DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR THE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION OF DOVE CREEK, INC.

STATE OF TEXAS §

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

COUNTY OF COLLIN §

THIS DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR THE HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION OF DOVE CREEK, INC. (as may be amended from time to time, the "Declaration") is made by, 124 Frisco Property, LLC, a Texas limited liability company ("Declarant").

WITNESSETH:

Declarant, as the owner of the real property described in Exhibit A, intends by recording this Declaration in the Official Public Records of Collin County, Texas, to create a general plan of development for a single-family home planned community known as The Homeowner's Association of Dove Creek, Inc. This Declaration provides for the overall development, administration, maintenance, and preservation of the real property now and hereafter comprising the Property (as hereinafter defined). An integral part of the development plan is the creation of The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc., a Texas non-profit corporation whose members shall be all owners of real property subject to this Declaration, to own, operate, and/or maintain various common areas and community improvements and to administer and enforce the covenants, conditions, restrictions, and easements set forth in this Declaration.

NOW, THEREFORE, Declarant hereby declares that the property described in **Exhibit A**, and any additional property which is subjected to this Declaration in the future in accordance with Article XIV of this Declaration, shall be owned, conveyed, used, occupied and otherwise encumbered subject to this Declaration, which shall run with the title to such property. This Declaration shall be binding upon all Persons having any right, title, or interest in any portion of the Property, their heirs, successors, successors-in-title, and assigns.

ARTICLE I DEFINITIONS

The terms used in this Declaration are intended to have their normal, commonly understood definitions, unless otherwise specified. In order to minimize repetition, avoid confusion, and explain key concepts, some terms are capitalized to indicate they have special definitions. Whenever used in capitalized form, those terms have the following meanings:

(a) "Architectural Control Committee" and/or "ACC" shall mean and refer to the architectural review body for the Property, as described in Article III. During the period of Developer control, the Declarant has the sole right to appoint and remove members of the ACC. Architectural Control Committee may also be known as and referred to as Architectural Review Board or "ARB" or Architectural Review

Committee or "ARC". Any reference to any of the above shall have the same meaning and refer to Architectural Control Committee, the "ACC."

- (b) "Association" shall mean and refer to The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc., a Texas non-profit corporation whose Certificate of Formation is included in the Community Manual of the Association, and which shall have the right to enforce this Declaration.
- (c) "Board of Directors" or "Board" shall mean and refer to the body selected as provided in the Bylaws, being responsible for the general governance and administration of the Association and this Declaration. The initial Board shall be those individuals set forth in the Certificate of Formation and, during the time of Declarant control, the Declarant shall have the sole right to appoint and remove all Directors to the Board and may limit the authority and responsibilities of the Board.
- (d) "Builder" shall mean and refer to any person or entity who has acquired a Lot or Lots for the purpose of constructing a residence thereon for later sale to consumers.
- (e) "Bylaws" shall mean and refer to the Bylaws of The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc., approved by the Board of Directors, as may be amended from time to time.
- (f) "Common Properties" shall mean all real property (including improvements thereon) now or hereafter owned, leased or controlled by the Association, or to which the Association holds possessory or use rights, for the common use and enjoyment of the Owners (hereinafter defined) including, but not limited to such property which may be: (i) conveyed to the Association in fee simple title, (ii) leased to the Association, (iii) landscape or maintenance easements granted or dedicated to the Association by plat or other written instrument, (iv) retention ponds within the Property, and (vi) any other real property or improvement the Association, at the sole discretion of the Board, decides to maintain.
- "Community-Wide Standard" shall mean the standard of conduct, maintenance and appearance, including landscaping, generally prevailing throughout the Property or the minimum standards established pursuant to the Design Guidelines, Rules and Board resolutions, whichever is the highest standard. Declarant initially shall establish such standard. The Association, through its Board, shall ensure that the Community-Wide Standard established by the Declaration for the Property shall continue after the termination or expiration of the Class B membership. The Community-Wide Standard may contain objective elements, such as specific lawn or house maintenance requirements, height and placement requirements, aesthetic considerations, and subjective elements, such as matters subject to the discretion of the Declarant, the Board, or the ACC. The Community-Wide Standard may or may not be in writing and will, most likely, evolve as development progresses and as the Property changes. The Community Wide Standard is enforceable the same as any written violation or rule and subject to the same enforcement rights and remedies set forth in this Declaration, any Rules and Regulations or Policies, or as the Declarant, the Board, or the ACC may deem reasonable and necessary. The Community-Wide Standard shall not fall below the level established for the Property as of the date the Class B membership terminates or expires.

- (h) "Compatible Use" means, if applicable, land usage for schools, churches, recreational facilities, playing fields and any other uses Declarant determines to be compatible with residential land use.
 - (i) "County" shall mean and refer to Collin County, Texas.
- (j) "Declarant" shall mean and refer to not only 124 Frisco Property, LLC, a Texas limited liability company, but also any successor, alternate or additional Declarant as appointed by 124 Frisco Property, LLC, as successor, alternate or additional Declarant by written instrument, filed of record in the office of the County Clerk, specifically setting forth that such successor, alternate or additional Declarant is to have, in whole or in part, together with 124 Frisco Property, LLC, the Declarant rights, duties, obligations and responsibilities for all or a specific portion or Phase of the Property. The term "Declarant" shall not include any person or entity that purchases a Lot from Declarant unless such purchaser is specifically assigned, by a separate recorded instrument, some or all of the Declarant rights under this Declaration as to the conveyed property.
- (k) "Design Guidelines" shall mean and refer to the design standards and guidelines adopted by the Declarant, as may be amended in accordance with Article III, representing the minimum specifications for the construction of all residences, additions to such residences, and other improvements associated with each residence including, without limitation, other structures or improvements located on a residential Lot, and the minimum requirements for landscaping to be installed and maintained on each Lot. The Design Guidelines are an integral part of this Declaration and the development plan of The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc. of Frisco. The initial Design Guidelines are attached hereto as **Exhibit C**. All Builders and prospective Owners or those desirous of constructing a residence on a Lot are strongly encouraged to obtain a current copy of the Design Guidelines prior to preparing plans and specifications for submission to the Architectural Control Committee for approval.
- (l) "Final Plat" shall mean, initially, the map or plat of The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc. of, and recorded in the Plat Records of Collin County, Texas, and any future recorded subdivision maps or plats covering additional real property made subject to this Declaration, as such Final Plats may be amended from time to time.
- (m) "Governing Documents" means, singly or collectively as the case may be, this Declaration, the Final Plat, the Bylaws, the Association's certificate of formation, and the rules of the Association, as any of these may be amended from time to time. An appendix, exhibit, schedule, or certification accompanying a Governing Document is a part of that Governing Document. All Governing Documents are to be recorded in every county in which all or a portion of the Property is located. The Governing Documents are Dedicatory Instruments as defined in Texas Property Code Section 202.
- (n) "Lot" shall mean and refer to any one (1) of the enumerated plots or tracts of land shown upon a Final Plat, and "Lots" shall mean and refer to more than one (1) of same.

- (o) "Member" shall mean and refer to a member of the Association, as described in Article VIII.
- (p) "Owner" shall mean and refer to each and every person or business entity (whether one or more), including Declarant (so long as applicable), that is a record owner of a fee or undivided fee interest in any Lot; provided, however, that (i) the term "Owner" or "Owners" shall not include any person or entity who holds a bona fide lien or interest in a Lot as security merely for the performance of an obligation (specifically including, but not limited to, any mortgagee or trustee under a mortgage or deed of trust) unless and until such mortgagee, beneficiary or trustee has acquired title to such Lot pursuant to foreclosure or any proceeding in lieu thereof; and (ii) with respect to any matter requiring the vote, consent, approval or other action of an Owner, each Lot shall be entitled to only one (1) vote except as provided for in Section 8.2 and Section 15.6 herein.
- (q) "Phase" shall mean and refer to each separately developed residential area or addition as set forth and more fully described on a Final Plat depicting real property that has been subjected to the Declaration.
- (r) "The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc." or "Property" shall mean and refer to the real property described on **Exhibit A**, any improvements now or hereafter situated thereon, and any and all additional real property (and the improvements thereon) which Declarant hereafter subjects to this Declaration, in accordance with Article XIV hereof.
- (s) "<u>Supplemental Declaration</u>" shall mean a recorded instrument which accomplishes one or more of the following purposes: (i) subjects' additional real property to this Declaration, or (ii) imposes, expressly or by reference, additional restrictions, covenants, easements and/or rights and obligations on the land described.

ARTICLE II CONSTRUCTION OF IMPROVEMENTS AND USE OF LOTS

Section 2.1 Residential Use.

The Property shall be used for single-family residential purposes and home office only. No building or other structure shall be erected, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than one (1) detached single-family residence per Lot, which residence may not exceed three (3) stories in height, and a private garage as provided below. Any building or structure to be placed or constructed on a Lot is subject to approval in writing by the Architectural Control Committee under Article III.

Section 2.2 Single-Family Use.

Each residence may be occupied only by persons living and cooking together as a single housekeeping unit, together with any household employees. Except for families consisting of persons related by blood, adoption, or marriage, no more than two persons per bedroom may occupy the same dwelling on a regular and consistent basis.

Section 2.2.1 <u>Leasing</u> Homeowners who rent or lease their residence are required to execute a written lease agreement, signed by the tenant and a copy provided to the Association prior to the tenant's possession of the residence. The lease shall contain, at a minimum, the following:

- a. Term of Lease. Initial term of the lease shall not be less than one (1) year.
- b. Entire Residence. The property leased includes the entire residence.
- c. Single Family. Lease is restricted to single family per Section 2.2 above. Owner shall provide to the Association or its Managing Agent the names and contact information for tenants.
- d. Abide by Rules. The Owner must make available to the tenant copies of the CCR's, Rules and Regulations and all amendments thereto. Tenant must agree to abide by all Association rules and must acknowledge that failure to do so may constitute a default under the lease terms and agreement. Owner must obtain a signed acknowledgment from the tenant that this section of the CCR's has been explained in detail.
- e. No assignment or sub leasing is allowed.
- f. Tenant must carry renter's insurance.
- g. Owner shall be responsible at all times for his tenant and the maintenance and upkeep of the home and lot. Should the tenant violate a rule and a violation notice is sent, the Owner shall be responsible for the violation and ensuring it is immediately abated. Should a fine for non-compliance result, the Owner shall be responsible for payment of the fine to the Association including any other monetary expenses the Association may incur for the enforcement and abatement of a violation. The Owner shall ensure the tenant complies with the CCR's, and all rules and regulations.

