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**DECLARATION FOR NORTHBROOK MEWS TOWNEHOMES DEVELOPMENT**

By

*CHUCK LEE*

*Village Attorney*

THIS DECLARATION made and entered into by LA SALLE NATIONAL BANK, a National Banking Association, Chicago, Illinois, not individually but solely as Trustee under Trust Agreement dated December 15, 1986 and known as Trust No. 111870, for convenience hereinafter referred to as the "Developer."

**ARTICLE I**

**RECITALS**

The Developer is the record title holder of the real estate legally described on Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof. Said real estate (hereinafter referred to as "the Real Estate") is to be developed under a special use permit as a planned residential development of 23 townhomes to be called "Northbrook Mews Townhomes."

The townhomes (hereinafter referred to as "Dwelling Units") are to be constructed on the Real Estate on 23 sublots thereof denominated Sublots A through W inclusive.

The Northbrook Mews Townhomes Development (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Development") will include a private road, green space, parking areas, driveways, walkways and an area for storm water detention. That portion of the Real Estate utilized in such fashion will be designated by the Developer as the "Community Area." The Community Area will be constructed entirely on Sublot X of the Real Estate.

All owners and occupants of the Dwelling Units will benefit from the creation of a Homeowners Association which will become the owner and assume all maintenance obligations relative to the Community Area. The Developer has elected to declare that the several owners, mortgagees, occupants and other persons acquiring any interest in the Dwelling Units to be constructed on Sublots A through W inclusive of the Development shall at all times enjoy the benefit of and at all times hold their interest subject to the rights, obligations and restrictions set forth in this Declaration.

The development of, construction upon and use of the Real Estate shall comply with Village of Northbrook Ordinance No. 87-12 granting a special use for a planned residential development on the Real Estate, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit D and incorporated by reference subject to such modifications, provisions or alterations as the Village of Northbrook, in its sole discretion, may approve from time to time.

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DEFINITIONS  
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2.01. ASSOCIATION, NORTHBROOK MEWS TOWNEHOMES HOMEOWNERS  
ASSOCIATION, is an Illinois non-profit corporation, its  
members and associates.  
2.02. BOARD, the Board of Directors of the Association as  
constituted at any time to time in accordance with the  
applicable provisions of Article IV.  
2.03. BYLAWS, the bylaws of the Association.  
2.04. CAPITAL RESERVE, the funds segregated by the  
Association in the making of capital expenditures in connection with the  
limits to the use of which, is  
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and would, provided, however, that the Village Board of Trustees, by ordinance duly adopted, be revoked and become null and void. Upon the failure of the Board of Trustees to do either of the above, Section 6 of this Ordinance, at any time after the effective date of this Ordinance, shall take effect and become operative.

## Section 7. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH CONDITIONS.

- a. The Subject Property shall be developed, used and maintained only in a decent, acceptable and sanitary manner, and no building or structure thereon, excepting those required for the operation of a business or trade, shall be erected, maintained or repaired, or any other work done thereon, excepting maintenance work, which may be done by the Village Engineer, without the written consent of the Village Board of Trustees, and such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- b. The landscape plan for the subject property, prepared by Terry Rindfuss, and submitted November 21, 1986, and latest revision date of December 1, 1986, shall be filed with the Village Board of Trustees, and a copy of this document shall be attached to the original application for zoning.
- c. The elevation plan for the subject property, prepared by the Canun Group Inc., and latest revision date of November 21, 1986, and latest revision date of December 1, 1986, and a copy of this document shall be attached to the original application for zoning.
- d. The final engineering plan for the subject property, prepared by Terry Rindfuss, and submitted January 6, 1987, and latest revision date of January 6, 1987, shall be filed with the Village Board of Trustees, and a copy of this document shall be attached to the original application for zoning.
- e. The site plan for the subject property, prepared by Terry Rindfuss, and latest revision date of November 21, 1986, and latest revision date of November 21, 1986, and a copy of this document shall be attached to the original application for zoning.
- f. The landscape plan for the subject property, prepared by Terry Rindfuss, and latest revision date of November 21, 1986, and latest revision date of November 21, 1986, and a copy of this document shall be attached to the original application for zoning.
- g. The Subj ect Property shall be developed, used and maintained only in a decent, acceptable and sanitary manner, and no building or structure thereon, excepting those required for the operation of a business or trade, shall be erected, maintained or repaired, or any other work done thereon, excepting maintenance work, which may be done by the Village Engineer, without the written consent of the Village Board of Trustees, and such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.
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- i. The subdivision, especially subject to and contingencies upon each of the following conditions, excepted, is hereby, expressly granted subject to and contingencies upon each of the following conditions:

  1. The subdivision to, review of and acceptance and approval by the Village Engineer of the final engineering plan for the subject property.
  2. The subject property shall be developed,

## Section 6. SPECIAL USE CONDITIONS.

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may not so revoke the Special Use unless it shall have first provided the Petitioner with five (5) months advance written notice of the reasons for revocation and an opportunity to be heard at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees. In the event of revocation, the development and use of the Subject Property shall be governed solely by the regulations of the R-6 Zoning District, or then applicable zoning district, of the Northbrook Zoning Ordinance, as the same may, from time to time, be amended. Further, in the event of such revocation of the said special use, the Village Manager and Village Attorney are hereby authorized and directed to bring such zoning enforcement action as may be appropriate under the circumstances. The Petitioner acknowledges that zoning notices and hearings have been held with respect to the adoption of this Ordinance, has considered the possibility of the revocation provided for in this Section, and agrees not to challenge any such revocation on the grounds of any procedural infirmity or of any denial of any procedural right.

## Section 8. BINDING EFFECT.

The privileges, obligations, and provisions of each and every section of this Ordinance are for and shall inure to the benefit of and are and shall be binding on the Petitioner and its successors, assigns, heirs and transferees to all, or any part of the Subject Property, including, but not limited to, the owner or owners of any sublots (including Sublots A-W and Sublot X) on the Subject Property.

## Section 9. EFFECTIVE DATE.

- (a) This Ordinance shall be effective upon the occurrence of all of the following events:
  - (i) passage by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Northbrook in the manner required by law; and
  - (ii) publication in pamphlet form in the manner required by law; and
  - (iii) the filing by the Petitioner with the Village Clerk, for recording in the office of the Cook County Recorder of Deeds, of an unconditional agreement and consent to accept and abide by each and all of the terms, conditions and limitations set forth in this Ordinance. Said unconditional agreement and consent shall be in the form attached hereto and, by this reference, incorporated herein as Exhibit "D."
- (b) This Ordinance shall be of no force or effect and shall be rendered null and void in the event that the Petitioner does not file with the Village Clerk the unconditional agreement and consent referenced in Section 9(a)(iii) of this Ordinance within fourteen (14) days of the date of passage of this Ordinance by the Village Board of Trustees.

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## ORDINANCE NO. 87-12

BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Northbrook, County of Cook and State of Illinois, THAT:

### **AN ORDINANCE GRANTING A SPECIAL USE FOR A PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT KNOWN AS THE NORTHBROOK MEWS TOWNEHOMES DEVELOPMENT**

be and is hereby adopted as follows.

#### **Section 1. BACKGROUND.**

Mews Development Corporation, formerly known as Borden & Associates, Ltd., of Wheeling, Illinois and LaSalle National Bank, a National Banking Association, not individually but as Trustee under Trust Agreement dated December 15, 1986 and known as Trust No. 111870 (together referred to as the "Petitioner") have petitioned for rezoning and a special use to permit a planned residential development on an approximately 3.51 acre parcel located on Pfingsten Road in the Village of Northbrook (the "Subject Property"). The planned residential development will consist of 23 townhome units and common open space on one zoning lot. Prior to the adoption of this Ordinance the Village Board of Trustees adopted an ordinance rezoning the Subject Property from the R-3 Single Family Residence District to the R-6 General Residence District.

#### **Section 2. DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT PROPERTY.**

The Subject Property consists of approximately 3.51 acres, is located at 715-31 Pfingsten Road and is legally described as follows:

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##### **PARCEL 1:**

The North 65 feet of the South 395 feet of the West 38 rods of the South West Quarter of Section 4, Township 42 North, Range 12 East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois.

