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COUNTY OF PENDER

DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR CREEKSIDE SUBDIVISION

THIS DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR CREEKSIDE SUBDIVISION (as may be amended or supplemented as set forth herein, "Declaration") is made this day of January, 2012 by PENDER CREEKSIDE, LLC, a North Carolina Limited Liability Company, whose address is 6740-A Netherlands Drive, Wilmington, North Carolina (who together shall herein be called the "Declarant").

WITNESSETH:

- A. Declarant is the owner and developer of certain real estate in Pender County, North Carolina, and more particularly described on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof (the "Property" or "Subdivision"); and
- B. Declarant is developing the Property known as "Creekside Subdivision" by subdividing it into "Lots" that are to be used for residential purposes as well as common real estate and improvements that are to be owned by a homeowners association to which the Owner of a Lot must belong and pay liensupported maintenance assessments.

THEREFORE, the Declarant hereby declares that all of the Lots and Common Areas (defined below) located within the Subdivision are held and shall be held, conveyed, hypothecated or encumbered, leased, rented, used, occupied and improved, subject to the following covenants, conditions and restrictions, all of which are established and agreed upon for the purpose of enhancing and protecting the value, desirability and attractiveness of the Subdivision as a whole and of each of said Lots. All of these restrictions shall run with the land and shall be binding upon the Declarant and upon the parties having or acquiring any right, title or interest, legal or equitable in and to the Property or any part or parts thereof



subject to such restrictions, and shall inure to the benefit of the Declarant and every one of the Declarant's successors in title to any of the Property.

ARTICLE I

DEFINITIONS

- Section 1.1 "Annual Meeting" means the annual meeting of the Members held in Pender County, North Carolina, within the last quarter of each calendar year, upon proper notice, at a date, time and at a place from time to time designated by the Board. The first Annual Meeting of the Members shall be held within one (1) year from the date of incorporation on such date as the initial Board shall determine.
- Section 1.2 "Articles" or "Articles of Incorporation" shall mean those articles, filed with the Secretary of State of North Carolina, incorporating Pender Creekside HOA, Inc., as a nonprofit corporation under the provisions of North Carolina State law, as the same may be amended from time to time.
- Section 1.3 "Assessments" means Regular Assessments, Special Assessments, Working Capital Assessments, Individual Assessments and Fine Assessments.
- Section 1.4 "Association" shall mean and refer to PENDER CREEKSIDE HOA, INC., to be formed as a non-profit corporation, its successors and assigns.
- Section 1.5 "Board" or "Board of Directors" shall mean and refer to the Board of Directors of the Association.
- Section 1.6 "Bylaws" shall mean the Bylaws of the Association, as the same may be amended from time to time.
 - Section 1.7 "Class A Members" shall mean as defined in Section 4.5.1 below.
 - Section 1.8 "Class B Members" shall mean as defined in Section 4.5.2 below.
- Section 1.9 "Constituent Documents" shall mean the Declaration, the Bylaws, the Articles of Incorporation, and the Rules and Regulations, if any, and any other basic documents used to create and govern the Subdivision.
- Section 1.10 "Common Areas" shall mean all the real estate (including retention ponds, storm drainage improvements, entrance signage, streets (including any dedicated streets prior to their acceptance for public maintenance) and all landscaping and other improvements thereon owned, used or enjoyed by the Association and intended for the common use and enjoyment of the Owners. Common Areas shall include, but not be limited to, parcels designated on the Subdivision plat as "Common Area" or reserved as an access drive or private street.



- Section 1.11 "Common Expenses" shall mean, refer to, and include all charges, costs and expenses incurred by the Association for and in connection with the administration of the Subdivision, including, without limitation thereof, operation of the Subdivision, maintenance, repair, replacement and restoration (to the extent not covered by insurance) of the Common Areas and any other areas of responsibility of the Association as provided herein; the costs of any additions and alterations thereto; all labor, services, common utilities, materials, supplies, and equipment therefore; all liability for loss or damage arising out of or in connection with the Common Areas and their use; all premiums for hazard, liability and other insurance with respect to the Subdivision; all costs incurred in acquiring a Lot pursuant to judicial sale; and all administrative, accounting, legal, and managerial expenses. "Common Expenses" shall also include amounts incurred in replacing, or substantially repairing, capital improvements within the Common Areas of the Subdivision, including, but not limited to private roads, if any. "Common Expenses" shall also include all reserve funds or other funds established by the Association. "Common Expenses" shall be construed broadly.
- Section 1.12 "Declarant" shall mean and refer to PENDER CREEKSIDE, LLC, a North Carolina Limited Liability Company, its successors and assigns to whom its Declarant rights have been assigned.
- Section 1.13 "Default" shall mean any violation or breach of, or any failure to comply with, the Restrictions, this Declaration or any other Constituent Documents.
- Section 1.14 "Development Period" means the period commencing on the date on which this Declaration is recorded in the Pender County Register of Deeds and terminating on the earlier to occur of (i) when Declarant no longer owns a Lot in the Subdivision; (ii) the date that Declarant relinquishes in writing Declarant's right to appoint Directors; or (iii) the occurrence of the date twenty (20) years from the date of recording the Declaration, renewable for an additional ten (10) year period with the consent of a majority of Lot Owners other than the Declarant.
- Section 1.15 "Dwelling Unit" shall mean and refer to the individual family living unit on an individual Lot.
- Section 1.16 "Fine Assessment" means the charge established by Section 5.5.2 of this Declaration.
- Section 1.17 "Individual Assessment" means the charge established by Section 5.4 of this Declaration.
- Section 1.18 "Lot" shall mean and refer to any parcel of land designated on the Plat upon which a Dwelling Unit has been or is to be constructed. There are one-hundred ten (110) Lots in the Subdivision. Declarant has the right, but not the obligation, to establish additional Lots in accordance with the terms of this Declaration.
- Section 1.19 "Member" shall mean and refer to all those Owners who are Members of the Association as provided in Article IV below.



- Section 1.20 "Owner" shall mean and refer to the record owner, including Declarant, whether one or more persons or entities, of a fee simple title to any Lot located within the Subdivision.
- Section 1.21 "Plat" shall mean and refer to the record plat of the Subdivision recorded in Map Book Page of the Pender County Registry, and any additional plats depicting additional property annexed into the Subdivision which may be recorded in said Registry.
- Section 1.22 "Planned Community Act" shall mean and refer to the North Carolina Planned Community Act, currently codified as Chapter 47F of the North Carolina General Statutes, as the same may be amended from time to time.
- Section 1.23 "Property" or "Subdivision" shall mean and refer to that certain real estate described in Exhibit A and all other real estate that may be annexed into this Declaration and the Association by the Declarant.
- Section 1.24 "Regular Assessment" means the charge established by Article V of this Declaration.
- Section 1.25 "Resident" shall mean and refer to any person, not an Owner, living in the Owner's Dwelling Unit, including, but not limited to, temporary guests and Tenants.
- Section 1.26 "Restrictions" shall mean all covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, charges, liens and other obligations provided for in this Declaration, including, without limitation, all notices, rules and regulations issued in accordance with this Declaration.
- Section 1.27 "Rules and Regulations" shall mean and include the rules and regulations made from time to time by the Board of Directors as provided in Section 4.3 below.
- Section 1.28 "Special Assessment" means the charge established by Section 5.2 of this Declaration.
- Section 1.29 "Tenant" means any person occupying any Lot pursuant to a written or oral lease agreement with the Owner thereof or with any other person or entity claiming under the Owner.
- Section 1.30 "Working Capital Assessment" means the charge established by Section 5.3 of this Declaration.

When applicable for the sense of this instrument, the singular should be read as including the plural and the male, female, and neuter pronouns and adjectives should be read as interchangeable.

ARTICLE II

PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THIS DECLARATION

The Property, each portion thereof, and all Dwelling Units thereon shall be held, transferred, sold, conveyed, leased, mortgage and occupied subject to the terms, provisions, covenants and conditions of this Declaration.



ARTICLE III

PROPERTY RIGHTS IN COMMON AREAS

- Section 3.1 Owner's Easements of Enjoyment. Except as herein otherwise provided, each Owner shall have a right and easement of enjoyment in and to the Common Areas, which shall be appurtenant to and shall pass with the title to his Lot. Each Tenant shall have a non-transferable right to use and enjoy the Common Areas, if any, which right shall terminate when such person ceases to have the status of a Tenant. Such rights and privileges shall be subject, however, to the following:
 - 3.1.1 The right of the Board to suspend the right of any Owner or the privilege of any Resident to use such of the Common Areas that are recreational in nature as determined by the Board for any infraction of the Rules and Regulations relating to the Common Areas for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days for each such infraction, or for any non-payment or delinquency of the Assessments against such Owner's Lot for a period not to exceed the period of such non-payment or delinquency;
 - 3.1.2 The right of the Board to adopt and enforce and from time to time amend reasonable limitations upon use and Rules and Regulations pertaining to the use of the Common Areas, including regulations limiting guests of Owners and Tenants who may use the Common Areas at any one time;
 - 3.1.3 The right of the Association to grant permits, licenses and public or private easements over Common Areas for utilities, roads and other purposes reasonably necessary or useful for the proper maintenance or operation of the Property; or
 - 3.1.4 The right of Declarant or the Association to dedicate or convey portions of the Common Areas to applicable governmental authorities for park purposes.
- Section 3.2 Extension of Use. Any Owner may extend his right of enjoyment to the Common Areas to the immediate and/or extended members of his family, his Tenants, guests or contract purchasers of the Owner's Lot.
- Section 3.3 Title to Common Areas. The Declarant shall convey, or cause to be conveyed, by deed all Common Areas to the Association in fee simple absolute on or before the final platting of all Lots in the Subdivision. Any such conveyance shall be subject to taxes for the year of conveyance, and to restrictions, conditions, limitations and easements of record.
- Section 3.4 Use of Common Areas by Declarant. In addition to the specific rights and easements reserved herein, Declarant and its affiliates and associates shall have the same rights of use and enjoyment of the Common Areas as the Class A Members during the Development Period, and shall further have the right to use Common Areas for promotional, sales and similar purposes until all of the Lots have been sold.

