#### MASTER DEED

## RIVER BEND CONDOMINIUM

This Consolidating Master Deed is made and executed on this 13th day of October , 1992, by Seville Homes, Inc., a Michigan corporation, hereinafter referred to as "Developer", whose post office address is 51332 Oro Dirve, Shelby, Michigan 48315, in pursuance of the provisions of the Michigan Condominium Act (being Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended), hereinafter referred to as the "Act".

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Developer by recording by recording in Liber 4062, Pages 337 through 385, inclusive, Macomb County Records, a Master Deed, together with the Bylaws attached hereto as Exhibit A and together the Condominium Subdivision Plan attached hereto as Exhibit B, and by preparing First through Fourth Amendments to the Master Deed and recording the same as follows: First Amendment to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 4201, Pages 221 and 222, and 235 through 244, Second Amendment to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 4301, Pages 914 through 930, Third Amendment to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 4515, Pages 454 through 469, and Fourth Amendment to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 4641, Pages 687 through 702, Macomb County Records, established the real property described in Article II below, together with the improvements located and to be located thereon, and the appurtenances thereto, as a residential Condominium Project under the provisions of the Act; and

WHEREAS, Developer desires to consolidate said Master Deed and First through Fourth Amendments thereto by declaring and recording this Consolidating Master Deed pursuant to the authority reserved to Developer in Article VI of said Master Deed, in order to eliminate now inapplicable portions of the original Master Deed, Condominium Bylaws, Condominium Subdivision Plan and any amendments thereto, for ease of reference and for the purpose of correcting any errors.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Developer does, upon the recording hereof, confirm River Bend Condominium as a Condominium Project under the Act and does declare that River Bend Condominium (hereinafter referred to as the "Condominium", "Project" or the "Condominium Project") shall, after recording of this Consolidating Master Deed, be held, conveyed, hypothecated, encumbered, leased, rented, occupied, improved, or in any other manner utilized, subject to the provisions of the Act, and to the covenants, conditions, restrictions, uses, limitations and affirmative obligations set forth in this Consolidating Master Deed and Exhibits A and B hereto, all of which shall be deemed to run with the land and shall be a burden and a benefit to the Developer, its successors and assigns, and any persons acquiring or owning an interest in the Condominium Premises, their grantees, successors, heirs, personal representatives and assigns. In furtherance of the establishment of the Condominium Project, it is provided as follows:

## ARTICLE I

#### TITLE AND NATURE

The Condominium Project shall be known as River Bend Condominium, Macomb County Condominium Subdivision Plan No. 231. The Condominium Project is established in accordance with the Act. The buildings and Units contained in the Condominium, including the number, boundaries, dimensions, area and volume of each Unit therein, are set forth completely in the Condominium Subdivision Plan attached as Exhibit B hereto. Each building contains individual Units for residential purposes and each Unit is capable of

individual utilization on account of having its own entrance from and exit to a Common Element or the Condominium Project. Each Co-owner in the Condominium Project shall have an exclusive right to his Unit and shall have undivided and inseparable rights to share with other Co-owners the Common Elements of the Condominium Project as are designated by the Consolidating Master Deed.

#### ARTICLE II

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

The land which is submitted to the Condominium Project, the establishment which is confirmed by this Consolidating Master Deed, is particularly described as follows:

A parcel of land located in and being a part of P.C. 610, T. 2 N., R. 13 E., Clinton Township, Macomb County, Michigan, and being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a point 2909.31 feet S. 87° 10' 16" E., 1567.75 feet N. 02° 55' 00" E., 492.59 feet, S. 87° 53' 37" E., and 45.00 feet N. 02° 53' 23" E., from the Southwest corner of said P.C. 610 and thence extending N. 02° 53' 23" E., 1307.24 feet, thence along the centerline of Dunham Road (86'wide) S. 87° 36' 07" E., 540.31 feet, thence S. 17° 50' 42" E., 489.49 feet, thence S. 77° 32' 41" E., 233.18 feet, thence S. 03° 00' 23' W., 545.94 feet, thence N. 80° 28' 07" W., 23.10 feet, thence N. 74° 01' 33" W., 130.56 feet, thence S. 41° 11' 32" W., 181.70 feet, thence S. 29° 32' 18" E., 96.35 feet, thence S. 53° 27' 11" E., 100.00 feet, thence S. 56° 12' 49" W., 153.15 feet, thence S. 72° 42' 49" W., 221.31 feet, thence N. 81° 17' 11" W., 200.00 feet, thence N. 63° 23' 59" W., 311.35 feet to the point of beginning.

Excepting thereform any portion taken, deeded or used for road purposes and subject to all easements and restrictions of record and all governmental limitations.

## ARTICLE III

## DEFINITIONS

Certain terms are utilized not only in this Consolidating Master Deed and Exhibits A and B hereto, but are or may be used in various other instruments such as, by way of example and not limitation, the Articles of Incorporation and rules and regulations of the River Bend Condominium Association, a Michigan non-profit corporation, and deeds, mortgages, liens, land contracts, easements and other instruments affecting the establishment of, or transfer of, interests in River Bend Condominium as a condominium. Wherever used in such documents or any other pertinent instruments, the terms set forth below shall be defined as follows:

Section 1. Act. The "Act" means the Michigan Condominium Act, being Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended.

Section 2. Association. "Association" means River Bend Condominium Association, which is the non-profit corporation organized under Michigan law of which all Co-owners shall be members, which corporation shall administer, operate, manage and maintain the Condominium. Any action required of or permitted to the Association shall be exercisable by its Board of Directors unless specifically reserved to its members by the Condominium Documents or the laws of the State of Michigan.

Section 3. Bylaws. "Bylaws" means Exhibit A hereto, being the Bylaws setting forth the substantive rights and obligations of the Co-owners and required by Section 3(8) of the Act to

be recorded as part of the Consolidating Master Deed. The Bylaws shall also constitute the corporate bylaws of the Association as provided for under the Michigan Nonprofit Corporation Act.

- Section 4. Common Elements. "Common Elements", where used without modification, means both the General and Limited Common Elements described in Article IV hereof.
- Section 5. Condominium Documents. "Condominium Documents" means and includes this Consolidating Master Deed and Exhibits A and B hereto, and the Articles of Incorporation, and rules and regulations, if any, of the Association, as all of the same may be amended from time to time.
- Section 6. Condominium Premises. "Condominium Premises" means and includes the land described in Article II above, all improvements and structures thereon, and all easements, rights and appurtenances belonging to River Bend Condominium as described above.
- Section 7. Condominium Project, Condominium or Project. "Condominium Project", "Condominium" or "Project" means River Bend Condominium, a Condominium Project established in conformity with the provisions of the Act.
- Section 8. Condominium Subdivision Plan. "Condominium Subdivision Plan" means Exhibit B hereto.
- Section 9. Consolidating Master Deed. "Consolidating Master Deed" means this Consolidating Master Deed which describes River Bend Condominium as a completed Condominium Project. The term "Master Deed" wherever used in the Condominium Documents shall be deemend to include this Consolidating Master Deed.
- Section 10. Construction and Sales Period. "Construction and Sales Period" means the period commencing with the recording of the Master Deed and continuing as long as the Developer owns any Unit which it offers for sale or for so long as the Developer continues to construct or proposes to construct additional Units.
- Section 11. Co-owner. "Co-owner" means a person, firm, corporation, partnership, association, trust or other legal entity or any combination thereof who or which own one or more Units in the Condominium Project and shall include a Land Contract Vendee. The term "Owner", wherever used, shall be synonymous with the term "Co-owner".
- Section 12. Developer. "Developer" means Seville Homes, Inc., a Michigan corporation, which has made and executed this Consolidating Master Deed, and its successors and assigns. Both successors and assigns shall always be deemed to be included within the term "Developer" whenever, however and wherever such terms are used in the Condominium Documents.
- Section 13. First Annual Meeting. "First Annual Meeting" means the initial meeting at which non-developer Co-owners are permitted to vote for the election of all Directors and upon all other matters which properly may be brought before the meeting. Such meeting is to be held (a) in the Developer's sole discretion after 50% of the Units which may be created are sold or (b) mandatorily after the elapse of 54 months from the date of the first Unit conveyance or (c) mandatorily after 75% of all Units which may be created are sold, whichever first occurs.
- Section 14. "Master Deed" means the original Master Deed as recorded in Liber 4062, Pages 337 through 385, Macomb County Records.
- Section 15. Transitional Control Date. "Transitional Control Date" means the date on which a Board of Directors of the Association takes office pursuant to an election in which the

votes which may be cast by eligible Co-owners unaffiliated with the Developer exceeds the votes which may be cast by the Developer.

Section 16. Unit or Condominium Unit. "Unit" or "Condominium Unit" each mean the enclosed space constituting a single complete residential Unit in River Bend Condominium, as such space may be described on Exhibit B hereto, and shall have the same meaning as the term "Condominium Unit" as defined in the Act.

Whenever any reference herein is made to one gender, the same shall include a reference to any and all genders where the same would be appropriate; similarly, whenever a reference is made herein to the singular, a reference shall also be included to the plural where the same would be appropriate and vice versa.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### COMMON ELEMENTS

The Common Elements of the Project described in Exhibit B attached hereto, and the respective responsibilities for maintenance, decoration, repair or replacement thereof, are as follows:

Section 1. General Common Elements. The General Common Elements are:

- (a) Land. The land described in Article II hereof, including roads and sidewalks not identified as Limited Common Elements.
- (b) Electrical. The electrical transmission system throughout the Project, including that contained within Unit walls, up to the point of connection with, but not including, electrical fixtures, plugs and switches within any Unit.
- (c) Telephone. The telephone system throughout the Project up to the point of entry to each Unit.
- (d) Gas. The gas distribution system throughout the Project, including that contained within Unit walls, up to the point of connection with gas fixtures within any Unit.
- (e) Water. The water distribution system throughout the Project, including that contained within Unit walls, up to the point of connection with plumbing fixtures within any Unit.
- (f) Sanitary Sewer. The sanitary sewer system throughout the Project, including that contained within Unit walls, up to the point of connection with plumbing fixtures within any Unit.
- (g) Telecommunications. The telecommunications system, if and when it may be installed, up to, but not including, connections to provide service to individual Units.
- (h) Construction. Foundations, supporting columns, Unit perimeter walls (excluding windows and doors therein), roofs, ceilings, floor construction between Unit levels and chimneys.
- (i) Other. Such other elements of the Project not herein designated as General or Limited Common Elements which are not enclosed within the boundaries of a Unit, and which are intended for common use or are necessary to the existence, upkeep and safety of the Project.

Some or all of the utility lines, systems (including mains

and service leads) and equipment and the telecommunications system, if and when constructed, described above may be owned by the local public authority or by the company that is providing the pertinent service. Accordingly, such utility lines, systems and equipment, and the telecommunications system, if and when constructed, shall be General Common Elements only to the extent of the Co-owners' interest therein, if any, and Developer makes no warranty whatever with respect to the nature or extent of such interest, if any.

- Section 2. Limited Common Elements. Limited Common Elements shall be subject to the exclusive use and enjoyment of the Owner of the Unit to which the Limited Common Elements are appurtenant. The Limited Common Elements are:
  - (a) Patio Areas. Each individual patio area in the Project is restricted in use to the Co-owner of the Unit which opens into such patio area as shown on Exhibit B hereto.
  - (b) Porches. Each individual porch in the Project is restricted in use to the Co-owner of the Unit which opens into such porch as shown on Exhibit B hereto.
  - (c) Garages and Driveways. Each garage is appurtenant as a Limited Common Element to the Unit to which it is attached as shown on Exhibit B hereto. Each driveway adjacent to a garage shall be a Limited Common Element appurtenant to the Unit to which such garage services.
  - (d) Garage Doors and Openers. The garage door and electric garage door opener for each garage having the same shall be limited in use to the Co-owner of the Unit to which such garage is appurtenant as a Limited Common Element.
  - (e) Air-Conditioner Compressors. Each air-conditioner compressor, if any, located outside any building shall be limited in use to the Co-owner of the Unit which such compressor services.
  - (f) Interior Surfaces. The interior surfaces of Unit perimeter walls, ceiling and floors contained within a Unit shall be subject to the exclusive use and enjoyment of the Co-owner of such Unit.
  - (g) Windows and Doors. Windows and doors shall be appurtenant as Limited Common Elements to the Units which they service.
- Section 3. Responsibilities. The respective responsibilities for the maintenance, decoration, repair and replacement of the Common Elements are as follows:
  - (a) Garage Doors and Openers. The costs of maintenance, repair and replacement of each garage door and electric garage door opener referred to in Section 2(d) above shall be borne by the Co-owner of the Unit to which such Limited Common Element is appurtenant.
  - (b) Air-Conditioner Compressors. The costs of maintenance, repair and replacement of each air-conditioner compressor, if any, referred to in Section 2(e) above shall be borne by the Co-owner of the Unit to which such air-conditioner compressor is appurtenent.
  - (c) Windows and Doors. The costs of maintenance, repair and replacement of all windows and doors referred to in Section 2(g) above shall be borne by the Co-owner of the Unit to which such Limited Common Elements are appurtenant.
  - (d) Interior Maintenance. The costs of decoration and maintenance (but not repair or replacement except in cases

of Co-owner fault) of the interiors of garages referred to in Section 2(c) above and all surfaces referred to in Section 2(f) above shall be borne by the Co-owner of each Unit to which such Limited Common Elements are appurtenant.

- (e) Patio Areas. The costs of maintenance, repair and replacement of each patio area referred to in Article IV, Section 2(a) above shall be borne by the Co-owner of the Unit to which it relates; provided, however, that the Association shall be responsible for maintaining, repairing and replacing any walls, fences or other similar structures which divide or surround patios. The Association shall also be responsible for mowing any unenclosed patio area which consists mainly of lawn.
- (f) Other. The costs of maintenance, repair and replacement of all General and Limited Common Elements other than as described above shall be borne by the Association, subject to any provisions of the Bylaws expressly to the contrary.