##### **PARCEL 2:**

The North 100.0 feet of the South 400.0 feet of the West 38 rods of the South 120.0 rods of the South West Quarter of Section 4, Township 42 North, Range 12 East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois (subject to public highways); also known as the South 100.0 feet of the North 200.0 feet of the South 480.0 feet (measured from the North line of Dundee Road) of the West 38 rods of the South 120 rods of the South West Quarter of Section 4, Township 42 North, Range 12 East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois (subject to public highways); the North line of Dundee Road aforesaid being taken as a line 30.0 feet North of and parallel with the South line of the South West Quarter of said Section 4.

##### **PARCEL 3:**

The North 100 feet of the South 480 feet (measured from the North line of Dundee Road) of the West 38 rods of the South 120 rods of the South West Quarter of Section 4, Township 42 North, Range 12 East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois (subject to public highways); the North line of Dundee Road aforesaid being taken as a line 30.0 feet North of and parallel with the South line of the South West Quarter of said Section 4.

##### **CONCURRENT PROVISION:**

This Ordinance shall not affect or interfere with the right of the Petitioner to apply for a building permit for the construction of the Subject Property in accordance with the Building Code of the Village of Northbrook.

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## EXHIBIT B

VILLAGE CLERK  
/s/ Sandra D. Kiani

ABOVE  
ON THE DATE OF THIS AGREEMENT,  
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DOCUMENT WAS DULY  
CERTIFIED THAT THE

COUNTY OF COOK, ILLINOIS  
VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK  
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and Board of Trustees  
Form by Authority of the President  
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Printed and Published, March 25, 1987

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RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT  
SPECIAL USE FOR A PLANNED  
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ORDINANCE NO 87-12

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## LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Lot 1 of Northbrook Mews Subdivision, being  
a subdivision of part of the Southwest quarter  
of Section 4, Township 42 North, Range 12 East  
of the Third Principal Meridian in Cook County,  
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EXHIBIT A

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2.07. Community Assessment. The amounts which the Association shall assess and collect from the Owners to pay the Community Expenses and accumulate reserves for such expenses, as more fully described in Article VII.

2.08. Community Expenses. The expenses of administration (including management and professional services), operation, maintenance, repair, replacement, landscaping and snow removal of the Community Area (including the storm water detention area) and the Dwelling Unit Exteriors; the cost of any water, waste removal, scavenger services, electricity, telephone and other necessary utility expenses for the Community Area; the the cost of general and special real estate taxes and assessments levied or assessed against the Community Area; the cost and expense incurred for the maintenance, repair and replacement of personal property acquired and used by the Association in connection with its operation and maintenance of the Community Area; any expenses specifically designated as Community Expenses by this Declaration; and any other expenses lawfully incurred by the Association for the common benefit of all of the Owners.

2.09. Declaration. This instrument with all exhibits hereto, as amended or supplemented from time to time.

2.10. Dwelling Units. Any of the twenty-three (23) sublots denominated Sublots A through W inclusive as depicted on the Plat of Subdivision approved by the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK for the Real Estate. Each of such Sublots is or is to be improved with a residential unit which shares a wall (party wall) with one or two other residential units. Each Sublot, whether or not improved, is a Dwelling Unit hereunder. The precise legal description of the Real Estate which makes up each Dwelling Unit shall be set forth in the deed which conveys the Dwelling Unit from the Developer to the first purchaser of such Dwelling Unit.

2.11. Dwelling Unit Exterior. The roof, foundation, steps, footings, outer surface of exterior walls, garage doors and deck of each Dwelling Unit including, to the extent that such improvements fall within the boundaries of the Dwelling Unit, the driveways and walkways.

2.12. Initial Development Period. The period commencing with the filing of this Declaration and ending on the Turnover Date as more fully set forth in Section 7.09.

2.13. Mortgagee. The holder of a bona fide first mortgage, first trust deed or equivalent security interest covering a Dwelling Unit.

2.14. Owner. The person or persons whose estates or interests individually or collectively aggregate fee simple ownership of a Dwelling Unit or a portion thereof.

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absolute ownership of the Dwelling Unit. The word "owner" shall also include any beneficiary of a partnership holding legal title to a Dwelling Unit.

2.15. Person. A natural individual, corporation, partnership, or other legal entity capable of holding title to real estate.

A, including Sublots A through N (the portions of the Real Estate upon which Dwelling Units are to be constructed and the portions devoted to common areas, driveways, walkways and storm water drainage facilities under Section 13.1.4, as may be determined by the Board after termination of the members of the Board are to be voted upon by proxy in meetings of the Dwelling Units to designate the date on which the rights of the voting member. The individual who shall be entitled to vote in person or by proxy in accordance with the provisions of Article III, Section 2.18, shall be entitled to cast one ballot for each Dwelling Unit in which he or she has an interest as owner of fee simple title to the Real Estate, developer, operator, or managing agent, or other person holding title to the Real Estate to whom the benefits, conveniences, immemorial rights, incidents, fixtures, chattels, personalty, or other property rights of the Dwelling Units are to be apportioned among the beneficiaries of the Real Estate as provided in this Declaration.

## ARTICLE III

2.16. Real Estate. The Real Estate described in Exhibit A, including Sublots A through N (the portions of the Real Estate upon which Dwelling Units are to be constructed and the portions devoted to common areas, driveways, walkways and storm water drainage facilities under Section 13.1.4, as may be determined by the Board after termination of the members of the Board are to be voted upon by proxy in accordance with the provisions of Article III, Section 2.18, shall be entitled to cast one ballot for each Dwelling Unit in which he or she has an interest as owner of fee simple title to the Real Estate, developer, operator, or other person holding title to the Real Estate to whom the benefits, conveniences, immemorial rights, incidents, fixtures, chattels, personalty, or other property rights of the Dwelling Units are to be apportioned among the beneficiaries of the Real Estate as provided in this Declaration.

2.17. Termination Date. The date on which the rights of the members of the Board are to be terminated under Section 13.1.4, as may be determined by the Board after termination of the members of the Board are to be voted upon by proxy in accordance with the provisions of Article III, Section 2.18, shall be entitled to cast one ballot for each Dwelling Unit in which he or she has an interest as owner of fee simple title to the Real Estate, developer, operator, or other person holding title to the Real Estate to whom the benefits, conveniences, immemorial rights, incidents, fixtures, chattels, personalty, or other property rights of the Dwelling Units are to be apportioned among the beneficiaries of the Real Estate as provided in this Declaration.

2.18. Voting Member. The individual who shall be entitled to vote in person or by proxy in accordance with the provisions of Article III, Section 2.17, shall be entitled to cast one ballot for each Dwelling Unit in which he or she has an interest as owner of fee simple title to the Real Estate, developer, operator, or other person holding title to the Real Estate to whom the benefits, conveniences, immemorial rights, incidents, fixtures, chattels, personalty, or other property rights of the Dwelling Units are to be apportioned among the beneficiaries of the Real Estate as provided in this Declaration.

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## EXHIBIT "D"

### PETITIONER'S UNCONDITIONAL AGREEMENT AND CONSENT

WHEREAS, Mews Development Corporation, formerly known as Mews Development Corporation, formerly known as Borden & Associates, Ltd. and LaSalle National Bank, a National Banking Association, not individually but as Trustee under Trust Agreement dated December 15, 1986 and known as Trust No. 11870 (together referred to as the "Petitioner"), have applied for a special use permit for the development of a planned residential development on certain property located in the Village of Northbrook; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 87-12, adopted by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Northbrook on March 24, 1987, grants such special use permit; and

WHEREAS, Section 9 of Ordinance No. 87-12 provides that said Ordinance will be of no force or effect unless and until the Petitioner shall have filed with the Village Clerk, within 14 days following the passage of said Ordinance, its unconditional agreement and consent to accept and abide by each of the terms, conditions, and limitations set forth in said Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned, on behalf of themselves and their successors, assigns, heirs and transferees, do hereby acknowledge the validity of and do unconditionally accept, consent to, and agree to abide and be bound by each and all of the terms, conditions, and limitations set forth in Northbrook Ordinance No. 87-12.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_, 1987

Mews Development Corporation,  
formerly known as Borden &  
Associates, Ltd.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

LaSalle National Bank, a  
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March 24th day of March, 1987

Judge and Master

(6) Trustees Millar, Setliff, Donahue, Gmy.