ARTICLE IV

HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

- <u>Section 4.1</u> <u>Homeowners Association</u>. There has been created a North Carolina non-profit corporation, known as Pender Creekside HOA, Inc., which shall be responsible for the maintenance, management and control of the Common Areas and the enforcement of the covenants, conditions and restrictions imposed upon each Lot and Dwelling Unit as more specifically set forth in this Declaration.
- Section 4.2 Board of Directors and Officers. The Board of Directors, and such officers as the may elected or appointed in accordance with the Articles or the Bylaws, shall conduct the affairs of the Association. The Board of Directors may also appoint committees and managers or other employees and agents who shall, subject to the general direction of the Board of Directors, be responsible for the day-to-day operation of the Association.
- Section 4.3 Rules and Regulations. By a majority vote of the Board of Directors, the Association may, from time to time adopt, amend and repeal Rules and Regulations with respect to all aspects of the Association's rights, activities and duties under this Declaration. The Rules and Regulations may, without limitation, govern use of the Subdivision, including prohibiting, restricting or imposing charges for the use of any portion of the Subdivision by Owners, Residents or others, interpret this Declaration or establish procedures for operation of the Association or the administration of this Declaration; provided, however, that the Rules and Regulations shall not be inconsistent with this Declaration, the Articles, or the Bylaws. A copy of the Rules and Regulations, as they may from time to time be adopted, amended or repealed, shall be maintained in the office of the Association and shall be available to each Owner upon request.
- Section 4.4 Membership of Association. Every Owner of a Lot shall be a Member of the Association. Such Owner and Member shall abide by the Association's Rules and Regulations, shall pay the Assessments provided for in this Declaration, when due, and shall comply with decisions of the Association's governing body. Conveyance of fee simple title to a Lot automatically transfers membership in the Association without necessity of further documents. Membership shall be appurtenant to and may not be separated from ownership of any Lot that is subject to Assessment.
- Section 4.5 Classes of Membership. The Association shall have two (2) classes of Membership:
 - 4.5.1 <u>Class A Members.</u> Every person, group of persons, or entity which is a record Owner of a fee interest in any Lot upon which a Dwelling Unit has been erected within the Property, shall automatically be a Class A Member of the Association except the Declarant during the Declarant Control Period (as defined in 4.5.2 below); provided, however, that any such person, group of persons or entity who holds such interest solely as security for the performance of an obligation shall not be a Member. A Class A Membership shall be appurtenant to and may not be separated from ownership of any Lot upon which a Dwelling Unit has been constructed that is subject to Assessment. Class A Members shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each Lot in which they hold the interest required for membership. In the event that more than one person, group of persons or entity is the record Owner of a fee interest in any Lot, then the vote for the membership appurtenant to such Lot portion shall be exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall more than one (1) vote be cast with respect to any Lot. In the event agreement is not reached, the vote attributable to such Lot shall not be cast.

- 4.5.2 <u>Class B Member</u>. The Class B Member shall be the Declarant, and shall be entitled to exclusive voting during the period of Declarant Control. Declarant Control shall end and the Class B membership shall cease and be converted to Class A membership on the happening of any of the following events, whichever occurs earlier:
 - (a) On December 31, 2031, or
 - (b) Upon the voluntary surrender of all Class B membership by the holder thereof.
- 4.5.3 <u>Voting</u>. Each Member shall have one vote with respect to each Lot owned by such Member, but a Class A Member shall not be entitled to exercise any vote until the expiration of the Declarant Control Period, unless sooner permitted by Declarant.
- Section 4.6 Maintenance Obligations of the Association. The Association, at its expense, shall maintain, operate and keep in good repair, unless such obligations are assumed by any municipal or governmental agency having jurisdiction thereof, the Common Areas and all improvements located thereon for the common benefit of the Subdivision. This shall include, without limitation, the maintenance, repair, replacement and painting of the following landscaping and improvements (to the extent that such improvements or landscaping are located upon or constitute Common Areas): (a) all private streets, roadways and access drives, if any, pavement, sidewalks, walkways and uncovered parking spaces; (b) all lawns, trees, grass and landscape areas, shrubs and fences, except as otherwise set forth hereinbelow; and, (c) all recreational facilities, if any.

The Association shall make the determination as to when maintenance, repair, replacement and care shall be done, and its determination shall be binding. Declarant shall have the right to employ a manager to oversee and implement the Association's maintenance obligations, and any such management fees incurred thereby shall be paid by the Association. The Association shall also perform the other duties prescribed by this instrument or the Association's Rules and Regulations.

Further the Association may, in its discretion, cause a landscaping service or other lawncare maintenance company to provide lawn care services to each Lot, including mowing of front and side yards and trimming of shrubs or bushes in such areas. Notwithstanding the foregoing, it shall be the continuing responsibility of the Owner of each Lot to assure that the Lot is mowed regularly, including the area between the lot line and the edge of the paved street, and to maintain in a neat condition all landscaping and plant materials contained within their respective enclosed rear and/or courtyard areas. Additionally, each Owner shall keep the Lot clear of any unsightly objects, and in the event that the Owner of any Lot within the said Subdivision breaches this restriction, the Declarant and the Association reserve the right, and an easement, to enter upon the Lot to take such action as is necessary to clean up the Lot and remove unsightly structures and objects at the Owner's expense as provided herein. Where Lots border on or contain ditches, drainage easements, canals or swales, ponds or detention/retention ponds, the Association shall maintain that area, including the slopes, down to the edge of the water in a neat well kempt condition. Washouts or erosions on the Lots above or adjoining ditch banks, drainage easements, canals or swales, ponds or detention/retention ponds shall be properly tended to by the respective Lot Owner. Notwithstanding the foregoing, neither the Association nor the Lot Owner may do anything, or as the case may be, neglect to take any action, which may cause any modification of the stormwater management system constructed in the Subdivision. This obligation and right may be enforced by the Association or any Owner as provided in Article XI herein.

Section 4.7 Maintenance Obligation of the Lot Owners. The responsibilities of each Lot Owner shall include:



- 4.7.1 To the extent not otherwise herein imposed upon the Association, cleaning, maintaining, keeping in good order, repairing and replacing at his or her expense all portions of his or her Lot and Dwelling Unit. Any repair, replacement and maintenance work to be done by an Owner must comply with the Architectural Control guidelines and any Rules and Regulations of the Association.
- 4.7.2 To perform his responsibilities in such manner so as not unreasonably to disturb other persons residing within the Subdivision.
- 4.7.3 Each Lot Owner shall be deemed to agree by acceptance of delivery of a deed to a Lot, to repair and/or replace at his or her expense all portions of the Common Areas which may be damaged or destroyed by reason of his or her own intentional or negligent act or omission, or by the intentional or negligent act or omission of any invitee, tenant, licensee family member, including, but not limited to any repairs necessary which result from damage incurred by pets or vehicles owned by the Lot Owner, or owned by any guest, invitee, Tenant or licensee of such Lot Owner. To the extent that any Common Area is damaged as an insurable loss and the proceeds from the Association's insurance policy are utilized to pay for the loss, the Owner shall be responsible for payment of the deductible as an Individual Assessment in accordance with Section 5.4 and Section 7.6 below.
- Section 4.8 Effect of Insurance or Construction Guarantees. Notwithstanding the fact that the Association and/or any Lot Owner may be entitled to the benefit of any guarantee of material and workmanship furnished by any construction trade responsible for any construction defects, or to benefits under any policies of insurance providing coverage for loss or damage for which they are respectively responsible, the existence of construction guarantee or insurance coverage shall not excuse any unreasonable delay by the Association or any Lot Owner in performing his obligation hereunder. Likewise, this Section 4.8 is not intended to work for the benefit of the person or entity responsible for the construction defect. Also, performance by Association may be delayed if Association does not have the means or the funds to repair the defect or if, by repairing the defect, the Association would be compromising the right to sue to have the defect corrected and/or to collect damages caused by the defect.
- Section 4.9 Assignment to Association. Declarant shall be entitled to assign all water, sewer, land use, stormwater system and utility permits, agreements and easements between Declarant and any governmental agency or department or public or private utility company to the Association, in which case the Association shall be required to assume same. After such an assignment, the Association shall be responsible for and assume all duties, obligations, and rights and privileges of the Declarant under such permits, agreements and easements, including all maintenance responsibility, even if part of the water, sewer, land use, stormwater system or utility areas covered by the permits, agreements and easements are not located within Creekside Subdivision.

ARTICLE V

COVENANT FOR ASSESSMENTS

- Section 5.1 Regular Assessments. Regular Assessments for the payment of the Common Expenses shall be made in the manner provided herein, and in the manner provided in the Bylaws. The Regular Assessment is established for the benefit and use of the Association and shall be used in covering all of the Common Expenses.
- Section 5.2 Special Assessment. In addition to levying Regular Assessments, and to the extent that the reserve fund is insufficient, the Board of Directors may, with the assent of two-thirds (2/3)

of the votes of each class of Members who are voting in person or by proxy at a meeting duly called for this purpose, levy Special Assessments for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the cost of any construction, reconstruction, repair or replacement upon or to the Common Area, including easement areas, fixtures, and personal property related thereto; provided, however that any such special assessments for the maintenance of sewer lines and other elements of the sewer system, the drainage and stormwater runoff systems, and other utility systems, as required by government permits or regulations, may be assessed by the Board of Directors without a vote of the members. All special assessments for capital improvements shall be fixed to a uniform rate for all Lots.