No Co-owner shall use his Unit or the Common Elements in any manner inconsistent with the purposes of the Project or in any manner which will interfere with or impair the rights of any other Co-owner in the use and enjoyment of his Unit or the Common Elements.

## ARTICLE V

## UNIT DESCRIPTION AND PERCENTAGE OF VALUE

Section 1. Description of Units. Each Unit in the Condominium Project is described in this paragraph with reference to the Condominium Subdivision Plan of River Bend Condominium as prepared by Lehner Associates, Inc., and attached hereto as Exhibit B. The architectural plans and specifications are on file with Clinton Township. Each Unit shall include: (1) With respect to each Unit basement, all that space contained within the unpainted surfaces of the basement floor and walls and the uncovered underside of the first-floor joists, and (2) with respect to the upper floors of Units, all that space contained within the finished unpainted walls and ceilings and from the finished subfloor all as shown on the floor plans and sections in Exhibit B hereto and delineated with heavy outlines.

- Section 2. Percentage of Value. The percentage of value assigned to each Unit is set forth below. The percentages of value were computed on the basis of the relative, approximate areas of the Units (excluding basements), disregarding insubstantial differences in size and with the resulting percentages reasonably adjusted to total precisely 100%. The percentage of value assigned to each Unit shall be determinative of each Co-owner's respective share of the Common Elements of the Condominium Project, the proportionate share of each respective Co-owner in the proceeds and expenses of the administration and the value of such Co-owner's vote at meetings of the Association of Co-owners. Set forth below are:
- (a) Each Unit number as it appears on the Condominium Subdivision Plan.
- (b) The percentage of value assigned to each Unit. Percentage of

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#### ARTICLE VI

## EASEMENTS

Section 1. Easement for Maintenance of Encroachments and Utilities. In the event any portion of a Unit or Common Element encroaches upon another Unit or Common Element due to shifting, settling or moving of a building, or due to survey errors, or construction deviations, reciprocal easements shall exist for the maintenance of such encroachment for so long as such encroachment exists, and for maintenance thereof after rebuilding in the event of any destruction. There shall be easements to, through and over those portions of the land, structures, buildings, improvements and walls (including interior Unit walls) contained therein for the continuing maintenance and repair of all utilities in the Condominium. There shall exist easements of support with respect to any Unit interior wall which supports a Common Element.

Section 2. Grant of Easements by Association. The Association, acting through its lawfully constituted Board of Directors (including any Board of Directors acting prior to the Transitional Control Date) shall be empowered and obligated to grant such easements, licenses, rights-of-entry and rights-of-way over, under and across the Condominium Premises for utility purposes, access purposes or other lawful purposes as may be necessary for the benefit of the Condominium.

Section 3. Easements for Maintenance, Repair and Replacement. The Developer, the Association and all public or private utilities shall have such easements as may be necessary over the Condominium Premises, including all Units and Common Elements to fulfill any responsibilities of maintenance, repair, decoration or replacement which they or any of them are required or permitted to perform under the Condominium Documents.

Section 4. Telecommunications Agreements. The Association, acting through its duly constituted Board of Directors and subject to the Developer's approval during the Construction and Sales Period, shall have the power to grant such easements,

licenses and other rights of entry, use and access and to enter into any contract or agreement, including wiring agreements, right-of-way agreements, access agreements and multi-unit agreements and, to the extent allowed by law, contracts for sharing of any installation or periodic subscriber service fees as may be necessary, convenient or desirable to provide for telecommunications, videotext, broad band cable, satellite dish, earth antenna and similar services (collectively "Telecommunications") to the Project or any Unit therein. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in no event shall the Board of Directors enter into any contract or agreement or grant any easement, license or right of entry or do any other act or thing which will violate any provision of any federal, state or local law or ordinance. Any and all sums paid by any Telecommunications or other company or entity in connection with such service, including fees, if any, for the privilege of installing same or sharing periodic subscriber service fees, shall be receipts affecting the administration of the Condominium Project within the meaning of the Act and shall be paid over to and shall be the property of the Association.

#### ARTICLE VII

#### AMENDMENT

This Master Deed and the Condominium Subdivision Plan (Exhibit B to said Master Deed) may be amended with the consent of 66-2/3% of the Co-owners except as hereinafter set forth:

Section 1. Co-owner Consent. No Unit dimension may be modified without the consent of the Co-owner of such Unit nor may the nature or extent of Limited Common Elements or the responsibility for maintenance, repair or replacement thereof be modified without the written consent of the Co-owner of any Unit to which the same are appurtenant.

Section 2. By Developer. Prior to 1 year after the date of recording of this Consolidating Master Deed, the Developer may, without the consent of any Co-owner or any other person, amend this Master Deed and the Condominium Subdivision Plan attached as Exhibit B in order to correct survey or other errors made in such documents and to make such other amendments to such instruments and to the Bylaws attached hereto as Exhibit A as do not materially affect any rights of any Co-owners or mortgagees in the Project.

Section 3. Change in Value of Vote, Maintenance Fee and Percentages of Value. The value of the vote of any Co-owner and the corresponding proportion of common expenses assessed against such Co-owner shall not be modified without the written consent of such Co-owner and his mortgagee, nor shall the percentage of value assigned to any Unit be modified without like consent, except as provided in Article V, Section 6(c) of the Bylaws.

Section 4. Mortgagee Approval. Pursuant to Section 90(1) of the Act, the Developer hereby reserves the right, on behalf of itself and on behalf of the Association of Co-owners, to amend this Master Deed and the Condominium Documents without approval of any mortgagee unless the Amendment would materially alter or change the rights of a mortgagee, in which event 66-2/3% of the mortgagees shall approve such Amendment, giving one vote for each mortgage held.

Section 5. Termination, Vacation, Revocation or Abandonment. The Condominium Project may not be terminated, vacated, revoked or abandoned without the written consent of 85% of all Co-owners.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### ASSIGNMENT

Any or all of the rights and powers granted or reserved to the Developer in the Condominium Documents or by law, including the power to approve or disapprove any act, use or proposed action or any other matter or thing, may be assigned by it to any other entity or to the Association. Any such assignment or transfer shall be made by appropriate instrument in writing duly recorded in the office of the Macomb County Register of Deeds.

WITNESSES:	
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NANCY J. HARVEY	Aldo Marroccò President

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SS.
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On this 13th day of October , 1992, the foregoing Consolidating Master Deed was acknowledged before me by Aldo Marrocco, the President of Seville Homes, Inc., a Michigan corporation, on behalf of said corporation.

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Notary Public,	County,
My Commission Expires:	

Consolidating Master Deed drafted by:

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#### EXHIBIT A

## BYLAWS

#### RIVER BEND CONDOMINIUM

#### ARTICLE I

#### ASSOCIATION OF CO-OWNERS

River Bend Condominium, a residential Condominium Project located in Clinton Township, Macomb County, Michigan, shall be administered by an Association of Co-owners which shall be a nonprofit corporation, hereinafter called the "Association", organized under the applicable laws of the State of Michigan, and responsible for the management, main-tenance, operation and administration of the Common Elements, easements and affairs of the Condominium Project in accordance with the Condominium Documents and the laws of the State of Michigan. These Bylaws shall constitute both the Condominium Bylaws referred to in the Master Deed and required by Section 3(8) of the Act and the Association Bylaws provided for under the Michigan Non-profit Corporation Act. Each Co-owner shall be entitled to membership and no other person or entity shall be entitled to membership. The share of a Co-owner in the funds and assets of the Association cannot be assigned, pledged or trans-ferred in any manner except as an appurtenance to his Unit. The Association shall keep current copies of the Master Deed, all amendments to the Master Deed, and other Condominium Documents for the Condominium Project available at reasonable hours to Co-owners, prospective purchasers and prospective mortgagees of Units in the Condominium Project. All Co-owners in the Condo-minium Project and all persons using or entering upon or acquir-ing any interest in any Unit therein or the Common Elements thereof shall be subject to the provisions and terms set forth in the aforesaid Condominium Documents.

#### ARTICLE II

#### ASSESSMENTS

Section 1. Assessments Against Units and Co-owners. All expenses arising from the management, administration and operation of the Association in pursuance of its authorizations and responsibilities as set forth in the Condominium Documents and the Act shall be levied by the Association against the Units and the Owners thereof in accordance with the following provisions.

Section 2. Assessments for Common Elements. All costs incurred by the Association in satisfaction of any liability arising with, caused by, or connected with the Common Elements or the administration of the Condominium Project shall constitute expenditures affecting the administration of the Project, and all sums received as the proceeds of, or pursuant to, any policy of insurance securing the interest of the Co-owners against liabilities or losses arising within, caused by, or connected with the Common Elements or the administration of the Condominium Project shall constitute receipt affecting the administration of the Condominium Project, within the meaning of Section 54(4) of the

Section 3. Determination of Assessments. Assessments shall be determined in accordance with the following provisions:

(a) Budget. The Board of Directors of the Association shall establish an annual budget in advance for each fiscal year and such budget shall project all expenses for the forthcoming year which may be required for the proper operation, management and maintenance of the Condominium Project, including a reasonable allowance for contingencies and

reserves. An adequate reserve fund for maintenance, repairs and replacement of those Common Elements that must be replaced on a periodic basis shall be established in the budget and must be funded by regular monthly payments as set forth in Section 4 below rather than by special assessments. At a minimum, the reserve fund shall be equal to 10% of the Association's current annual budget on a noncumulative basis. Since the minimum standard required by this subparagraph may prove to be inadequate for this particular project, the Association of Co-owners should carefully analyze the Condominium Project to determine if a greater amount should be set aside, or if additional reserve funds should be established for other purposes from time to time. Upon adoption of an annual budget by the Board of Directors, copies of the budget shall be delivered to each Co-owner and the assessment for said year shall be established based upon said budget, although the delivery of a copy of the budget to each Co-owner shall not affect or in any way diminish the liability of any Co-owner for any existing or future assessments. Should the Board of Directors at any time determine, in the sole discretion of the Board of Directors: the assessments levied are or may prove to be insufficient to pay the costs of operation and management of the Condominium, (2) to provide replacements of existing Common Elements, (3) to provide additions to the Common Elements not exceeding \$1,000.00 annually for the entire Condominium Project, or (4) in the event of emergencies, the Board of Directors shall have the authority to increase the general assessment or to levy such additional assessment or assessments as it shall deem to be necessary. The Board of Directors also shall have the authority, without Co-owner consent, to levy assessments pursuant to the provisions of Article V, Section 4 hereof. The discretionary authority of the Board of Directors to levy assessments pursuant to this subparagraph shall rest solely with the Board of Directors for the benefit of the Association and the members thereof, and shall not be enforceable by any creditors of the Association or the members thereof.

Special Assessments. Special assessments, in addition to those required in subparagraph (a) above, may be made by the Board of Directors from time to time and approved by the Co-owners as hereinafter provided to meet other needs or requirements of the Association, including, but not limited to: (1) assessments for additions to the Common Elements of a cost exceeding \$1,000.00 for the entire Condominium Project per year, (2) assessments to purchase a Unit upon foreclosure of the lien for assessments described in Section 6 hereof, (3) assessments to purchase a Unit for use as a resident manager's Unit, or (4) assessments for any other appropriate purpose not elsewhere herein described. Special assessments referred to in this subparagraph (b) (but not including those assessments referred to in subparagraph 3(a) above, which shall be levied in the sole discretion of the Board of Directors) shall not be levied without the prior approval of more than 60% of all Co-owners in number and in value. The authority to levy assessments pursuant to this subparagraph is solely for the benefit of the Association and the members thereof and shall not be enforceable by any creditors of the Association or the members thereof.

Section 4. Apportionment of Assessments and Penalty for Default. Unless otherwise provided herein or in the Master Deed, all assessments levied against the Co-owners to cover expenses of administration shall be apportioned among and paid by the Co-owners in accordance with the percentage of value allocated to each Unit in Article V of the Master Deed, without increase or decrease for the existence of any rights to the use of Limited Common Elements appurtenant to a Unit. Annual assessments as determined in accordance with Article II, Section 3(a) above shall be payable by Co-owners in 12 equal monthly installments,

commencing with acceptance of a deed to or a land contract vendee's interest in a Unit, or with the acquisition of fee simple title to a Unit by any other means. The payment of an assessment shall be in default if such assessment, or any part thereof, is not paid to the Association in full on or before the due date for such payment. A late charge of 1% per month shall be assessed automatically by the Association upon any assessments in default for five or more days until installment together with the applicable late charges is paid in full. Each Co-owner (whether 1 or more persons) shall be, and remain, personally liable for the payment of all assessments (including fines for late payment and costs of collection and enforcement of payment) pertinent to his Unit which may be levied while such Co-owner is the owner there-Payments on account of installments of assessments in default shall be applied as follows: first, to costs of collection and enforcement of payment, including reasonable attorneys' fees; second, to any interest charges and fines for late payment on such installments; and third, to installments in default in order of their due dates.

Section 5. Waiver of Use or Abandonment of Unit. No Coowner may exempt himself from liability for his contribution toward the expenses of administration by waiver of the use or enjoyment of any of the Common Elements or by the abandonment of his Unit.