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4.03. Voting Rights. There shall be one person (and only one person) with respect to each Dwelling Unit who shall be entitled to vote at any meeting of the Owners. Such person shall be known and hereinafter referred to as a "Voting Member." Such Voting Member may be the Owner or one of the group comprising all the Owners of a Dwelling Unit, or may be some person designated by such Owner or Owners to act as proxy on his or their behalf and who need not be an Owner. Such designation shall be made in writing to the Board and shall be revocable at any time by actual notice to the Board of the death or judicially declared incompetence of any designator, or by written notice to the Board by the Owner or Owners. Any or all of such Owners may be present at any meeting of the Voting Members and (those constituting a group, when acting unanimously), may vote or take any other action as a Voting Member either in person or by proxy. Developer shall be the Voting Member with respect to any and all Dwelling Units owned by the Developer.

## 4.04. Meetings.

(a) Meetings of the Voting Members shall be held at the Real Estate or at such other place in Cook or Lake County, Illinois, as may be designated in any notice of a meeting. At any meeting of the Voting Members, the presence in person or by proxy of the Voting Members for at least twelve (12) Dwelling Units shall constitute a quorum. Except as otherwise required by the terms of this Declaration, any action may be taken at any meeting of the Voting Members at which a quorum is present upon the affirmative vote of a majority of the Voting Members present in person or by proxy.

(b) The initial meeting of the Voting Members shall be held upon at least ten (10) days' prior written notice given by the Developer. Such written notice must be given not later than ten (10) days prior to the Turnover Date. Thereafter, there shall be an annual meeting of the Voting Members on the second Tuesday of November following such initial meeting, and on the second Tuesday of November of each succeeding year thereafter, at 7:30 p.m., or at such other reasonable time or date (not more than thirty (30) days before or after such date) as may be designated by written notice of the Board delivered to the Voting Members not less than ten (10) days prior to the date fixed for said meeting.

(c) Special meetings of the Voting Members may be called at any time for the purpose of considering matters which, by the terms of this Declaration, require the approval of all or some of the Voting Members, or for any other reasonable purpose. Said meetings shall be called by written notice authorized by a majority of the Board or by one-fifth (1/5th) of the Voting Members and delivered not less than ten (10) days prior to the date fixed for

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4.01. Association. Developer shall, prior to the sale of the Etcetera Dwelling Unit, cause to be incorporated a not-for-profit corporation under the laws of Illinois, to be called "Northbrook Mews Townhomes Cooperative Association", Inc. (the "Association"). The Association shall be the governing body for all the Owners of the Etcetera Dwelling Unit, to be a bona fide corporation for value, been convened by the Developer to a bona fide purpose, and shall have any subsequent convenance of transfer of ownership of such Dwelling Unit shall be of the entire Unit and there shall be no conveyance or transfer of a portion of a Dwelling Unit without the prior written consent of the Developer. The Association shall be one member per Dwelling Unit. Every Owner shall be a member of the Association, except as provided herein.

ARTICLE IV

ADMINISTRATION

3.04. Dwelling Unit Convenance. Once a Dwelling Unit has been convened by the Developer to a bona fide purpose, it has been convened by the Developer to a bona fide purpose, for value, any subsequent conveyance of transfer of ownership of such Dwelling Unit shall be of the entire Unit and there shall be no conveyance or transfer of a portion of a Dwelling Unit without the prior written consent of the Developer. The Association shall be one member per Dwelling Unit. Every Owner shall be a member of the Association, except as provided herein.

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HOME OWNERS ASSOCIATION, WHICH CORPORATION ACTS AS THE ASSOCIATION. THE ASSOCIATION SHALL BE ONE MEMBER EACH PER DWELLING UNIT. AUTOMATICALLY TERMINATE UPON THE DEATH OF HIS OR HER DWELLING UNIT, AT WHICH TIME THE NEW OWNER SHALL AUTOMATICALLY BECOME A MEMBER THEREIN. THE ASSOCIATION SHALL BE A DWELLING UNIT OWNERSHIP NOTICED CHANGES. DEVELOPER WILL CONVEY FOR TWENTY DAYS AFTER SUCH OWNERSHIP OF A DWELLING UNIT BECAUSE OF THE COMMUNITY AREA TO THE ASSOCIATION ON OR BEFORE THE TURNOVER DATE. THE COMMUNITY AREA WILL BE DEFINED AS THE TIGHTHEAD OF THE DEVELOPER WHO SHALL BE DESIGNATED AS ELECTED IN THE MANNER DIRECTORS (THE "BOARD"). THE BOARD SHALL CONSIST OF THREE DIRECTORS (3) ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ASSOCIATION SHALL BE ELECTED IN THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THE DIRECTORS WHO SHALL BE DESIGNATED AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD, SHALL BE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD.

4.02. Board of Directors. The Board shall be elected in the manner described above, as a member of the Board.

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(b) The Board shall elect from among its members a President who shall preside over both its meetings and those of the Voting Members, and who shall be chief executive officer of the Association; a Secretary who shall keep the minutes of all meetings of the Board and of the Voting Members and who shall, in general, perform all the duties incident to the office of Secretary; a Treasurer to keep the financial records and books of account and who shall, in general, perform all the duties incident to the office of Treasurer; and such additional officers as the Board shall see fit to elect.

(c) Any Board member elected by the Voting Members may be removed from office by affirmative vote of the Voting Members for at least two-thirds (2/3ds) of the number of Dwelling Units at a special meeting called for that purpose. A successor to fill the unexpired term of a Board member removed may be elected by the Voting Members at the same meeting or any subsequent meeting called for that purpose.

**4.07 General Powers of the Board.** The Board shall have such power as shall be necessary and appropriate to authorize, supervise and direct the performance by or on behalf of the Association of the various duties and obligations imposed on the Association in this Declaration. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing the Board shall be responsible for and have the power and authority to purchase and pay for such materials, supplies, labor, service, and the like, as it deems necessary in order to fulfill its obligations under this Declaration or to meet requirements imposed by the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK, or which are in its opinion necessary or proper for the maintenance and operation of the Community Area.

**4.08. Execution of Instruments.** All agreements, contracts, deeds, leases, vouchers for payment of expenditures and other instruments shall be signed by such officer or officers, agent or agents of the Association and in such manner as from time to time shall be determined by written resolution of the Board. In the absence of such determination by the Board, such documents shall be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by the President.

**4.09. Adoption of Rules and Regulations.** The Board, without approval from any of the Voting Members except as hereinafter set forth, may adopt such reasonable rules and regulations as it may deem advisable for the use, maintenance, conservation and beautification of the Community Area, and for the health, comfort, safety and general welfare of the owners; provided, however, that no such rules, or any amendments thereto, shall be effective without the prior approval of the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK as expressed by duly adopted resolution. Written notice

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Estate and otherwise engage in such activities as are necessary and appropriate and which are in conformity with the applicable laws and ordinances of the Village of Northbrook.

(c) The Developer shall have the right and power to execute all necessary documents and perform all acts which in the Developer's opinion are necessary in connection with the exercise of its rights under this Declaration.

(d) All rights which are specified in this Declaration to be rights of the Developer are mortgageable, pledgeable, assignable or transferable. Any successor to or assignee of the rights of the Developer (whether as the result of voluntary assignment, foreclosure, assignment in lieu of foreclosure, or otherwise) shall hold or be entitled to exercise the rights of the Developer hereunder.

## ARTICLE V

### DUTIES, OBLIGATIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

#### 5.01. Maintenance, Repair, and Replacement of Dwelling Units.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this Section, each Owner shall be responsible for the maintenance, repair and replacement of his Dwelling Unit.

(b) The Association shall be responsible for the maintenance, repair and replacement of the Dwelling Unit Exteriors including without limitation the following:

(i) Maintenance, repair and replacement of the roof, outer surface of exterior walls, foundations, steps, footings, driveways and walkways, but excluding window washing, replacement of broken glass and the repair of deck flooring and damage to garage doors;

(ii) Added planting, replanting, care and maintenance of trees, shrubs, flowers, grass and all other landscaping of the Dwelling Unit interiors;

(iii) Maintenance, repair and replacement of water, sewer, electrical and other systems which serve more than one Dwelling Unit (but not including such portions of such systems as serve only one Dwelling Unit, such as, for example, a garage door opener, an interior air conditioning unit, and electrical or plumbing fixtures).