During the Declarant Control Period no leasing rules and/or regulations shall be applied without the express written consent of the Declarant. Additionally, the Declarant may, at his sole discretion, exempt any Builder or Owner who purchases a Lot for the purpose of construction and sale or resale, investment, or for the purpose of rental property, from any or all rules and/or regulations governing leasing under this Declaration or through any Rule, Regulation, or Policy. The Declarant may, but is under no obligation, to set time or other limits on any exemption given or the Declarant may approve a perpetual exemption which may in no wise be revoked or amended by the Board of Directors or the Association.

Section 2.3 Garage Required.

Each residence shall have an enclosed garage and shall conform to the requirements set forth in the Design Guidelines. Certain Lots and Blocks within Dove Creek may be required to use alley access for driveways and/or garages and there may be additional requirements for some Lots such as certain setback requirements for front loading garages. Refer to the Design Guidelines attached hereto as **Exhibit C** for additional information and instruction. The garage shall conform in design and materials with the main structure. No garage shall be used as a living quarter notwithstanding, this section shall not apply to the Declarant, Developer or Builders model homes.

Section 2.4 Driveways.

All driveways shall be surfaced with concrete. No extending or widening of the driveway is allowed without the prior written approval of the ACC. No painting, staining, or stamping of the driveway is allowed without the prior written approval of the ACC. Driveways for Blocks B, C, D, E, G, and M as shown on the final plat for Dove Creek shall access the Alleys, no driveways for Lots on the above-named Blocks may access the streets.

Section 2.5 Uses Specifically Prohibited.

(a) No temporary or permanent structure or item of any kind or nature will be permitted on any Lot without the express written consent of the Declarant or the ACC. At the Declarant's sole discretion or at the discretion of the ACC, the following may be allowed upon written consent so long as the structure or item cannot be seen over the fence line and the item is placed to the back of the Home and within a fenced yard: (i) small dog houses, small greenhouses or vegetable gardens, and other low profile items not visible to adjoining Lots or Residences and which do not constitute any form of threat to drainage flow or the health, safety, and welfare of the Owners, any surrounding Residents or any property.

As a Community Wide Standard no structure of a permanent or temporary nature shall be more than two feet (2') to two and one-half feet (2-1/2') in height above the top of the fence line and shall always be positioned to the back of the home or in an area that is going to be the least visible. Requests for structures greater than two and one-half feet (2-1/2') in height or requests for placement of any structure or item anywhere other than the back of a Home or Lot shall be considered on a case by case basis by the ACC. The ACC is under no obligation to approve any structure that is considered excessive in height or can be seen from the front of the home or street. As a general rule, no structure visible in any manner shall be allowed on the sides of the home whether within a fenced area or not. Should the placement of an item or structure foster any form of complaint, hazard, discord, aesthetic disharmony, or the like for which the ACC or the Association is required to intervene, the immediate and permanent removal at the sole cost and expense of the Owner may be required. Failure to comply with any request from the ACC may result in monetary fines for non-compliance which may be levied in lump sums or increments at the sole discretion of the ACC. The approval or issuance of one variance to an Owner in no way obligates the ACC to make the same concession or give the same variance consideration to another Owner.

A Builder or contractor may have temporary improvements (such as a sales office and/or construction trailer) on a given Lot during construction of the residence on that Lot or on a different Lot as agreed to between the Builder or contractor and Declarant and/or as otherwise set out in the Design Guidelines. At the Declarant's sole discretion, special allowances may be given to Builders or Contractors in association with the construction and marketing of Lots and residences constructed on Lots. The Board and the ACC may not, under any circumstance, interfere with or attempt to set rules or regulations against Builders or Contractors that would prohibit or interfere with their ability to perform and complete their work. Rules regarding construction hours, cleanliness of Lots under construction and similar other rules may be adopted however, no such authority shall be given to or exercised by the Association during the Declarant Control Period.

No building material of any kind or character shall be placed or stored upon the Property until the Owner thereof is ready to commence construction of improvements, and then such material shall be placed within the property lines of the Lot upon which the improvements are to be erected.

Portable basketball goals shall be allowed with written approval of the ACC only. Permanent basketball goals of any kind are prohibited without the express written permission of the ACC. Portable basketball goals may be placed on the driveway only for use; no portable basketball goal or any other sports play equipment such as but, not limited to soccer, skate board ramps, goals or nets of any kind, and other play equipment of any type or kind may be placed or played in the street. Portable basketball goals, when possible, must be stored out of public view when not in use and must be kept in good repair at all times. No unsightly weights such as tires, sand bags, rocks, or other materials may be used. Goals with poles that can be cranked up and down are preferred. The Declarant and the Board of Directors reserves the right to require the removal of a portable basketball goal or any other play equipment when use of same is in direct violation of this Declaration, Bylaws, or Rules and Regulations or if after written notice the Owner fails or refuses to make the required improvements or repairs.

(b) Except as otherwise provided in this Section, the vehicles of any resident living or residing within a home shall have restricted parking on the street. Parking on the street is intended for short term parking to include but not limited to guest parking, deliveries, service providers, and passenger pick up and drop off. Violations for street parking may include towing of any unauthorized vehicle at the Owner's expense. Vehicles parked on the street without being moved for more than twenty-four hours shall be considered long term parking and subject to the enforcement provisions as set forth in this Declaration. Variances for street parking may be issued upon written request from time to time at the sole discretion of the Board. On street parking, enforcement, and notices of violation may be addressed on a case by case basis at the sole discretion of the Board. Vehicles of residents living or residing in the home must use the driveway or garage. For driveways located between sidewalk breaks, vehicles may not be parked in such a way that safe crossing on the driveway from one side of the sidewalk to the other can be done. Such violations may be considered uncurable violations and are subject to immediate fines. Each Lot shall be limited to a maximum of four vehicles unless approved in writing by the ACC.

Except as provided below, the following vehicles <u>may not be parked on any street within The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc.</u>: recreational vehicles, boats, mobile homes, trailers, campers, stored vehicles, inoperable vehicles, unlicensed vehicles, trucks with tonnage in excess of one (1) ton, or any vehicle such as, but not limited to, tow trucks (unless on premises to remove a vehicle or by permission of the Board), car haulers, dirt haulers or any other type of commercial or work truck or vehicle including commercial vehicles (small vehicles with advertising such as compact cars or trucks that may be parked in the garage only) larger vehicles with commercial lettering or logos are prohibited unless they can be parked in a garage or obtain a variance from the Board). Homes with rear loading garages facing an alley may be eligible for exceptions or variances at the sole discretion of the Declarant and thereafter, the Board. "Sports utility vehicles" and "mini-vans" (as such vehicles are commonly referred to, as determined in the Board's discretion) and pick-up trucks without commercial writing or logos shall be treated as automobiles and may be parked outside of enclosed garages. This Section shall not apply to

parking for purposes of law enforcement, fire officials, emergency vehicles, and emergency vehicle repairs, or for construction, service, and delivery vehicles for periods necessary to perform the services or to make a delivery including that which is needed for new construction of residential homes.

Notwithstanding the above, for purposes of cleaning, loading, unloading [for a period not to exceed 24 hours prior to departure and upon return from a trip], and short-term and visitor parking, any vehicle may be parked outside of an enclosed garage temporarily and irregularly to accommodate such use. The Board, in its discretion, may enact additional rules governing such temporary, irregular use or, in the absence of specific rules, shall have discretion in determining what constitutes permissible parking under such circumstances. Due to the sensitive and unpredictable nature of street parking The Declarant and Board of Directors shall have the sole right to review and determine if a violation of this section exists or if said violation will be enforced against an Owner. Each violation shall be reviewed and determined on a case by case basis.

As used in this Section, the term "vehicles" includes, without limitation, automobiles, trucks, boats, trailers, motorcycles, campers, vans, and recreational vehicles.

- (c) No vehicle of any size which transports flammable or explosive cargo may be kept or parked on the Property at any time, except for use by or on behalf of Declarant in connection with the development of the Property or by a builder or contractor in connection with the construction of improvements on a Lot.
- No animals or livestock of any kind including but, not limited to chickens, pigs, (d) potbellied pigs, cows, horses, snakes, rats or any other rodent shall be raised, bred or kept on the Property for commercial purposes or for food. Dogs, cats or other common household pets may be kept for the purpose of providing companionship for the private family; however, those pets which are permitted to roam free or found roaming free within the community will be reported to animal control, or, in the sole discretion of the Board, any animal that constitutes a nuisance to the occupants of other Lots shall be asked to permanently remove the animal from the residence and the community. The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek desires to foster an environment where Owners and Residents can enjoy visiting common areas, parks, walking along streets, and generally feeling safe within their own community, therefore, AGGRESSIVE BREEDS OF DOGS OR The Association shall pursue immediate OTHER ANIMALS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED. enforcement against any Owner who houses an aggressive breed of animal or any animal who has reportedly attacked or shows signs of aggression against any other person or animal. If the pet owner fails to honor such request, the Board may, at its sole discretion, remove or otherwise provide for the removal of the pet and the Owner may be subject to the maximum fine amount allowed for each day the animal remains within the community.

Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, the Board in its sole discretion and without incurring any further duty or obligation to owners and occupants within the Property may decide to take no action and refer complaining parties to the appropriate municipal or governmental authorities for handling and final disposition. Pets shall be kept on a leash at all times when outside the home or fenced area of a Lot. PETS SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED TO BARK OR HOWL OR MAKE OTHER SOUNDS OR NOISES THAT MAY BECOME A NUISANCE OR IRRITATION. Pets shall be registered, licensed and inoculated as required by law and must be properly tagged for

identification. It is the Owner's responsibility to keep the front of their Lot clean and free of pet debris and to pick up and properly dispose of their pet's waste wherever deposited. Notwithstanding anything seemingly herein to the contrary, no more than three (3) household pets will be permitted on each Lot.