Section 5.3 Working Capital Assessment. Upon the initial transfer of record of the Lot from the Declarant (or successor Declarant or designated Declarant) to the Lot Owner (other than a successor Declarant or designated Declarant), the purchaser is required to pay a sum equal to two (2) full months of the Regular Assessment due on his or her Lot as his or her initial contribution to the working capital of the Association. This sum is not an advance payment of the monthly Regular Assessment; rather the sum is allocated to a working capital fund to meet unforeseen expenditures and operating expenses or to purchase any additional equipment or services. While the Declarant is in control of the Association, it cannot use any of the working capital funds to defray its expenses, reserve contributions, or construction costs. When control of the Association is transferred to the Lot Owners, the working capital fund or, as the case may be working capital account, shall be transferred to the Association for deposit to a segregated fund. After control of the Association is transferred to the Lot Owners the Declarant shall be responsible to collect the initial contribution to the working capital account and forward such funds to the Association. Additionally, at the closing, each purchaser of a Lot is required to pay a pro-rata share of the Regular Assessment due in the month of closing.

Section 5.4 <u>Individual Assessment</u>. In the event that the need for maintenance, repair or replacement of any improvement on the Property, for which the Association has the maintenance, repair and/or replacement obligation, is caused through the willful or negligent act of an Owner, his family, his pet(s), or Resident, the cost of such maintenance, repairs or replacements shall be paid by such Owner. The Board shall have the maintenance, repair or replacement done and the cost thereof shall be provided by the Board to said Owner and shall be paid by said Owner within thirty (30) days thereafter, unless an earlier date is otherwise set forth herein.

Section 5.5 Date of Commencement of Assessments; Due Dates; Determination of Regular Assessments; Fine Assessments.

- 5.5.1 The monthly Regular Assessment provided for herein shall commence as to each Owner of a Lot, except Declarant, on the first day following the initial conveyance of the Dwelling Unit to the Owner and shall be adjusted according to the number of days remaining in the month. The Declarant, its successors and assigns, shall not be required to pay the Regular Assessment for any Lot which it owns. The Board of Directors shall fix the amount of the monthly Regular Assessment to be paid by each Class A Member against each Lot at the beginning of each calendar year. Written notice of the monthly Regular Assessment shall be sent to every Class A Member subject thereto. The Board of Directors shall establish the due dates.
- 5.5.2 The Board of Directors, or an adjudicatory panel established by the Board of Directors, may levy a reasonable Fine Assessment, as a fine or penalty for violation of this Declaration, all in accordance with the Planned Community Act. A lien may be filed for this Fine Assessment and this Fine Assessment may be enforced by foreclosure and otherwise treated as a Regular Assessment.

- 5.5.3 If the Association is paying the water and/or sewer bill(s) for the Subdivision or any Lot Owner within the Subdivision, the Association may assess each Lot Owner benefited for its share of the water and/or sewer bill(s). Each Lot Owner shall bear an equal share of the bill, but the Association can assess an extra amount against a Lot Owner to recover the cost of any extraordinary amount of water used by that Lot Owner. "Extraordinary" shall be as determined by the discretion by the Board of Directors. The Assessment for water and sewer shall be part of the Regular Assessment and shall be considered a Common Expense.
- 5.5.4 Both Regular and Special Assessments for a Lot Owner shall be determined by the Association based upon the proportion that each Lot bears to the aggregate number of Lots located on the Property, except those owned by Declarant which are not assessed in accordance with Section 5.5.1 above. The Association's governing body may, at its discretion, waive the Regular Assessment for any year or part of a year for any Lot not occupied as a residence.
- Section 5.6 Billing. The Association shall inform each Lot Owner of the amount of the total Regular Assessment due from the Owner of that particular Lot. This Regular Assessment may be paid in monthly installments or as otherwise required by the Association. The Owner of each Lot must pay his Lot's required Regular Assessment in advance on the first calendar day of each month, unless the Association otherwise directs. Payment is to be made to such person at such an address as Association determines. Special Assessments are due thirty (30) days after the bill for the Special Assessment has been mailed or otherwise sent out by Association, unless the Association otherwise directs. The Owners of the initial Lots in the Subdivision, except Declarant, shall be obligated to begin paying the Regular Assessment as of the first day of the initial conveyance of the Lot from Declarant to the Owner. If the Subdivision is expanded and additional Lots are brought into the Subdivision during a given Assessment year, those additional Lots shall begin paying the Regular Assessment on the first day of the initial conveyance of the Lot from Declarant to the Owner.
- Section 5.7 Common Surplus. If the Regular Assessment collected in any given year is in excess of the actual Common Expenses for that year, the Board may, at its sole discretion (a) return each Owner's share of the Common Surplus; (b) credit each Owner's share of the Common Surplus to each Owner's payment as for the Regular Assessment for the following year; or (c) apply the Common Surplus to the reserve.
- Section 5.8 Assessment Certificate. The Association shall, upon demand, at any reasonable time, furnish to any Owner liable for Assessments a certificate in writing signed by an Officer or other authorized agent of the Association, setting forth the status of said Assessments; i.e., "current", and if not current, "delinquent" and the amount due. Such certificate shall be conclusive evidence of the payment of any Assessment therein stated to have been paid. A reasonable charge to cover labor and materials may be made in advance by the Association for each certificate.
- Section 5.9 Books and Records of the Association. The Association shall keep full and correct books of account. The Association shall make available to all Lot Owners and the holders of all first mortgages on Lots, current copies of the books, records and financial statements of the Association upon reasonable request during normal business hours. All funds collected by the Association shall be held and expended solely for the purposes designated by this Declaration and shall be deemed to be held for the use, benefit and account of the Association and all of the Lot Owners. All books and records must be kept in accordance with good accounting procedures and must be reviewed at least once a year by an independent accounting firm.



Section 5.10 Non-Payment of Assessment. Any Assessments levied pursuant to these covenants which is not paid on the date when due shall be delinquent and shall, together with such interest and other costs as set out elsewhere in this Declaration, thereupon become a continuing lien upon the Lot which shall bind the Lot in the hands of the then Owner and the Owner's successors and assigns.

If the Assessment is not paid within thirty (30) days after the due date, the Assessment shall bear interest at a rate set by Association, not to exceed the maximum amount allowed by law. The Association may bring an action at law against the Owner personally obligated to pay the same and, if the Assessment remains unpaid for ninety (90) days or more, upon the vote of the majority of the Board of Directors, foreclose the lien against the Lot, in either of which events interest, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees shall be added to the amount of each Assessment. No Owner may waive or otherwise escape liability for the Assessments by non-use or waiver of use of the Common Areas or by abandonment of his Lot.

Section 5.11 Priority of Association Lien. The lien provided for in this Article V shall take priority over any lien or encumbrance subsequently arising or created, except liens for real estate taxes and assessments and liens of bona fide first mortgages which have been filed of record before a claim of this lien hereunder has been docketed in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court in Pender County, and may be foreclosed in the same manner as a mortgage on real property under power of sale in an action brought by the Association in accordance with the Planned Community Act. The Association is entitled to recover its reasonable attorneys' fees and court costs and collection costs, as part of the lien. In any such foreclosure action, the Association shall be entitled to become a purchaser at the foreclosure sale.

<u>Section 5.12</u> <u>Purchaser at Foreclosure Sale Subject to Declaration, Bylaws, Rules and Regulations of the Association</u>. Any purchaser of a Lot at a foreclosure sale shall automatically become a Member of the Association and shall be subject to all the provisions of this Declaration, the Bylaws and the Rules and Regulations.

Section 5.13 Non-Liability of Foreclosure Sale Purchaser for Past Due Common Expenses. When the holder of a first mortgage or first deed of trust of record or other purchaser of a Lot acquires title to the Lot as a result of foreclosure of the first mortgage first deed of trust or by deed in lieu of foreclosure, such acquirer of title, his, her or its successors and assigns, shall not be solely liable for the share of the Common Expenses or other Assessments by the Association chargeable to such Lot which became due prior to the acquisition of title to the Lot by such acquirer, other than Assessments for which a claim of lien has been docketed with the Pender County Clerk of Superior Court prior to the recordation of the lien being foreclosed. Such unpaid share of Common Expenses or Assessments shall be deemed to be Common Expenses collectible from all of the Lots, including that of such acquirer, his, her or its successors or assigns. This provision shall not relieve the party acquiring title or any subsequent Owner of the subject Lot from paying future Assessments.

Section 5.14 <u>Liability for Assessments Upon Voluntary Conveyance</u>. In a voluntary conveyance of a Lot, any grantee or his or her first mortgagee shall inform the Board of Directors in writing of such contemplated conveyance and such grantee or first mortgagee shall be entitled to a statement from the Board of Directors of the Association setting forth the amount of all unpaid Assessments (including current Assessments) against the grantor due the Association. Neither the grantee nor the mortgagee shall be personally obligated for any delinquent Assessments, but such delinquent Assessments, along with interest, late charges, costs and reasonable attorneys fees shall be a lien against the Lot in accordance with Section 5.10 and Section 5.11 herein.