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4.11. Managing Agent. The Association may engage a managing agent and pay such agent a reasonable fee for its services. Any such agency shall be elected in a written agreement between the Association and the managing agent.

4.12. Dissolution. To the extent permissible under applicable law, in the event of the dissolution of the Association, all assets shall be conveyed to the managing agent.

4.13. Developer Control of Association. The developer of the Association may appoint a managing agent and a committee of three or more persons to oversee the construction of the project.

4.14. Developer's Reserved Rights During Initial Development Period. The developer of the Association may appoint a managing agent and a committee of three or more persons to oversee the construction of the project.

4.15. Developer's Reserved Rights During Subsequent Boards. The developer of the Association may appoint a managing agent and a committee of three or more persons to oversee the construction of the project.

4.16. Developer's Reserved Rights During Subsequent Committees. The developer of the Association may appoint a managing agent and a committee of three or more persons to oversee the construction of the project.

4.17. Termination by Developer. To each owner of developer's reserved rights, (90) days prior to the termination of the Association, the developer shall give notice of termination to the Association, to the Association's members, to the Board, and to each owner of developer's reserved rights. If no notice is given, the developer may terminate the Association at any time.

4.18. Termination by Association. To each member of the Association, the developer shall give notice of termination to the Association, to the Association's members, to the Board, and to each owner of developer's reserved rights. If no notice is given, the developer may terminate the Association at any time.

4.19. Management Agreement. The Association may engage a managing agent and pay such agent a reasonable fee for its services. Any such agency shall be elected in a written agreement between the Association and the managing agent.

4.20. Dissolution. To the extent permissible under applicable law, in the event of the dissolution of the Association, all assets shall be conveyed to the managing agent.

4.21. Managing Agent. The Association may engage a managing agent and pay such agent a reasonable fee for its services. Any such agency shall be elected in a written agreement between the Association and the managing agent.

4.22. Dissolution. To the extent permissible under applicable law, in the event of the dissolution of the Association, all assets shall be conveyed to the managing agent.

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of such rules and regulations shall be given to all Owners. If within thirty (30) days from the date of written notice to the Owners of the adoption of any such rule and regulation, the Voting Members for at least one-fourth (1/4) of the Owners shall file with the Board a written objection thereto, then such rule and regulation shall be deemed rescinded until approved by the Voting Members for at least three fifths (3/5) of the Owners.

**4.10. Board Member and Officer Liability.** Board members and officers of the Association shall not be personally liable to the Owners for any mistake of judgment or any acts or omissions of any nature which such Board members or officers take or fail to take as Board members and/or officers, except with respect to acts or omissions found by a court to constitute criminal conduct, gross negligence or fraud. The Association shall indemnify and hold harmless the Developer and each Board member and Association officer, along with their respective heirs, executors or administrators, against all contractual and other liability to others, arising out of contracts made by or other acts taken by them on behalf of the Owners or the Association, or arising out of their status as Board members or officers, unless in each case such contract or act shall have been entered into or taken criminally, fraudulently, or with gross negligence. The foregoing indemnification shall include indemnification against all costs and expenses (including, without limitation, counsel fees, judgments paid and settlements paid) actually and reasonably incurred in connection with defense of any claim, action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or other; provided, however, that such indemnity shall not be operative with respect to (i) any matter as to which such person shall have been adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding to be liable for criminal conduct, gross negligence or fraud in the performance of his or her duties as such Board member or officer, or (ii) any matter settled or compromised, unless, in the opinion of independent counsel selected by or in a manner determined by the Board, there is not reasonable ground for such person being adjudged liable for criminal conduct, gross negligence or fraud in the performance of his or her duties as such Board member or officer. It is intended that the foregoing indemnification shall be coextensive with the broadest indemnification permitted under the Illinois General Not-For-Profit Corporation Act of 1986, as from time to time amended.

Agreements made by the Association or the Developer on behalf of the Owners may provide that the officers of the Association, members of the Board, or the Developer, as the case may be, are acting only as agents for the Owners and shall have no personal liability thereunder (except as Owners), and that each Owner's liability shall be limited to such proportion of the total liability as the member of Dwelling Units owned by such Owner bears to the aggregate numbers of Dwelling Units.

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through 5.11 inclusive. Except as specifically provided for in Section 5.13, the cost of maintenance, repairs and replacement of the Community Area shall be Community Expenses. However, unless and until the Association provided for herein is formed pursuant to this Declaration, the Developer shall be responsible therefor.

## 5.06. Maintenance of Detention Area.

That portion of the Community Area designed or intended for the proper drainage or detention of storm water (as depicted on the site plan, the landscape plan and engineering plan for the Real Estate approved by the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK) shall be kept unobstructed and shall be mowed regularly. No trees, plantings, shrubbery, fencing, patios, structures of any kind, landscaping treatment or other obstruction shall be planted, placed or allowed to remain in the detention area, except as depicted on the aforesaid plans. Each Owner acknowledges, by acceptance of a deed to a Dwelling Unit, that the portion of the Community Area designed for storm water detention is for the benefit of the entire Real Estate, and that consequently the Declarant, any Owner, the Village or the Association shall have the right to enter upon the Community Area to maintain drainage and detention in consonance with the aforesaid plans approved by the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK.

5.07. Maintenance of Private Road. The private road and sidewalk which provide ingress and egress to the Development from Pfingsten Road shall be maintained in good condition and repair at all times, including the prompt and effective removal of snow and ice and shall provide a means of safe, efficient, unobstructed and comfortable passage from the public right of way to the Development.

5.08. Maintenance of Green Space. All Community Area green space shall be landscaped in accordance with the site plan and landscape plan approved by the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK for the Real Estate and shall be maintained at all times in such a manner as to insure the beauty and overall first rate appearance of such areas. In particular, such maintenance shall include the upkeep of all landscaping materials placed or planted in such green space and the prevention of accumulation of any litter thereon or development of any other condition that would detrimentally affect the beauty and overall first rate appearance of such areas.

5.09. Maintenance of Signage. The signage at the entrance to the Development shall be maintained in like new condition.

5.10. Maintenance of Driveways. All driveways servicing the various Dwelling Units shall be maintained in good condition and repair at all times, including the prompt and effective removal of snow and ice and shall provide a means of safe, efficient,

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5.05. **Maintenancce, Repairs and Replacement of Dwellings.** The Owner shall not be liable for damage to dwellings caused by the acts or omissions of the Board or other owners, lessees or guests of the Board.

(a) **In the event that any owner shall fail, within a reasonable time after the occurrence of the damage or destruction of a dwelling unit, to repair or replace such unit, the Owner shall be liable for the cost of repairing or replacing such unit, provided that the repair or replacement is performed in accordance with the original plans and specifications of the architect or engineer engaged in the design of such unit, and that the repair or replacement is made in a workmanlike manner and is reasonably comparable to the original construction of the dwelling unit.**

(b) **In the event that any owner shall fail, within a reasonable time after the occurrence of the damage or destruction of a dwelling unit, to repair or replace such unit, the Owner shall be liable for the cost of repairing or replacing such unit, provided that the repair or replacement is performed in accordance with the original plans and specifications of the architect or engineer engaged in the design of such unit, and that the repair or replacement is made in a workmanlike manner and is reasonably comparable to the original construction of the dwelling unit.**

(c) **Rateley the action taken by the Owner, in which case the Board may (but shall not be required to) condition such dwelling upon the same conditions which it may impose upon the Board, provided that the Board is not required to do so if the Board is unable to find a suitable replacement under this Section. Nothing in this Section shall be in derogation of the ordinances of the Village of Northbrook regulating the conduct of the Board.**

(d) **If the Owner ceases or ceases to operate the dwelling unit, the Board shall perform the work required under (a), cause such work to be done and charge the Owner for the cost thereof as determined by the Board;**

(e) **Requiring the Owner to remove the addition, alteration or improvement and restore the dwelling unit exterior to its original condition, all at the expense of the addition, alteration or improvement.**

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5.13. Damage Caused by an Owner. If due to the act or omission of the Owner of a Dwelling Unit, or the household pet, guest or other occupant or invitee of such Owner, damage shall be caused to the Community Area or his Dwelling Unit, and as a result thereof maintenance, repairs or replacements shall be required, which would otherwise be a Community Expense, then the Owner of the Dwelling Unit shall pay for such damage and such maintenance, repairs and replacements as may be determined by the Board, to the extent not covered by insurance carried by the Association. In the event such damage is covered by insurance carried by the Association then, unless a resolution to the contrary is adopted by the affirmative vote of at least seventy-five percent (75%) of the Voting Members, the damaged improvements shall be repaired, replaced or reconstructed and the insurance proceeds used, first, to pay the cost thereof, and any excess thereafter used to pay the Community Expenses. Any deficiency shall remain the responsibility of the Owner whose act or omission caused the damage.