- No Lot or other area on the Property shall be used as a dumping ground for rubbish or a site for the accumulation of unsightly materials of any kind, including, without limitation broken or rusty equipment, disassembled or inoperative cars, other vehicles or discarded appliances and furniture. Trash, garbage or other waste shall be kept in sanitary containers and stored out of sight except for days of scheduled garbage pickup. The Association may, but is under no obligation, to consider allowing small concrete pads to the sides or rear of a home upon which trash containers can be placed notwithstanding, any such placement of containers outside an enclosed area not visible to the public shall be screened with wood fencing or live screening subject to approval of screening materials, type, and style of the ACC. Pads for trash containers shall also be subject to any City of Frisco ordinance. All incinerators or other equipment for the storage or other disposal of such material shall be kept in clean and sanitary condition. Materials incident to construction of improvements may be stored on Lots during construction so long as construction progresses without undue delay. Commercial or large trash bins for construction debris should be used to prevent littering on the Lots and street. Any cleaning or street cleaning the Association performs due to a Builder's or Owner's lack of proper cleanup of construction debris will be billed to the Owner's account for reimbursement to the Association. Association shall have no liability for any injury or damages whether to person, place, or thing which may occur due to construction debris or other items used for any construction which may find its way into the street or adjoining Lots.
- (f) No air-conditioning apparatus shall be installed on the ground in front of a residence. No air-conditioning apparatus shall be attached to any wall or window of a residence. All air-conditioning equipment must be installed in the rear yard, side yard or screened in a manner so as not to be seen. Fencing or live screening may be used. Gates which may be installed for access shall be architecturally pleasing and fencing matching the existing wood fence on a Lot is preferred and may be required.
- (g) The erection, construction, placement or installation of any television, radio or other electronic tower, serial, antenna, satellite dish or device of any type for the reception or transmission of radio or television broadcast signals or other means of communication upon a Lot or upon any improvement thereon is prohibited, except that this prohibition shall not apply to those antennae specifically covered by 47 C.F.R. Part 1, Subpart S, Section 1.4000 (or any successor provision) promulgated under the Telecommunications Act of 1996, as amended from time to time. The Board shall be empowered to adopt rules governing the types of antennae that are permissible hereunder and establishing reasonable, non-discriminatory restrictions relating to safety, location and maintenance of antennae.

To the extent that reception of an acceptable signal would not be impaired or the cost of installation would not be unreasonably increased, an antenna permissible pursuant to the Declaration or the rules of the Association may only be installed in a side or rear yard location, not visible from the street or neighboring property, and integrated with the dwelling and surrounding

landscape. Antennae shall be installed in compliance with all state and local laws and regulations, including zoning, land-use and building regulations.

- (h) No Lot or improvement thereon shall be used for commercial or manufacturing purposes except small home office shall be allowed. An Owner may not conduct sales of any kind out of the home with the exception of an internet-based business where the supplies or items being sold are NOT housed or stored within the home. No daycare facility or other business that generates excessive traffic or parking shall be allowed. Nothing in this subparagraph shall prohibit a builder's use of a residence as a sales office until such builder's last residence on the Property is sold and closed. Nothing in this subparagraph shall prohibit an Owner's use of a residence for quiet, inoffensive activities such as a small home office, tutoring or giving lessons such as art or music, so long as such activities are consistent with the residential character of the Property, do not constitute a nuisance, or may be considered unsafe, dangerous, hazardous, offensive, or in any way threatens the security or safety of others within the Property, as determined in the Board's discretion, and do not materially increase the number of cars parked on the street or normal recurring neighborhood traffic.
- (i) No fence, wall, hedge or shrub planting which obstructs sight lines at elevations between three feet (3') and six feet (6') above the roadway shall be placed or permitted to remain on any corner Lot within the triangular area formed by the street right-of-way lines and a line connecting them at points ten feet (10') from the intersection of the street right-of-way lines, or, in the case of a rounded property corner, from the intersection of the street right-of-way lines as extended. The same sight-line limitations shall apply on any Lot within ten (10) feet from the intersection of a street right-of-way line with the edge of a private driveway or alley pavement. No tree shall be permitted to remain within such distance of such intersections unless the foliage line is maintained at sufficient height to prevent obstruction of such sight lines. Generally, height limitations for hedges or shrubs are not monitored when located in the back yard lot of a residence notwithstanding, if a hedge, shrub, or tree is located within a back yard lot and its location obstructs sight lines the Declarant or Board of Directors may require the trimming or removal of the hedge, shrub, or tree if it is deemed necessary.
- (j) No building previously constructed elsewhere shall be moved onto any Lot, it being the intention that only new construction be placed and erected thereon.
- (k) No sign of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any Lot, except: (i) political signs which may be placed on the Lot no earlier than six (6) weeks prior to an election and which must be removed within two (2) weeks after the election for which such sign is displayed; (ii) one (1) professional security service sign of not more than one square foot; (iii) upon prior written approval of the ACC, one (1) sign of not more than five square feet advertising the property for rent or sale during any period that the Lot actually is for rent or sale; or (iv) signs used by a Builder to advertise the Property during the construction and sales period, each of which shall, in any event, comply with all statutes, laws or ordinances governing same. The Board of Directors or its agents shall have the right to remove any sign, billboard or other advertising structure that does not comply with the above, and in so doing shall not be subject to any liability for trespass or otherwise in connection with such removal.

- (1) The drying of clothes in public view is prohibited. Clothes lines are prohibited.
- (m) Wood used for fireplace, barbeque, or other use must be stacked neatly and screened from public view. The Owner is responsible for ensuring that such wood stack is kept free of rodents.
- (n) No Owner shall perform, fail to perform, or permit anything to be done or not done on such Owner's Lot which would violate any laws, statutes, ordinances or regulations of any kind or character. An Owner's lot and residence must be kept in good repair at all times. Periodic repainting of eaves and trims that are painted the same color as originally applied at time of construction will not require pre-approval from the ACC and should be done from time to time to ensure the continued aesthetically pleasing attributes of the exterior of the home. Owner may not change the color of trim on the home, gutters, doors, garage doors, or any other exterior feature of the home without the prior written consent of the ACC.

Section 2.6 Minimum Floor Area.

The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek shall contain a minimum of two (2) residential product types; patio homes and single family detached:

- 2.6.1 The total air-conditioned living area of the main residential structure constructed on each Lot, as measured to the outside of exterior walls but exclusive of open porches, garages, patios and detached accessory buildings, for patio homes shall not be less than 1,800 square feet and shall be in accordance with the City of Frisco Zoning and Subdivision Regulations under 11-04-09 and PD 259. The maximum height for any patio home shall be forty feet (40°) or two and one-half (2-1/2) stories.
- 2.6.2 The total air-conditioned living area of the main residential structure constructed on each Lot, as measured to the outside of exterior walls but exclusive of open porches, garages, patios and detached accessory buildings, for single family detached homes shall not be less than 2,000 square feet and shall be in accordance with the City of Frisco Zoning and Subdivision Regulations under 11-04-09 and PD 259. The maximum height for any single-family detached home shall be forty feet (40°) or two and one-half (2-1/2) stories.

Section 2.7 Fences and Walls.

Any fence or wall must be constructed of brick, wood, wrought iron or other material approved by the Declarant or the ACC. Fencing materials may be limited or restricted to approved materials as set forth in the City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance. No vinyl or chain link fences are permitted except on the Common Properties or any school property. No fence or wall shall be permitted to extend nearer to any street than the front of any residence notwithstanding the ACC reserves the right to require a minimum of a five-foot setback from the front of any residence when in the sole discretion of the ACC or per the City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance, such a setback is warranted or required.

However, all side yard fencing on corner Lots shall run parallel to the curb and may be placed no nearer than five feet (5') inside the side Lot line and shall not extend beyond a point of five feet (5') behind the front of the residence on that side. Fences or walls erected by Declarant shall become the property of the Owner of the Lot on which the same are erected and as such shall be maintained and repaired by such Owner except as is provided in Article IV and Article IX. Any fence or portion thereof that faces a public street shall be so constructed so that all structural members and posts will be on the side of the fence facing away from the street so that they are not visible from any street. Fences facing streets and major thoroughfares are required to be of board-on-board with cap and trim, stained and kept in good repair at all times. No portion of any fence shall extend more than six feet (6') in height without the prior written consent of the ACC. The maximum height for residential fences per City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance is eight feet (8'). Where a residential fence intersects a screening wall and the height of the fence exceeds the height of the screening wall, the height of the fence shall transition to the height of the screening wall over a distance of twenty (20) feet.

Section 2.8 Building Materials.

The building materials to be used for each residence and other structure must conform to the requirements set forth in the City of Frisco Zoning and PD Ordinance and as set out in the Design Guidelines attached hereto as **Exhibit C**. Residential material requirements for the exterior facades of the main residence shall be constructed of one-hundred percent (100%) masonry, unless or otherwise specified in the Zoning Ordinance. Fiber cement siding applied using a 3-step system may constitute fifty percent (50%) of stories other than the first story, where located over roofline. Fiber cement siding may also be used for architectural features, including window boxouts, bay windows, roof dormers, garage door headers of rear entry garages, columns, chimneys not part of an exterior wall, or other architectural features approved by the ACC. Allowed roofing materials shall be set forth exclusively in the Design Guidelines. The color of roofing shall be consistent throughout the Subdivision and shall otherwise conform to the City of Frisco Zoning and PD Ordinance.

Section 2.9 Mailboxes and Address Blocks.

Mailboxes shall be cluster mailboxes as set forth in the Design Guidelines. An address block of a type and style that is architecturally pleasing to the main residence shall be installed on the front facade of each residence. At no time shall an address block or plate be obstructed. An address block or plate must be visible at all times and should be back lit or under an exterior light so the address can be easily located and read, even at night.

Section 2.10 Landscaping.

Each Builder of a residence upon each Lot shall, upon or before the first occupancy of a house, sod grass in the front and side yards, plant the minimum size and number of trees and minimum size and number of shrubs in the front yard against the foundation of the house as required by the Design Guidelines. Thereafter, each Owner of a Lot shall have the responsibility to properly maintain such trees and landscaping and, if necessary, shall replace such trees or landscaping in accordance with the Design Guidelines. The Declarant and/or the

Association shall have the right but not the obligation, to be exercised at its sole option, to remove and replace dead trees and landscaping and charge the costs thereof to the Owner's account as a special individual assessment under Section 10.7 below. Artificial plants and turf are prohibited. City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance requires two (2) medium to large trees per Lot. Each Lot shall be designed to achieve ample coverage of landscape while not being over planted. See the Design Guidelines for additional instructions.

Section 2.11 Design Guidelines.

In addition to any requirements set forth in this Declaration, all Owners are required to comply with the Design Guidelines in the construction of improvements within the Property and the installation, maintenance and replacement of trees and landscaping within the Property. Section

Section 2.12 ZONING ORDINANCE NO.11-04-09 and PD 259.

The Property and Lots are subject to ZONING ORDINANCE NO.11-04-09 and PD 259 in the Official Public Records, of the City of Frisco, Collin County, Texas as it exists or may be amended. SF-7 ZONING standards apply to all single-family detached homes. Patio Homes are subject to Patio Home District Ordinance and requirements as set forth in Zoning Ordinance 11-04-09 and PD 259. It is the responsibility of the Owner and/or Builder to ensure all City requirements are being met whether or not said requirements are noted in this Declaration or its Design Guidelines.

ARTICLE III ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL

Section 3.1 Review Authority.