Section 5.15 Late Charge. The Association may impose a charge against any Lot Owner who fails to pay any amount assessed by the Association against his Lot within ten (10) days after such Assessments are due and payable and who fails to exercise his rights under this Declaration or under the laws of the State of North Carolina to successfully contest such Assessment. The amount of the late charge shall be the greater of (a) twenty and 00/100 Dollars (\$20.00), or (b) ten percent (10%) of the delinquent amount, or such other amount as may be determined by the Association from time to time. Additionally, if a Lot Owner shall be in Default in payment of an installment upon an assessment or of a single monthly assessment, the Association has the right to accelerate all monthly Assessments remaining due in the current fiscal year. The total of such Assessments, together with the delinquent Assessments shall then be due and payable by the Lot Owner no later than ten (10) days after the delivery of written notice of such acceleration to the Lot Owner or twenty (20 days) days after mailing of such notice to him by certified mail, whichever occurs first. If such acceleration amount is not paid by the due date, the above-described late charge may be imposed on the part of such accelerated amount not paid by the due date.

Section 5.16 <u>Miscellaneous</u>.

- 5.16.1 The Association may change the interest rate due on delinquent Assessments (including any late charges), except that the rate cannot be changed more often than once every six (6) months. As of its effective date, the new interest rate will apply to all Assessments then delinquent.
- 5.16.2 The Owner has the sole responsibility of keeping the Association informed of the Owner's current address if different from the Lot owned. Otherwise notice sent by Association to the Lot is sufficient for any notice requirement under this Declaration.
- 5.16.3 The lien under this <u>Article V</u> arises automatically, and no notice of lien need be recorded to make the lien effective.
- 5.16.4 The Assessment lien includes all collection costs, including demand letters, preparation of documents, reasonable attorneys' fees, court costs, filing fees, collection fees, and any other expenses incurred by the Association in enforcing or collecting the Assessment.
- 5.16.5 Any Assessment otherwise payable in installments shall become immediately due and payable in full without notice upon Default in the payment of any installment. The acceleration shall be at the discretion of the Board.
- 5.16.6 No Owner of a Lot may exempt himself or herself from liability for his or her contribution toward the Common Expenses by waiver of the use or enjoyment of any of the Common Areas or by the abandonment of his or her Lot.
 - 5.16.7 This Section 5.16 applies to every type of Assessment.

ARTICLE VI

EASEMENTS AND ENCUMBRANCES

Section 6.1 Easement for Encroachments. The Dwelling Units, all utility lines, and all other improvements as originally constructed by or on behalf of Declarant or its assigns shall have an easement to encroach upon any setback, Lot or Common Area as a result of the location of the building, utility lines and other improvements across boundary lines between and along Lots and/or the Common Areas, or as a result of building or improvement movement or alterations or additions from time to time, provided that such alterations or additions have complied with the requirements of this Declaration.

Section 6.2 Lot's Utility Easements. Easements are granted in favor of each Lot Owner to and throughout the Common Areas and, if necessary, the setback areas of any other Lots, as may be necessary for the installation, maintenance, repair and use of underground water, gas, sewer, power and other utilities and services including power and communication, now or hereafter existing, including maintaining, repairing and replacing any pipes, wires, ducts, conduits, equipment, fixtures, utility, power or communication lines or equipment, or other components. The foregoing notwithstanding, no Lot Owner (other than Declarant) may exercise the easement rights reserved in this Section 6.2 without the prior written approval of the Board as described in Section 6.6 below and the Declarant, so long as it owns a Lot in the Subdivision.

Section 6.3 Utility Easements. Easements are reserved and/or granted hereby in favor of the Declarant and/or the Association through each Lot (provided that such easements shall not materially and unreasonably interfere with the use of any dwelling located upon any Lot) and the Common Areas for the purpose of installing, laying, maintaining, repairing and replacing any pipes, wires, ducts, conduits, equipment, fixtures, utility, power or communication lines or equipment, or other components throughout the Common Areas. Each Lot Owner and/or his respective mortgagee by acceptance of a deed conveying such ownership interest and each mortgagee encumbering such ownership interest, as the case may be, hereby irrevocably appoint Declarant, or the Association, as the case may be, as his attorney in fact, coupled with an interest, and authorize, direct and empower such attorney, at the option of the attorney, to execute, acknowledge and record for and in the name of such Lot Owner and his mortgagee, such easements or other instruments as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Section 6.3. The easements may be assigned and/or granted by the Declarant and/or the Association to any utility or service company.

Section 6.4 General Easements. An easement is hereby reserved and/or granted in favor of the Declarant and/or the Association in, on, over and through the Common Areas, the Lots and/or Dwelling Units for the purposes of maintaining, cleaning, repairing, improving, regulating, operating, policing, replacing and otherwise dealing with the Common Areas, Lots and/or Dwelling Units, or other areas of responsibility of the Association as herein provided, including all improvements thereon as required or permitted by the Constituent Documents or applicable law. An easement is hereby reserved in favor of Declarant over the Common Areas for the purpose of advertising or promoting sales of Lots or Dwelling Units in the Subdivision.

Section 6.5 Access Easement. Appurtenant to each Lot is an easement over any Common Area for necessary pedestrian and vehicular ingress and egress to and from any such Lot over the Common Areas, to and from a thoroughfare. The easement shall be over such walkways, driveways, or other ways as are designated by the Declarant and/or the Association and shall be subject to the terms of the Constituent Documents.



Section 6.6 Use of Easement. Any use of the rights and easements granted and reserved in this Article VI shall be reasonable. If any damage, destruction, or disturbance occurs to a Lot or Common Area as a result of the use of any easement or right, the Lot or Common Area shall be restored by, or at the direction of, the Association promptly in a reasonable manner at the expense of the person or persons making the use of the easement or right that resulted in the damage, destruction or disturbance. Before beginning work, Association may require all or any part of the expected expense to be prepaid by that person or those persons liable for the expense. Additionally, should any Lot Owner other than Declarant elect to exercise its easement rights hereunder, it shall be required to obtain the Board's prior written approval (not to be unreasonably withheld), after providing the Board with detailed plans of its proposed work, as well as evidence of appropriate insurance and other such reasonable information or assurances as the Board may require. No easement may be granted across, through, over, or under any Lot or Common Area, which materially restricts ingress and egress to the Lot or Common Area, unless reasonable alternate ingress and egress is provided or unless the restrictions is only temporary. All easements reserved hereunder shall be perpetual and non-exclusive.

Section 6.7 Reservation of Access Easement by Declarant. Declarant reserves an easement for itself, its grantees, successor and assigns, to enter upon the Subdivision for access, including ingress and egress for both vehicles and pedestrians, to and from any public street, road, land, walkway or right-of-way. The easement shall be over all the streets and other access ways of the Subdivision. Declarant further reserves the right to connect, at Declarant's expense, to any street, roadway, walkway or other means of access that are located on the Common Areas of the Subdivision. This reservation of access easements and the right of connection should be construed liberally in favor of the Declarant, in order to facilitate the development of all or any portion of the Subdivision.

Section 6.8 Reservation of Construction Easement by Declarant. The Declarant reserves the non-exclusive right and easement to temporarily go upon the Subdivision in order to complete the development of the Subdivision and the construction of the improvements to be located therein, and to develop other neighboring land. The easement should be construed broadly in favor of the Declarant, including giving Declarant the right to store temporarily construction materials, equipment or dirt. After the construction is finished, Declarant must, at Declarant's cost, repair any damage done to the Subdivision including to any landscaping. As soon as reasonably possible after Declaration has completed construction on the neighboring land, Declarant must remove all debris, equipment, materials and dirt from the Subdivision.

Section 6.9 Declarant's Easements: General. The easements and grants reserved for and granted to the Declarant also benefit and bind any heirs, successors and assigns of Declarant and their respective guests, invitees or lessees, including, without limitation, assignees of Declarant who do not own property within the Subdivision.

Section 6.10 Easement for the Benefit of Governmental Entities. An easement is hereby declared, granted and established over the sixty foot (60') private streets, Town of Burgaw Maintenance Easement and Common Areas, as each are shown on the Plat, for the benefit of applicable governmental agencies, public utility companies, and public service entities as necessary for setting, removing and reading meters; replacing and maintaining water, sewer and drainage facilities, electrical, telephone, gas and buried cable; fire fighting, garbage collection, postal delivery, emergency and rescue activities and law enforcement activities.

Section 6.11 Easements to Run with Land. All easements and rights described in this Article VI are easements appurtenant, 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 Declarant, its successors and assigns, and any

Owner, purchaser, mortgagee, and other person or entity now or hereafter having an interest in the Subdivision, or any part or portion of it.

<u>Section 6.12</u> <u>Reference to Easements and Deeds</u>. Reference in the respective deeds of conveyance or any mortgage or trust deed or other evidence of obligation, to this Declaration, shall be sufficient to create and reserve such easements and rights to the respective grantees, mortgagees and trustees in said instruments as fully and completely as those such easements and rights were recited fully and set forth in their entirety in such instruments.

ARTICLE VII

INSURANCE

Section 7.1 General Insurance. The Association shall carry a master policy of fire and extended coverage, vandalism, malicious mischief and liability insurance on any insurable interest in the Common Areas; and if required by law, workmen's compensation insurance with respect to the Subdivision and the Association's administration thereof. The Association shall also maintain liability insurance in reasonable amounts, covering all occurrences commonly insured against for death, bodily injury, and property damage arising out of or in connection with the use, ownership, or maintenance of the Common Areas. The Association shall try to have its liability insurance contain cross-liability endorsements or appropriate provisions to cover liability of the Lot Owners, individually and as a group (arising out of their ownership interest in the Common Areas), to another Lot Owner.