5.14. Waiver of Subrogation. The Association and each Owner hereby waive and release any and all claims which it, he or she may have against any Owner, including relatives of the Owner, the Association, its Board members and officers, the Developer, the managing agent, if any, and their respective employees and agents for damage to the Dwelling Unit, the Community Area or any personal property located in the Dwelling Unit or the Community Area caused by fire or other casualty to the extent that such damage is covered by fire or other forms of casualty insurance and to the extent that this release is permitted under policies for such insurance. To the extent possible, all policies purchased by the Board under Section 5.11(a) and (b) shall contain waivers of the insurer's rights to subrogation against any Owner, relatives of the Owner, the Association, its directors and officers, the Developer, the managing agent, if any, and their respective employees and agents.

5.15. Condemnation. In the case of a taking or condemnation by competent authority of any part of the Community Area, the proceeds awarded in such condemnation shall be paid to the Association, and together with any portion of the Capital Reserve specifically earmarked for the Community Area, in the discretion of the Board, (a) applied to pay Community Expenses or (b) distributed to the Owners and their respective mortgagees as their interests may appear, in equal shares.

5.16. Use Restrictions.

(a) No industry, business, trade, occupation or profession of any kind shall be conducted, maintained or permitted on any part of the Community Area nor shall any "For Sale" or "For Rent" signs or any other advertising be maintained or permitted on



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5.19. Structural Impairment. Nothing shall be done in, on or to any part of any Dwelling Unit which would impair its structural integrity. Nor shall anything be done in, on or to any part of the Community Area which would interfere with the appearance or impair the utilization thereof for the purposes for which the same is designed.

5.20. Proscribed Activities. No noxious or offensive activity shall be carried on in the Development nor shall anything be done therein, either wilfully or negligently, which may be or become an annoyance or nuisance to the residents.

5.21. No Dedication to Public Use. Nothing contained in this Declaration shall be construed or be deemed to constitute a dedication, express or implied, of any part of the Community Area to or for any public use or purpose whatsoever.

5.22. Obstructions. Except as permitted under Section 4.14, there shall be no obstruction of the Community Area, and nothing shall be stored in the Community Area without the prior written consent of the Board or in violation of any applicable ordinance of the Village of Northbrook.

5.23. Lease of Dwelling Unit. Any Owner shall have the right to lease all (and not less than all) of his Dwelling Unit subject to the provisions of Subsections (a) and (b) below:

(a) no Dwelling Unit shall be leased for transient or hotel purposes, which are hereby defined as being for a period of less than thirty (30) days or for a period of more than thirty (30) days where hotel services normally furnished by a hotel (such as room service or mail service) are furnished;

(b) the Owner shall submit to the Board (i) a written application completed by the proposed lessee, setting forth the name, current address and financial and character references of the proposed lessee, (ii) a description of the basic terms of the proposed lease, including the length of the term and rental amount, and (iii) any other information reasonably required by the Board.

Within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the aforementioned information, the Board shall hold a meeting to vote upon the question of approving the proposed lease. The lease shall be approved unless at least two-thirds (2/3) of the Board members then serving shall vote against such approval. The decision of the Board shall be final and binding. In the event the Board fails to hold a meeting within said fifteen (15) day period or fails to vote

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any lease shall be subject to the terms of this Declaration and such lease shall be in writing and shall provide for a term to the Board or duly authorized committees of government from time to time to adopt reasonable regulations governing the use of the premises under this Declaration.

5.24. Overall Architectural Control. The Board or duly authorized committees of government shall be responsible to the Board or duly authorized committees of government for a term to the Board or duly authorized committees of government from time to time to adopt reasonable regulations governing the use of the premises under this Declaration.

5.25. Association's Access. The Association shall have the right and power to come onto any Dwelling Unit for the purpose of enforcement of its rights and powers hereunder.

5.26. Off-Street Parking. No less than fifteen (15) off-street parking spaces shall be maintained in the community area and such parking spaces shall be clearly and prominently designated as "For Guests Only".

5.27. Violation of Village Ordinances. When notified by the Village of Northbrook of a violation of village ordinances, codes or coverants, the Association will use its best efforts to assist the Village in obtaining appropriate compensation to the Association.

5.28. Party Wall Rights and Covenants. Every Dwelling Unit shall have the right and power to come onto any Dwelling Unit for the purpose of enforcement of its rights and powers hereunder or to inspect the Dwelling Units and structures or improvements located on the Community Area. Dwelling Units and structures or improvements located on the Community Area shall not apply to any Dwelling Unit which is located in the same building as the Dwelling Unit which is located on the Community Area. The Association shall have the right and power to come onto any Dwelling Unit for the purpose of enforcement of its rights and powers hereunder or to inspect the Dwelling Units and structures or improvements located on the Community Area.

5.29. Party Wall Rights. Every Dwelling Unit shall have the right and power pursuant to the By-Laws to require the Board or duly authorized committees of government to adopt reasonable regulations governing the use of the premises under this Declaration and such lease shall be in writing and shall provide for a term to the Board or duly authorized committees of government from time to time to adopt reasonable regulations governing the use of the premises under this Declaration.

5.30. Party Wall Rights. Every Dwelling Unit shall have the right and power to come onto any Dwelling Unit for the purpose of enforcement of its rights and powers hereunder or to inspect the Dwelling Units and structures or improvements located on the Community Area.

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right and obligation to maintain and repair, and in the event of its destruction to rebuild such Party Wall including in each case all pipes, conduit and ducts located therein.

(c) The Owner of a Dwelling Unit which utilizes a Party Wall shall refrain from using such Party Wall in any manner which interferes with the equal use thereof by the Owner of the other utilizing Dwelling Unit. Nor, in connection with the reconstruction, repair or maintenance of a Dwelling Unit, shall the Owner thereof permit any joists, crossbeams, studs or other structural members used to encroach upon the Dwelling Unit of the other Owner whose Dwelling Unit utilizes such Party Wall. No openings shall be made through a Party Wall other than customary holes for nails, screws, anchors or other devices for hanging pictures or other accessories and which do not diminish the structural integrity of such Party Wall, its fire resistancy, or its sound-deadening quality.

(d) If any Party Wall is damaged or destroyed due to the act or omission of the Owner of a Dwelling Unit which utilizes such Party Wall, or the guest or other occupant or invitee of such Owner, such Owner shall forthwith proceed to rebuild or repair the same to a condition at least as good as that which obtained prior to such damage or destruction, without cost to the Owner of the adjoining Dwelling Unit which also utilizes such Party Wall.

(e) Any Party Wall damaged or destroyed by some event other than one resulting from an act or omission of the Owner of a Dwelling Unit which utilizes such Party Wall, or the guest or other occupant or invitee of such Owner, shall be rebuilt or repaired by the Owners of the two adjacent Dwelling Units which utilize such Party Wall to a condition at least as good as that which obtained prior to such damage or destruction at the joint expense of such Owners and as promptly as is reasonably possible; provided that the cost of repairing or rebuilding any portion thereof which is part of a Dwelling Unit Exterior shall be paid by the Association as a Community Expense to the extent not covered by insurance.

(f) In the event that any Owner shall fail, within a reasonable time after the occurrence of damage or destruction of the type addressed by this Section to perform the necessary repair or rebuilding, the Board may cause such repair or rebuilding to be performed and the cost thereof charged in the manner provided for in Section 5.04.

(g) In the event of disagreement between the Owners of adjoining Dwelling Units as regards their respective Party Wall rights or obligations, upon the written request of either of said Owners to the other, with a copy to the Board, the matter shall be referred to the Board for arbitration.