## Section 6. Enforcement.

- Remedies. In addition to any other remedies available to the Association, the Association may enforce collection of delinquent assessments by a suit at law for a money judgment or by foreclosure of the statutory lien that secures payment of assessments. In the event of default by any Co-owner in the payment of any installment of the annual assessment levied against his Unit, the Association shall have the right to declare all unpaid installments of the annual assessment for the pertinent fiscal year immediately due and payable. The Association also may discontinue the furnishing of any utilities or other services to a Co-owner in default upon 7 days' written notice to such Co-owner of its intention to do so. A Co-owner in default shall not be entitled to utilize any of the General Common Elements of the Project and shall not be entitled to vote at any meeting of the Association so long as such default continues; provided, however, this provision shall not operate to deprive any Co-owner of ingress or egress to and from his Unit. In a judicial foreclosure action, a receiver may be appointed to collect a reasonable rental for the Unit from the Co-owner thereof or any persons claiming under him. The Association may also assess fines for late payment or non-payment of assessments in accordance with the provisions of Article XVIII, Section 4 of these Bylaws. All of these remedies shall be cumulative and not alternative.
- (b) Foreclosure Proceedings. Each Co-owner, and every other person who from time to time has any interest in the Project, shall be deemed to have granted to the Association the unqualified right to elect to foreclose the lien securing payment of assessments either by judicial action or by advertisement. The provisions of Michigan law pertaining to foreclosure of mortgages by judicial action and by advertisement, as the same may be amended from time to time, are incorporated herein by reference for the purposes of establishing the alternative procedures to be followed in lien foreclosure actions and the rights and obligations of the parties to such actions. Further, each Co-owner and every other person who from time to time has any interest in the Project, shall be deemed to have authorized and empowered the Association to sell or to cause to be sold the Unit with respect to which the assessment(s) is or are delinquent and to receive, hold and distribute the proceeds of such sale in accordance with the priorities established by applicable

law. Each Co-owner of a Unit in the Project acknowledges that at the time of acquiring title to such Unit, he was notified of the provisions of this subparagraph and that he voluntarily, intelligently and knowingly waived notice of any proceedings brought by the Association to foreclose by advertisement the lien for nonpayment of assessments and a hearing on the same prior to the sale of subject Unit.

- (c) Notices of Action. Notwithstanding the foregoing, neither a judicial foreclosure action nor a suit at law for a money judgment shall be commenced, nor shall any notice of foreclosure by advertisement be published, until the expiration of 10 days after mailing, by first class mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the delinquent Co-owner(s) at his or their last known address, of a written notice that 1 or more installments of the annual assessment levied against the pertinent Unit is or are delinquent and that the Association may invoke any of its remedies hereunder if the default is not cured within 10 days after the date of mailing. Such written notice shall be accompanied by a written affidavit of an authorized representative of the Association that sets forth (i), the affiant's capacity to make the affidavit, (ii) the statutory and other authority for the lien, (iii) the amount outstanding (exclusive of interest, costs, attorney fees and future assessments), (iv) the legal description of the subject Unit(s), and (v) the name(s) of the Coowner(s) of record. Such affidavit shall be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the county in which the Project is located prior to commencement of any foreclosure proceeding, but it need not have been recorded as of the date of mailing as aforesaid. If the delinquency is not cured within the 10-day period, the Association may take such remedial action as may be available to it hereunder or In the event the Association elects to under Michigan law. foreclose the lien by advertisement, the Association shall so notify the delinquent Co-owner and shall inform him that he may request a judicial hearing by bringing suit against the Association.
- (d) Expenses of Collection. The expenses incurred in collecting unpaid assessments, including interest, costs, actual attorneys' fees (not limited to statutory fees) and advances for taxes or other liens paid by the Association to protect its lien, shall be chargeable to the Co-owner in default and shall be secured by the lien on his Unit.

Section 7. Liability of Mortgagee. Notwithstanding any other provisions of the Condominium Documents, the holder of any first mortgage covering any Unit in the Project which comes into possession of the Unit pursuant to the remedies provided in the mortgage or by deed (or assignment) in lieu of foreclosure, or any purchaser at a foreclosure sale, shall take the property free of any claims for unpaid assessments or charges against the mortgaged Unit which accrue prior to the time such holder comes into possession of the Unit (except for claims for a pro rata share of such assessments or charges resulting from a pro rata reallocation of such assessments or charges to all Units including the mortgaged Unit).

Section 8. Property Taxes and Special Assessments. All property taxes and special assessments levied by any public taxing authority shall be assessed in accordance with Section 131 of the Act.

Section 9. Personal Property Tax Assessment of Association Property. The Association shall be assessed as the person or entity in possession of any tangible personal property of the Condominium owned or possessed in common by the Co-owners, and personal property taxes based thereon shall be treated as expenses of administration.

Section 10. Mechanic's Lien. A mechanic's lien otherwise

arising under Act No. 497 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1980, as amended, shall be subject to Section 132 of the Act.

Section 11. Statement as to Unpaid Assessments. The purchaser of any Unit may request a statement of the Association as to the amount of any unpaid Association assessments thereon, whether regular or special. Upon written request to the Assocition accompanied by a copy of the executed purchase agreement pursuant to which the purchaser holds the right to acquire a Unit, the Association shall provide a written statement of such unpaid assessments as may exist or a statement that none exist, which statement shall be binding upon the Association for the period stated therein. Upon the payment of that sum within the period stated, the Association's lien for assessments as to such Unit shall be deemed satisfied, provided, however, that the failure of a purchaser to request such statement at least 5 days prior to the closing of the purchase of such Unit shall render any unpaid assessments and the lien securing same fully enforceable against such purchaser and the Unit itself, to the extent provided by the Act. Under the Act, unpaid assessments constitute a lien upon the Unit and the proceeds of sale thereof prior to all claims except real property taxes and first mortgages of record.

#### ARTICLE III

#### ARBITRATION

Section 1. Scope and Election. Disputes, claims, or grievances arising out of or relating to the interpretation or the application of the Condominium Documents, or any disputes, claims or grievances arising among or between the Co-owners and the Association, upon the election and written consent of the parties to any such disputes, claims or grievances (which consent shall include an agreement of the parties that the judgment of any circuit court of the State of Michigan may be rendered upon any award pursuant to such arbitration), and upon written notice to the Association, shall be submitted to arbitration and the parties thereto shall accept the arbitrator's decision as final and binding, provided that no question affecting the claim of title of any person to any fee or life estate in real estate is involved. The Commercial Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association as amended and in effect from time to time hereafter shall be applicable to any such arbitration.

Section 2. Judicial Relief. In the absence of the election and written consent of the parties pursuant to Section 1 above, no Co-owner or the Association shall be precluded from petitioning the courts to resolve any such disputes, claims or grievances.

Section 3. Election of Remedies. Such election and written consent by Co-owners or the Association to submit any such dispute, claim or grievance to arbitration shall preclude such parties from litigating such dispute, claim or grievance in the courts.

## ARTICLE IV

## INSURANCE

Section 1. Extent of Coverage. The Association shall carry fire and extended coverage, vandalism and malicious mischief and liability insurance, and workmen's compensation insurance, if applicable, pertinent to the ownership, use and maintenance of the Common Elements and certain other portions of the Condominium Project, as set forth below, and such insurance, other than title insurance, shall be carried and administered in accordance with the following provisions:

- Responsibilities of the Co-owners and Association. All such insurance shall be purchased by the Association for the benefit of the Association, and the Co-owners and their mortgagees, as their interests may appear, and provision shall be made for the issuance of certificates of mortgagee endorsements to the mortgagees of Co-owners. Each Co-owner may obtain insurance coverage at his own expense upon his It shall be each Co-owner's responsibility to determine by personal investigation or from his own insurance advisors the nature and extent of insurance coverage adequate to his needs and thereafter to obtain insurance coverage for his personal property and any additional fixtures, equipment and trim (as referred to in subsection (b) below) located within his Unit or elsewhere on the Condominium and for his personal liability for occurrences within his Unit or upon Limited Common Elements appurtenant to his Unit, and also for alternative living expense in event of fire, and the Association shall have absolutely no responsibility for obtaining such coverages. The Association, as to all policies which it obtains, and all Co-owners, as to all policies which they obtain, shall use their best efforts to see that all property and liability insurance carried by the Association or any Co-owner shall contain appropriate provisions whereby the insurer waives its right of subrogation as to any claims against any Co-owner or the Association.
- Insurance of Common Elements and Fixtures. Common Elements of the Condominium Project shall be insured against fire and other perils covered by a standard extended coverage endorsement, in an amount equal to the current insurable replacement value, excluding foundation and excavation costs, as determined annually by the Board of Directors of the Association in consultation with the Association's insurance carrier and/or its representatives in light of commonly employed methods for the reasonable determination of replacement costs. Such coverage shall be effected upon an agreed-amount basis for the entire Condominium Project with appropriate inflation riders in order that no co-insurance provisions shall be invoked by the insurance carrier in a manner that will cause loss payments to be reduced below the actual amount of any loss (except in the unlikely event of total project destruction if the insurance proceeds failed, for some reason, to be equal to the total cost of replacement). All information in the Association's records regarding insurance coverage shall be made available to all Co-owners upon request and reasonable notice during normal business hours so that Co-owners shall be enabled to judge the adequacy of coverage and, upon the taking of due Association procedures, to direct the Board at a properly constituted meeting to change the nature and extent of any applicable coverages, if so determined. Upon such annual reevaluation and effectuation of coverage, the Association shall notify all Co-owners of the nature and extent of all changes in coverages. Such coverage shall also include interior walls within any Unit and the pipes, wire, conduits and ducts contained therein and shall further include all fixtures, equipment and trim within a Unit which were furnished with the Unit as standard items in accord with the plans and specifications thereof as are on file with the local unit of government in which this Project is located (or such replacements thereof as do not exceed the cost of such standard items). It shall be each Co-owner's responsibility to determine the necessity for and to obtain insurance coverage for all fixtures, equipment, trim and other items or attachments within the Unit or any Limited Common Elements appurtenant thereto which were installed in addition to said standard items (or as replacements for such standard items to the extent that replacement cost exceeded the original cost of such standard items) whether installed originally by the Developer or subsequently by the Co-owner, and the Association shall have no responsibility whatsoever

damage is only to a part of a Unit which is the responsibility of a Co-owner to maintain and repair, it shall be the responsibility of the Co-owner to repair such damage in accordance with subsection (b) hereof. In all other cases, the responsibility for reconstruction and repair shall be that of the Association.

(b) Damage to Interior of Unit. Each Co-owner shall be responsible for the reconstruction, repair and maintenance of the interior of his Unit, including, but not limited to, floor coverings, wall coverings, window shades, draperies, interior walls (but not any Common Elements therein), interior trim, furniture, light fixtures and all appliances, whether free-standing or built-in. In the event damage to interior walls within a Co-owner's Unit or to pipes, wires, conduits, ducts or other Common Elements therein, or to any fixtures, equipment and trim which are standard items within a Unit is covered by insurance held by the Association, then the reconstruction or repair shall be the responsibility of the Association in accordance with Section 4 of this Article V. If any other interior portion of a Unit is covered by insurance held by the Association for the benefit of the Co-owner, the Co-owner shall be entitled to receive the proceeds of insurance relative thereto, and if there is a mortgagee endorsement, the proceeds shall be payable to the Co-owner and the mortgagee jointly. In the event of substantial damage to or destruction of any Unit or any part of the Common Elements, the Association promptly shall so notify each institutional holder of a first mortgage lien on any of the Units in the Condominium.

Section 4. Association Responsibility for Repair. Except as provided in Section 3 hereof, the Association shall be respon-sible for the reconstruction, repair and maintenance of the Common Elements. Immediately after a casualty causing damage to property for which the Association has the responsibility of maintenance, repair and reconstruction, the Association shall obtain reliable and detailed estimates of the cost to replace the damaged property in a condition as good as that existing before the damage. If the proceeds of insurance are not sufficient to defray the estimated costs of reconstruction or repair required to be performed by the Association, or if at any time during such reconstruction or repair, or upon completion of such reconstruction or repair, the funds for the payment of the cost thereof are insufficient, assessment shall be made against all Co-owners for the cost of reconstruction or repair of the damaged property in sufficient amounts to provide funds to pay the estimated or actual cost of repair.

Section 5. Timely Reconstruction and Repair. If damage to Common Elements or a Unit adversely affects the appearance of the Project, the Association or Co-owner responsible for the reconstruction, repair and maintenance thereof shall proceed with replacement of the damaged property without delay, and shall complete such replacement within 6 months after the date of the occurrence which caused damage to the property.

Section 6. Eminent Domain. Section 133 of the Act and the following provisions shall control upon any taking by eminent domain:

(a) Taking of Unit. In the event of any taking of an entire Unit by eminent domain, the award for such taking shall be paid to the Co-owner of such Unit and the mortgagee thereof, as their interests may appear. After acceptance of such award by the Co-owner and his mortgagee, they shall be divested of all interest in the Condominium Project. In the event that any condemnation award shall become payable to any Co-owner whose Unit is not wholly taken by eminent domain, then such award shall be paid by the condemning authority to the Co-owner and his mortgagee, as their interests may appear.

- (b) Taking of Common Elements. If there is any taking of any portion of the Condominium other than any Unit, the condemnation proceeds relative to such taking shall be paid to the Co-owners and their mortgagees in proportion to their respective interests in the Common Elements and the affirmative vote of more than 50% of the Co-owners in number and in value shall determine whether to rebuild, repair or replace the portion so taken or to take such other action as they deem appropriate.
- (c) Continuation of Condominium After Taking. In the event the Condominium Project continues after taking by eminent domain, then the remaining portion of the Condominium Project shall be re-surveyed and the Master Deed amended accordingly, and, if any Unit shall have been taken, then Article V of the Master Deed shall also be amended to reflect such taking and to proportionately readjust the percentages of value of the remaining Co-owners based upon the continuing value of the Condominium of 100%. Such amendment may be effected by an officer of the Association duly authorized by the Board of Directors without the necessity of execution or specific approval thereof by any Co-owner.
- (d) Notification of Mortgagees. In the event any Unit in the Condominium, or any portion thereof, or the Common Elements or any portion thereof, is made the subject matter of any condemnation or eminent domain proceeding or is otherwise sought to be acquired by a condemning authority, the Association shall so notify each institutional holder of a first mortgage lien on any of the Units in the Condominium.

