.3.1 A current certified survey of the Home showing the proposed location of the improvement, grade elevation, contour lines, location of all proposed paved areas and location of all existing trees.
- 4.3.2 A landscape plan including a graphic indication of the location and size of all plant materials on the site (existing and proposed), and the Latin and/or common names of all plants and their planted size.

- 4.3.3 The ACC may also require submission of samples of building materials and colors proposed to be used.
- 4.4 <u>Incomplete Application or Supplemental Information Required</u>. In the event the information submitted to the ACC is, in the ACC's opinion, incomplete or insufficient in any manner, the ACC may request and require the submission of additional or supplemental information. The applicant shall, within fifteen (15) days thereafter, comply with the request.
- 4.5 Quorum. A majority of the ACC shall constitute a quorum to transact business at any meeting. The action of a majority present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall constitute the action of ACC. In lieu of a meeting, the ACC may act in writing.
- Time for Review. No later than thirty (30) days after receipt of all information required by the ACC for final review, the ACC shall approve or deny the application in writing. The ACC shall have the right to disapprove any plans and specifications which are not suitable or desirable, in the ACC's sole discretion, for aesthetic or any other reasons or to impose qualifications and conditions thereon. In approving or disapproving such plans and specifications, the ACC shall consider the suitability of the proposed improvements, the materials of which the improvements are to be built, the site upon which the improvements are proposed to be erected, the harmony thereof with the surrounding area and the effect thereof on adjacent or neighboring property. In the event the ACC fails to respond within said thirty (30) day period, the plans and specifications shall be deemed disapproved by the ACC.
- 4.7 <u>Rehearing.</u> In the event that the ACC disapproves any plans and specifications, the applicant may request a rehearing by the ACC for additional review of the disapproved plans and specifications. The meeting shall take place no later than thirty (30) days after written request for such meeting is received by the ACC, unless applicant waives this time requirement in writing. The ACC shall make a final written decision no later than thirty (30) days after such meeting. In the event the ACC fails to provide such written decision within said thirty (30) days, the plans and specifications shall be deemed disapproved.
- 4.8 Appeal to Board. Upon final disapproval (even if the members of the Board and ACC are the same), the applicant may appeal the decision of the ACC to the Board within thirty (30) days of the ACC's written review and disapproval. Review by the Board shall take place no later than thirty (30) days subsequent to the receipt by the Board of the Owner's request therefor. If the Board fails to hold such a meeting within thirty (30) days after receipt of request for such meeting, then the plans and specifications shall be deemed approved. The Board shall make a final decision no later than thirty (30) days after such meeting. In the event the Board fails to provide such written decision within said thirty (30) days after such meeting, such plans and specifications shall be deemed approved. The decision of the ACC, or if appealed, the Board, shall be final and binding upon the applicant, his heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns.
- 4.9 <u>Procedures</u>. The ACC shall adopt, from time to time, additional procedures and forms necessary to carry out its responsibilities under the Declaration and these Community Standards.

5. The Criteria.

- 5.1 <u>Alterations</u>. Any and all alterations, deletions, additions and changes of any type or nature whatsoever to then existing improvements or the plans or specifications previously approved by the ACC shall be subject to the approval of the ACC in the same manner as required for approval of original plans and specifications.
- 5.2 <u>Time for Completion</u>. Construction of all improvements shall be completed within the time period set forth in the application and approved by the ACC.
- 5.3 <u>Permits</u>. The Owner is solely responsible to obtain all required building and other permits from all governmental authorities having jurisdiction and is responsible for compliance with all applicable building and zoning codes.
- 5.4 <u>Harmony and Appearance</u>. The ACC shall have the right of final approval of the exterior appearance of all Homes including the harmony of the architectural design with the

other Homes within the community, including but not limited to, the quality and appearance of all exterior building materials.