- (a) General. Declarant and the Association will, in all likelihood engage the services of third-party professionals including architects, engineers, or other persons to perform and administer the submission, review and inspection process which may be required or necessary under this Article. Declarant reserves the right to implement and enforce additional application, permitting, review, testing and inspection requirements and procedures not contained herein relating to national or uniform codes pertaining to building, electrical, plumbing and any other aspect of construction or development as deemed necessary by Declarant.
- (b) <u>Declarant</u>. Declarant shall have exclusive authority to administer, review and act upon all applications for architectural and other improvements within the Property until all planned Lots have been conveyed to persons other than Declarant or a Builder and have been improved with a dwelling for which a certificate of occupancy has been issued, unless Declarant earlier terminates its rights in a recorded instrument. Declarant may designate or engage one or more persons or entities to act on its behalf with respect to some or all matters coming within the purview of this Article III. Declarant may appoint separate committees; one committee who shall be

primarily responsible for all new construction, reconstruction, or any addition to a home while all other requests are handled by an Architectural Review Committee also appointed by the Declarant. In reviewing and acting upon any request for approval, Declarant or its designee act solely in Declarant's interest and owe no duty to any other person. Declarant is not required to hold meetings or keep minutes relating to its review under this Article.

Declarant may from time to time delegate or assign all or any portion of its rights under this Article to any other person, entity or committee, including the Architectural Control Committee. Any such delegation shall be in writing, shall specify the delegated responsibilities, and shall be subject to (i) Declarant's right to revoke such delegation at any time and reassume its prior jurisdiction, and (ii) Declarant's right to veto any decision which it determines, in its discretion, to be inappropriate or inadvisable for any reason. So long as Declarant has any rights under this Article, the jurisdiction of other entities shall be limited to such matters as Declarant specifically delegates.

(c) <u>Architectural Control Committee</u>. Upon Declarant's delegation or upon expiration or termination of Declarant's rights under this Article, the Association, acting through the ACC, shall assume jurisdiction over architectural matters and the Board shall appoint the Members of the ACC. The ACC shall consist of at least three persons and Members of the ACC need not be Members of the Association or representatives of Members, and may, but need not, include architects, engineers, or similar professionals, who may be compensated in such manner and amount, if any, as the Board may establish. The ACC members shall be designated, shall serve, and may be removed and replaced in the Board's discretion.

For so long as Declarant owns any portion of the Property (and unless the Declarant notifies the ACC in writing to the contrary), the ACC shall notify Declarant in writing, no less than thirteen (13) business days prior to communicating any action (i.e., approval, partial approval, or disapproval) it intends to take under this Article. A copy of the application and any additional information that Declarant may require shall accompany the notice. During such time, Declarant shall have the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, to veto any ACC action; provided, Declarant's right to veto must be exercised within ten (10) business days after it receives notice of the ACC's proposed action. The party submitting the plans for approval shall not be notified of the ACC's proposed action until after Declarant's right to veto has expired.

The Board may create and appoint subcommittees of the ACC. Subcommittees may be established to preside over particular areas of review (e.g., landscape plans) and shall be governed by procedures the Board or the ACC may establish. Any subcommittee's actions are subject to review and approval by Declarant, for as long as Declarant may review the ACC's decisions, and the ACC. Notwithstanding the above, neither the ACC nor Declarant shall be obligated to review all actions of any subcommittee, nor shall the failure to take action in any instance not be a waiver of the right to act in the future.

Unless and until such time as Declarant delegates any of its reserved rights to the ACC or Declarant's rights under this Article expire or terminate, the Association shall have no jurisdiction over architectural matters.

- (d) <u>Reviewer</u>. The entity having jurisdiction in a particular case, whether Declarant or its designee or the ACC, shall be referred to as the "Reviewer".
- (e) Fees; Assistance. Any Review Committee may establish and charge reasonable fees for its review of applications and shall require that such fees be paid in advance. If such fees or charges, including those set forth under Section 3.3 below, are not paid in advance, the Reviewer shall have no obligation whatsoever to review any such related application. Such fees may include the reasonable costs incurred in having any application reviewed by architects, engineers, or other professionals or upon occasion, rush requests. The Board may charge a fee per application review and if so inclined, the Board may include the compensation of fees paid to any ACC Review Committee in the Association's annual operating budget.

Section 3.2 Review Requirements.

No building, wall, pool or other structure of any type shall be commenced, erected, installed, placed, or substantially altered on any Lot, nor shall any exterior painting (other than repainting a structure the same or similar color) of, exterior addition to, or substantial alteration of, such items be made until all plans and specifications and a plot plan have been submitted to and approved in writing by the Reviewer. Above ground pools, swim spas, and lap pools are prohibited. Hot tubs and small spas shall be allowed upon written approval of the ACC.

The Reviewer is authorized and empowered to consider and review any and all aspects of construction and landscaping which may, in the reasonable opinion of the Reviewer, adversely affect the living enjoyment of one (1) or more Owners or the general value of the Property. As a general rule, structures will be required to remain behind the home to prevent or limit visibility and height restrictions may be applied at the sole discretion of the ACC.

In reviewing each submission, the Reviewer may consider any factors it deems relevant, including, without limitation, harmony of the proposed exterior design with surrounding structures and environment and decisions may be based on purely aesthetic considerations. Each Owner acknowledges that aesthetic determinations are purely subjective and that opinions may vary as to the desirability and/or attractiveness of particular improvements. The Reviewer shall have the sole discretion to make final, conclusive, and binding determinations on matters of aesthetic judgment and such determinations are not subject to judicial review so long as they are made in good faith and in accordance with the required procedures.

Section 3.3 Procedure for Approval.

PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF ANY CONSTRUCTION BY ANY PERSON OR ENTITY, THE BUILDER SHALL OBTAIN FROM THE REVIEWER A BUILDING PERMIT AND SHALL PAY, IN ADVANCE, A RELATED INSPECTION FEE AND FEE OWING OR TO BE OWED IN THE AMOUNT OF \$150.00 OR AS DETERMINED BY THE REVIEWER. THIS REQUIREMENT NOT ONLY APPLIES TO ORIGINAL CONSTRUCTION BUT TO POOL INSTALLATIONS, MODIFICATIONS OR ADDITIONS TO EXISTING STRUCTURES OF IMPROVEMENTS. FAILURE TO OBTAIN SUCH PERMIT OR PAY SUCH FEES PRIOR TO INITIATION OF CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE CAUSE FOR THE REVIEWER OR THE ASSOCIATION TO REQUEST AND OBTAIN EMERGENCY TEMPORARY RELIEF TO RESTRAIN ALL ASPECTS OF

CONSTRUCTION. FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE UNLESS BUILDER OR SUBMITTER CANCELS SUBMISSION WITHIN FIVE (5) DAYS OF RECEIPT BY REVIEWER.

In addition to the foregoing requirement, final plans and specifications shall be submitted by mail, or hand delivered to the Reviewer. When online form submissions are available, the Owner is encouraged to submit all applications and supporting documentation via the Association's online submission tool. The Reviewer, Declarant or Association is not responsible for lost or delayed mail. The plans and specifications shall show the nature, kind, shape, height, materials and location of all landscaping and improvements. The application shall specify in writing any requested variances from the requirements set forth in this Declaration, the Design Guidelines or any Community-Wide Standard. The Reviewer is authorized to request the submission of samples of proposed construction materials and such other information as they reasonably deem necessary to make their determination. Should an Owner fail or refuse to provide the additional information requested, the application shall be deemed denied and the Reviewer is under no obligation to review the application further and shall return a notice of denial to the Owner for non-compliance with the Reviewer's request.

At such time as the plans and specifications meet the approval of the Reviewer, one complete set of plans and specifications will be retained by the Association, for up to four (4) years only, and the other complete set of plans shall be marked "Approved", and returned to the Lot Owner or his designated representative. If disapproved by the Reviewer, one set of such plans shall be returned marked "Disapproved" and shall be accompanied by a reasonable statement of the reasons for disapproval. Should an Owner decide to make changes or alterations that will differ from the plans approved, a new set of plans and specifications must again be submitted to the Reviewer for approval. Any alterations or modification outside of what was submitted and approved by the Reviewer or any failure to comply with the conditions set forth by the Reviewer in the approval notice shall constitute a violation for non-compliance and shall carry a fine penalty up to \$1,000.00 and shall require the removal of any unapproved or unauthorized modification at the Owner's sole expense. The Reviewer's approval or disapproval, as required herein, shall be in writing. No verbal approvals shall ever be given and any reliance upon a verbal approval of any plans shall be wholly unjustified, and any modifications performed based on a verbal approval are subject to removal and monetary fine for non-compliance.

Reviewer shall approve or disapprove new construction plans received from a builder within ten (10) business days excluding weekends and holidays. Should Reviewer fail to approve Builder plans within ten (10) business days, the submission shall be deemed to have been approved notwithstanding, the Builder shall be liable for all compliance requirements with the Declaration, Design Guidelines, and all applicable city zoning and planning and development ordinances. Any Builder who is constructing residences on multiple Lots shall have the option of submitting a master set of final plans and specifications for all of the residences it intends to construct within the Property to the Reviewer in accordance with the provisions of this paragraph. Once the master set of plans has been approved, the Builder shall be allowed to construct residences in accordance with such approved plans and no further submittals shall be required unless material deviations have been made to such approved plans. A plot plan providing the lot, block, and physical address will be required.

All other submissions excluding Builders, shall be approved or disapproved within thirty (30) business days excluding weekends and holidays after the date of submission. If Reviewer fails to return a decision on submissions other than Builder submissions, the application shall be deemed to have been denied. The Reviewer may, but is not obligated to, permit or require that plans be submitted or considered in stages, in which case, a final decision shall not be required until after the final, required submission stage. As part of any approval, the Reviewer may require that construction in accordance with approved plans commence within a specified time period. If construction does not commence within the required period, the approval shall expire and the Owner must reapply for approval before commencing any activities. Once commenced, construction must be diligently pursued to completion. All construction work shall be completed within one (1) year of commencement unless otherwise specified in the notice of approval or the Design Guidelines, or unless the Reviewer, in its discretion, grants an extension in writing. If approved work is not completed within the required time, it shall be in violation of this Article and shall be subject to enforcement action.

Also, as a part of the review process, the Reviewer may require that the construction of any improvement be inspected on a periodic basis prior to completion for compliance with the plans, codes adopted by the Declarant and other matters relating to the quality or method of construction. The Association may conduct such inspections or, in the alternative, it may contract with third parties for such purposes. Any work found to be in contradiction to the work or plans approved by the ACC may, upon written request from the ACC, be required to cease immediately until compliance with the originally approved plans is made. The ACC may require the removal or replacement of any non-conforming item or structure at the Owner's sole cost and expense. The Owner on whose Lot the construction is taking place shall be responsible for the payment of costs relating to any such inspection. No permission shall be required and no trespassing shall be assumed when inspections are made.