Section 7. Notification of FHLMC. In the event any mortgage in the Condominium is held by the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation ("FHLMC") then, upon request therefor by FHLMC, the Association shall give it written notice at such address as it may, from time to time, direct of any loss to or taking of the Common Elements of the Condominium, if the loss or taking exceeds \$10,000 in amount or damage to a Condominium Unit covered by a mortgage purchased in whole or in part by FHLMC exceeds \$1,000.

Section 8. Priority of Mortgagee Interests. Nothing contained in the Condominium Documents shall be construed to give a Condominium Unit Owner, or any other party, priority over any rights of first mortgagees of Condominium Units pursuant to their mortgages in the case of a distribution to Condominium Unit Owners of insurance proceeds or condemnation awards for losses to or a taking of Condominium Units and/or Common Elements.

# ARTICLE VI

# RESTRICTIONS

All of the Units in the Condominium shall be held, used and enjoyed subject to the following limitations and restrictions:

Section 1. Residential Use. No Unit in the Condominium shall be used for other than single-family residence purposes (except that persons not of the same immediate family residing together may occupy a Unit with the written consent of the Board of Directors which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld) and the Common Elements shall be used only for purposes consistent with the user of single-family residences. A family shall mean 1 person or a group of 2 or more persons related by bonds of consanguinity, marriage or legal adoption.

Section 2. Leasing and Rental.

(a) Right to Lease. A Co-owner may lease his Unit for

the same purposes set forth in Section 1 of this Article VI; provided that written disclosure of such lease transaction is submitted to the Board of Directors of the Association in the manner specified in subsection (b) below. With the exception of a lender in possession of a Unit following default of a first mortgage, foreclosure or deed or other arrangement in lieu of foreclosure, no Co-owner shall lease less than an entire Unit in the Condominium and no tenant shall be permitted to occupy except under a lease the initial term of which is at least 6 months unless specifically approved in writing by the Association. The terms of all leases, occupancy agreements and occupancy arrangements shall incorporate, or be deemed to incorporate, all of the provisions of the Condominium Documents.

- (b) Leasing Procedures. The leasing of Units in the Project shall conform to the following provisions:
  - (1) A Co-owner desiring to rent or lease a Unit, shall disclose that fact in writing to the Association at least 10 days before presenting a lease form to a potential lessee of the Unit and at the same time, shall supply the Association with a copy of the exact lease form for its review for its compliance with the Condominium Documents.
  - (2) Tenants or nonco-owner occupants shall comply with all of the conditions of the Condominium Documents of the Condominium Project and all leases and rental agreements shall so state.
  - (3) If the Association determines that the tenant or nonco-owner occupant has failed to comply with the conditions of the Condominium Documents, the Association shall take the following action:
    - (i) The Association shall notify the Coowner by certified mail advising of the alleged violation by the tenant.
    - (ii) The Co-owner shall have 15 days after receipt of such notice to investigate and correct the alleged breach by the tenant or advise the Association that a violation has not occurred.
    - (iii) If after 15 days the Association believes that the alleged breach is not cured or may be repeated, it may institute on its behalf or derivatively by the Co-owners on behalf of the Association, if it is under the control of the Developer, an action for eviction against the tenant or nonco-owner occupant and simultaneously for money damages in the same action against the Co-owner and tenant or nonco-owner occupant for breach of the conditions of the Condominium Documents. The relief provided for in this subparagraph may be by summary proceeding. The Association may hold both the tenant and the Co-owner liable for any damages to the Common Elements caused by the Co-owner or tenant in connection with the Unit or Condominium Project and for actual legal fees incurred by the Association in connection with legal proceedings hereunder.
  - (4) When a Co-owner is in arrears to the Association for assessments, the Association may give written notice of the arrearage to a tenant occupying a Co-owner's Unit under a lease or rental agreement and the tenant, after receiving the notice, shall deduct from rental payments due the Co-owner the arrearage and future assessments as they fall due and pay them to the Association. The deductions shall not constitute a

breach of the rental agreement or lease by the tenant. The form of lease used by any Co-owner shall explicitly contain the foregoing provisions.

Section 3. Alterations and Modifications. No Co-owner shall make alterations in exterior appearance or make structural modifications to his Unit (including interior walls through or in which there exist easements for support or utilities) or make changes in any of the Common Elements, Limited or General, without the express written approval of the Board of Directors, including without limitation exterior painting or the erection of antennas, lights, aerials, awnings, doors, shutters, newspaper holders, mailboxes, basketball backboards or other exterior attachments or modifications. No Co-owner shall in any way restrict access to any plumbing, water line, water line valves, water meter, sprinkler system valves or any element which affects an Association responsibility in any way. It shall be permissible for Co-owners to cause to be installed television antennas in the attic areas above Units; provided, however, that any damage or expense to the Common Elements or to the Association resulting from such installation shall be borne by the Co-owner performing or authorizing such installation. Should access to any facilities of any sort be required, the Association may remove any coverings or attachments of any nature that restrict such access and will have no responsibility for repairing, replacing or reinstalling any materials, whether or not installation thereof has been approved hereunder, that are damaged in the course of gaining such access, nor shall the Association be responsible for monetary damages of any sort arising out of actions taken to gain necessary access.

Section 4. Activities. No immoral , improper, unlawful or offensive activity shall be carried on in any Unit or upon the Common Elements, Limited or General, nor shall anything be done which may be or become an annoyance or a nuisance to the Coowners of the Condominium. No unreasonably noisy activity shall occur in or on the Common Elements or in any Unit at any time and disputes among Co-owners, arising as a result of this provision which cannot be amicably resolved, shall be arbitrated by the Association. No Co-owner shall do or permit anything to be done or keep or permit to be kept in his Unit or on the Common Elements anything that will increase the rate of insurance on the Condominium without the written approval of the Association, and each Co-owner shall pay to the Association the increased cost of insurance premiums resulting from any such activity or the maintenance of any such condition even if approved. Activities which are deemed offensive and are expressly prohibited include, but are not limited to, the following: Any activity involving the use of firearms, air rifles, pellet guns, B-B guns, bows and arrows, or other similar dangerous weapons, projectiles or devices.

Section 5. Pets. No animals, including household pets, except one dog or one cat not to exceed thirty pounds in weight, shall be maintained by any Co-owner unless specifically approved in writing by the Association. No animal may be kept or bred for any commercial purpose and shall have such care and restraint so as not to be obnoxious or offensive on account of noise, odor or unsanitary conditions. No animal may be permitted to run loose at any time upon the Common Elements and any animal shall at all times be leashed and attended by some responsible person while on the Common Elements, Limited or General. No savage or dangerous animal shall be kept and any Co-owner who causes any animal to be brought or kept upon the premises of the Condominium shall indemnify and hold harmless the Association for any loss, damage or liability which the Association may sustain as the result of the presence of such animal on the premises, whether or not the Association has given its permission therefor. No dog which barks can be heard on any frequent or continuing basis shall be kept in any Unit or on the Common Elements. The Association may charge all Co-owners maintaining animals a reasonable additional assessment to be collected in the manner provided in Article II

of these Bylaws in the event that the Association determines such assessment necessary to defray the maintenance cost to the Association of accommodating animals within the Condominium. The Association shall have the right to require that any pets be registered with it and may adopt such additional reasonable rules and regulations with respect to animals as it may deem proper. In the event of any violation of this Section, the Board of Directors of the Association may assess fines for such violation in accordance with these Bylaws and in accordance with duly adopted Rules and Regulations.

Section 6. Aesthetics. The Common Elements, Limited or General, shall not be used for storage of supplies, materials, personal property or trash or refuse of any kind, except as provided in duly adopted rules and regulations of the Association. Garage doors shall be kept closed at all times as may be reasonably necessary to gain access to or from any garage. No unsightly condition shall be maintained on any patio, porch or balcony and only furniture and equipment consistent with the normal and reasonable use of such areas shall be permitted to remain there during seasons when such areas are reasonably in use and no furniture or equipment of any kind shall be stored thereon during seasons when such areas are not reasonably in use. Trash receptacles shall be maintained in areas designated therefor at all times and shall not permitted to remain elsewhere on the Common Elements except for such short periods of time as may be reasonably necessary to permit periodic collection of trash. Common Elements shall not be used in any way for the drying, shaking or airing of clothing or other fabrics. In general, no activity shall be carried on nor condition maintained by a Coowner, either in his Unit or upon the Common Elements, which is detrimental to the appearance of the Condominium.

Section 7. Vehicles. No house trailers, commercial vehicles, boat trailers, boats, camping vehicles, camping trailers, motorcycles, all terrain vehicles, snowmobiles, snowmobile trailers or vehicles, other than automobiles or vehicles used primarily for general personal transportation use, may be parked or stored upon the premises of the Condominium, unless parked in an area specifically designated therefor by the Association. No inoperable vehicles of any type may be brought or stored upon the Condominium Premises either temporarily or permanently. Commercial vehicles and trucks shall not be parked in or about the Condominium (except as above provided) unless while making deliveries or pickups in the normal course of business. Co-owners shall, if the Association shall require, register with the Association all cars maintained on the Condominium Premises.

Section 8. Advertising. No signs or other advertising devices of any kind shall be displayed which are visible from the exterior of a Unit or on the Common Elements, including "For Sale" signs, without written permission from the Association.

Section 9. Rules and Regulations. It is intended that the Board of Directors of the Association may make rules and regulations from time to time to reflect the needs and desires of the majority of the Co-owners in the Condominium. Reasonable regulations consistent with the Act, the Master Deed and these Bylaws concerning the use of the Common Elements may be made and amended from time to time by any Board of Directors of the Association, including the first Board of Directors (or its successors) prior to the Transitional Control Date. Copies of all such rules, regulations and amendments thereto shall be furnished to all Co-owners. Any such regulation or amendment may be revoked at any time by the affirmative vote of more than 50% of the Co-owners in number and value, except that the Co-owners may not revoke any regulation or amendment prior to the First Annual Meeting of the entire Association.

Section 10. Right of Access of Association. The Association or its duly authorized agents shall have access to each Unit and any Limited Common Elements appurtenant thereto from time to

time, during reasonable working hours, upon notice to the Coowner thereof, as may be necessary for the maintenance, repair or replacement of any of the Common Elements. The Association or its agents shall also have access to each Unit and any Limited Common Elements appurtenant thereto at all times without notice as may be necessary to make emergency repairs to prevent damage to the Common Elements or to another Unit. It shall be the responsibility of each Co-owner to provide the Association means of access to his Unit and any Limited Common Elements Appurtenant thereto during all periods of absence, and in the event of the failure of such Co-owner to provide means of access, the Association may gain access in such manner as may be reasonable under the circumstances and shall not be liable to such Co-owner for any necessary damage to his Unit and any Limited Common Elements appurtenant thereto caused thereby or for repair or replacement of any doors or windows damaged in gaining such access.

Section 11. Landscaping. No Co-owner shall perform any landscaping or plant any trees, shrubs or flowers or place any ornamental materials upon the Common Elements without the prior written approval of the Association.

Section 12. Common Element Maintenance. Sidewalks, yards, landscaped areas, driveways, roads, parking areas and porches shall not be obstructed nor shall they be used for purposes other than for which they are reasonably and obviously intended. No bicycles, vehicles, chairs or other obstructions may be left unattended on or about the Common Elements.

Section 13. Co-owner Maintenance. Each Co-owner shall maintain his Unit and any Limited Common Elements appurtenant thereto for which he has maintenance responsibility in a safe, clean and sanitary condition. Each Co-owner shall also use due care to avoid damaging any of the Common Elements including, but not limited to, the telephone, water, gas, plumbing, electrical or other utility conduits and systems and any other elements in any Unit which are appurtenant to or which may affect any other Unit. Each Co-owner shall be responsible for damages or costs to the Association resulting from negligent damage to or misuse of any of the Common Elements by him, or his family, guests, agents or invitees, unless such damages or costs are covered by insurance carried by the Association (in which case there shall be no such responsibility, unless reimbursement to the Association is excluded by virtue of a deductible provision (in which case the responsible Co-owner shall bear the expense to the extent of the deductible amount). Any costs or damages to the Association may be assessed to and collected from the responsible Co-owner in the manner provided in Article II hereof.

Section 15. Use of Lake. The lake, as shown on the Condominium Subdivision Plan, is intended for aesthetic purposes only and shall not be used for any recreational purposes, including without limitation boating, swimming and/or fishing.

#### ARTICLE VII

#### MORTGAGES

Section 1. Notice to Association. Any Co-owner who mortgages his Unit shall notify the Association of the name and address of the mortgagee, and the Association shall maintain such information in a book entitled "Mortgages of Units". The Association may, at the written request of a mortgagee of any such Unit, report any unpaid assessments due from the Co-owner of such Unit. The Association shall give to the holder of any first mortgage covering any Unit in the Project written notification of anydefault in the performance of the obligations of the Co-owner of such Unit that is not cured within 60 days.

Section 2. Insurance. The Association shall notify each mortgagee appearing in said book of the name of each company

insuring the Condominium against fire, perils covered by extended coverage, and vandalism and malicious mischief and the amounts of such coverage.

Section 3. Notification of Meetings. Upon request submitted to the Association, any institutional holder of a first mortgage lien on any Unit in the Condominium shall be entitled to receive written notification of every meeting of the members of the Association and to designate a representative to attend such meeting.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### VOTING

Section 1. Vote. Except as limited in these Bylaws, each Co-owner shall be entitled to one vote for each Condominium Unit owned when voting by number and one vote, the value of which shall equal the total of the percentages allocated to the Unit owned by such Co-owner as set forth in Article V of the Master Deed, when voting by value. Voting shall be by value except in those instances when voting is specifically required to be both in value and in number.