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Commonwealth Edison Company, Northern Illinois Gas Company, Illinois Bell Telephone Company, the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK, ILLINOIS, and all other suppliers of utilities serving the Real Estate and their respective successors and assigns, jointly and severally, to install, lay, construct, renew, operate, maintain and remove, from time to time, conduits, cables, pipes, wire transformers, switching apparatus and other facilities and appurtenances used in connection with serving the Real Estate and adjacent property with telephone communications, electric, sewer, gas, water, drainage, cable television, and municipal services, upon, over and across the Real Estate as depicted on the Plat of Subdivision for the Real Estate approved by the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK.

6.05. Easements - Municipal Authorities. Police, fire, water, health, and other authorized officials, employees, and vehicles of the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK shall have the right of and are hereby granted ingress and egress to the Real Estate, and any part thereof, for performance of official duties and for the purpose of enforcing all Village ordinances and statutes of the State of Illinois. In addition, duly designated officials and employees of the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK and of other governmental bodies having jurisdiction over the Real Estate shall have and are hereby granted an easement to enter upon, on and over the Real Estate for the purposes of maintaining the storm water detention area, drainage systems, and enforcing the applicable ordinances, rules, and regulations of the said Village and governmental bodies, and to correct or eliminate nuisances or violations resulting from the failure to exercise maintenance responsibilities by the Developer or its successors and assigns, an Owner or the Association.

6.06. Easements to Run with the Land. All easements and rights on or with respect to the Real Estate are easements appurtenant to and running with the land, perpetually in full force and effect, and at all times shall inure to the benefit of and be binding on the Developer and its successors and assigns, every Owner and his or her heirs, grantees, successors and assigns, the Association and the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK.

6.07. Creation of Easements. Reference to the easements and rights described in any part of this Declaration shall be sufficient to create such easements and rights and any subsequent conveyance of any Dwelling Unit shall be deemed to include such easements and rights as fully and completely as though such easements and rights were recited fully and set forth in their entirety in such conveyance.

6.08. Non-Interference with Easements. The Association shall not interfere with or allow the interference with any easement or right of way, whether created by this Declaration or otherwise, and shall not do anything which would interfere with any such easement or right of way.



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in favor of any Owner if such encroachment occurred due to the intentional, willful or negligent conduct of such Owner or such Owner's agent.

## ARTICLE VII

### ASSESSMENTS, RESERVE FUND, REMEDIES FOR NON-PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS

**7.01. Purpose of Assessments.** The assessments levied shall be exclusively for the purpose of defraying Community Expenses and accumulating reserves to defray any extraordinary Community Expenses.

**7.02. Community Assessment.** Each year on or before December 31, the Board shall adopt and furnish each Owner with a budget for the ensuing calendar year. Such budget shall show the following with reasonable explanations and itemizations:

- (a) The estimated Community Expenses;
- (b) The estimated amount, if any, required to maintain adequate reserves for extraordinary Community Expenses, including without limitation amounts required to maintain the Capital Reserve;
- (c) The estimated net excess funds, if any, from the current year's assessments;
- (d) The amount of the Community Assessment payable with respect to the ensuing year by the Owners, which amount is defined as the amount determined in (a) above plus the amount determined in (b) above minus the amount determined in (c) above;
- (e) That portion of the Community Assessment which shall be payable each month by the Owner of each Dwelling Unit which is subject to assessment hereunder, which shall be equal to one-twelfth (1/12) of the Community Assessment divided by twenty-three (23) (the number of Dwelling Units), the intent being that each Owner shall pay an equal Community Assessment.

Anything in this Section to the contrary notwithstanding, during the Initial Development Period the assessment procedure set forth in Section 7.09 shall apply and the budget provided for in this Section need not disclose the information called for in Subsection (e) above. The budget shall, however, indicate the portion of each

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7.03. Payment of Community Assessments. On or before the first day of January of the ensuing calendar year, and on or before the first day of each and every month until the effective date of the next annual or revised Community Assessment, each owner of a dwelling unit shall pay to the Association, or as the Board may direct, that portion of the Community Assessment which is payable by an owner of a dwelling unit under Section 7.02(e).

7.04. Report of Expenditures. On or before April first of each calendar year the Board shall supply to all owners an itemized account of the Community Assessment, to the Board may include (i) to pay (or build up reserves to pay) expenses other than Community expenses (incurred during the assessment period) or improprieties or additions to the community property; or (ii) to cover additional costs of administration, without limitation, to make alterations, improvements, or additions to the community property; or (iii) to cover operating expenses of the Association, or to pay expenses other than Community expenses (incurred during the assessment period) by the Association for the benefit of any owner, or to pay expenses other than Community expenses (incurred during the assessment period) by the Association for the benefit of any member, or to exceed funds reasonably needed, provides inadequate reason for any reason (including non-payment) to the Board may increase its assessment to the extent necessary to make up the difference between the amount of all receipts and the amount of all expenditures.

7.05. Revised Assessment. If the Community Assessment proves inadequate for any reason, the Board may increase its assessment to the extent necessary to make up the difference between the amount of all receipts and the amount of all expenditures.

7.06. Special Assessment. The Board may levy a special assessment from time to time for a specific purpose, including, without limitation, to make alterations, improvements, or additions to the community property; or (ii) to cover operating expenses of the Association, or to pay expenses other than Community expenses (incurred during the assessment period) by the Association for the benefit of any member, or to exceed funds reasonably needed, provides inadequate reason for any reason (including non-payment) to the Board may increase its assessment to the extent necessary to make up the difference between the amount of all receipts and the amount of all expenditures.

7.07. Capital Reserve Fund. The Board may establish a Capital Reserve Fund, to be established by the Board, to be used for the maintenance, repair, and replacement of all structures, equipment, and fixtures, including, without limitation, the roof, windows, doors, exterior walls, foundation, and structural elements, of the building(s) owned by the Association. The Capital Reserve Fund shall be used for the repair and replacement of the building(s) owned by the Association, and shall not be used for the repair and replacement of any other structure, equipment, or fixture.

7.08. Capital Budget. The Board may establish a Capital Budget, to be established by the Board, to be used for the repair and replacement of the building(s) owned by the Association, and shall not be used for the repair and replacement of any other structure, equipment, or fixture.

7.09. Capital Improvement Fund. The Board may establish a Capital Improvement Fund, to be established by the Board, to be used for the repair and replacement of the building(s) owned by the Association, and shall not be used for the repair and replacement of any other structure, equipment, or fixture.

7.10. Capital Reserve Fund. The Board may establish a Capital Reserve Fund, to be established by the Board, to be used for the repair and replacement of the building(s) owned by the Association, and shall not be used for the repair and replacement of any other structure, equipment, or fixture.

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7.07. Capital Reserve. The Association shall segregate and maintain a special reserve account to be used solely for making capital expenditures in connection with the Community Area and Dwelling Unit Exteriors (the "Capital Reserve"). The Board shall determine the appropriate level of the Capital Reserve based on a periodic review of the useful life of improvements to the Community Area, the Dwelling Unit Exteriors and other property owned by the Association and periodic projections of the cost of anticipated major repairs or replacements to the Community Area, the Dwelling Unit Exteriors and the purchase of other property to be used by the Association in connection with its duties hereunder. Each budget shall disclose the portion of the Community Assessment which is to be added to the Capital Reserve.

7.08. Initial Capital Contribution. Upon the closing of the first sale of a Dwelling Unit by the Developer to a purchaser for value, the purchasing Owner shall make a capital contribution to the Association in an amount equal to two (2) months' Community Assessment at the rate in effect with respect to the Dwelling Unit as of the closing. Said amount shall be held and used by the Association for its working capital needs.

7.09. Assessments During Initial Development Period. Anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, until the Turnover Date (the "Initial Development Period"), the assessment procedure set forth in this Section shall apply.

(a) The Basic Assessment. The basic assessment ("Basic Assessment") shall be \$125.00 per Dwelling Unit per month.