The Board of Directors shall review the insurance coverage required under this <u>Section 7.1</u> at least annually, and if any of such insurance coverage becomes impossible or impractical to obtain, the Association shall obtain coverage that most closely approximates the required coverage with the deductible provisions as determined by the Board of Directors. In any event, all such insurance must comply, at a minimum, with the applicable requirements set forth in the North Carolina Planned Community Act.

Section 7.2 Fidelity Insurance. The Association shall maintain fidelity coverage against dishonest acts on the part of Officers and employees, Members of the Association, members of the Board, trustees, employees or volunteers responsible for the handling of funds collected and held for the benefit of the Lot Owners. The fidelity bond or insurance must name the Association as the named insured and shall be written in an amount sufficient to provide protection which is in no event less than the insured's total Regular Assessment, plus all accumulated reserves and all other funds held by the Association either in its own name or for the benefit of the Lot Owners.

Section 7.3 <u>Directors' and Officers' Errors and Omissions Insurance</u>. The Association shall purchase insurance to protect itself and to indemnify any Director or Officer, past or present against expenses actually and reasonably incurred by him/her in connection with the defense of any action, suit or proceeding, civil or criminal, in which he is made a party by reason of being or having been such Director or Officer, except in relation to matters as to which he shall be adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding to be liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of duty to the Association; or to obtain such fuller protection and indemnification for Directors and Officers as the law of North Carolina permits. The policy or policies shall be in an amount to be reasonably determined by the Association.

Section 7.4 Premiums. All premiums upon insurance purchased by the Association shall be Common Expenses. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Lot Owners may be responsible for certain



deductibles to the insurance policies purchased by the Association as outlined in <u>Section 7.1</u> and <u>Section 7.6</u> herein.

Section 7.5 Proceeds. Proceeds of all insurance policies owned by the Association shall be received by the Association; provided, however, the proceeds of any insurance received by the Association because of property damage shall be applied to repair and reconstruction of the damaged property, except as may otherwise be permitted by this Declaration.

Section 7.6 Responsibility of Lot Owner. The Association shall not be responsible for procurement or maintenance of any insurance covering any Lot or Dwelling Unit, or the contents of and Lot or Dwelling Unit nor the liability of any Lot Owner for injuries not caused by or connected with the Association's operation, maintenance or use of the Common Areas or other property located in the Subdivision. Each Lot Owner shall be responsible for obtaining, at his or her own expense, public liability insurance for personal injuries or damage arising out of the use and occupancy of or occurring within his Lot or Dwelling Unit. In addition, each Lot Owner shall be responsible for maintaining fire and extended coverage insurance on his Dwelling Unit, and the contents of his Dwelling Unit. The Association may request the Lot Owner to provide a copy of the policy(s) to the Association evidencing this insurance coverage at any time.

Each Lot Owner agrees that if any Owner(s) damages a building or other improvements now or at any time hereafter constituting a part of the Common Areas of the Subdivision which is covered under the Association's insurance policy, the Owner or Owners causing such damage shall be responsible for paying the lesser of: (a) the cost of repair or replacement of such Common Areas that is not covered under the Association's insurance policy; or (b) the cost to repair and/or replace any damage to a building or other improvements, which amount shall be due within ten (10) days after the delivery of written notice of such deductible due or replacement/repair costs by the responsible Lot Owner(s) or twenty (20) days after mailing of such notice by certified mail, whichever occurs first. In the event a Lot Owner refuses or fails to pay the insurance deductible or replacement/repair costs in the time period provided in the preceding sentence, the amount thereof may be advanced by the Association and the amount so advanced by the Association shall be assessed to such Owner as an Individual Assessment, which shall be due and payable following seven (7) days written notice.

Section 7.7 Release. All policies purchased under this Article VII by either the Association or the individual Lot Owners shall provide for the release by the issuer, thereof, of any and all rights of subrogation or assignment and all causes and rights of recovery against any Lot Owners, member of their family, their employees, their tenants, servants, agents and guests, the Association, any employee of the Association, the Board, or any occupant of a Dwelling Unit in the Subdivision, for recovery against any one of them for any loss occurring to the insured property resulting from any of the perils insured against under the insurance policy.

<u>Section 7.8</u> <u>Approximate Coverage</u>. If any of the required insurance coverage under this <u>Article VII</u> becomes or is impossible to obtain or can be obtained only at an unreasonable cost, the Association shall obtain coverage which most closely approximates the required coverage, if such substitute insurance is available.

Section 7.9 Additional Policy Requirements. All such insurance coverage obtained by the Association shall be written in the name of the Association, for the use and benefit of the Association, the Lot Owners and their mortgagees, as further identified below. Such insurance shall be governed by the provisions hereinafter set forth:



- 7.9.1 Exclusive authority to adjust losses under policies in force on the Subdivision obtained by the Association shall be vested in the Association provided, however, that no mortgagee having an interest in such losses may be prohibited from participating in the settlement negotiations, if any, related thereto.
- 7.9.2 In no event shall the insurance coverage obtained by the Association hereunder be brought into contribution with insurance purchased by individual Owners, occupants, or their mortgagees, and the insurance carried by the Association shall be primary.
- 7.9.3 All casualty insurance policies shall have an agreed amount endorsement with an annual review by one or more qualified persons.
- 7.9.4 The Association shall be required to make every reasonable effort to secure insurance policies that will provide for the following:
 - 7.9.4.1 a waiver of subrogation as discussed in <u>Section 7.7</u>;
 - 7.9.4.2 that no policy may be canceled, invalidated, or suspended on account of the acts of any one or more individual Owners;
 - 7.9.4.3 that no policy may be canceled, invalidated or suspended on account of the conduct of any Director, officer or employee of the Association or its duly authorized manager without prior demand in writing delivered to the Association to cure the defect and the allowance of a reasonable time thereafter within which the defect may be cured by the Association, its manager, any Owner or mortgagee; and
 - 7.9.4.4 that any "other insurance" clause in any policy exclude individual Owner's policies from consideration.

ARTICLE VIII

ASSOCIATION

- Section 8.1 Association. The administration of the Subdivision shall be vested in the Association. The Owner of any Lot, upon acquiring title, shall automatically become a Member of the Association and shall remain a Member until such time as his ownership of such Lot ceases for any reason, at which time his membership in the Association shall automatically cease. The Association shall have full power and responsibility to administer, operate, sustain, maintain, and govern the Subdivision including but not limited to, the powers and responsibilities to make prudent investments of funds held by it; to make reasonable Rules and Regulations; to borrow money; to make Assessments; to bring lawsuits and defend lawsuits; to enter into contracts; to enforce all of the provisions of this Declaration, the Bylaws and any other documents or instruments relating to the establishment, existence, operation, alternation of the Subdivision. The powers of the Association shall be construed liberally and shall include, without limitation, all of the powers set forth in Section 47F-3-102 of the Planned Community Act.
- Section 8.2 <u>Board of Directors</u>. Unless otherwise specifically stated in this Declaration, the Association shall act exclusively through its Board of Directors (the "<u>Board</u>"). The Association in accordance with the Bylaws shall choose the Board. The Board shall be authorized to delegate the



administration of its duties and powers by written contract to a managing agent or administrator employed for that purpose by the Board.

Section 8.3 Limitations on Association's Duties.

- 8.3.1 The Association did not construct the improvements in the Subdivision, including the Dwelling Units. The Association does not warrant in any way or for any purpose in the Subdivision, the improvements in the Subdivision. Construction defects are not the responsibility of the Association.
- 8.3.2 The Association shall have a reasonable time in which to make any repair or do any other work, which it is required to do under the Constituent Documents. The Association must first have actual knowledge of a problem. Any determination of the reasonableness of the Association's response, must allow for the facts that the Association is volunteer and that the funds available to the Association are limited.
- 8.3.3 In case of ambiguity or omission, the Board may interpret the Declaration and the other Constituent Documents, and the Board's interpretation shall be final if made without malice or fraud. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Declarant may overrule any interpretation affecting it, for so long as Declarant owns any portion of the Property, and such interpretation cannot be enforced against the Declarant, its successors or assigns.

ARTICLE IX

HARMONY, ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROLS

- Section 9.1 <u>Architectural Control Committee</u>. The following design and architectural control restrictions shall apply for all lots:
- 9.1.1 No structure shall be erected, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than a detached single-family dwelling not to exceed two (2) stories in height, plus one or more accessory buildings, provided that any said accessory building may not be constructed prior to the construction of the single-family dwelling and without the prior written approval of the Declarant or its assignee; multi-family dwellings of any type are expressly forbidden.
- 9.1.2 No dwelling, building, fence, wall, or mail receptacle or other structure, of whatever nature or kind, or any portion thereof, shall be erected, placed or altered on any Lot, nor shall the grade or elevation or physical characteristics of any such Lot, or portion thereof, be altered in any way whatsoever, UNTIL the proposed building plans, specifications, finishes, materials, site and grading plan (showing the proposed location of such buildings or structures, drives, parking areas, fences, walls, mail receptacles, and any proposed alterations to the grade, elevation or physical characteristics of the site), and the construction schedule shall have been <u>APPROVED IN WRITING BY THE DECLARANT, OR ITS ASSIGNEE</u>. Approval or disapproval of any of the above may be based by the Declarant upon any ground, including purely aesthetic and environmental considerations that in the sole and uncontrolled discretion of the Declarant shall seem sufficient.
- 9.1.3 Due to the fact that the establishment of standard inflexible building set back lines for locations of dwellings on Lots tends to force construction of dwellings directly to the side of one another with detrimental effects on privacy, view, preservation of important trees and other vegetation, ecological and related considerations, NO SPECIFIC SET BACK LINES other than those specified by the Town of Burgaw or other governmental authority are established by this Declaration. In order to assure,



however, that the foregoing considerations are given maximum effect, the Declarant reserves the right to control and approve absolutely, as stated in Section 9.1.2 hereinabove, the site and location of any dwelling and/or structure upon any Lot.