Section 2. Eligibility to Vote. No Co-owner shall be entitled to vote at any meeting of the Association until he has presented evidence of ownership of a Unit in the Condominium Project to the Association. Except as provided in Article XI, Section 2 of these Bylaws, no Co-owner, other than the Developer, shall be entitled to vote prior to the date of the First Annual Meeting of members held in accordance with Section 2 of Article IX. The vote of each Co-owner may be cast only by the individual representative designated by such Co-owner in the notice required in Section 3 of this Article VIII below or by a proxy given by such individual representative. The Developer shall be the only person entitled to vote at a meeting of the Association until the First Annual Meeting of members and shall be entitled to vote during such period notwithstanding the fact that the Developer may own no Units at some time or from time to time during such period. At and after the First Annual Meeting the Developer shall be entitled to vote for each Unit which it owns.

Section 3. Designation of Voting Representative. individual Co-owner who is a natural person shall automatically be the designated voting representative who shall vote at meetings of the Association and receive all notices and other communications from the Association on behalf of such Co-owner. Where two or more natural persons are Co-owners of a Unit, then notices from the Association shall be addressed to all such persons at the Unit and any one of such Co-owners shall be entitled to vote at meetings of the Association; provided, however, that no such Co-owner shall be entitled to vote if such Co-owners cannot agree as to who will cast the vote. In the event of ownership of a Unit by an unnatural person, such as a corporation or trust, a written notice designating the person who may vote at Association meetings and receive notices shall be filed with the Association. Such notice shall state the name and address of the individual representative designated, the number or numbers of the Unit or Units owned by the Co-owner, and the name and address of each person, firm, corporation, partnership, association, trust or other legal entity who is the Co-owner. Such notice shall be signed and dated on behalf of the Co-owner. If Co-owner is a corporation, partnership or other similar entity, an authorized agent thereof shall be the designated voting representative. Such designee may be changed by the Co-owner at any time by filing a new notice in the manner herein provided.

Section 4. Quorum. The presence in person or by proxy of 35% of the Co-owners in number and in value qualified to vote shall constitute a quorum for holding a meeting of the members of the Association, except for voting on questions specifically

required by the Condominium Documents to require a greater quorum. The written vote of any person furnished at or prior to any duly called meeting at which meeting said person is not otherwise present in person or by proxy shall be counted in determining the presence of a quorum with respect to the question upon which the vote is cast.

Section 5. Voting. Votes may be cast only in person or by proxy as described in the following sentence except that whenever the Condominium Documents specifically require approval by the affirmative vote of more than 50% of all Co-owners, it shall be permissible to vote by a writing duly signed by the designated voting representative not present at a given meeting in person. Proxy voting shall not be permitted except where the disignated voting representative is away from home overnight as evidenced by an affidavit signed by him and filed with the Association along with his proxy. Any written votes must be filed with the secretary of the Association at or before the appointed time of each meeting of the members of the Association. Cumulative voting shall not be permitted.

Section 6. Majority. A majority, except where otherwise provided herein, shall consist of more than 50% in value of those qualified to vote and present in person or by proxy (or written vote, if applicable) at a given meeting of the members of the Association. Whenever provided specifically herein, a majority may be required to exceed the simple majority hereinabove set forth and may require such majority to be one of both number and value of designated voting representatives present in person or by proxy, or by written vote, if applicable, at a given meeting of the members of the Association.

#### ARTICLE IX

#### MEETINGS

Section 1. Place of Meeting. Meetings of the Association shall be held at the principal office of the Association or at such other suitable place convenient to the Co-owners as may be designated by the Board of Directors. Meetings of the Association shall be conducted in accordance with Sturgis' Code of Parliamentary Procedure, Roberts Rules of Order or some generally recognized manual of parliamentary procedure, when not otherwise in conflict with the Condominium Documents (as defined in the Master Deed) or the laws of the State of Michigan.

Section 2. First Annual Meeting. The First Annual Meeting of members of the Association has been convened by Developer.

Section 3. Annual Meetings. Annual meetings of members of the Association shall be held in the month October of each succeeding year after the year in which the First Annual Meeting is held at such time and place as shall be determined by the Board of Directors. At such meetings there shall be elected by ballot of the Co-owners a Board of Directors in accordance with the requirements of Article X of these Bylaws. The Co-owners may also transact at annual meetings such other business of the Association as may properly come before them.

Section 4. Special Meetings. It shall be the duty of the President to call a special meeting of the Co-owners as directed by resolution of the Board of Directors or upon a petition signed by 1/3 of the Co-owners presented to the Secretary of the Association. Notice of any special meeting shall state the time and place of such meeting and the purposes thereof. No business shall be transacted at a special meeting except as stated in the notice.

Section 5. Notice of Meetings. It shall be the duty of the Secretary (or other Association officer in the Secretary's absence) to serve a notice of each annual or special meeting, stating the purpose thereof as well as of the time and place where it is to be held, upon each Co-owner of record, at least 10 days but not more than 60 days prior to such meeting. The mailing, postage prepaid, of a notice to the representative of each Co-owner at the address shown in the notice required to be filed with the Association by Article VIII, Section 3 of these Bylaws shall be deemed notice served. Any member may, by written waiver of notice signed by such member, waive such notice, and such waiver, when filed in the records of the Association shall be deemed due notice.

Section 6. Adjournment. If any meeting of Co-owners cannot be held because a quorum is not in attendance, the Co-owners who are present may adjourn the meeting to a time not less than 48 hours from the time the original meeting was called.

Section 7. Order of Business. The order of business at all meetings of the members shall be as follows: (a) roll call to determine the voting power represented at the meeting; (b) proof of notice of meeting or waiver of notice; (c) reading of minutes of preceding meeting; (d) reports of officers; (e) reports of committees; (f) appointment of inspector of elections (at annual meetings or special meetings held for purpose of election of Directors or officers); (g) election of Directors (at annual meeting or special meetings held for such purpose); (h) unfinished business; and (i) new business. Meeting of members shall be chaired by the most senior officer of the Association present at such meeting. For purposes of this Section, the order of seniority of officers shall be President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Action Without Meeting. Any action which may Section 8. be taken at a meeting of the members (except for the election or removal of Directors) may be taken without a meeting by written ballot of the members. Ballots shall be solicited in the same manner as provided in Section 5 for the giving of notice of meetings of members. Such solicitations shall specify (a) the number of responses needed to meet the quorum requirements; (b) the percentage of approvals necessary to approve the action; and (c) the time by which ballots must be received in order to be counted. The form of written ballot shall afford an opportunity to specify a choice between approval and disapproval of each matter and shall provide that, where the member specifies a choice, the vote shall be cast in accordance therewith. Approval by written ballot shall be constituted by receipt within the time period specified in the solicitation of (i) a number of ballots which equals or exceeds the quorum which would be required if the action were taken at a meeting; and (ii) a number of approvals which equals or exceeds the number of votes which would be required for approval if the action were taken at a meeting at which the total number of votes cast was the same as the total number of ballots cast.

Section 9. Consent of Absentees. The transactions at any meeting of members, either annual or special, however called and noticed, shall be as valid as though made at a meeting duly held after regular call and notice if a quorum be present either in person or by proxy; and if, either before or after the meeting, each of the members not present in person or by proxy, signs a written waiver of notice, or a consent to the holding of such meeting, or an approval of the minutes thereof. All such waivers, consents or approvals shall be filed with the corporate records or made a part of the minutes of the meeting.

Section 10. Minutes, Presumption of Notice. Minutes or a similar record of the proceedings of meetings of members, when signed by the President or Secretary, shall be presumed truthfully to evidence the matters set forth therein. A recitation in the minutes of any such meeting that notice of the meeting was properly given shall be prima facie evidence that such notice was given.

## ARTICLE X

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1. Number and Qualification of Directors. The the affairs of the Association shall be governed by a Board of 5 Directors all of whom must be members of the Association. Directors' compensation, if any, shall be set by the affirmative vote of 60% of all Co-owners. Directors of the Association who serve prior to the Transitional Control Date shall receive no compensation.

Meeting 3 Directors shall be elected for a term of 2 years and 2 Directors shall be elected for a term of 1 year. At such meeting all nominees shall stand for election as 1 slate and the 3 persons receiving the highest number of votes shall be elected for a term of 2 years and the 2 persons receiving the next highest number of votes shall be elected for a term of 1 year. At each annual meeting held thereafter, either 2 or 3 Directors shall be elected depending upon the number of Directors whose terms expire. After the First Annual Meeting, the term of office (except for 2 of the Directors elected at the First Annual Meeting) of each Director shall be 2 years. The Directors shall hold office until their successors have been elected and hold their first meeting.

Section 3. Powers and Duties. The Board of Directors shall have the powers and duties necessary for the administration of the affairs of the Association and may do all acts and things as are not prohibited by the Condominium Documents or required thereby to be exercised and done by the Co-owners.

Section 4. Other Duties. In addition to the foregoing duties imposed by these Bylaws or any further duties which may be imposed by resolution of the members of the Association, the Board of Directors shall be responsible specifically for the following:

- (a) To manage and administer the affairs of and to maintain the Condominium Project and the Common Elements thereof.
- (b) To collect assessments from the members of the Association and to use the proceeds thereof for the purposes of the Association.
- (c) To carry insurance and collect and allocate the proceeds thereof.
  - (d) To rebuild improvements after casualty.
- (e) To contract for and employ persons, firms, corporations or other agents to assist in the management, operation, maintenance and administration of the Condominium Project.
- (f) To acquire, maintain and improve; and to buy, operate, manage, sell, convey, assign, mortgage or lease any real or personal property (including any Unit in the Condominium and easements, rights-of-way and licenses) on behalf of the Association in furtherance of any of the purposes of the Association.
- (g) To borrow money and issue evidences of indebtedness in furtherance of any or all of the purposes of business of the Association, and to secure the same by mortgage, pledge, or other lien, on property owned by the Association; provided, however, that any such action shall also be approved by affirmative vote of 75% of all of the members of the Association in number and in value.

- (h) To make rules and regulations in accordance with Article VI, Section 9 of these Bylaws.
- (i) To establish such committees as it deems necessary, convenient or desirable and to appoint persons thereto for the purpose of implementing the administration of the Condominium and to delegate to such committees any functions or responsibilities which are not by law or the Condominium Documents required to be performed by the Board.
- (j) To enforce the provisions of the Condominium Documents.

Section 5. Management Agent. The Board of Directors may employ for the Association a professional management agent (which may include the Developer or any person or entity related thereto) at reasonable compensation established by the Board to perform such duties and services as the Board shall authorize, including, but not limited to, the duties listed in Sections 3 and 4 of this Article, and the Board may delegate to such management agent any other duties or powers which are not by law or by the Condominium Documents required to be performed by or have the approval of the Board of Directors or the members of the Association.

Section 6. Vacancies. Vacancies in the Board of Directors which occur after the Transitional Control Date caused by any reason other than the removal of a Director by a vote of the members of the Association shall be filled by vote of the majority of the remaining Directors, even though they may constitute less than a quorum, except that the Developer shall be solely entitled to fill the vacancy of any Director whom it is permitted in the first instance to designate. Each person so elected shall be a Director until a successor is elected at the next annual meeting of the Association. Vacancies among non-developer Co-owner elected Directors which occur prior to the Transitional Control Date may be filled only through election by non-developer Co-owners and shall be filled in the manner specified in Section 2(b) of this Article.

Section 7. Removal. At any regular or special meeting of the Association duly called with due notice of the removal action proposed to be taken, any one or more of the Directors may be removed with or without cause by the affirmative vote of more than 50% in number and in value of all of the Co-owners and a successor may then and there be elected to fill any vacancy thus created. The quorum requirement for the purpose of filling such vacancy shall be the normal 35% requirement set forth in Article VIII, Section 4. Any Director whose removal has been proposed by the Co-owner shall be given an opportunity to be heard at the meeting. The Developer may remove and replace any or all of the Directors selected by it at any time or from time to time in its sole discretion. Likewise, any Director selected by the nondeveloper Co-owners to serve before the First Annual Meeting may be removed before the First Annual Meeting in the same manner set forth in this paragraph for removal of Directors generally.

Section 8. First Meeting. The first meeting of a newly elected Board of Directors shall be held within 10 days of election at such place as shall be fixed by the Directors at the meeting at which such Directors were elected, and no notice shall be necessary to the newly elected Directors in order legally to constitute such meeting, providing a majority of the whole Board shall be present.

Section 9. Regular Meetings. Regular meetings of the Board of Directors may be held at such times and places as shall be determined from time to time by a majority of the Directors, but at least two such meetings shall be held during each fiscal year. Notice of regular meetings of the Board of Directors shall be given to each Director, personally, by mail, telephone or tele-

graph at least 10 days prior to the date named for such meeting.

Section 10. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by the President on 3 days' notice to each Director, given personally, by mail, telephone or telegraph, which notice shall state the time, place and purpose of the meeting. Special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be called by the President or Secretary in like manner and on like notice on the written request of two Directors.

Section 11. Waiver of Notice. Before or at any meeting of the Board of Directors, any Director may, in writing, waive notice of such meeting and such waiver shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of such notice. Attendance by a Director at any meetings of the Board shall be deemed a waiver of notice by him of the time and place thereof. If all the Directors are present at any meeting of the Board, no notice shall be required and any business may be transacted at such meeting.