(b) Cost of Living Increase. If, as of the first day of any month after this Declaration is Recorded, the level of the most recently published Cost of Living Index for All Urban Consumers - All Items, U.S. city average (1967=100) as published from time to time by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (the "Index"), is greater than the level of the most recently published Index as of the date of the Recording of this Declaration which is 334.4 (the "Index Base Level"), then, at the option of the Board, the Basic Assessment until next adjusted, shall be equal to the Basic Assessment then in effect multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which shall be the level of the most recently published Index and the denominator of which shall be the Index Base Level. If the Index shall cease being published, such other standard or index selected by the Developer, in its discretion, as shall most nearly approximate the measurements theretofore made by the Index shall be used as the Index hereunder, and the Index Base Level shall be adjusted accordingly.

(c) Application of Assessments. Each month each Owner (other than the Developer) shall pay as his monthly Community

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7.13. **COLLECTION OF CHARGES.** The Association shall collect from each Owner all charges payable by such Owner under this Declaration.

7.14. **NON-PAYMENT OF CHARGES.** Any charge which is not paid to the Association when due shall be deemed delinquent. Any charges which are deemed delinquent, interest at the maximum legal rate to the date when paid. The Association may (i) bring an action against the Owner personally to recover the charge (together with interest accrued to pay the charge) or (ii) attach the sum due to the Association and foreclose judgment rendered in such action.

7.15. **lien for Charges Subordinated to Mortgages.** The lien for charges, provided for in Section 7.12, shall be subordinate to other mortgages, such as mortgagee's, mortgagor's, or holder of notes, bills of exchange, bonds, or other instruments of credit, or by assignment or otherwise, and shall not affect any other interest in the property, except as herein provided.

7.16. **lien for Dwelling Unit.** Where there is no Dwelling Unit in Section 7.12, shall not be affected by any sale or transfer of a Dwelling Unit. Except as herein provided, the charge shall not be affected by any sale or transfer of the property provided for in Section 7.12, shall not be affected by any sale or transfer of the property, except as herein provided.

7.17. **Mortgagee's Mortgagor's Subordination.** Such transfer of title shall not affect any other interest in the property, except as herein provided.

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Assessment the amount determined under (a) and (b) above. The Association shall specify the portion, if any, of each such payment that is to be earmarked as a capital contribution under Section 7.02 to the Capital Reserve. The balance of each such payment shall be used by the Association to pay the Community Expenses.

(d) Developer's Obligation. During the Initial Development Period the Developer shall not be obligated to pay any amounts to the Association as a Community Assessment except as provided in this Subsection. The Developer shall pay to the Association the aggregate excess, if any, of the Community Expenses incurred and paid during the Initial Development Period over the aggregate amounts assessed to the Owners (other than Developer) for use by the Association for the payment of Community Expenses under Subsection (c) during the Initial Development Period. The Developer shall make such payments to the Association as needed during such period (but at least quarter-annually) and a final accounting shall be made between Developer and the Association within 120 days after the end of the Initial Development Period. The Developer shall not be responsible for the payment of any amounts to the Capital Reserve during the Initial Development Period.

7.10. Payment of Assessments. Assessments levied by the Association shall be collected from each Owner by the Association and shall be a lien on the Owner's Dwelling Unit and also shall be a personal obligation of the Owner in favor of the Association, all as more fully set forth in Sections 7.12, 7.13 and 7.14.

7.11. Maintenance of Records. The Board shall keep full and correct books of account in chronological order of the receipts and expenses for which it is responsible, specifying and itemizing the maintenance and repair expenses as well as any other expenses incurred. Such records and vouchers authorizing the payments shall be available for inspection by any Owner or any representative of an Owner duly authorized in writing, at such reasonable time or times, during normal business hours, as may be requested by the Owner. The Board will cause each Owner to be notified of any expenditures of the Association with respect to which such Owner shall be entitled to take a deduction for income tax purposes and the amount of the deduction to which such owner is entitled. The Board shall also advise each Owner of the amount of any Capital Expenditures which affect the Owner's tax basis. Upon ten (10) days' notice to the Board and payment of a reasonable fee any Owner shall be furnished a statement of his account setting forth the amount of any unpaid assessments or other charges due and owing from such Owner.

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7.12. Creation of Lien and Personal Obligation. The Developer hereby covenants, and each Owner of a Dwelling Unit by

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## ARTICLE VIII

8.01. Developer Responsibility prior to Association. Each unit shall exercise any of the powers, rights, duties and responsibilities of the Association at all times as the Association is formed, the developer may exercise any of the powers, rights, duties and responsibilities of the Association at any time during the existence of the Association.

8.02. Mortgage Entitlement to Notices. Upon written request to the Board, any mortgagee shall be entitled to receive a copy of any and all notices permitted or required by this declaration to be given to the Owner to the mortgagee whose Dwelling Unit is subject to such mortgage or trust deed.

8.03. Revenues to Dwelling Units, by Acceptance of a Deed thereafter or Conveyance, whether or not it shall be so expressed in any conveyance, if he or she so desires, may accept or

assent to the developer's or association's action taken in accordance with this declaration, as well as any other action taken by the developer or association in accordance with this declaration, to the extent that such action does not violate any provision of this declaration or any applicable law. The developer may not be liable for any damages resulting from the developer's or association's action taken in accordance with this declaration, except as provided in section 8.03.

8.04. Right to sue for damages resulting from the developer's or association's action taken in accordance with this declaration, except as provided in section 8.03. The developer may not be liable for any damages resulting from the developer's or association's action taken in accordance with this declaration, except as provided in section 8.03.

8.05. Right to sue for damages resulting from the developer's or association's action taken in accordance with this declaration, except as provided in section 8.03. The developer may not be liable for any damages resulting from the developer's or association's action taken in accordance with this declaration, except as provided in section 8.03.

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respect to which a lien against his Dwelling Unit has been extinguished pursuant to the preceding sentence where such charges are reallocated among all the Owners pursuant to a subsequently adopted annual or revised Community Assessment or special assessment and non-payment thereof shall result in a lien against the transferee's Dwelling Unit, as provided in this Article.

7.16. Self-Help by Board. In the event of a violation or breach by an Owner of the provisions, covenants or restrictions of this Declaration, the Bylaws, or rules or regulations of the Board, whenever such violation or breach may be cured or abated by affirmative action, the Board, upon not less than ten (10) days' prior written notice to the Owner, shall have the right to enter upon that part of the Real Estate with respect to which the violation or breach exists to remove or rectify the violation or breach.

7.17. Other Remedies of the Board. In addition to or in conjunction with the remedies set forth above, enforcement of any of the provisions contained in this Declaration or any rules and regulations adopted hereunder may be by proceeding at law or in equity by the Association against any person or persons violating or attempting to violate any such provision either to restrain such violation, require performance, recover sums due or payable, or recover damages, and/or against the land to enforce any lien created hereunder; and failure by the Association or any Owner to enforce any provision shall in no event be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter.

7.18. Costs and Expenses. All costs and expenses incurred by the Board in connection with any action, proceedings or self-help in connection with exercise of its rights and remedies under this Article, including, without limitation, court costs, attorney fees and all other fees and expenses, and all damages, liquidated or otherwise, together with interest thereon at the maximum legal general rate permitted by Illinois law until paid, shall be charged to and assessed against the defaulting Owner, and the Association shall have a lien for the same upon his or her Dwelling Unit as provided in Section 7.12.

7.19. Enforcement by Owners. Enforcement of the provisions contained in this Declaration and the rules and regulations adopted hereunder may be by any proceeding at law or in equity by any aggrieved Owner against any person or persons violating or attempting to violate any such provisions, either to restrain such violation or to recover damages, and against a Dwelling Unit to enforce any lien created hereunder.

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by this Declaration, and all rights, benefits and privileges of every character hereby created, reserved or declared, and all impositions and obligations hereby imposed, shall be deemed and taken to be covenants appurtenant, running with the land, and shall at all times be binding on and inure to the benefit of any person having at any time an interest or estate in the Real Estate or any Dwelling Unit. The foregoing shall obtain whether or not the deed of conveyance or other instrument (such as, for example, Articles of Agreement for Deed) through which such person claims an interest or estate, makes reference to this Declaration, in like manner as though the provisions of the Declaration were recited and stipulated in full on each such deed of conveyance or other instrument.

**8.08. Non-Enforcement of Covenants not a Waiver.** No covenants, restrictions, conditions, obligations or provisions contained in this Declaration shall be deemed to have been abrogated or waived by reason of any failure to enforce the same, irrespective of the number of violations or breaches which may occur.