- 9.1.4 No single-family dwelling design or plan will be approved by the Declarant unless the proposed dwelling will have the minimum required square footage of "enclosed dwelling area". The term "enclosed dwelling area" as used in these minimum size requirements shall mean the total enclosed area within a dwelling, provided, however, that such term does not include garages, terraces, decks, porches, and like areas; provided, however, that shed-type porches, even though attached to the house, are specifically excluded from the definition of the aforesaid term "enclosed dwelling area". Said minimum square footage shall be 1300 square feet.
- 9.1.5 Any structure erected on Lot shall have exterior siding made of brick, cement composite and/or cedar shingles, and the design of the structure, as well as the materials used shall be subject to the prior written approval of the Declarant, as stated in Section 9.1.2 above.
- 9.1.6 Each Lot Owner shall provide receptacles for garbage in a screened area on his Lot not generally visible from any street or road or other Lots, or provide underground garbage receptacles for similar facilities.
- 9.1.7 No fuel tanks or similar storage facilities may be exposed to view on any Lot. Any such facility must be installed only within the main residential dwelling, within an accessory building, within a screened area, or buried underground.
- 9.1.8 No trees of any size, exceeding three (3) inches in diameter measured one (1) foot above the ground, may be removed from any Lot without the prior written approval of the Declarant or its assignee; said approval to be based upon a site plan, landscaping plan, or planting plan submitted to the Declarant, or its assignee, by the Lot Owner.
- 9.1.9 Potable water is and shall be supplied to all Lots within the development by the Town of Burgaw or some other community water system provider. No Owner of a Lot in the Subdivision shall be permitted to drill or otherwise construct any water well on said Owner's Lot. However, an Owner may drill a private well for the purpose, and only for the purpose, of providing a water supply for a Lot or lawn sprinkler system, provided, however, that such Lot Owner shall obtain the permission of the Declarant or the Architectural Control Committee, its successors or assigns, for the drilling, installation and maintenance of such sprinkler system, which such permission shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- Section 9.2. Stormwater Runoff/NCDENR Permit Restrictions. The following covenants are intended to ensure ongoing compliance with State Stormwater Management Permit Number SW8 070907 (the "Stormwater Management Permit"), as issued by the Division of Water Quality under NCAC 2H.1000. The State of North Carolina is made a beneficiary of these covenants to the extent necessary to maintain compliance with the Stormwater Management Permit. These covenants are to run with the land and be binding on all persons and parties claiming under them. The covenants pertaining to stormwater may not be altered or rescinded without the express written consent of the State of North Carolina, Division of Water Quality. Alteration of the drainage as shown on the approved plan may not take place without the concurrence of the Division of Water Quality. The maximum allowable built-upon area (the "BUA") per Lot in the Subdivision is set forth on the Schedule attached hereto as Exhibit "B", and is expressed in terms of square feet. The allotted amount includes any built-upon area constructed within the Lot property boundaries, and that portion of the right-of-way between the front lot line and the edge of the pavement. Built upon area includes, but is not limited to, structures, asphalt, concrete, gravel, brick, stone, slate, coquina, and parking areas but does not include raised, open wood decking, or the water

surface of swimming pools. All runoff on the lot must drain into the permitted system. This may be accomplished through providing roof drain gutters which drain to the street, grading the Lot to drain toward the street, or grading perimeter swales and directing them into the pond or street. Lots that naturally drain into the system are not required to provide these measures. Built upon areas in excess of the permitted amount will require a permit modification. Declarant reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to recalculate and re-designate maximum built upon areas as set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Declaration, provided such recalculations and redesignations are in accordance with the Stormwater Management Permit. In addition, if any property as finally constructed does not use its allocated built upon area, Declarant shall have the sole right to reclaim such excess allotment and reallocate it to other properties in the Subdivision, in its sole discretion. Declarant further reserves the right to impose additional restrictions upon the Property as and to the extent required by the terms of the Stormwater Management Permit, or any modification thereof. Such additional restrictions may be imposed by Declarant by the recording of a Supplemental Declaration, and no joinder or consent of the Association or any other owner or person shall be required for such Supplemental Declaration. The Association shall be assigned the Stormwater Management Permit, including any modifications thereof, and agrees to take any action or sign any document requested to accept this assignment, if all conditions in the Stormwater Management Permit, and any modifications thereof, are in compliance at the time of such assignment. All costs related to enforcement of the permit conditions, and all costs of complying with the permit conditions shall be a Common Expense payable by the Association, and the Association shall take such actions from time to time as to assure continuous compliance with the Stormwater Management Permit, and any modifications thereof.

ARTICLE X

USE RESTRICTIONS

Section 10.1 Use and Occupancy. The Association shall make Rules and Regulations to govern the use and occupancy of the Subdivision. In addition, the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, as to use and occupancy shall run with the land and shall be binding upon each Lot Owner, his heirs, tenants, licensees and assigns.

Section 10.2 Purpose of Subdivision. Except as otherwise provided in this Declaration, no part of the Subdivision shall be used for other than housing and the common recreational purposes for which the property was designed, and each Lot shall be used only for residential purposes, unless the Board of Directors authorizes some other use. Except for the construction, sales and management activities (including, without limitation, the right of Declarant to maintain one or more model Dwelling Units, or sales offices) of the Declarant, no business, trade, industry, occupation or profession of any kind, whether for profit or not for profit, may be conducted, maintained, or permitted on any part of the Subdivision property. To the extent permitted by law, an Owner may use a portion of his or her Dwelling Unit for an office or studio (other than a music and/or dance studio) provided that the activities conducted therein shall not interfere with the quiet enjoyment or comfort of any other owner or occupant; and provided further that such activities do not increase the normal flow of traffic or individuals in and out of the Subdivision or in and out of said Owner's Lot.

Section 10.3 Obstruction of Common Areas. There shall be no storage or parking of any items, including baby carriages, playpens, bicycles, wagons, toys, vehicles, benches or chairs in any part of the Common Areas, except as permitted by the Rules and Regulations. Patios porches (except screened in and/or enclosed porches) and decks, may be used only for their intended purposes.

<u>Parking</u>. Except for vehicles being used by persons providing services to the Declarant, the Association, the Lot Owners or otherwise used or authorized to be used at the Subdivision by the Declarant, no part of

the Subdivision may be used for the parking of any trailer coach, house trailer, mobile home, automobile trailer, motorcycle, camp car, recreational vehicle, camper, truck which exceeds 3/4 ton, boat, boat trailer, or any vehicle with letters or other markings over four inches tall or wide, or any other similar vehicle (collectively, "Special Vehicles"), unless such Special Vehicles are parked in the garage of the Lot Owner who owns such Special Vehicle and the garage door of such Lot Owner is completely closed at all times when a Special Vehicle is parked therein; provided however, nothing contained herein shall be deemed to preclude the parking on a Lot by the Lot Owner of an automobile, pick-up truck or van utilized as a work vehicle by the Lot Owner so long as the such vehicle is properly maintained, unoffensive and does not detract from the appearance of the Subdivision. Operative vehicles, other than Special Vehicles, used by a resident of a Lot as a primary source of transportation or work vehicles as described above may be parked in the driveway of such Lot Owner or in any garage space owned by the Owner of such Lot. However, the residents of any one Lot may not collectively park more than three (3) operative vehicles other than Special Vehicles in the Subdivision. No on street parking of vehicles is allowed in the Subdivision. Inoperative vehicles may not be parked within the Subdivision unless these inoperative vehicles are parked in the garage and the garage door is completely closed. No auto maintenance and/or repairs may be performed on the Subdivision except if performed inside the garage of a Lot Owner. Vehicles, whether owned by a Lot Owner or not, parked in violation of any part of this Declaration or in violation of any Rules or Regulations, shall be towed away and stored at the Owner's risk and expense. By parking in the Property, the Owner of the vehicle or other vehicle user hereby waives any claim against the Association resulting directly or indirectly out of the towing, unless the towing can be shown beyond a reasonable doubt to have been done maliciously by the Association. The Association shall not be obliged to try to determine the owner of a vehicle and first give notice, before towing the vehicle.

Section 10.4 Compliance With Insurance Policies and Waste. Nothing shall be done or kept in any Dwelling Unit, in the Common Areas or on a Lot which will increase the rate of insurance of the buildings, or contents thereof, applicable for residential use, without the prior written consent of the Association. No Lot Owner shall permit anything to be done or kept in his or her Dwelling Unit, in the Common Areas or on a Lot which will result in the cancellation of insurance on the buildings, or contents thereof, or which would be in violation of any law. No waste will be committed in the Common Areas. All laws shall be obeyed.

Section 10.5 Animals and Pets. No animals, livestock or poultry of any kind shall be kept or maintained on any Lot or in any dwelling except that dogs, cats or other household pets may be kept or maintained provided that they are not kept or maintained for commercial purposes and provided further that they are not allowed to run free and are at all times properly leashed and personally escorted. No animals, livestock or poultry of any kind may be raised, bred or kept in any Common Area. Pets must be restrained or confined within the Lot and shall not become a nuisance or offend reasonable sensibilities of other Owners. Owners must promptly remove any and all animal excrement from any and all Common Areas and Lot(s) and keep such area(s) clean and free of pet debris. All animals must be properly tagged for identification.