- 5.5 Architect. All Homes in the community shall be designed by a registered architect.
- 5.6 <u>Setbacks</u>. Each Owner is responsible for compliance with any building codes and setback regulations. The minimum front, side and rear setbacks and minimum square footage for all Homes in the community shall be as required by the Broward County Zoning Code and/or South Florida Building Code, whichever is more restrictive. Where conditions permit, the ACC, at its sole discretion, may require larger setbacks.
- 5.7 Type. No building shall be erected, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than a Home. Unless approved by the ACC as to use, location and architectural design, no garage, tool or storage room, playhouse, screened enclosure or greenhouse may be constructed separate and apart from any residential building nor can such structure(s) be constructed prior to construction of the main residential dwelling.
- 5.8 <u>Work Commencement.</u> No work shall commence prior to approval by the ACC. No foundation for a building shall be poured, nor pilings driven, nor shall construction commence in any manner or respect, until the layout for the building is approved by the ACC. It is the purpose of this approval to assure that removal of desirable existing trees is minimized and that the building is placed on the Home in its most advantageous position.
- Exterior Color Plan. The ACC shall have final approval of all exterior color plans including materials and each Owner must submit to the ACC, a color plan showing the color of all exterior surfaces which shall include samples of the actual colors to be utilized and the materials. The ACC shall determine whether the color plan and materials are consistent with the Homes in the surrounding areas and that they conform with the color scheme of the community. The color plan must be submitted prior to construction or repainting. The ACC, at the direction of Association, reserves the right, and is hereby given the right, to determine that any building in the community is in need of outside painting. In the event the determination is made that a building requires outside painting, the ACC shall give the Owner(s) of such building notice of such determination, which notice shall be accompanied by the demand that such Owner(s) comply with such demand within 45 days after the mailing of such notice. In the event such Owner(s) fail to comply with such notice and demand, the ACC shall have the right, but not the obligation, to cause such outside painting to be done and performed, and shall make an Individual Assessment against the Owner(s) to cover the costs of such outside painting, including, without limitation, an administrative fee equal to the greater of \$50 or 15% of the cost of such work, and shall have full lien rights against the Home as set forth in the Declaration.
- 5.10 Roofs, Eaves and Gables. All roofs, including the replacement of all or any part of a roof, must be approved by the ACC. No asphalt roofs shall be permitted. All required heat and plumbing vents shall not penetrate the roof on the road-side of the building unless determined to be absolutely necessary by the ACC. In all events such vents and roof edge flashing shall be painted the same color as the roof. A sample of the material to be used, including the color of the material, must be submitted with the application for approval of a roof or for the replacement of a roof with any material other than the existing material. All roof main spans shall have a slope or pitch of a minimum of five feet of rise for each twelve feet of lateral distance, or 5/12. Roofing materials shall be cement tiles or other materials of similar useable life approved by the ACC.
- 5.11 <u>Window Frames</u>. Window frames other than wood must be either anodized or electronically painted. If a window frame is steel, the color should be in harmony with the exterior. No mill finish aluminum color will be allowed. All windows must utilize white window frames. Wood frames must be painted.
- 5.12 <u>Window Treatments</u>. All window treatments facing the street must be a neutral color (white, off-white or wood tones) and must be compatible with the Home exterior.
- 5.13 Front, Rear and Side Facades. The treatment of the rear and side facade will be similar to that of the front elevations of the Home and similar materials will be used as determined by the ACC.