Section 12. Adjournment. At all meetings of the Board of Directors, a majority of the Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and the acts of the majority of the Directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the acts of the Board of Directors. If, at any meeting of the Board of Directors, there be less than a quorum present, the majority of those present may adjourn the meeting to a subsequent time upon 24 hours' prior written notice delivered to all Directors not present. At any such adjourned meeting, any business which might have been transacted at the meeting as originally called may be transacted without further notice. The joinder of a Director in the action of a meeting by signing and concurring in the minutes thereof, shall constitute the presence of such Director for purposes of determining a quorum.

Section 13. First Board of Directors. The actions of the first Board of Directors of the Association or any successors thereto selected or elected before the Transitional Control Date shall be binding upon the Association so long as such actions are within the scope of the powers and duties which may be exercised generally by the Board of Directors as provided in the Condominium Documents.

Section 14. Fidelity Bonds. The Board of Directors shall require that all officers and employees of the Association handling or responsible for Association funds shall furnish adequate fidelity bonds. The premiums on such bonds shall be expenses of administration.

# ARTICLE XI

#### OFFICERS

Section 1. Officers. The principal officers of the Association shall be a President, who shall be a member of the Board of Directors, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. The Directors may appoint an Assistant Treasurer, and an Assistant Secretary, and such other officers as in their judgment may be necessary. Any two offices except that of President and Vice President may be held by one person.

(a) President. The President shall be the chief executive officer of the Association. He shall preside at all meetings of the Association and of the Board of Directors. He shall have all of the general powers and duties which are usually vested in the office of the President of an association, including, but not limited to, the power to appoint committees from among the members of the Association from time to time as he may in his discretion deem appropriate to assist in the conduct of the affairs of the Association.

- (b) Vice President. The Vice President shall take the place of the President and perform his duties whenever the President shall be absent or unable to act. If neither the President nor the Vice President is able to act, the Board of Directors shall appoint some other member of the Board to so do on an interim basis. The Vice President shall also perform such other duties as shall from time to time be imposed upon him by the Board of Directors.
- (c) Secretary. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of all meetings of the Board of Directors and the minutes of all meetings of the members of the Association; he shall have charge of the corporate seal, if any, and of such books and papers as the Board of Directors may direct; and he shall, in general, perform all duties incident to the office of the Secretary.
- (d) Treasurer. The Treasurer shall have responsibility for the Association funds and securities and shall be responsible for keeping full and accurate accounts of all receipts and disbursements in books belonging to the Association. He shall be responsible for the deposit of all monies and other valuable effects in the name and to the credit of the Association, and in such depositories as may, from time to time, be designated by the Board of Directors.

Section 2. Election. The officers of the Association shall be elected annually by the Board of Directors at the organizational meeting of each new Board and shall hold office at the pleasure of the Board.

Section 3. Removal. Upon affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the Board of Directors, any officer may be removed either with or without cause, and his successor elected at any regular meeting of the Board of Directors, or at any special meeting of the Board called for such purpose. No such removal action may be taken, however, unless the matter shall have been included in the notice of such meeting. The officer who is proposed to be removed shall be given an opportunity to be heard at the meeting.

Section 4. Duties. The officers shall have such other duties, powers and responsibilities as shall, from time to time, be authorized by the Board of Directors.

## ARTICLE XII

## SEAL

The Association may (but need not) have a seal. If the Board determines that the Association shall have a seal, then it shall have inscribed thereon the name of the Association, the words "corporate seal", and "Michigan".

#### ARTICLE XIII

#### FINANCE

Section 1. Records. The Association shall keep detailed books of account showing all expenditures and receipts of administration which shall specify the maintenance and repair expenses of the Common Elements and any other expenses incurred by or on behalf of the Association and the Co-owners. Such accounts and all other Association records shall be open for inspection by the Co-owners and their mortgagees during reasonable working hours. The Association shall prepare and distribute to each Co-owner at least once a year a financial statement, the contents of which shall be defined by the Association. The books of account shall be audited at least annually by qualified independent auditors;

provided, however, that such auditors need not be certified public accountants nor does such audit need to be a certified audit. Any institutional holder of a first mortgage lien on any Unit in the Condominium shall be entitled to receive a copy of such annual audited financial statement within 90 days following the end of the Association's fiscal year upon request therefor. The costs of any such audit and any accounting expenses shall be expenses of administration.

Section 2. Fiscal Year. The fiscal year of the Association shall be an annual period commencing on such date as may be initially determined by the Directors. The commencement date of the fiscal year shall be subject to change by the Directors for accounting reasons or other good cause.

Section 3. Bank. Funds of the Association shall be initially deposited in such bank or savings association as may be designated by the Directors and shall be withdrawn only upon the check or order of such officers, employees or agents as are designated by resolution of the Board of Directors from time to time. The funds may be invested from time to time in accounts or deposit certificates of such bank or savings association as are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation and may also be invested in interest-bearing obligations of the United States Government.

#### ARTICLE XIV

#### INDEMNIFICATION OF OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

Every Director and officer of the Association shall be indemnified by the Association against all expenses and liabilities, including counsel fees, reasonably incurred by or imposed upon him in connection with any proceeding to which he may be a party or in which he may become involved by reason of his being or having been a Director or officer of the Association, whether or not he is a Director or officer at the time such expenses are incurred, except in such cases wherein the Director or officer is adjudged guilty of willful or wanton misconduct or gross negligence in the performance of his duties; provided that, in the event of any claim for reimbursement or indemnification hereunder based upon a settlement by the Director or officer seeking such reimbursement or indemnification, the indemnification herein shall apply only if the Board of Directors (with the Director seeking reimbursement abstaining) approves such settlement and reimbursement as being in the best interest of the Association. The foregoing right of indemnification shall be in addition to and not exclusive of all other rights to which such Director or officer may be entitled. At least 10 days prior to payment of any indemnification which it has approved, the Board of Directors shall notify all Co-owners thereof. Further, the Board of Directors is authorized to carry officers' and directors' liability insurance covering acts of the officers and directors of the Association in such amounts as it shall deem appropriate.

## ARTICLE XV

## AMENDMENTS

Section 1. Proposal. Amendments to these Bylaws may be proposed by the Board of Directors of the Association acting upon the vote of the majority of the Directors or may be proposed by 1/3 or more in number of the Co-owners by instrument in writing signed by them.

Section 2. Meeting. Upon any such amendment being proposed, a meeting for consideration of the same shall be duly called in accordance with the provisions of these Bylaws.

Section 3. Voting. These Bylaws may be amended by the Co-

owners at any regular meeting or a special meeting called for such purpose by an affirmative vote of not less than 66-2/3% of all Co-owners in number and in value. No consent of mortgagees shall be required to amend these Bylaws unless such amendment would materially alter or change the rights of such mortgagees, in which event the approval of 66-2/3% of mortgagees shall be required with each mortgagee to have one vote for each mortgage held.

Section 4. When Effective. Any amendment to these Bylaws shall become effective upon recording of such amendment in the office of the County Register of Deeds.

Section 5. Binding. A copy of each amendment to the Bylaws shall be furnished to every member of the Association after adoption; provided, however, that any amendment to these Bylaws that is adopted in accordance with this Article shall be binding upon all persons who have an interest in the Project irrespective of whether such persons actually receive a copy of the amendment.

#### ARTICLE XVI

## COMPLIANCE

The Association of Co-owners and all present or future Co-owners, tenants, future tenants, or any other persons acquiring an interest in or using the facilities of the Project in any manner are subject to and shall comply with the Act, as amended, and the mere acquisition, occupancy or rental of any Unit or an interest therein or the utilization of or entry upon the Condominium Premises shall signify that the Condominium Documents are accepted and ratified. In the event the Condominium Documents conflict with the provisions of the Act, the Act shall govern.

## ARTICLE XVII

## DEFINITIONS

All terms used herein shall have the same meaning as set forth in the Master Deed to which these Bylaws are attached as an Exhibit or as set forth in the Act.

#### ARTICLE XVIII

# REMEDIES FOR DEFAULT

Any default by a Co-owner shall entitle the Association or another Co-owner or Co-owners to the following relief:

Section 1. Legal Action. Failure to comply with any of the terms or provisions of the Condominium Documents shall be grounds for relief, which may include, without intending to limit the same, an action to recover sums due for damages, injunctive relief, foreclosure of lien (if default in payment of assessment) or any combination thereof, and such relief may be sought by the Association or, if appropriate, by an aggrieved Co-owner or Co-owners.

Section 2. Recovery of Costs. In any proceeding arising because of an alleged default by any Co-owner, the Association, if successful, shall be entitled to recover the costs of the proceeding and such reasonable attorneys' fees (not limited to statutory fees) as may be determined by the court, but in no event shall any Co-owner be entitled to recover such attorneys' fees.

Section 3. Removal and Abatement. The violation of any of the provisions of the Condominium Documents shall also give the Association or its duly authorized agents the right, in addition to the rights set forth above, to enter upon the Common Elements, Limited or General, or into any Unit and the improvements thereon, where reasonably necessary, and summarily remove and abate, at the expense of the Co-owner in violation, any structure, thing or condition existing or maintained contrary to the provisions of the Condominium Documents. The Association shall have no liability to any Co-owner arising out of the exercise of its removal and abatement power authorized herein.

Section 4. Assessment of Fines. The violation of any of the provisions of the Condominium Documents by any Co-owner shall be grounds for assessment by the Association, acting through its duly constituted Board of Directors, of monetary fines for such violations. No fine may be assessed unless rules and regulations establishing such fine have first been duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Association and notice thereof given to all Co-owners in the same manner as prescribed in Article IX, Section 5 of these Bylaws. Thereafter, fines may be assessed only upon notice to the offending Co-owners as prescribed in said Article IX, Section 5, and an opportunity for such Co-owner to appear before the Board no less than 7 days from the date of the notice and offer evidence in defense of the alleged violation. All fines duly assessed may be collected in the same manner as provided in Article II of these Bylaws. No fine shall be levied for the first violation. No fine shall exceed \$25 for the secondviolation, \$50 for the third violation or \$100 for any subsequent violation.

Section 5. Non-waiver of Right. The failure of the Association or of any Co-owner to enforce any right, provision, covenant or condition which may be granted by the Condominium Documents shall not constitute a waiver of the right of the Association or of any such Co-owner to enforce such right, provision, covenant or condition in the future.

Section 6. Cumulative Rights, Remedies and Privileges. All rights, remedies and privileges granted to the Association or any Co-owner or Co-owners pursuant to any terms, provisions, covenants or conditions of the Condominium Documents shall be deemed to be cumulative and the exercise of any one or more shall not be deemed to constitute an election of remedies, nor shall it preclude the party thus exercising the same from exercising such other and additional rights, remedies or privileges as may be available to such party at law or in equity.

Section 7. Enforcement of Provisions of Condominium Documents. A Co-owner may maintain an action against the Association and its officers and Directors to compel such persons to enforce the terms and provisions of the Condominium Documents. A Co-owner may maintain an action against any other Co-owner for injunctive relief or for damages or any combination thereof for noncompliance with the terms and provisions of the Condominium Documents or the Act.

#### ARTICLE XIX

#### SEVERABILITY

In the event that any of the terms, provisions or covenants of these Bylaws or the Condominium Documents are held to be partially or wholly invalid or unenforceable for any reason whatsoever, such holding shall not affect, alter, modify or impair in any manner whatsoever any of the other terms, provisions or covenants of such documents or the remaining portions of any terms, provisions or covenants held to be partially invalid or unenforceable.