Section 10.6 Nuisances. No noxious or offensive activity shall be carried on in any Dwelling Unit or in the Common Areas or on the Lot of an Owner, nor shall anything be done therein, either willfully or negligently, which may be or become an annoyance or nuisance to the other Lot Owners or occupants.

Section 10.7 Laundry or Rubbish and Open Fires in Common Areas and Facilities. No clothes, sheets, blankets, laundry of any kind or other articles shall be hung out or exposed on any part of the Common Areas, or on any Lot in a manner visible from any Common Area, neighboring Lot or street. All Lots shall be kept free and clear of rubbish, debris and other unsightly materials. All trash, garbage or other rubbish shall be deposited only in covered sanitary containers as provided in Section 10.14 below.

No open fires shall be permitted on any part of the Subdivision other than fires in charcoal grills or other similar cooking devices located upon Lots or grills or similar devices (if any), owned by the Association and constituting a portion of the Recreational Facilities, provided the use of such devices does not violate any local governmental rules or regulations.

Signage. Except as otherwise provided in this Declaration, no business, trade, industry, occupation or profession of any kind, whether for profit or not for profit, shall be conducted, maintained or permitted on any part of the Subdivision. A Lot Owner is permitted to place and maintain a standard "For Sale" or "For Rent" sign in that Lot Owner's yard on the Dwelling unit side of any sidewalk that may be installed; provided, however it is of a typical size within the industry or within an area expressly permitted by the Board of Directors. In addition, a "political sign" (as defined in the Planned Community Act) may be placed on a Lot Owner's yard provided that such sign has maximum dimensions of 24 inches by 24 inches; is displayed no earlier than forty-five (45) days before the day of election; and is removed no later than seven (7) days after the election day. In the event that the above stated limitations on political signs are more restrictive than the applicable town or county ordinance that regulates the size and number of political signs on residential property, the ordinance provisions shall control. No other sign that is visible from the outside of Dwelling Units may be placed on any part of the Subdivision except as expressly permitted by the Board of Directors. Declarant and/or the Board shall have the right to immediately remove and dispose of those items in violation of this Declaration. A Lot Owner must obtain the prior written consent of the Board of Directors in the event a Lot Owner desires to maintain a "For Sale" or "For Rent" sign which is not of a typical size within the industry, or desires to maintain other displays or advertising, unless otherwise provided for under the Rules and Regulations. The right is reserved by the Declarant to use any such unsold or unoccupied Dwelling Units or other structures in the Subdivision as models and/or offices in connection with the construction, sale or rental of Dwelling Units.

Section 10.10 Statuary/Flags. No yard statuary, sculpture, works of art or other similar type of objects are permitted on any Lot or Dwelling Unit unless and until permission for the same has been granted by the Architectural Control Committee. With regard to the regulation of flags, no outdoor flag may be placed on any Lot or Dwelling Unit unless and until permission for the same has been granted by the Architectural Control Committee. Notwithstanding any other provision herein, the United States Flag and/or the North Carolina flag having the maximum dimensions of four feet by six feet (4' x 6') may be displayed on an Owner's own Lot. Any flags will be displayed in accordance with the traditional rules and patriotic customs set forth in 4 U.S.C. §§5-10, as amended, governing the display and use of the flag of the United States.

Section 10.11 Antennas/Satellite Dishes. No outside antennas or satellite dishes shall be erected on any Lot or structure unless and until permission for the same has been granted by the Committee or Declarant. Any such antennas or satellite dishes shall be screened from view by adjoining property Owners and the users of any street or recreation area or Common Area. The design and location of the screening shall be approved by the Architectural Control Committee or the Declarant.

Section 10.12 <u>Utility Connections.</u> All dwelling connections for all utilities, including, but not limited to, water, electricity, gas, telephone, and television shall be run underground from the proper connecting points to the dwelling structure in such manner as may be acceptable to the appropriate utility authority. The cost for such underground service shall be shared by the Owner and utility company in conformity with existing utility company policy if any.

Section 10.13 Alteration of Common Areas. Nothing shall be altered or constructed in or removed from the Common Areas except as otherwise provided in this Declaration and except upon the written consent of the Association. In addition, a Lot Owner must obtain the prior written consent of the



Board prior to installing and landscaping or planting any flowers, herbs or vegetables, on any portion of the Subdivision (including any Lot).

Section 10.14 Trash Disposal. Each Lot Owner shall deposit all trash, garbage, or other rubbish by as directed and instructed by the Board. Lot Owners shall keep trash containers at all times in each Lot Owner's garage (if applicable), or in such other location as designated by the Board, except on the days which trash, garbage, or other rubbish is collected by the local waste removal authorities. Any trash containers placed outside by the Lot Owners in the location designated for collection by the local waste removal authorities shall only remain in such location for a period not to exceed twenty-four (24) hours. The Board shall have the right to dispose of any trash, garbage, or other rubbish of a Lot Owner in violation of this Article X, and may assess the Lot Owner for the cost of such removal, which amount shall be payable on the date the next installment of the regular assessment is due.

ARTICLE XI

ENFORCEMENT

Section 11.1 Enforcement.

- 11.1.1 The Association or any Lot Owner may enforce these covenants, conditions and restrictions. Enforcement of these covenants, conditions and restrictions shall be by any proceeding at law or in equity against any person or persons violating or attempting to violate ("Violating Party") any covenant, condition or restriction, either to restrain or enjoin violation or to recover damages, and against the land to enforce any lien created by these covenants. In addition to all other amounts due on account of said violation or attempted violation, the Violating Party shall be liable to the parties enforcing the covenants and/or restrictions of this Declaration (the "Enforcing Parties") for all reasonable attorney's fees and court costs incurred by the Enforcing Parties. Failure or forbearance by the Association or any Owner to enforce any covenant, condition or restriction herein contained shall in no event be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter. In any lawsuit filed to enforce this Declaration by injunction or restraint, there shall be and there is hereby created and declared to be a conclusive presumption that any violation or breach or any attempted violation or breach of any of the within covenants, conditions or restrictions cannot be adequately remedied by action at law or by recovery of damages.
- 11.1.2 In addition to all other remedies of the Association, the Association shall have the right to assess a maximum fine of \$100.00 per day (or such higher amount as may be allowed by law) per violation against any Owner who violates any provision of this Declaration or the Articles, Bylaws or Rules and Regulations of the Association after such Owner has been given notice of the violation and an opportunity to be heard with respect to the violation in accordance with such policies and procedures as may be adopted from time to time by the Board of Directors or as may be set forth in the Bylaws.
- 11.1.3 In addition to the above rights, the Association may also enter upon a Lot or any land upon which a violation exists to remove any violation, perform maintenance or make repairs thereon which is the responsibility of a Lot Owner who has failed to remove said violation or to perform such maintenance or make such repairs (i) after having given such owner at least ten (10) days prior notice, or (ii) without giving notice in the event of an emergency.

Any action brought by the Association hereunder may be brought in its own name, in the name of its Board or in the name of its managing agent. In any case of flagrant or repeated violation by a Lot

Owner, he or she may be required by the Association to give sufficient surety or sureties for his or her future compliance with the covenants, conditions and restrictions contained in this Declaration, the Bylaws and the Rules and Regulations.

Section 11.2 Severability. Invalidation of any one of these covenants, conditions or restrictions by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any other provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 11.3 Restrictions Run With Land. The easements or other permanent rights or interests are herein created, the covenants and restrictions of this Declaration shall run with and bind the land, and shall inure to the benefit of and be enforceable by the Association, or the Owner of any Dwelling Unit subject to this Declaration, their respective legal representatives, heirs, successors, and assigns.

Section 11.4 Amendment. The Association (the Declarant controlling the Association until the expiration of the Declarant Control Period) may amend this Declaration at any time, as long as consistent with the design, scheme and purposes of this Declaration, by the affirmative vote or written agreement of the Owners to whom not less than seventy-five percent (75%) of all of the votes in the Association are allocated in accordance with Section 4.4 and Section 4.5 above. Any amendment must be recorded in the Pender County Register of Deeds. Following the end of the Declarant Control Period, no such agreement to amend, in whole or in part, shall be effective unless written notice of the proposed amendment is sent to every Member at least thirty (30) days in advance of any action taken, and no such amendment shall be effective with respect to any permanent easements or other permanent rights or interests relating to the Common Areas herein created unless such amendment is consented to in writing by Declarant and all other beneficiaries of such permanent easements, rights of interests.

Section 11.5 Reservation of Special Declarant Rights. Declarant reserves the right to maintain sales and management offices, model units, construction trailers, storage or staging areas, and advertising signs upon Lots or the Common Areas and upon Lots owned by it until the expiration of the Development Period and to exercise all other "Special Declarant Rights" as defined in the Planned Community Act. Without limiting the foregoing, and notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, during the Development Period, Declarant shall have the right (but not the obligation) to annex additional Lots or Common Areas into the Subdivision by filing a supplement to this Declaration in the Pender County Public Registry together with an amendment to the Plat (if applicable). Such additional Lots or Common Areas need not be contiguous to the Property. Declarant shall have the right to assign all or a portion of any rights or easements reserved herein by a written assignment thereof, recorded in the Pender County Public Registry.

<u>Section 11.6</u> <u>Management and Service Contracts</u>. Any agreement for the professional management of the Subdivision of the Common Areas may not exceed three (3) years and shall provide for termination by either party without cause and without payment of a termination fee upon reasonable notice.

<u>Section 11.7</u> <u>Binding Determination</u>. In the event of any dispute or disagreement with or between any Owner(s) relating to, or of any other disputes, disagreements or questions regarding, the interpretation or application of the provisions of this Declaration or the Articles or Bylaws of the Association, the determination thereof (i) by Declarant for so long as Declarant retains control of the Association; and (ii) thereafter by the Board of Directors of the Association shall be final and binding on each and all such Owners; providing that any determination which directly or indirectly affects Declarant shall require Declarant's prior consent to become binding upon Declarant.