- 5.14 <u>Garages</u>. No carports will be permitted. All garage doors must be color compatible with the Home exterior.
- 5.15 <u>Driveway Construction</u>. All Homes shall have a driveway of pavers, bricks, or stamped concrete constructed on an approved base. Prior approval for other materials must be obtained from the ACC. A sample of the requested material to be used must be submitted at the time of application for change. All requests for the extension or modification of a driveway must be submitted to the ACC with an application. Walkways may be comprised of pavers, bricks, stamped concrete, or poured concrete. No gravel driveways will be permitted.
 - 5.16 Signs. The following signs shall be permitted:
- 5.16.1 Such signs as Association shall establish as being necessary for purposes of orientation, directional, or traffic control.
- 5.16.2 Such signs as are presently authorized to developers and builders until such time as the Lots are sold.
- 5.16.3 A pool builder may place a sign as needed for permit purposes during construction of a pool. Such sign must be removed immediately upon completion of construction.
- 5.16.4 No other signs of any kind shall be displayed in the public view on any property within Preston Square, unless otherwise provided for in the Declaration, and all Owners of property subject to these Community Standards do hereby grant to Association and the ACC, the right to enter upon their property for the purpose of removing any unauthorized signs.
- 5.17 <u>Games, Play Structures and Recreational Equipment.</u> No basketball-backboard, swing set, gym, sand box, nor any other fixed or portable game or play structure, including, without limitation, portable goals, platform, dog house, playhouse or structure of a similar kind or nature shall be constructed on any part of a Lot located within the sight of the street or of any neighboring properties unless properly screened as determined by the ACC. All such structures must have the prior written approval of the ACC.
- 5.18 Fences, Walls and Screens. No fences or walls shall be constructed on any Home without the prior written consent of the ACC. No chainlink fencing is allowed except for community perimeters and then only with required landscaping. All screening and screened enclosures shall have the prior written approval of the ACC and shall be constructed utilizing white aluminum unless otherwise approved by the ACC. Screening shall be charcoal in color. All enclosures of balconies or patios, including addition of vinyl windows, shall be approved by the ACC and all decks shall require the prior approval of the ACC.
- 5.19 <u>Landscaping Criteria</u>. Basic landscaping plans for each Home or the modifications to any existing landscaping plan must be submitted to and approved by the ACC. All landscaping must be installed as to fit in with neighboring properties. The ACC may reject the landscape plan based upon its review of its overall design and impact. Such landscaping plan must detail the location of beds and planting materials. New plantings shall require the Owner to maintain such area at such Owner's own cost as the Association shall only maintain landscaping as installed by Developer or the Association. The planting of dangerous plants resulting in unusual or excessive debris will not be permitted. No invasive or non-native (e.g., melaleuca, brazilian pepper) plants are permitted. No landscaping shall be removed without the prior written approval of the ACC. Each Owner is solely responsible for compliance with landscaping and zoning codes.
- 5.20~ Spas and Jacuzzis. Spas and jacuzzis must have the prior written approval of the ACC.
 - 5.21 <u>Tennis Courts</u>. Tennis courts and game courts are not permitted within Lots.
- 5.22 Garbage and Trash Containers. No Home shall be used or maintained by an Owner as a dumping ground for rubbish, trash or other waste. All trash, garbage and other waste shall be kept in sanitary containers and, except during pickup, if required to be placed at the curb,

all containers shall be kept out of public view from either the front of a Home or from neighboring properties.

- 5.23 <u>Temporary Structures</u>. No structure of a temporary character, trailer, basement, tent, shack, garage, barn or other out building shall be used on any Home at any time as a Home either temporary or permanently.
- 5.24 <u>Window Air Conditioning</u>. No window or wall air conditioning units shall be permitted.
- 5.25 Mailboxes. No mailbox or paperbox or other receptacle of any kind for use in the delivery of mail or newspapers or magazines or similar material shall be erected on any Home unless and until the size, location, design and type of material for said house or receptacle shall have been approved by the ACC, provided however, that Developer reserves the right, to be exercised at its option, to provide each mailbox and post to be used on each Home. If and when the United States mail service or the newspaper involved shall indicate a willingness to make delivery to wall receptacles attached to Homes, each Owner, on the request of the ACC, shall replace the boxes or receptacles previously employed for such purpose with the wall receptacles attached to Homes.
- 5.26 <u>Utility Connections</u>. Building connections for all utilities, including, but not limited to, water, electricity, telephone and television shall be run underground from the proper connecting points to the building structure in such a manner to be acceptable to the governing utility authority. No exposed wiring on the exterior of a structure will be permitted other than originally installed by Developer.
- 5.27 Antenna. All outside antennas, antenna poles, antenna masts, electronic devises, satellite dish antennas, or antenna towers are subject to the prior approval of the ACC. The ACC may require that all such items be screened from view and that the installation of the antenna comply with all applicable safety restrictions, including any restrictions as to location and height of antenna as imposed by applicable fire codes, electrical codes, zoning codes, and building codes. A flagpole for the display of the American flag only may be permitted if approved by the ACC. An approved flagpole may not be used as an antenna. One meter satellite dishes may be placed below the roof line in rear of the Home with the prior approval of the ACC as provided in Section 6.2 herein.
- 5.28 Flags. No flag or banner shall be exhibited, displayed, inscribed, painted or affixed in, or upon any part of Preston Square that is visible from the outside without the prior written approval thereof being first had and obtained by the ACC as required by these Community Standards. No in-ground flag poles (except as Developer may use) shall be permitted within Preston Square, unless written approval of the ACC is obtained. Notwithstanding the following, flags which are no larger than 24" x 36", attached to a home and displayed for the purpose of a holiday, and American flags shall be permitted without ACC approval.
- 5.29 <u>Holiday Lights</u>. Holiday lights may be put up on Homes within Preston Square so long as the lights do not create a nuisance (e.g., unacceptable spillover to adjacent lot) or excessive traffic and as set forth in the Declaration.
- 5.30 Additions. Rain water from a new addition roof or new grade of Home terrain must not run on neighboring property as to create a nuisance. The location of all windows in a new addition must not adversely affect the privacy of adjoining neighbors. Each Owner is responsible for maintaining established drainage patterns on the lot comprising the Home so as not to adversely affect drainage in any other portion of Preston Square.
- 5.31 <u>Awnings and Shutters</u>. All awnings and shutters, other than those originally installed by Developer, must be approved by the ACC and must be color compatible with exterior of the Home.
- 5.32 <u>Doors</u>. The replacement of exterior doors must be color compatible with the exterior of the Home. All exterior entrance doors must be compatible with the community.