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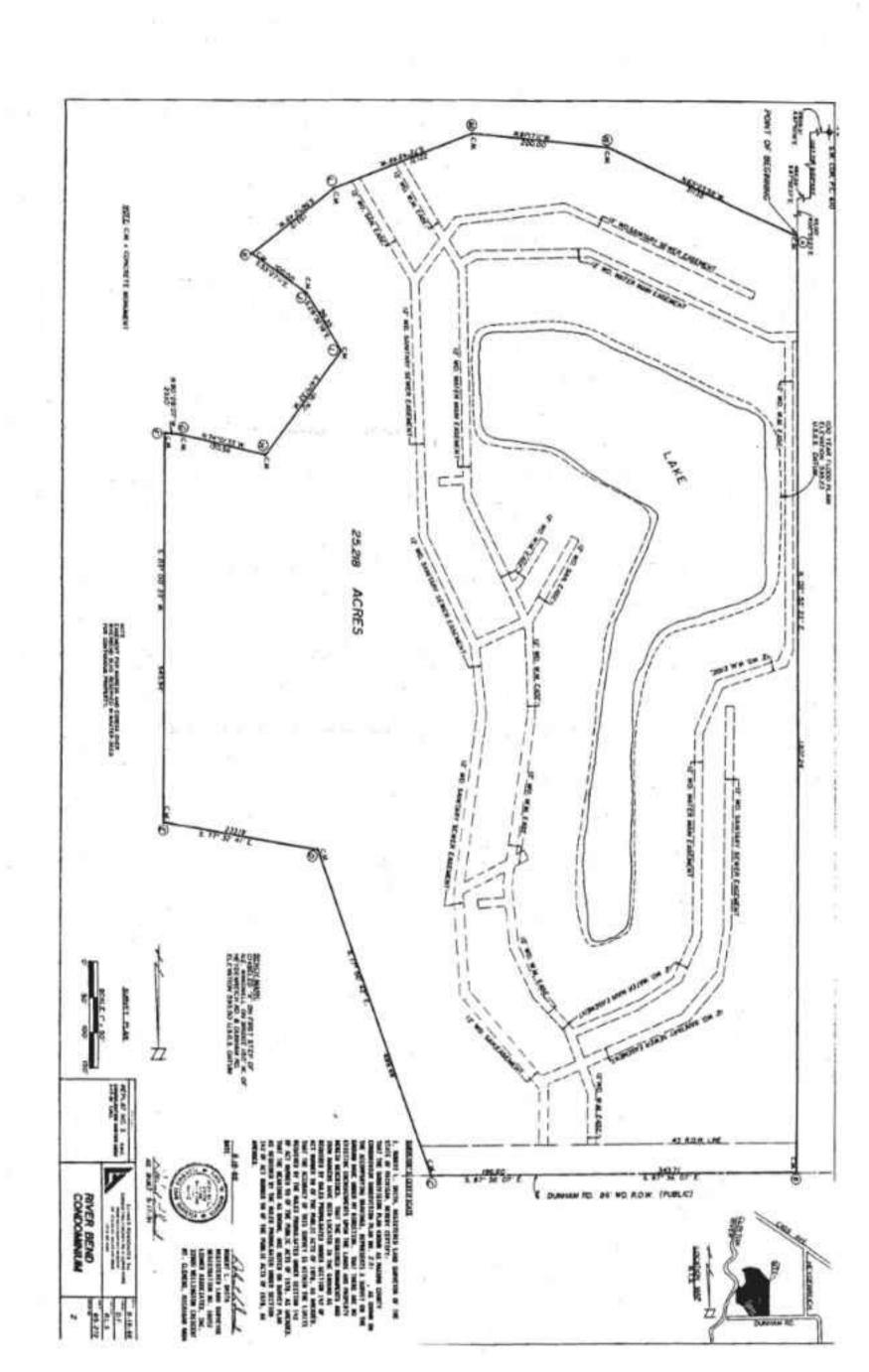
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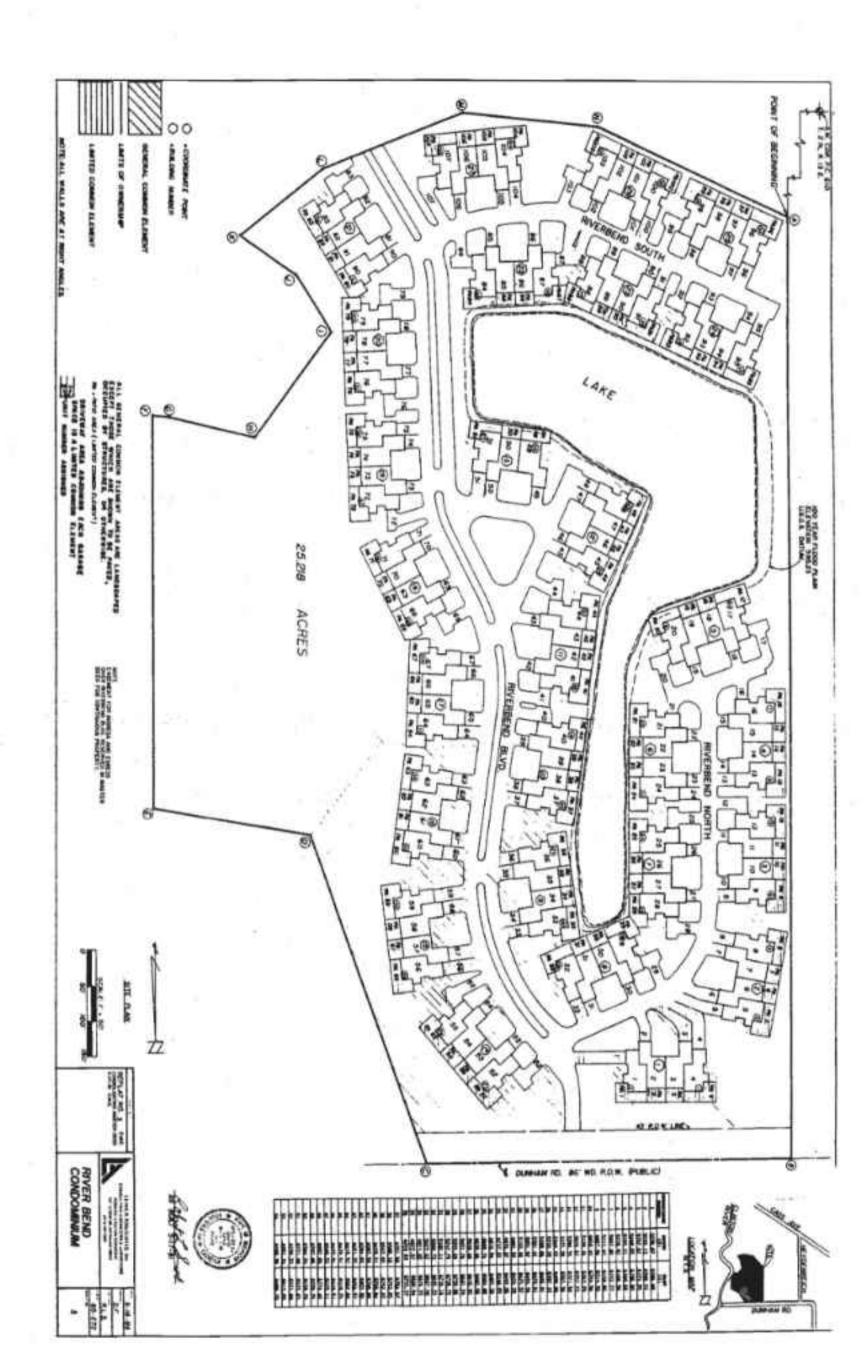
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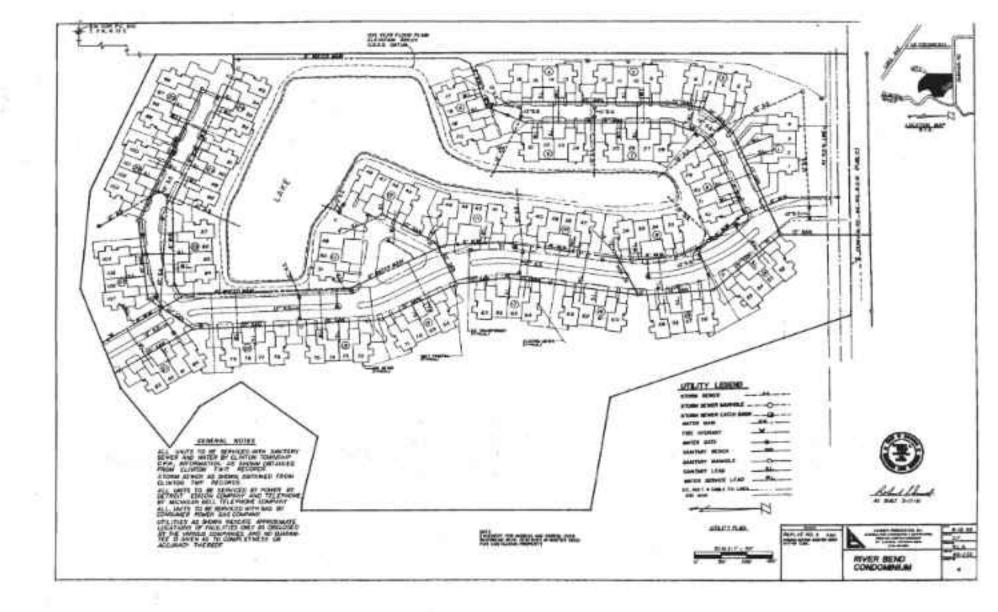
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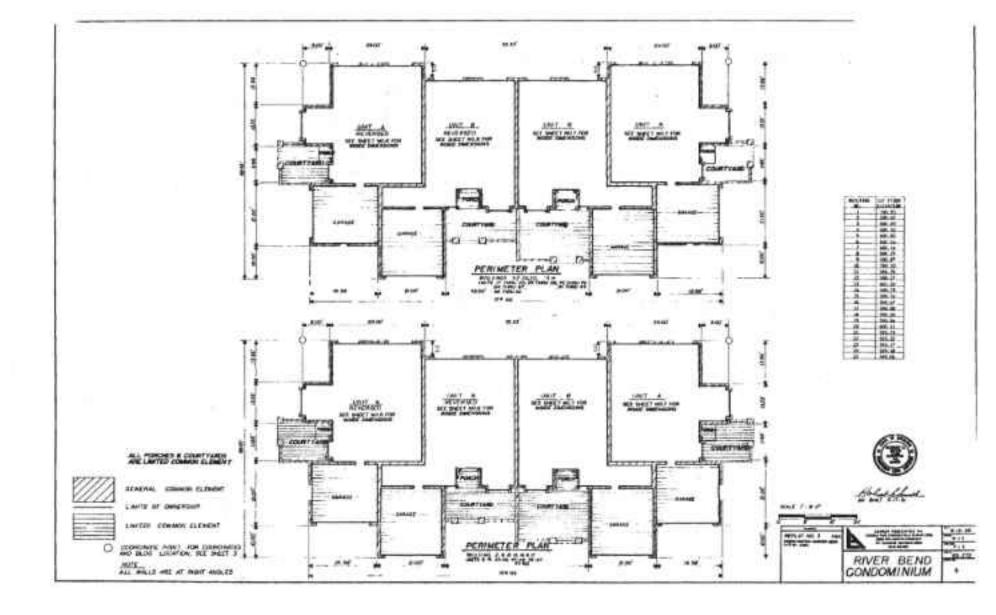
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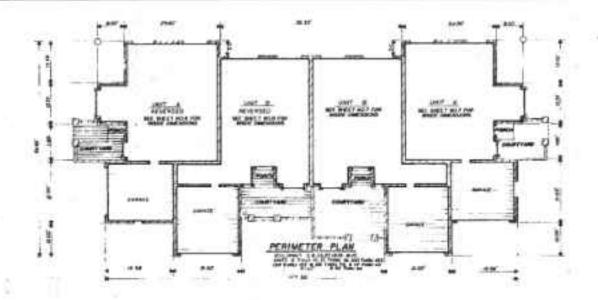