- Section 11.8 Captions and Titles. All captions, titles or headings in this Declaration are for the purpose of reference and convenience only and are not deemed to limit, modify or otherwise affect any of the provisions hereof, or to be used in determining the intent or context thereof.
- Section 11.9 Notices. Except as otherwise provided in this Declaration, any notice to any Owner under this Declaration shall be in writing, shall be effective on the earlier of (i) the date when received by such Owner, or (ii) the date which is three days after mailing (postage prepaid) to the last address of such Owner set forth in the books of the Association. The address of an Owner shall be at his Lot (or any of them if more than one) unless otherwise specified in writing to the Association. The Articles and Bylaws shall specify the permissible manner of giving notice for voting and all other Association matters for which the manner of giving notice is not prescribed in this Declaration.
- Section 11.10 Governing Law. This Declaration shall be deemed to be made under, and shall be construed in accordance with and shall be governed by, the laws of the State of North Carolina, and suit to enforce any provision hereof or to obtain any remedy with respect hereto shall be brought in state court in Pender County, and for this purpose each Owner by becoming such hereby expressly and irrevocably consents to the jurisdiction of said court.

ARTICLE XII

MORTGAGEE'S RIGHTS

- Section 12.1 Notice of Rights of Mortgagee of a Lot. As used herein, the term "Mortgagee" shall mean the holder of a first lien mortgage or deed of trust on a Lot who provides notice to the Association with its name and address with a request to receive any notices and other rights provided to "Mortgagees" under this Article XII. A Mortgagee of a Lot shall be entitled to receive written notification of any default, not cured within sixty (60) days after its occurrence, by the Owner of the Lot with respect to any obligation of the Owner under the Declaration, the Bylaws of the Association or the Articles of Incorporation of the Association. Any Mortgagee of a Lot can make the request for notification. The notification shall be sent not later than the 65th day after the occurrence of an uncured Default.
- Section 12.2 Rights of First Refusal. Any right of first refusal now or hereafter contained in this Declaration or any amendment or modification hereto or otherwise arising in favor of the Association or certain Owners shall not apply to or preclude or impair in any way the right of the first Mortgagee to (i) foreclose or take title to the Lot pursuant to the remedies provided in its mortgage; (ii) accept a deed or assignment in lieu of foreclosure in the event of a default under the Mortgage; or (iii) sell or lease a Lot and Dwelling Unit acquired by the Mortgagee.
- Section 12.3 Rights of Mortgagee. Unless at least seventy five percent (75%) of the Mortgagees (based upon one vote for each first mortgage or deed of trust owned), and a vote of seventy-five percent (75%) of the votes allocated to the Members entitled to vote hereunder, the Association shall not:
 - 12.3.1 by an act or omission seek to abandon, partition, subdivide, encumber, sell or transfer the Subdivision or Common Areas or improvements located thereon which are owned directly or indirectly by the Association for the benefit of the Lots (the granting of easements for public utilities or for other purposes consistent with the intended use of the Subdivision, or the conveyance of Common Area (not including the Recreational Facilities) to a local governmental



authority for public park purposes or the conveyance or dedication of Roadways shall not be deemed a transfer within the meaning of this clause);

- 12.3.2 change the method of determining the obligations, assessments, dues or other charges which may be levied against a Lot;
- 12.3.3 by act or omission change, waive or abandon any scheme of regulation or enforcement thereof pertaining to the architectural design or exterior appearance of the Dwelling Units, the exterior maintenance of the Dwelling Units, the maintenance of common fences or driveways or the upkeep of lawns and plantings in the Subdivision;
- 12.3.4 fail to maintain fire and extended coverage insurance on insurable Common Areas on current replacement cost basis in an amount not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the insurable value (based on current replacement cost); or
- 12.3.5 use hazard insurance proceeds for losses to any Common Areas for other than the repair, replacement or reconstruction of such Common Areas.
- Section 12.4 Right to Examine Books and Records. Mortgagees, their successors or assigns, shall have the right to examine the books and records of the Association.
- Section 12.5 Taxes and Insurance. Mortgagees may, jointly or singly, pay taxes or other charges which are in default and which may or have become a charge against any Lot and may pay overdue premiums on hazard insurance policies, or secure new hazard insurance coverage on the lapse of a policy, for such Lot, and first mortgagees making such payments shall be owed immediate reimbursement therefor from the Lot Owner.
- <u>Section 12.6</u> <u>Insurance Proceeds and Condemnation Awards</u>. No provision of this Declaration or any other document or instrument affecting the title to the Property, Common Areas, any Lot or the organization or operation of the Association shall give an Owner or any other party priority over any rights of first mortgagees of Lots within the Subdivision pursuant to their mortgages in the case of a distribution to Owners of insurance proceeds or condemnation awards for losses to or taking of Common Areas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Declarant has caused this instrument to be executed as of the day and year first above written.

PENDER CREEKSIDE, LLC

a North Carolina Limited Liability Company

(Seal)

Jay S. Milam, Member/Manager

By: ///// (Sea

Raymond L. Ballard, Member/Manager

By: Lea Holdings, Inc., Member/Manager (Seal) Seal) STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF _____ a Notary Public of the State and County Raymong aforesaid, certify that <u>Jay 5.</u> personally came before methis day and acknowledged that they are Member/Managers of PENDER CREEKSIDE, LLC, a North Carolina limited liability company members, and that by authority duly given and as the act of the limited liability company, the foregoing instrument was signed by them on behalf of and as an act of the Company. WITNESS my hand and official seal this 3 day of January, 2012. My commission expires: [NOTARIAL SEAL] Notary Public New Hanover County ∃My Commission Expires = STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA , a Notary Public of the State and County aforesaid, certify that beck personally came before me this day and acknowledged that they he is President of Lea Holdings, Inc., a North Carolina Corporation, Member/Manager of Pender Creekside, LLC, and that by authority duly given and as the act of the limited liability company, the foregoing instrument was signed by him on behalf of and as an act of the Company. WITNESS my hand and official seal this 3 day of January, 2012. Notary Public

My commission expires:

[NOTARIAL SEAL]

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Notary Public

New Hanover County

My Commission Expires



CONSENT OF MORTGAGEE

Bert L. Lea, Jr. and wife Barbara P. Lea, the holders and beneficiaries of that certain Deed of Trust recorded in the Pender Register of Deeds of Pender County, North Carolina, in Book 3885, Page 23, hereby consent to the execution and delivery of the foregoing Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions, with exhibits thereto (the "Declaration"), and to the filing thereof, in the Register of Deeds of Pender County, North Carolina, and further subject and subordinate the above-described Deed of Trust to the provisions of the foregoing Declaration with attached exhibits (including, without limitation, any easements reserved therein).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Consent to be executed this $\frac{1}{2}$ day of January, 2012.

Bert L. Lea, Jr.

Barbara P. Lea

day of January, 2012.

Notary Public

STATE OF North Carolina

COUNTY OF New Hanny en

I, Davarnah Tottle, a Notary Public of New Hanver County, State of North Contin, do hereby certify that Bert L. Lea, Irl Barbara P. Lea personally appeared before me this day and, the execution of the forgoing instrument

Witness my hand and official stamp or seal this

My Commission Expires:

[NOTARY SEAL]

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EXHIBIT "A"

Legal Description

BEING all of that property, including numbered lots, designated common areas, and private streets, if any, depicted on map entitled "Map of Revision and Subdivision, Creekside Subdivision, Pender County, Town of Burgaw, North Carolina" prepared by Johnson Surveying and recorded in Map Book 53, Page 41, Pender County Registry, reference to which map is hereby made for a more particular description.



EXHIBIT "B"

(Allowable Built Upon Area)

		Lot	
Lot Number	Lot BUA	Number	Lot BUA
1	2,456	37	2,445
2	2,578	38	2,445
3	2,646	39	2,445
4	2,571	40	2,449
5	2,660	41	2,571
6	3,466	42	2,766
7	2,912	43	2,598
8	2,514	44	2,451
9	2,445	45	2,554
10	2,604	46	2,534
11	2,512	47	2,499
12	2,445	48	2,560
13	2,445	49	2,434
14	2,445	50	2,583
15	2,445	51	2,569
16	2,445	52	2,560
17	2,445	53	2,501
18	2,446	54	2,498
19	2,445	55	2,562
20	2,445	56	2,455
21	2,445	57	2,447
22	2,445	58	2,440
23	2,445	59	2,425
24	2,445	60	2,456
25	2,445	61	2,464
26	2,472	62	2,642
27	2,472	63	2,632
28	2,445	64	2,487
29	2,445	65	2,468
30	2,445	66	2,540
31	2,505	67	2,530
32	2,657	68	2,525
33	3,097	69	2,516
34	2,881	70	2,538
35	2,636	71	2,445
36	2,495	72	2,445



73	2,445	92	2,472	
74	2,445	93	2,472	
75	2,445	94	2,472	
76	2,445	95	2,472	
77	2,475	96	2,472	
78	2,597	97	2,507	
79	2,629	98	2,460	
80	2,524	99	2,453	
81	2,449	100	2,445	
82	2,424	101	2,445	
83	2,445	102	2,445	
84	2,445	103	2,472	
85	2,445	104	2,499	
86	2,590	105	2,445	
87	2,708	106	2,445	
88	2,494	107	2,445	
89	2,531	108	2,445	
90	2,553	109	2,466	
91	2,502	110	2,594	
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