Section 3.4 Standards.

The Reviewer shall have sole discretion with respect to taste, design and all standards specified herein. One objective of the Reviewer is to prevent unusual, radical, curious, odd, bizarre, peculiar or irregular structures from being built on the Property. The Reviewer shall have the authority to interpret and amend the Design Guidelines, subject to Declarant's approval for so long as Declarant or any Builder owns any portion of the Property and, thereafter, subject to the approval of the Board. The Reviewer may from time to time publish and promulgate bulletins regarding architectural standards, which shall be fair, reasonable and uniformly applied and shall carry forward the spirit and intention of this Declaration.

Section 3.5 Requests for Variance.

Upon submission of a written narrative request for same, the Reviewer may, from time to time, in its sole discretion, permit Owners and Builders to construct, erect or install improvements which are in variance from the requirements of this Declaration or which may be contained in the Design Guidelines. In any case, however, such variances shall be in basic conformity and shall blend effectively with the general architectural style and design of the community. No member of the ACC or the Board, or the Association or Declarant shall be liable to any Owner or other

person claiming by, through, or on behalf of any Owner, for any claims, causes of action, or damages arising out of the granting or denial of, or other action or failure to act upon, any variance request by any Owner or any person acting for or on behalf of any Owner. Each request for a variance submitted hereunder shall be reviewed separately and apart from other such requests and the grant of a variance to any Owner shall not constitute a waiver of the Reviewer's right to strictly enforce the Declaration, the Design Guidelines or the against any other Owner. Each such written request must identify and set forth in narrative detail the specific restriction or standard from which a variance is sought and describe in complete detail the exact nature of the variance sought. Any grant of a variance by the Reviewer must be in writing and must identify in narrative detail both the standard from which a variance is being sought and the specific variance being granted.

Section 3.6 Liability of Reviewer.

Neither Declarant, the Board of Directors, the Architectural Control Committee, nor any of their respective members, officers, employees, designees, contractors, administrators, inspectors and agents, shall have any liability whatsoever for decisions made in accordance with this Article so long as such decisions are made in good faith and are not arbitrary or capricious. The plans or the site plan submitted to the Reviewer shall be the responsibility of the Owner of the Lot to which the improvements relate, and the Reviewer shall have no obligation to check for errors in or omissions from any such plans, or to check for such plans' compliance with the general provisions of this Declaration, or any codes, ordinances, regulations or other laws, whether statutory or not, and whether the same relate to Lot lines, building lines, easements or any other issue. Review and approval of any plans pursuant to this Article may be based on purely aesthetic considerations.

The Reviewer is not responsible for the structural integrity or soundness of approved construction or modifications, for compliance with building codes and other governmental requirements, or for ensuring that every dwelling is of comparable quality, value, or size, of similar design, or aesthetically pleasing or otherwise acceptable to other Owners. THE ASSOCIATION HEREBY UNCONDITIONALLY AND PERPETUALLY INDEMNIFIES AND HOLDS DECLARANT, THE BOARD, THE ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL COMMITTEE, AND THEIR RESPECTIVE MEMBERS, EMPLOYEES, DESIGNEES, ADMINISTRATORS, INSPECTORS, CONTRACTORS, AND AGENTS HARMLESS FROM AND AGAINST ANY CLAIMS, LIABILITIES, LOSS, DAMAGE, COSTS AND EXPENSES, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ATTORNEYS' FEES, IN CONNECTION WITH OR ARISING OUT OF ANY ACTIONS OR INACTIONS TAKEN HEREUNDER BY THE REVIEWER, IRRESPECTIVE OF WHETHER OR NOT THE REVIEWER, ITS EMPLOYEES, CONTRACTORS, AGENTS AND OTHER INDIVIDUALS OR ENTITIES TO OR EMPLOYED BY THE REVIEWER ACTED NEGLIGENTLY OR WITH WILLFUL MISCONDUCT.

Section 3.7 Special Rights of Declarant.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, any Lot owned by Declarant or its successor or assign, shall not be subject to the provisions of this Article III and Declarant shall not be required to submit plans and specifications, etc. to the Architectural Control Committee nor obtain the consent, permission or approval of the Architectural Control Committee for the matters otherwise required pursuant to this Article III, and the consent, permission or approval of the

Architectural Control Committee shall be deemed given for plans and specifications, plot plans and the like to be used by Declarant, or Declarant's assigns, in the construction of any residence on any Lot owned or sold to a Builder by Declarant. DECLARANT ALSO RETAINS SPECIAL AND UNIQUE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES IN ARTICLE XII AND EXHIBIT B ATTACHED HERETO THAT TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER ALL OTHER ARTICLES OR SECTIONS IN THIS DECLARATION.

ARTICLE IV SPECIAL FENCING AND LANDSCAPING

Section 4.1 Fences, Walls and Screening Landscaping.

Declarant and/or the Association shall have the right, but not the obligation, to erect, install, maintain, repair and/or replace fences, walls and/or screening landscaping within that portion of any Lot situated along the perimeter of the Property or on Lots adjacent to Common Properties, as shown on a Final Plat. Any such fence, wall or sprinkler system shall be the property of the Owner of the Lot on which such fence, wall or sprinkler system is erected or installed, subject to the easements and rights of Declarant and the Association set forth below. With respect to any fencing installed within a Lot that is adjacent to a thoroughfare, the Association shall be responsible for the periodic staining of fences on the exterior portion facing said thoroughfare only and periodic washing of masonry walls, if applicable, and any applicable landscape, landscape edges, and irrigation systems. The Association shall have the exclusive right, without notice or consent of the Owner, to stain the exterior of such fencing facing the thoroughfare whenever, in the Board's sole and absolute discretion, it deems necessary. Maintenance to the exterior portion of a fence other than periodic staining the Association is required to make that is related to an Owner's failure to adequately maintain their fencing in good repair may be billed back to the Owner as a Special Individual Assessment for reimbursement to the Association. The Design Guidelines shall contain all construction and materials requirements for the walls adjacent to the Common Properties and any thoroughfare notwithstanding, if such construction and material requirements are missing, the minimum standards shall be those set forth in the City of Frisco Zoning and Planning and Development Ordinances specific to the subdivision Lots zoned for SF-7 and Patio Homes.

The City of Frisco shall have no obligation to maintain or reconstruct the screening walls and fences, landscaping, landscape edges, and landscape irrigation systems in the event of damage to such improvements. The City of Frisco may, but is not obligated to, inspect screening walls and fences, landscaping, landscape edges, and landscape irrigation systems and the City may require maintenance and repairs necessary to ensure that such improvements are maintained to City standards.

Section 4.2 Landscaping.

Declarant and/or the Association shall have the right to grade, plant and/or landscape and maintain, repair, replace and/or change such grading, planting and landscaping on any portion of the Property not comprising any portion of a Lot and, without limitation whatsoever, to do all things necessary within the Property to obtain full compliance with applicable City ordinances.

Section 4.3 Easement.

Declarant and the Association shall have, and hereby reserve, the right and easement to enter upon the Common Properties and those Lots which are situated along the perimeter of the Property and/or the Common Properties, as shown on a Final Plat, or the Lots adjacent to a thoroughfare, for the purpose of exercising the discretionary rights set forth in this Article IV.

Section 4.4 Declarant and the Association's Discretion.

Notwithstanding any provisions herein to the contrary, neither Declarant nor the Association shall ever be obligated to erect, install, maintain, repair or replace any fences, walls, sprinkler systems, grading, planting or landscaping on the Property.

Section 4.5 Fifteen (15) Year Limitation.

The provisions of this Article IV regarding Declarant's rights shall terminate and be of no further force and effect from and after that date which is fifteen (15) years after the recording of this Declaration. The rights of the Association shall continue throughout the term hereof.

ARTICLE V LOT MAINTENANCE BY OWNERS

Section 5.1 Lot Maintenance.

After the installation of the landscaping on a Lot by a builder, the Owner of the Lot shall thereafter maintain the yard in a sanitary and attractive manner, including adequate watering and immediate replacement of dead vegetation and trees, and shall edge the street curbs that run along the Lot boundary lines. Yards must be kept mowed and trimmed at regular intervals so as to maintain the Lot in a neat and attractive manner. No vegetables shall be grown in any portion of a Lot yard that faces a street or is not screened by fencing built in accordance with the terms hereof. Grass shall not be permitted to grow to a height of greater than four to six inches, depending upon the type of grass or sod installed. Lawns are to be kept treated for weeds and artificial plants and turf are not allowed.

Section 5.2 Maintenance of Improvements.

Each Owner shall maintain the exterior of all buildings, garage door, fences, walls and other improvements on his Lot in good condition and repair, and shall replace worn and rotten parts, and shall regularly repaint all painted surfaces and shall not permit the roofs, rain gutters, down spouts, exterior walls, windows, doors, walks, driveways, parking areas or other exterior portions of the improvements to deteriorate in an unattractive manner. All fences shall be kept neat, clean and in good repair. Any fence which is damaged, broken, leaning, or otherwise not in good repair shall be immediately repaired.

ARTICLE VI ENFORCEMENT

Section 6.1 Special Enforcement Rights of the Board of the Association.

In the event an Owner fails to comply with any provision of this Declaration, the Design Guidelines, including but not limited to any requirement contained in Article V, then, prior to the Board or the Association enforcing the compliance of such failure or seeking against such Owner remedies in accordance with this Declaration (or such other remedies as may be available to the Board and/or the Association at law or in equity), the Board shall first be obligated to give such Owner a minimum of one (1) notice of such failure and a reasonable time of not less than five (5) days to abate the violation, excluding violations that may be deemed an emergency, safety hazard, or danger to the Owner or other Residents, after the date of such notice in which to cure such violation or failure. If the Owner shall not have corrected such failure within the time allotted, the Board of Directors shall have the right but, not the obligation, to assess monetary fines which may be levied in one lump sum or the fine may be divided into a series of fines until the violation is abated. Fines for uncurable or non-curable violations shall require no more than a 24 to 48-hour notice to the Owner. Each day a violation exists shall constitute a separate violation.

If an uncurable violation creates an emergency where life, health, or safety of the Owner, Residents, Neighbors, Neighborhood, or Community are at risk the actions taken, including self-help or fines, may be immediate when at the sole discretion of the Board, such actions are necessary and appropriate. The Board of Directors shall have the right to exercise Self Help action and enter upon the Lot and to bring the Lot, and any improvements thereon, into full compliance with this Declaration, the Design Guidelines, or Rules and Regulations of the Association. Entry upon an Owner's lot to abate a violation considered to be an emergency or essential to the safety, health, and welfare of the Owner, Residents, Neighbors, Neighborhood, or Community shall not be construed as trespassing against the Association, the Board, any service provider or Agent performing self-help actions. All costs and expenses incurred by the Association in connection with correcting any such failure shall be borne by the Owner. If any Owner does not promptly reimburse the Association for all such costs, expenses and violation fines assessed after receipt of written request for same, the Board shall have the right to assess the Owner for same plus interest, such assessment, interest and fines being a special individual assessment under the provisions of Section 10.6 below.