**8.09. Modification of Declaration.** The provisions of Article III, Article VII and this Section 8.08 may be changed, modified or rescinded by an instrument in writing setting forth such change, modification or rescission, signed and acknowledged by the Board, all of the Owners and all mortgagees having bona fide liens of record against any Dwelling Unit. Other provisions of this Declaration may be changed, modified or rescinded by an instrument in writing setting forth such change, modification or rescission, signed and acknowledged by the Board and the Owners of at least seventeen (17) Dwelling Units and containing an affidavit by an officer of the Association certifying that a copy of the change, modification or rescission has been mailed by certified mail to all mortgagees having bona fide liens of record against any Dwelling Unit, no less than ten (10) days prior to the date of such affidavit. No change, modification or rescission of any provision of this Declaration shall be effective without the prior approval of the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK evidenced by a formal resolution duly adopted by the President and Board of Trustees and the recordation of the aforementioned instrument in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds and/or Registrar of Titles of Cook County, Illinois. A new covenant, easement or restriction may be added to this Declaration without the prior approval of the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK, provided that:

- (a) Such additional covenant, easement or restriction does not modify, nullify, impair, rescind or in any way conflict with any of the existing covenants, easements, restrictions, terms or provisions of this Declaration; and



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titleholding trustee personally for payment of any lien or obligation hereunder created and the trustee shall not be obligated to sequester funds or trust property to apply in whole or in part against such lien or obligation. The amount of such lien or obligation shall continue to be a charge or lien upon the Dwelling Unit and the beneficiaries of such trust notwithstanding any transfers of the beneficial interest of any such trust or any transfers of title of such Dwelling Unit.

8.14. Interpretation of Declaration. In the event of any dispute or disagreements between any Owners relating to the Community Area, or any question of interpretation or application of the provisions of this Declaration, the determination thereof by the Board shall be binding and final as to each of said Owners. In the event of any dispute or disagreement between the Board and the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK relating to the Community Property, or any question of interpretation of or application of the provisions of this Declaration, the determination thereof by the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK shall be binding and final as to the Board.

8.15. Compliance with Ordinances. The Developer and each Owner shall be deemed to covenant and agree to abide by all applicable codes, regulations and ordinances of the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK including, without limitation, Ordinance No. 87-12 granting a special use for a planned residential development on the Real Estate.

8.16. Enforcement of Declaration. This Declaration and the various covenants and restrictions therein contained may be enforced by the Developer, the Association by any Owner, and by any other person, including the VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK, specifically authorized herein to enforce them or for whose benefit they are created. Enforcement of this Declaration and the various covenants and restrictions therein contained may be sought by any proceeding at law or in equity against any person or persons violating or attempting to violate any covenant or restriction, either to restrain violation, to compel affirmative action or to recover damages, and against the land to enforce any lien created by this Declaration. All expenses incurred by any party so enforcing this Declaration, including court costs and attorney fees, shall be borne by the party against whom the enforcement proceedings are maintained.

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8.10. Invalidity of Covenant. The invalidity of any covenant, restriction, condition, limitation or violation of (a) the rule, regulation or some analogous statement of (b) the unlawful covenant, condition, limitation or violation of (c) any other statement of this declaration, in any manner, the validity or enforceability of the rest of this declaration, unless it is in any part of the same, shall not impair the effect in any part of any covenant, condition, limitation or violation of any other statement of this declaration, or of any part of the same.

(b) Such additional covenant, easement or restriction has been approved in writing by the owners of at least seventy percent (70%) of the number of dwelling units.

8.11. Unlawful Covenants. If any of the options,

restrictions or covenants created by this declaration would perpetuate or violate discriminatory practices, then such provision common law rules imposes time limits, or (c) any other statement restricting rezoning restrictions on alienation, or (b) the rule of the county only until twenty-one (21) years after the creation of the state of Wyoming Lawful discrimination between members of the United States.

8.12. Construction. Under provisions of this declaration shall be liberally construed to effectuate its purpose of creating an appropriate plan for the ownership and operation and renewal of dwelling units in Community Area and for the maintenance and renewal of the community.

8.13. Responsibility of Dwelling Units. In the event of trustee and the beneficiary or beneficiaries, then the dwelling unit under contract of the dwelling unit remained in the trust and beneficiaries responsible for payment of all obligations, including expenses of management, operation holding estate to any dwelling unit is conveyed to a third party or parties, in the event of the transfer of the terms of which all powers of management, operation holding estate to any dwelling unit is made available to the new owner under such conditions as may be made against any such unit.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS )  
COUNTY OF COOK ) : SS.

I, Wanda J. McLeighan, a Notary Public in and for said County, in the State aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that John J. Kelly, President of LA SALLE NATIONAL BANK, a National Banking Corporation, and John J. Kelly, Secretary of said bank, who are personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument as such President and Secretary, respectively, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed and delivered the said instrument as their own free and voluntary act and as the free and voluntary act of said bank, as President and Secretary, respectively as aforesaid, for the uses and purposes therein set forth; and the said Secretary then and there acknowledged that said Secretary, as custodian of the corporate seal of said bank, did affix the corporate seal of said bank to said instrument as said Secretary's own free and voluntary act and as the free and voluntary act of said bank, as Secretary as aforesaid, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

GIVEN under my hand and Notarial Seal this 14th day of July, 1987.

John J. Kelly  
Notary Public

STATE OF ILLINOIS )  
COUNTY OF COOK ) : SS.

I, Wanda J. McLeighan, a Notary Public in and for said County, in the State aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that Arnold L. Borden, President of MEWS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, an Illinois corporation, formerly known as Borden & Associates, Ltd., and Lorraine J. Borden, Secretary of said corporation, who are personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument as such President and Secretary, respectively, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed and delivered the said instrument as their own free and voluntary act and as the free and voluntary act of said corporation, as President and Secretary, respectively as aforesaid, for the uses and purposes therein set forth; and the said Secretary then and there acknowledged that said Secretary, as custodian of the corporate seal of said corporation, did affix the corporate seal of said corporation to said instrument as said Secretary's own free and voluntary act and as the free and voluntary act of said corporation, as Secretary as aforesaid, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

GIVEN under my hand and Notarial Seal this 13th day of July, 1987.

Wanda J. McLeighan  
Notary Public

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Secretary

ATTEST:

President

By:

SOLE BENEFICIARY OF TRUST NO. 111870  
KNOWN AS BORDER & ASSOCIATES, LTD.  
AN INSTITUTIONS CORPORATION, FORMERLY  
NEWS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.

Secretary

ATTEST:

Attest:

By:

DATED DECEMBER 15, 1986 AND KNOWN  
TRUSTEE UNDER TRUST AGREEMENT  
NOT INDIVIDUALLY BUT SOLELY AS  
A NATIONAL BANKING ASSOCIATION,  
LA SALLE NATIONAL BANK,

SECRETARY THIS 17<sup>th</sup> day of AUGUST, 1987,  
BE SIGNED TO BE ATTACHED HERETO BY TRUSTEE ATTESTED TO BY TRUSTEE  
CORPORATE SEAL TO BE ATTACHED HERETO BY TRUSTEE ATTESTED ITS NAME TO  
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THE SAID DEVELOPER HAS CAUSED ITS

B.1. RECORDATION OF DECLARATION. THIS DECLARATION SHALL  
BE RECORDED WHICH THE RECORDER OF DEEDS OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS,  
AND ALL CONTRACTS AND DEEDS OF CONVEYANCE RELATING TO THE REAL  
ESTATE OR ANY PART THEREOF SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF  
THIS DECLARATION.

RIDER ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF DOCUMENT  
DATED Aug 14, 1987 UNDER TRUST NO. 111870

This instrument is executed by LaSALLE NATIONAL BANK, not personally  
but solely as Trustee, as aforesaid, in the exercise of the power and  
authority conferred upon and vested in it as such Trustee. All the  
terms, provisions, stipulations, covenants and conditions to be performed  
by LaSALLE NATIONAL BANK are undertaken by it solely as Trustee, as  
aforesaid, and not individually and all statements herein made are  
made on information and belief and are to be construed accordingly,  
and no personal liability shall be asserted or be enforceable against  
LaSALLE NATIONAL BANK by reason of any of the terms, provisions,  
stipulations, covenants and/or statements contained in this instrument.

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