- 5.33 Glass Block. The use of glass block on an existing Home or the use of glass block in an addition to an existing Home is subject to approval.
- 5.34 Storage Sheds. All storage sheds must have the prior written approval of the ACC.
- 5.35 <u>Gutter and Solar Collectors</u>. All gutters must match the exterior house color, trim color and window metal color. Gutter down spouts must not concentrate water flow onto neighboring properties. Solar collectors must not be installed so as to be visible from the street.

Express Approval.

6.1 Within Thirty (30) Days.

- 6.1.1 Notwithstanding any provision herein to the contrary, unless the ACC disapproves one of the following proposed improvements within thirty (30) days after the ACC receives written request for such approval, the request shall be deemed approved by the ACC:
- 6.1.1.1 Re-paint house exteriors and trims in the identical color previously approved by the ACC.
- 6.1.1.2 Re-surface existing driveways in the identical color/material previously approved by the ACC.
- 6.1.1.3 Replace existing screening with identical screening materials previously approved by the ACC.
- 6.1.1.4 Replace existing exterior doors with identical exterior doors previously approved by the ACC.
 - 6.1.1.5 Mailbox previously approved.
 - 6.1.1.6 Replace existing roof with identical roof material.
 - 6.1.1.7 Installation of hurricane shutters.

6.2 Within Five (5) Days.

- 6.2.1 Notwithstanding any provision herein to the contrary, unless the ACC disapproves the following proposed improvements within five (5) days after the ACC receives written request for such approval, the request shall be deemed approved by the ACC:
- 6.2.2 Installation of an antenna designed to receive direct broadcast satellite services, video programming services via multipoint distribution services, and/or television broadcast services.
- 6.2.3 Installation of a satellite earth station antenna that is one (1) meter or less in diameter.

All references in this paragraph to "identical" shall mean that such item shall be replaced with an item that is identical in all respects to the existing item (i.e., the identical style, texture, size, color, type, etc.).

- 7. <u>Deviations</u>. No construction may commence until the final plans and specifications have been approved by the ACC. No deviations from the approved plans and specifications shall be permitted and the ACC may require work to be stopped if a deviation is discovered until the deviation is corrected. Association may withhold issuance of its Certificate Of Compliance if the completed Home deviates from the ACC approved plans and may take appropriate action against the responsible parties to require conformance to the ACC approved plans.
- 8. Administrative Fees and Compensation. As a means of defraying its expense, the ACC may institute and require a reasonable filing fee to accompany the submission of the preliminary plans and specifications, to be not more than one fourth of percent (1/4%) of the estimated cost of the proposed improvement, subject to a minimum fee of Twenty-Five and no/100 dollars