Section 6.2 Enforcement.

In addition to but not in lieu of the enforcement rights set forth in Section 6.1, the Board of Directors may impose sanctions for violation of this Declaration (including any rules, guidelines or standards adopted pursuant to the Declaration) in accordance with the applicable procedures set forth in any policy or procedure adopted by the Board. Such sanctions may include all remedies available at law and/or in equity and all remedies herein, including, without limitation, the following:

- (a) <u>Fines</u>. The Board of Directors may impose reasonable monetary fines on a per violation occurrence which shall constitute a lien upon the Owner of the Lot related to or connected with the alleged violation. A fine schedule or a table of "suggested fine amounts" may be set forth in a Notice and Fining Policy of the Association. The Owner shall be liable for the actions of any occupant, guest, or invitee of the Owner of such Lot. Fines may be levied in lump sums, increments, or both depending upon the severity or reoccurrence of the violation or at the sole discretion of the Board.
- (b) <u>Suspension of Rights to Use the Common Properties</u>. The Board of Directors may suspend any person's or entity's right to use any recreational facilities within the Common Properties; provided, however, nothing herein shall authorize the Board of Directors to limit ingress or egress to or from a Lot.
- (c) Right to Require Removal. The Board of Directors may require an Owner, at the Owner's expense, to remove any dead tree or landscaping from an Owner's Lot and to restore or install the necessary trees or landscaping as required by the applicable City ordinances or Association Rules, upon failure of the Owner to do so, the Board of Directors or its designee shall have the right to enter the Lot, remove and cure the violation without such action being deemed a trespass and charge the costs thereof to the Owner's account as a special individual assessment in accordance with Section 10.6 below.
- (f) <u>Levy Special Individual Assessment</u>. The Board of Directors may levy a special individual assessment in accordance with Section 10.6 as a violation fine and/or to cover costs incurred by the Association in bringing a Lot into compliance with this Declaration or the Design Guidelines.
- (g) <u>Lawsuit; Injunction or Damages</u>. The Board of Directors may bring a suit at law or in equity to enjoin any violation or to recover monetary damages, or both.

Failure by Declarant or the Board of Directors, to enforce any covenant, condition, agreement or restriction herein contained shall in no event be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter. In addition to the Association's enforcement rights, this Declaration may be enforced by any aggrieved Owner.

The decision to pursue enforcement action in any particular case shall be left to the Board's discretion, except that the Board shall not be arbitrary or capricious in taking enforcement action. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing sentence, the Board may determine that, under the circumstances of a particular case: (i) the Association's position is not strong enough to justify taking any or further action; (ii) the covenant, restriction, or rule being enforced is, or is likely to be construed as, inconsistent with applicable law; (iii) although a technical violation may exist or may have occurred, it is not of such a material nature as to be objectionable to a reasonable person or to justify expending the Association's resources; or (iv) that it is not in the Association's best interests, based upon hardship, expense, or other reasonable criteria, to pursue enforcement action.

ARTICLE VII AMENDMENT AND TERMINATION

Section 7.1 Amendment.

This Declaration and subsequently the Bylaws of the Association may be amended by Declarant at any time and from time to time within seven (7) years from the date this Declaration is filed of record with the office of the County Clerk or so long as Declarant owns at least one (1) Lot. Within such period, Declarant may amend the Declaration or the Bylaws for any reason without the consent or joinder of any party or without the need to call a meeting of the Association.

In addition to the foregoing, the Declaration may be amended by an instrument containing such amendment(s) and recorded in the Official Public Records of the County, provided, that (i) during the period Declarant owns at least one Lot, no such amendment shall be valid or effective without the joinder and consent of Declarant and (ii) such amendment shall first be approved by the affirmative vote or written consent of the Association's Members representing at least fifty-one percent (51%) of the votes in the Association voting, in person or by proxy, at a duly convened meeting of the Association. Furthermore, Declarant or the Board may, at its sole discretion and without a vote or the consent of any other party, modify, amend, or repeal this Declaration: (i) as necessary to bring any provision into compliance with any applicable statute, governmental rule, regulation, or judicial determination; (ii) as necessary to comply with the requirements of VA, or HUD (Federal Housing Administration), FHLMC or FNMA or any other applicable governmental agency or secondary mortgage market entity; or (iii) as necessary for clarification or to correct technical, typographical or scrivener's errors; provided, however, any amendment pursuant to clause (ii) and/or (iii) immediately above must not have a material adverse effect upon any right of any Owner. Any amendment to this Declaration must be recorded in the Real Property Records of the County.

No amendment may remove, revoke, or modify any right or privilege of Declarant or the Class B Member without the written consent of Declarant or the Class B Member, respectively (or the assignee of such right or privilege). If an Owner consents to any amendment to this Declaration or the Bylaws, it will be conclusively presumed that the Owner has the authority to consent, and no contrary provision in any mortgage or contract between the Owner and a third party will affect the validity of such amendment.

Section 7.2 <u>Termination</u>.

At any time, the Owners may terminate and extinguish this Declaration in its entirety by executing an instrument terminating this Declaration and recording same in the Official Public Records of the County, provided, however, that (i) for the period in which Declarant owns at least one Lot, no such termination shall be valid or effective without the joinder and consent of Declarant and (ii) such termination and extinguishment shall first be approved by the affirmative vote or written consent of the Association's Members representing at least 75% of the votes in the Association.

ARTICLE VIII MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING RIGHTS IN THE ASSOCIATION

Section 8.1 Membership.

Every Owner of a Lot shall automatically be a Member of the Association. Membership shall be appurtenant to each Lot and may not be separated from ownership of any Lot which is subject to assessment hereunder.

Section 8.2 Classes of Membership.

The Association shall have two (2) classes of voting membership:

<u>CLASS A.</u> Class A Members shall all be Members with the exception of the Class B Member. Class A Members shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each Lot in which they hold the interest required for membership; provided, however, that in the event that more than one (1) person holds such interest or interests in any Lot, even though all such persons shall be Members, there shall be only one (1) vote for such Lot, which shall be exercised as they, among themselves, determine (but in no event shall more than one (1) vote be cast with respect to any such Lot).

CLASS B. The Class B Member(s) shall be Declarant. Until such time as 99% of the maximum number of Lots planned or approved for the Property has been conveyed to Class A Members other than Declarant or Builders who purchase Lots for development and sale, the Class B Member shall have the sole right to appoint the Board of Directors of the Association as set forth in this Declaration or the Bylaws of the Association. Control of the Association shall be fully vested in the Class A Members only after title to 99% of the maximum number of Lots planned or approved for the Property has been transferred to Class A Members other than Declarant or Builders who purchase Lots for development and sale. The Class B Member shall have twenty (20) votes for each Lot it owns until such time as control of the Association vests in the Class A Members. After such time, the Class B Member shall be a Class A Member entitled to one (1) vote for each Lot it owns.

Section 8.3 Ouorum and Notice Requirements.

- 8.3.1. Except as expressly provided herein to the contrary, any action of the Members shall require the assent of a majority of the votes of those Association Members who are present at a meeting, in person or by proxy, written notice of which shall be given to all Members not less than ten (10) days nor more than sixty (60) days in advance of such meeting.
- 8.3.2. A quorum is required for any action referred to in Section 8.3.1 and, unless otherwise provided, for any action for which a percentage vote at a meeting is required. A quorum shall be determined as set forth in this Section 8.3.2. The first time a meeting is called, whether regular or special, the presence at the meeting of Members, or of proxies, entitled to cast at least ten (10%) of all of the votes of the Association's Members, without regard to class, shall constitute a quorum. If the required quorum is not present at the

initial meeting, additional meetings may be called, subject to the notice requirement hereinabove set forth, and the required quorum at such subsequent meeting(s) shall be one-half (1/2) of the quorum requirement for such prior meeting. The Association may call as many subsequent meetings as may be required to achieve a quorum (although the quorum requirement shall not be reduced for each such meeting to no less than one-tenth (1/10) of the votes of the Association). At such adjourned or subsequent meeting at which a quorum shall be present or represented, any business may be transacted which may have been transacted at the meeting as originally notified.

8.3.3. Except as specifically set forth in this Declaration, notice, voting and quorum requirements of any action to be taken by the Association shall be set forth in its Bylaws, as same may be amended from time to time.

Section 8.4 Right of Inspection.

Each Owner shall have the right to inspect the financial records and books of the Association, during normal business hours and at the place where such books are kept, upon reasonable prior written notice to the Association stating a proper purpose in accordance with Section 209.005 of the Texas Property Code, as amended, and pursuant to the Open Records Policy established by the Association.

ARTICLE IX THE COMMON PROPERTIES

Section 9.1 Initial Common Properties.

The Common Properties may include but are not limited to, and by way of illustration only. all aspects of the entry features, entry monuments and walls, landscaping, irrigation for same and the land on which such entry features are situated, retention ponds, screening walls, parks or pocket parks, a clubhouse and associated recreational amenity, gates, fences, fountains and other structures, whether or not shown on a Final Plat, or as deemed necessary by Declarant, each as may be leased, maintained or owned by the Association. The foregoing list is intended to illustrate examples of Common Properties and under no circumstance shall such list impose any obligation on the Declarant or the Association to purchase, install or construct any such features or amenities. Assessments as set forth in the Declaration are not contingent upon the existence, construction or development of Common Properties or Amenities. The Common Properties may hereafter include any neighborhood parks or other improvements or land conveyed to or leased by the Association for the use and benefit of the Owners. After the initial construction or completion of Common Properties the Association shall be one-hundred percent (100%) responsible for all maintenance, upkeep and repairs whether or not the Common Properties have been deeded to the Association. For the purpose of setting forth a record of maintenance and/or ownership rights of certain property to the Association it is heretofore noted that with or without a warranty deed, certain maintenance and ownership rights may be set forth on the final plat or plats of the Association and the plat(s) may, and probably will, set forth certain Common Properties, Common Areas, Open Spaces, and/or certain other Property or Properties that are intended for maintenance and the eventual transfer and sole ownership by the Association.

Section 9.2 Additional Common Properties.

Additional property may be added to the Common Properties hereunder upon the sole discretion of Declarant during such time as Declarant owns at least one (1) Lot. Thereafter, additional property may be added to the Common Properties hereunder upon the affirmative vote of fifty one percent (51%) of the votes of those Association Members who are voting, in person or by proxy, at a meeting duly called for such purpose.