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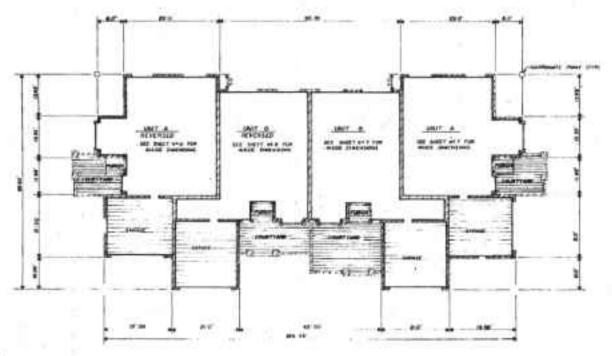
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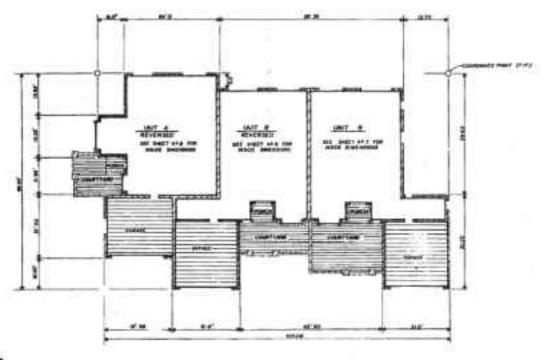
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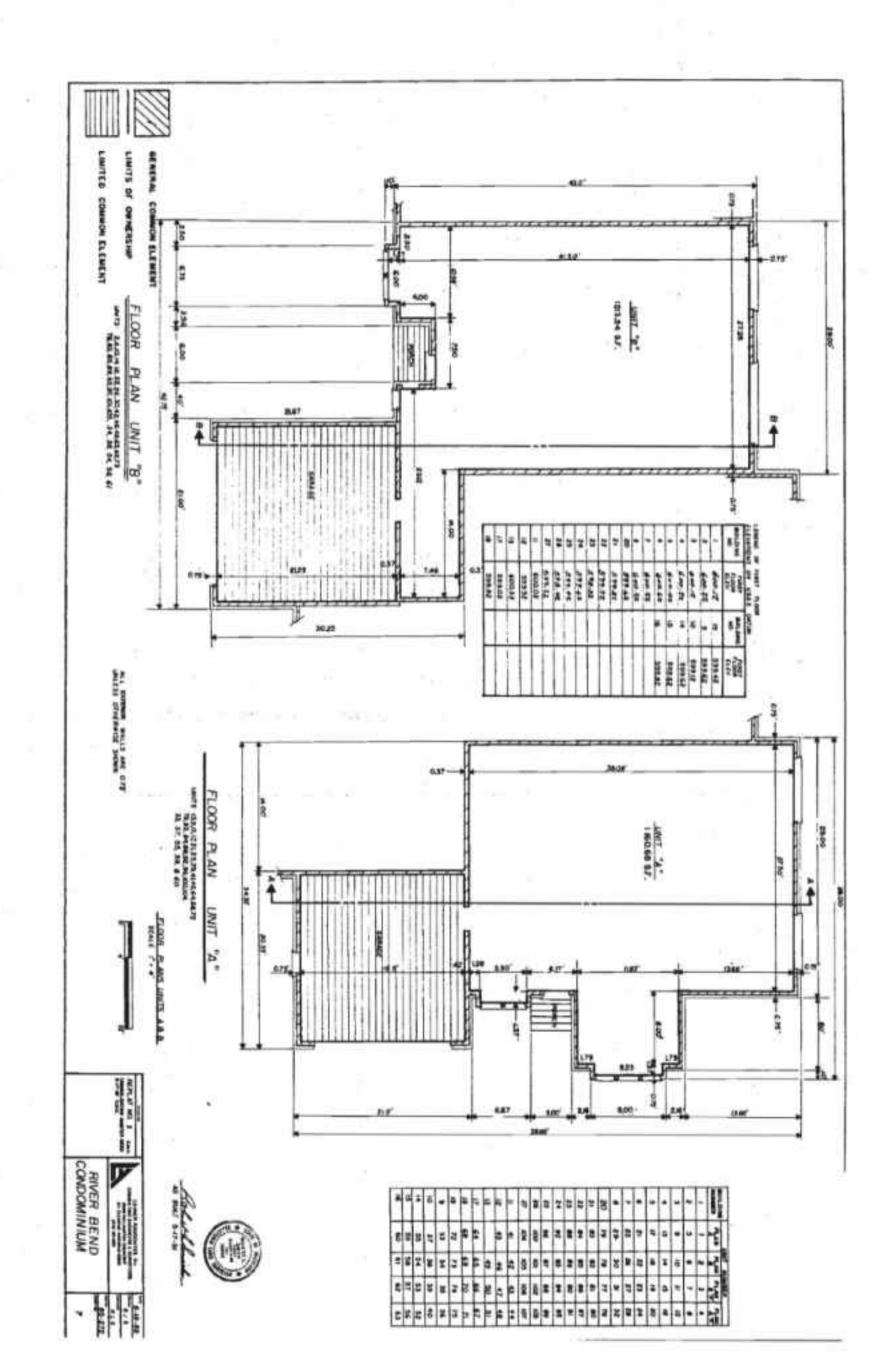
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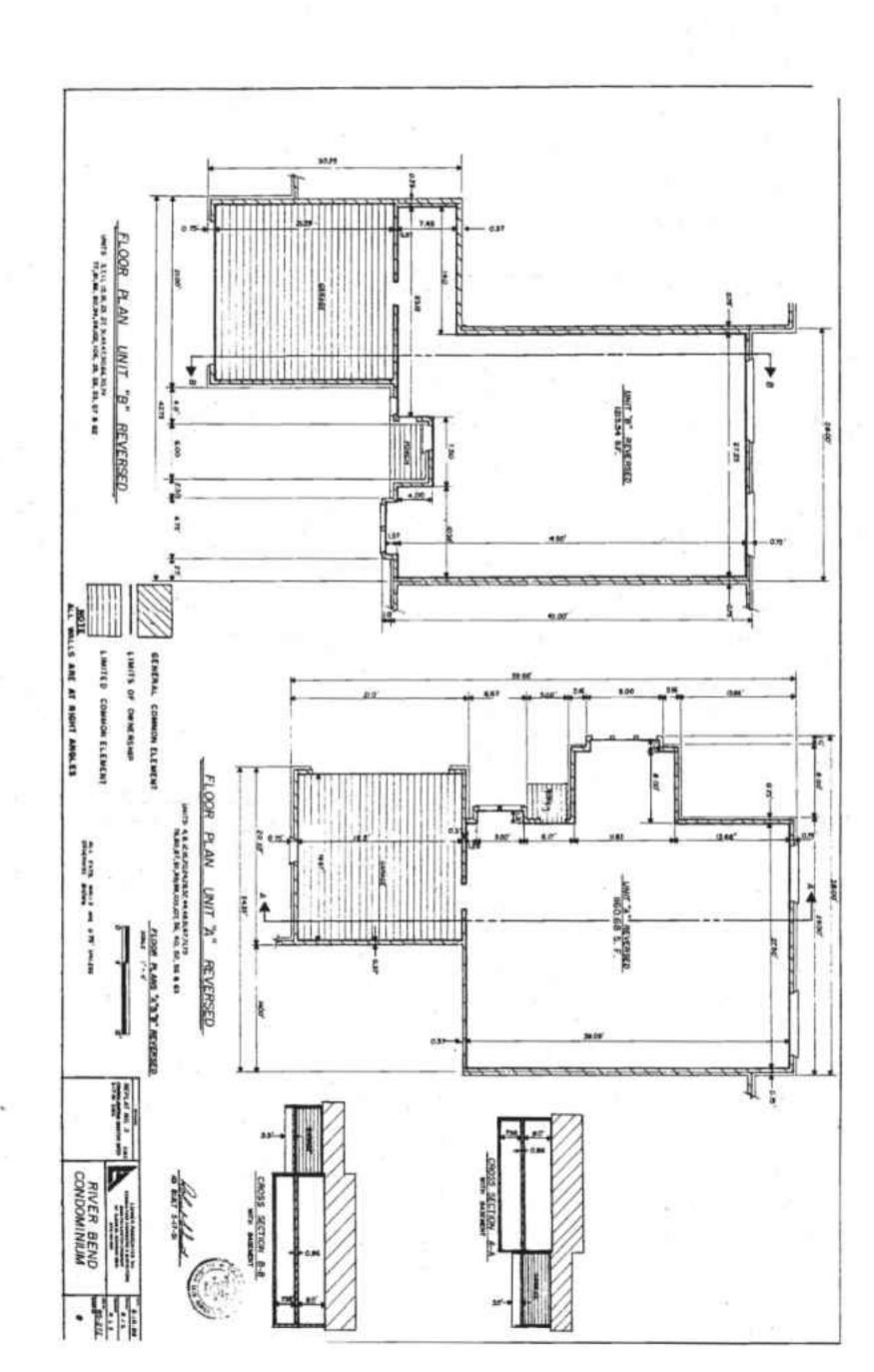
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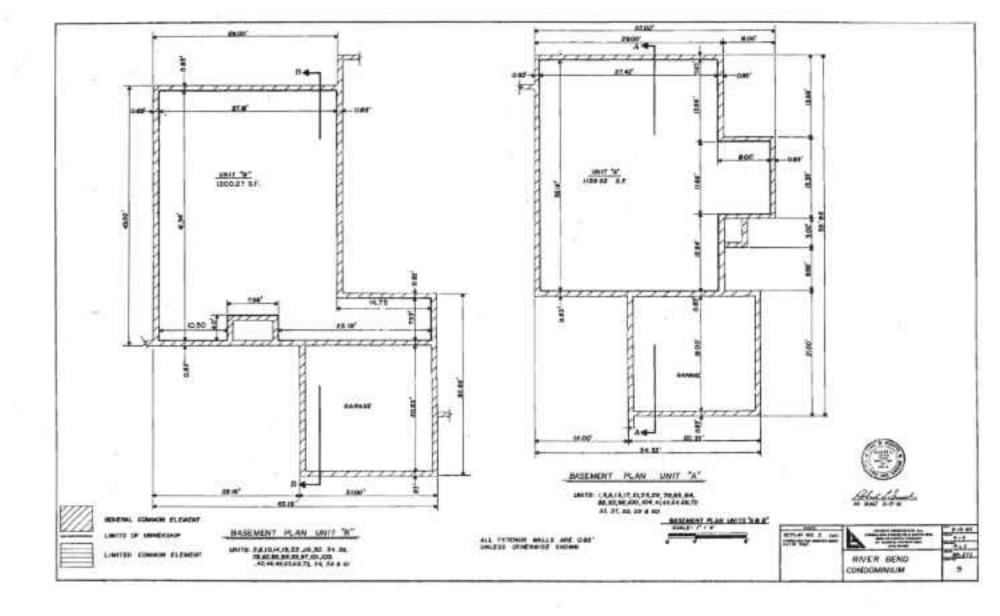
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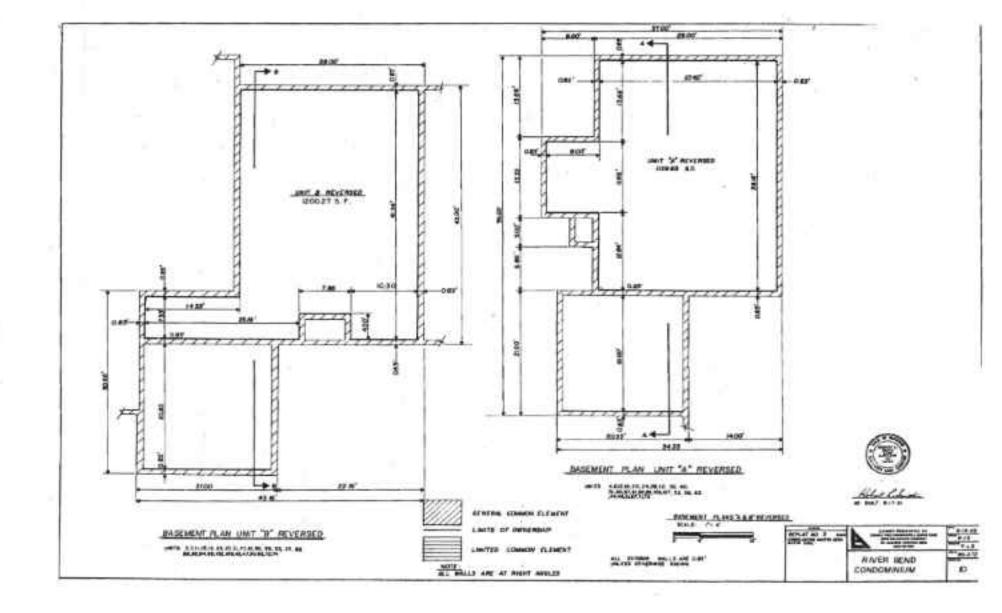


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# This is to Gertify That Articles of Incorporation of

HIVER BEND CONDUNINIUM ASSOCIATION

were duly filed in this office on the 10TH day of JULY , 19 06 , in conformity with Act 162, Lublic Acts of 1982.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Department, in the City of Lancing, this 10TH day of JULY 19 86

Director

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# NON-PROFIT ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

These Articles of Incorporation are signed and acknowledged by the incorporator for the purpose of forming a non-profit corporation under the provisions of Act No. 162 of the Public Acts of 1982, as follows:

## ARTICLE I

#### NAME

The name of the corporation is River Bend Condominium Association.

# ARTICLE II

#### PURPOSES

The purposes for which the corporation is formed are as follows:

- (a) To manage and administer the affairs of and to maintain River Bend Condominium, a condominium (hereinafter called "Condominium");
- (b) To levy and collect assessments against and from the members of the corporation and to use the proceeds thereof for the purposes of the corporation;
- (c) To carry insurance and to collect and allocate the proceeds thereof;
- (d) To rebuild improvements after casualty;
- (e) To contract for and employ persons, firms, or corporations to assist in management, operation, maintenance and administration of said Condominium;
- (f) To make and enforce reasonable regulations concerning the use and enjoyment of said Condominium;
- (g) To own, maintain and improve, and to buy, sell, convey, assign, mortgage, or lease (as landlord or tenant) any real and personal property, including, but not limited to, any Unit in the Condominium or any other real property, whether or not contiguous to the Condominium, for the purpose of providing benefit to the members of the corporation and in furtherance of any of the purposes of the corporation;
- (h) To borrow money and issue evidences of indebtedness in furtherance of any or all of the objects of its

business; to secure the same by mortgage, pledge or other lien;

- (i) To enforce the provisions of the Master Deed and Bylaws of the Condominium and of these Articles of Incorporation and such Bylaws and Rules and Regulations of this corporation as may hereinafter be adopted;
- (j) To do anything required of or permitted to it as administrator of said Condominium by the Condominium Master Deed or Bylaws or by Act No. 59 of Public Acts of 1978, as amended;
  - (k) In general, to enter into any kind of activity; to make and perform any contract and to exercise all powers necessary, incidental or convenient to the administration, management, maintenance, repair, replacement and operation of said Condominium and to the accomplishment of any of the purposes thereof.

## ARTICLE III

### ADDRESSES

Location of the first registered office is 19650 Nineteen Mile Road, in the City of Mt. Clemens, Macomb County, Michigan.

Post office address of the first registered office is . 19650 Nineteen Mile Road, Mt. Clemens, Michigan 48044.

## ARTICLE IV

## RESIDENT AGENT

The name of the first resident agent is Aldo Morrocco.

# ARTICLE V

# BASIS OF ORGANIZATION AND ASSETS

Said corporation is organized upon a non-stock, membership basis.

The amount of assets which said corporation possesses is:

Real Property: None Personal Property: None

Said corporation is to be financed under the following general plan: Assessment of members.

#### ARTICLE VI

## INCORPORATOR

The name and place of business of the incorporator is Mark J. Abdo, 21044 Kelly Road, East Detroit, Michigan 48021.

#### ARTICLE VII

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are as follows:

Aldo Morrocco, 19650 Nineteen Mile Road, Mt. Clemens, Michigan

Pompea Morrocco, 19650 Ninteen Mile Road, Mt. Clemens, Michigan

Doris Cueter, 19650 Nineteen Mile Road, Mt. Clemens, Michigan 48044.

#### ARTICLE VIII

## EXISTENCE

The term of corporate existence is perpetual.

# ARTICLE IX

# MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING

The qualifications of members, the manner of their admission to the corporation, the termination of membership, and voting by such members shall be as follows:

- (a) Each Co-owner (including the Developer) of a Unit in the Condominium shall be a member of the corporation, and no other person or entity shall be entitled to membership; except that the subscribers hereto shall be members of the corporation until such time as their membership shall terminate, as hereinafter provided.
- (b) Membership in the corporation (except with respect to any nonco-owner incorporators, who shall cease to be members upon the qualification of membership of any Co-owner) shall be established by acquisition of fee simple title to a Unit in the Condominium and by recording with the Register of Deeds in the county where the Condominium is located, a deed or other instrument establishing a change of record title to such Unit and the furnishing of evidence of same

satisfactory to the corporation (except that the Developer of the Condominium shall become a member immediately upon establishment of the Condominium) the new Co-owner thereby becoming a member of the corporation, and the membership of the prior Co-owner thereby being terminated.

- (c) The share of a member in the funds and assets of the corporation cannot be assigned, pledged, encumbered or transferred in any manner except as an appurtenance to his Unit in the Condominium.
- (d) Voting by members shall be in accordance with the provisions of the Bylaws of this corporation.

Signed this 2nd day of July, 1986.

Mark J. Abdo Incorporator

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