- (\$25.00). No additional fee may be required for re-submissions. No member of the ACC shall be entitled to any compensation for services performed pursuant to these Community Standards. In addition, if special architectural or other professional review is required of any particular improvement, the applicant may also be responsible for reimbursing the ACC for the cost of such review.
- Liability. Notwithstanding the approval by the ACC of plans and specifications submitted to it or its inspection of the work in progress, neither it, Developer, Association, nor any other person acting on behalf of any of them, shall be responsible in any way for any defects in any plans or specifications or other material submitted to the ACC, nor for any defects in any work completed pursuant thereto. Each applicant submitting plans or specifications to the ACC shall be solely responsible for the sufficiency thereof and the adequacy of improvements constructed pursuant thereto. In no event shall the ACC, Association, or Developer owe any duty to any Owner or any other party with respect to the quality of the construction or the compliance of the construction with approved plans and specifications and the respective Owner shall indemnify and hold harmless the ACC, Association, and Developer from any and all claims resulting therefrom including reasonable attorneys' and paraprofessional fees and costs. The approval of any proposed improvements or alterations by the ACC shall not constitute a warranty or approval as to, and no member or representative of the ACC or the Board shall be liable for, the safety, soundness, workmanship, materials or usefulness for any purpose of any such improvement or alteration nor as to its compliance with governmental or industry codes or standards. By submitting a request for the approval of any improvement or alteration, the requesting Owner shall be deemed to have automatically agreed to hold harmless and indemnify the aforesaid members and representatives, and Association, generally, from and for any loss, claim or damages connected with such aspects of the improvements or alterations.
- 10. <u>Construction by Owners</u>. The following provisions govern construction activities by Owners after consent of the ACC has been obtained:
- 10.1 Miscellaneous. Each Owner shall deliver to the ACC, when required, copies of all construction and building permits as and when received by the Owner. Each construction site in Preston Square shall be maintained in a neat and orderly condition throughout construction. Construction activities shall be performed on a diligent, work manlike and continuous basis. Roadways, easements, swales, Common Areas and other such areas in Preston Square shall be kept clear of construction vehicles, construction materials and debris at all times. construction office or trailer shall be kept in Preston Square and no construction materials shall be stored in Preston Square subject, however, to such conditions and requirements as may be promulgated by the ACC. All refuse and debris shall be removed or deposited in a dumpster on a daily basis. No materials shall be deposited or permitted to be deposited in any canal or waterway or Common Areas or other Homes in Preston Square or be placed anywhere outside of the Home upon which the construction is taking place. No hazardous waste or toxic materials shall be stored, handled and used, including, without limitation, gasoline and petroleum products, except in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local statutes, regulations and ordinances, and shall not be deposited in any manner on, in or within the construction or adjacent property or waterways. All construction activities shall comply with these Community Standards. Any permit boards or signs must be removed immediately upon completion of construction and work activities. In the event an Owner fails to comply with the foregoing, the ACC shall have the right, but not the obligation, to cause the boards and/or signs to be removed and to charge an Individual Assessment against the Owner to cover the cost of removal including, without limitation, an administrative fee equal to the greater of \$50 or 15% of the cost of such removal.
- 10.2 <u>Required Lists</u>. There shall be provided to the ACC, when required, a list (name, address, telephone number and identity of contact person), of all contractors, subcontractors, materialmen and suppliers (collectively, "<u>Contractors</u>") and changes to the list as they occur relating to construction. Each builder and all of its employees and contractors and their employees shall utilize those roadways and entrances into Preston Square as are designated by the ACC for construction activities. The ACC shall have the right to require that each builder's and contractor's employees check in at the designated construction entrances and to refuse entrance to persons and parties whose names are not registered with the ACC.