Section 9.3 Acceptance and Control of Common Properties.

Declarant, or any third-party at the request of Declarant, may transfer to the Association, and the Association shall accept as Common Properties, personal property and/or fee title or other property interests in any improved or unimproved real property included within the property described in **Exhibit A** or any other real property made subject to this Declaration in the future. Upon Declarant's written request, the Association shall transfer back to Declarant any unimproved real property originally conveyed to the Association for no payment, to the extent conveyed by Declarant in error or needed by Declarant to make minor adjustments in property lines.

Section 9.4 Extent of Members' Easement in the Common Properties.

Each Member shall have a right and easement of access, use and enjoyment in and to the Common Properties which is subject to the following:

- 9.4.1 The right of the Association to prescribe regulations governing the use, operation and maintenance of the Common Properties;
- 9.4.2 The right of the Association to take such steps as is reasonably necessary to protect the Common Properties against foreclosure;
- 9.4.3 The right of the Association to suspend the right of any individual to use any of the Common Properties and/or common facilities for any period during which any assessment against a Lot resided upon or owned by such individual remains unpaid, and for any period not to exceed sixty (60) days for an infraction of the rules and regulations of the Association, the Declaration, or the Design Guidelines; and
- 9.4.4 The right of the Association to charge reasonable admission and other fees for the use of recreational facilities on the Common Properties, if any such recreational facilities are ever constructed.

Section 9.5 Dedication of the Common Properties.

The Board of Directors shall have the right at any time to dedicate or transfer all or any part of the Common Properties to any public agency, authority or utility for such purposes and upon such conditions as the Board of Directors may determine.

ARTICLE X COVENANT FOR ASSESSMENTS

Section 10.1 Creation of the Lien and Personal Obligation of Assessments.

Each Owner hereby covenants and agrees, and each purchaser of any Lot by acceptance of a deed therefore, whether or not it shall be so expressed in any such deed or other conveyance, shall be deemed to covenant and agree to pay to the Association (or to a mortgage company or other collection agency designated by the Association) the following: (a) annual assessments or charges; (b) acquisition assessments; (c) insurance assessments; (d) special assessments for capital improvements or as the Declarant or Board may deem necessary and appropriate; (e) individual special assessments (including, without limitation interest and fines) levied against individual Owners for violations of the Declaration, Design Guidelines, any Rule and Regulations, or the Community-Wide Standard or to reimburse the Association for extra costs for maintenance and repairs caused by the willful or negligent acts of the individual Owner, his tenant(s) occupying his Lot, if applicable, and their respective family, agents, guests and invitees, or for costs incurred by the Association resulting from any Owner failing to comply with the terms and provisions hereof. Assessments and the payment of same are not contingent upon the construction of, placement of, or existence of any common area or amenity. All such assessments shall be fixed, established and collected as hereinafter provided.

The annual, acquisition, benefitted, insurance, special and individual special assessments, together with such interest thereon and costs of collection thereof as hereinafter provided, shall be a charge on the land and shall be a continuing lien upon each Lot against which each such assessment is made. Each such assessment, together with late charges, collection costs, such interest thereon and cost of collection thereof, including attorneys' fees, as hereinafter provided, shall also be the continuing personal obligation of the person who was the Owner of such property at the time when the assessment fell due.

Fines, except in extraordinary circumstances, shall not exceed on average \$1,000.00 per violation occurrence, and shall be assessed upon the expiration of a reasonable time after the date notice of such violation was sent to the violating Owner. In all instances of violations, the Owner shall be responsible for correcting such violation within a reasonable time after the date of such notice, regardless as to whether the residence is occupied by the Owner or a tenant. The lien provided for herein shall secure payment of fines not timely paid and the Owner shall also have personal liability for the payment of same.

Section 10.2 Purpose of Assessments.

The assessments levied by the Association shall be used as follows: (a) for the purpose of promoting the interests of the Association and the recreation, health and welfare of the residents of the Property, and in particular for the improvement and maintenance of the entry ways or any other properties under the maintenance care or ownership of the Association, services and facilities devoted to this purpose and comprising or directly relating to the use and enjoyment of the Common Properties, including, but not limited, to the payment of taxes on and insurance in connection with the Common Properties, and the repair, replacement and additions thereto; (b) for paying the cost of labor, equipment (including the expense of leasing any equipment) and materials required for, and management (including onsite management) and supervision of, the Common Properties; (c) for carrying out the duties of the Board of Directors of the Association as set forth in Article XI hereafter including, but not limited to, the payment by the Association of all assessments and charges payable in connection with sewer, water and garbage pickup services and the installation and maintenance of lighting (if any) of the Common Properties; (d) for paying the cost of maintenance of the monument sign for the Property, if any, in the event the appropriate governmental authority refuses to maintain the same; or (e) for carrying out the purposes of the Association as stated in its Articles of Incorporation.

Section 10.3 Basis and Amount of Annual Assessments.

10.3.1 The Board of Directors may fix the annual assessment at any amount equal to or less than the maximum annual assessment for that year, as herein below provided. The maximum annual assessment for each Lot for the year 2020 shall be Nine Hundred and No/100 Dollars (\$900.00). Commencing with the year 2021 and each year thereafter, the Board of Directors may set the amount of the maximum annual assessment for that year (and for following years) for each Lot based on Budget and said Budget shall include sufficient funds for Reserves and Contingency and provided that the maximum annual assessment may not be increased more than fifty percent (50%) above the maximum annual assessment for the previous year without a majority vote of the membership, in person or by proxy, taken at a meeting duly called for such purpose.

Section 10.4 Acquisition Assessments.

At any time, record title is transferred to any Owner an acquisition assessment shall be paid to the Association by such Owner at closing in the amount of Four Hundred and No/100 Dollars (\$400.00) for each Lot acquired. Notwithstanding, Declarant shall at all times be excluded and Builders, upon initial purchase of a Lot from the Declarant, shall be excluded. No other exclusions without the written approval of the Declarant shall apply. Acquisition assessments shall be in addition to, not in lieu of, any other assessment provided for herein. Acquisition assessments are not refundable and shall be available for all necessary expenditures of the Association as determined by the Board. In addition to the foregoing but still considered an assessment hereunder, the Association or its Managing Agent may, and probably will, charge a reasonable transfer fee and a fee for producing a Resale Certificate and documents of the Association as required under the Texas Property Code, such fees to be paid no later than closing of the sale of any Lot to any Owner notwithstanding, the maximum amount of transfer and other

reasonable fees that may be charged for each resale shall be Five Hundred and NO/100 Dollars (\$500.00).

Section 10.5 Special Assessments.

The Association may also levy in any assessment year a special assessment, applicable to that year only, for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the costs of any Association expenses, construction or reconstruction, maintenance, unexpected repair or replacement of a described improvement or capital improvement upon the Common Properties, including the necessary fixtures and personal property related thereto, or unbudgeted or unexpected extraordinary expenses of the Association; provided that any such assessment in excess of Five Hundred and No/100 Dollars (\$500.00) shall be approved by the affirmative vote of fifty-one percent (51%) of the votes of those Association Members who are voting, in person or by proxy, at a meeting duly called for such purpose.

Section 10.6 Special Individual Assessments, Interest and Fines.

In the event that any Owner fails to comply with the provisions of this Declaration, the Design Guidelines or the Community-Wide Standard and/or the Association incurs any cost or expense in either enforcing said provisions against any such Owner or in carrying out the obligations of any such Owner, the Association shall have the right to assess against such Owner and the Lot of such Owner a special individual assessment in the amount of all such costs incurred by the Association plus interest and/or in the amount of any violation fine(s) levied by the Board. Special individual assessment, interest and fines to be paid by the applicable Owner upon demand by the Association.

Section 10.7 Uniform Rate of Assessments.

Both annual and special assessments (excepting there from special individual assessments) shall be fixed at a uniform rate for all Lots.

Section 10.8 Date of Commencement and Duc Dates of Assessments.

The obligation to pay assessments commences as to each Lot: (a) upon acquisition of record title to a Lot other than Declarant; or (b) the month in which the Board first determines a budget and levies assessments pursuant to this Article, whichever is later. The initial annual assessment levied on each Lot shall be adjusted according to the number of months remaining in the fiscal year at the time assessments commence on the Lot. Annual assessments shall be payable in advance on the first (1st) business day of each January and shall be considered delinquent if not paid by the 31st day of January of each calendar year; provided, if the Board so elects, annual assessments may be paid in monthly, quarterly, or semi-annual installments and may, at their sole discretion change the delinquency date when a monthly or quarterly assessment payment is set to be due within ten days of the assessment date. The Board may require advance payment of all or any portion of the annual assessment at closing of the transfer of title to a Lot. The due date or dates, if it is to be paid in installments, of any special assessment under Section 10.5 shall be fixed in the respective resolution authorizing such assessment.

Section 10.9 Duties of the Board of Directors with Respect to Assessments.

- 10.9.1 The Board of Directors shall fix the amount of the annual assessment against each Lot at least thirty (30) days in advance of each annual assessment period and shall, at that time, prepare a roster of the Lots and assessments applicable thereto, which shall be kept in the office of the Association and shall be open to inspection by any Owner.
- 10.9.2 Only if such assessment is an amount different from that charged for the previous year, written notice of the assessment shall thereupon be delivered or mailed to every Owner subject thereto (according the Association's then current records) along with a proposed budget.
- 10.9.3 The Board of Directors shall, upon demand, cause to be furnished to any Owner liable for said assessments a certificate in writing signed by an officer or agent of the Association, setting forth whether said assessment has been paid. Such certificate shall be conclusive evidence of payment of any assessment therein stated to have been paid. A reasonable charge may be made by the Board or the Association's managing agent for the issuance of such certificates.

Section 10.10 Assessment Lien to Secure Charges and Assessments.

All assessments, interest, late charges, collection fccs and attorneys' fees, as provided for herein, shall constitute and be secured by a separate and valid and subsisting assessment lien, hereby created and fixed, and which shall exist upon and against each Lot and all improvements and fixtures thereon, for the benefit of the Association. Notwithstanding any other provision hereof, the lien to secure the payment of assessments or any other sums due hereunder and any other lien which the Association may have on any Lot pursuant to this Declaration shall be subordinate to the lien or equivalent security interest of any first lien mortgage or deed of trust on any Lot. Any foreclosure of any such superior lien under the power of sale of any mortgage, deed of trust or other security instrument, or through court proceedings in which the Association has been made a party, shall extinguish the liens securing maintenance charges or assessments or any other sums due hereunder which became due and payable prior to such foreclosure date, but no such foreclosure shall free any Lot from the liens securing assessments thereafter becoming due and payable, nor shall the liability of any Member personally obligated to pay maintenance charges or assessments which become due prior to such foreclosure be extinguished by any foreclosure, nor shall the lien for future assessments or charges be affected in any manner.