- 10.3 Owner Responsibility. Each Owner is responsible for insuring compliance with all terms and conditions of these Community Standards by all of its employees and contractors. In the event of any violation of any such terms or conditions by any employee or contractor, or, in the opinion of the ACC, the continued refusal of any employee or contractor to comply with such terms and conditions, after five (5) days' notice and right to cure, the ACC shall have, in addition to the other rights hereunder, the right to prohibit the violating employee or contractor from performing any further services in Preston Square. Each Owner is responsible for restoring any Common Areas damaged or destroyed by work activities of such Owner's contractor(s).
- 10.4 ACC Standards. The ACC may, from time to time, adopt standards governing the performance or conduct of Owners, contractors and their respective employees within Preston Square. Each Owner and contractor shall comply with such standards and cause its respective employees to also comply with same. The ACC may also promulgate requirements to be inserted in all contracts relating to construction within Preston Square and each Owner shall include the same therein.
- 11. <u>Inspection</u>. There is specifically reserved to Association and ACC and to any agent or member of either of them, the right of entry and inspection upon any portion of Preston Square for the purpose of determination whether there exists any violation of the terms of any approval or the terms of the Declaration or these Community Standards. Without limiting the foregoing, the ACC shall have the right to make inspections during the construction of any structure or improvement to ensure that such structure or improvement is being constructed in accordance with the plans previously submitted to and approved by the ACC.
- 12. <u>Violation</u>. If any improvement shall be constructed or altered without prior written approval, or in a manner which fails to conform with the approval granted, the Owner shall, upon demand of Association or the ACC, cause such improvement to be removed, or restored until approval is obtained or in order to comply with the plans and specifications originally approved. The Owner shall be liable for the payment of all costs of removal or restoration, including all costs and attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels including appeals, collections and bankruptcy, incurred by Association or ACC. The costs shall be deemed an Individual Assessment and enforceable pursuant to the provisions of the Declaration. The ACC and/or Association is specifically empowered to enforce the architectural and landscaping provisions of the Declaration and these Community Standards, by any legal or equitable remedy.
- 13. <u>Court Costs</u>. In the event that it becomes necessary to resort to litigation to determine the propriety of any constructed improvement or to cause the removal of any unapproved improvement, Association and/or ACC shall be entitled to recover court costs, expenses and attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels, including appeals, collections and bankruptcy, in connection therewith.
- 14. <u>Exemption</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in these Community Standards, any improvements of any nature made or to be made by Developer or the District, or their nominees, including, without limitation, improvements made or to be made to the Common Areas or any Home, shall not be subject to the review of the ACC, Association, or the provisions of these Community Standards.
- Supplemental Exculpation. Developer, Association, the directors or officers of Association, the ACC, the members of the ACC, or any person acting on behalf of any of them, shall not be liable for any cost or damages incurred by any Owner or any other party whatsoever, due to any mistakes in judgment, negligence, or any action of Developer, Association, ACC or their members, officers, or directors, in connection with the approval or disapproval of plans and specifications. Each Owner agrees, individually and on behalf of its heirs, successors and assigns by acquiring title to a Home, that it shall not bring any action or suit against Developer, Association or their respective directors or officers, the ACC or the members of the ACC, or their respective agents, in order to recover any damages caused by the actions of Developer, Association, or ACC or their respective members, officers, or directors in connection with the provisions of this Section. Association does hereby indemnify, defend and hold Developer and the ACC, and each of their members, officers, and directors harmless from all costs, expenses, and liabilities, including attorneys' fees and paraprofessional fees at all levels, including appeals, of all nature resulting by virtue of the acts of the Owners, Association, ACC or their members, officers and directors. Developer, Association, its directors or officers, the ACC or its members, or any person acting on behalf of any of them, shall not be responsible for any defects in any

plans or specifications or the failure of same to comply with applicable laws or code nor for any defects in any improvements constructed pursuant thereto. Each party submitting plans and specifications for approval shall be solely responsible for the sufficiency thereof and for the quality of construction performed pursuant thereto.

16. Amendments to Community Standards. The ACC shall recommend from time to time to the Board modifications and/or amendments to these Community Standards. Any modifications or amendments to these Community Standards shall be consistent with the provisions of the Declaration, and shall not be effective until approved by the Board and, prior to the Community Completion Date, by Developer. Notice of any modification or amendment to these Community Standards, including a verbatim copy of such change or modification, shall be posted within Preston Square, provided, however, the posting of notice of any modification or amendment to these Community Standards shall not constitute a condition precedent to the effectiveness or validity of such change or modification.

APPROVAL OF ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL COMMITTEE:	APPROVAL OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS:	
Name:Date:	Name: Date:	
Name:Date:	Name: Date:	
Name:	Name: Date:	
	APPROVAL OF DEVELOPER: CENTERLINE HOMES AT PRESTON SQUARE, LLC, a Florida limited liability company	
	By: Name: Title: Date:	