Section 10.11 Effect of Nonpayment of Assessment.

If any assessment is not paid within thirty (30) days from the due date thereof, the same shall bear interest at the discretion of the Board at any time, and from time to time, from the due date until paid at the highest non-usurious rate allowed under the laws of the State of Texas, or other applicable law, or if no such limitation imposed then at the rate of fifteen percent (15%) per annum, and if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or if collected through probate or other judicial proceedings, there shall be reimbursed to the Association its reasonable attorneys' fees. Should any assessment provided for herein be payable in installments, the Association may

accelerate the entire assessment and demand immediate payment thereof. In addition, a late charge shall be assessed against the non-paying Owner for each month that any assessment remains unpaid. The late charge shall be in the amount of Twenty-Five and No/100 Dollars (\$25.00) per month and shall serve to reimburse the Association for administrative expenses and time involved in collecting and processing delinquent assessments. The Association's Managing Agent shall be entitled to charge an Owner a monthly collection fee to compensate managing agent for its efforts in collecting delinquent assessments. The Managing Agent may, and probably will, have other fees for the collection and processing of delinquent accounts such as but, not limited to Demand Letter Processing Fee, Certified and/or Certified and Return Receipt Mail Processing, Payment Plan Monitoring which shall be charged to the delinquent Owner's account. The Association, in the Board's discretion, shall have the right to waive any part of or all of such interest and/or fees owed only to the Association. Bank fees charged to the Association for payments returned for non-sufficient funds or for any reason shall be charged back to the Owners account.

Section 10.12 Collection and Enforcement.

The Association shall have a lien on each Lot securing payment of any assessment, together with interest thereon as provided herein, reasonable attorneys' fees, late charges, collection fees and costs incurred in the collection of same and the enforcement of said lien. The Board of Directors shall take such action as it deems necessary to collect assessments which may include at the Declarant's or Board's discretion the use of third-party collection agencies for the purpose of credit reporting associated with the collection of delinquent accounts, and may settle and compromise the same if deemed appropriate in the exercise of the Board's business judgment. Such liens shall be effective as and, in the manner, provided for herein and shall have the priorities established in this Declaration.

The Board of Directors may bring an action at law against any Owner personally obligated to pay an assessment or foreclose the lien against such Owner's Lot, or both, and interest, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees of any such action shall be added to the amount of such assessment. Each Owner, by his acceptance of a deed to a Lot, hereby expressly vests in the Board of Directors of the Association or its agent the right and power to bring all actions against such Owner personally for the collection of such assessments as a debt and to enforce the aforesaid lien by all methods available for the enforcement of such liens, including, but not limited to, nonjudicial foreclosure pursuant to Texas Property Code Section 51.002 in force and effect on the date of this Declaration, or in accordance with the prescribed manner for foreclosure of deed of trust liens provided by any future amendment to such Section 51.002 or any other statute or article enacted in substitution therefore, and such Owner hereby expressly grants to the Board of Directors a private power of sale in connection with said lien. The Board is hereby appointed trustee, unless and until the Board of Directors shall designate a substitute or successor trustee, as hereinafter provided, to post the required notices as provided by law and conduct such foreclosure sale. The lien provided for in this Section shall be in favor of the Association and shall have the same effect as though each Owner had expressly granted to the Association a deed of trust lien as well as a security interest in said Lot to secure the payment of the assessments provided for herein. In addition to such notices as required by the aforesaid statute, the trustee shall mail to the Owner of a Lot for which the assessment has not been paid, a copy of the notice of assessment lien prior to the date any notice of sale is posted, by certified, return receipt requested, at the Lot or such other address as the Board has been advised in writing for receipt of notices under this Declaration. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any mandatory foreclosure requirements of Section 209 of the Texas Property Code shall be adhered to by the foreclosing entity.

At any foreclosure, judicial or nonjudicial, the Association shall be entitled to bid up to the amount of its lien, together with costs and attorneys' fees, and to apply as cash credit against its bid all sums due the Association covered by the lien foreclosed. All foreclosure sales provided for herein shall be subject to any then existing statutory right of redemption in favor of the former Owner. From and after any such foreclosure, the former Owner or Owners, their heirs and assigns, shall forthwith upon the making of such sale surrender and deliver possession of the property so sold to the purchaser at such sale, and in the event of their failure to surrender possession of said property upon demand, the purchaser, or his heirs or assigns, shall be entitled to institute and maintain an action for forcible detainer of said property in the Justice of the Peace Court in the Justice Precinct in which such Lot, or any part thereof, is situated. The Board of Directors in any event is hereby authorized to appoint a substitute trustee, or a successor trustee, to act in the place of the trustee without any formality other than the designation in writing of a substitute or successor trustee; and the authority hereby conferred by the Board of Directors shall extend to the appointment of other successor and substitute trustees successively until the delinquent assessment or assessments have been paid in full, or until said property is sold, and each substitute and successor trustee shall succeed to all the rights and powers of the original trustee appointed by the Board of Directors or its agents.

Section 10.13 Homestead.

By acceptance of a deed thereto, the Owner and spouse thereof, if married at the time of the conveyance or subsequently married, of a Lot shall be deemed to have waived any exemption from liens created by this Declaration or the enforcement thereof by foreclosure or otherwise, which may other be available by reason of the homestead exemption provisions of Texas law, if for any reason such are applicable. This Section is not intended to limit or restrict in any way the lien or rights granted to the Association by this Declaration, but construed in its favor.

Section 10.14 Omission of Assessments.

The omission of the Board of Directors, before the expiration of any assessment period, to fix the assessments hereunder for that or the next assessment period, shall not be deemed a waiver or modification in any respect of the provisions of this Declaration, or a release of any Owner from the obligation to pay the assessments, or any installment thereof for that or any subsequent assessment period, but the assessment fixed for the preceding assessment period shall continue until a new assessment is fixed or levied by the Board.

Section 10.15 Maintenance Fund; Reserve Fund.

10.15.1 The Association may, but is not obligated to, establish and maintain a Maintenance or Reserve Fund for the periodic maintenance of the Common Properties. Subject to the provisions of Section 10.3 above, the Board may at any time ratably increase or decrease the amounts of regular annual assessments in accordance with this Declaration

to such level as shall be reasonably necessary in the judgment of the Board to cover obligations of the Association under this Declaration, including provisions for reasonable reserves. So long as the Board exercises business judgment in determining the amount or necessity of the reserve fund, the amount held in reserves shall be considered adequate. The Board shall have the right and duty to allocate funds from the Maintenance or Reserve Fund for maintenance, improvements, and other needs of the Association wherein it is determined the Association's operating funds shall not be sufficient or should not be used to cover the costs thereof. During the Declarant Control Period any Maintenance or Reserve Fund established must be a general fund. Declarant is under no obligation to establish or otherwise fund a Maintenance or Reserve Fund at any time.

Section 10.16 Exempt Property.

The following property subject to this Declaration shall be exempted from the assessments, charges and liens created herein:

10.16.1 All properties dedicated and accepted by the local public authority and devoted to public use; and

10.16.2 All Common Properties.

Section 10.17 Declarant Subsidy.

Declarant may, but shall not be obligated to, pay a subsidy to the Association in order to reduce the total annual assessment which would otherwise be necessary to be levied against all Lots to cover the estimated expenses of the Association (excluding reserve contributions, if any). Any such subsidy shall be disclosed as a line item in the income portion of the budget. The subsidy may be treated by the Declarant, in its sole discretion, as a loan from the Declarant to the Association or as an advance against future assessments due or as a contribution. During the period of Declarant control, Declarant may, at its sole discretion, require the Association to utilize Maintenance or Reserve Funds to offset any deficit in the operating budget prior to seeking any subsidy from the Declarant. Any deficit caused by delinquencies shall be promptly and diligently pursued through proper collection efforts. Although any request for repayment of Declarant subsidy is performed at the end or just prior to end of Declarant Control, Declarant may, at any time, request repayment of all or any portion of subsidy provided by Declarant.

Section 10.18 Declarant's Assessment.

Notwithstanding any provision of this Declaration or the Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws to the contrary, so long as there is Class B membership in the Association, the Declarant shall not be liable for the payment of Assessments on any Lot it owns. The Declarant shall however, (a) fund any deficit of the Association during the Declarant Control Period providing all available funds (including the application of all income received by the Association from Assessments and other sources); and (b) the sum of the revenues of the Association from all sources has been taken into account up to the amount of any deficit or shortfall in the income to

debt ratio of the Association. If any provision of this Section 10.18 conflicts with the Declarant's Reservations and Representations as set forth in Exhibit B then Exhibit B shall prevail. "All sources" includes, but is not limited to, revenues from the operation of Common Properties, capital contributions, accounting service fees, property management fees, guest fees, user fees, and the assessments levied against the owners of Lots, other than the Declarant. Such difference, herein called the "deficiency", shall not include any maintenance or Reserve Fund and/or replacements, operating reserves, depreciation reserves, capital expenditures or special assessments, and Declarant shall not be responsible, in any event, for any reserve for replacements, operating reserves, depreciation reserves, capital expenditures or special assessments. Any sums paid by the Declarant to the Association to fund the "deficiency" in excess of the annual assessment that would otherwise be due on a Lot may be considered a loan the same as the payment of a subsidy to the Association pursuant to Section 10.17 above. Declarant's obligations hereunder may be satisfied in the form of cash or by "in kind" consideration of services or materials, or by any combination thereof. After termination of the Class B membership, Declarant shall pay assessments on its unsold Lots in the same manner as any other Owner.

ARTICLE XI GENERAL POWERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ASSOCIATION

Section 11.1 Power and Duties.

Except as provided in Article XII below, the Board, for the benefit of the Association, the Property and the Owners shall have the right to do all things which are necessary or advisable in connection with enforcing the provisions of this Declaration. Such powers shall include, but shall not be limited to, the following:

- 11.1.1 Paying assessments and charges for sewer, water and garbage pickup services for the Properties, if any, the installation and maintenance charges for street lighting for the Property, if any, and taxes, assessments and other charges which shall properly be assessed or charged against the Common Properties.
- 11.1.2 Performing maintenance on the Common Properties which may include, without limitation, the following: (a) maintenance of any driveways, private roadways, jogging paths, walkways and sidewalks; (b) maintenance of grounds, including care of trees, shrubs and grass, lighting systems, sprinkler systems (if installed) and similar facilities on the Common Properties; and (c) maintenance of the entry monument(s) and any screening walls or fences constructed around the perimeter of the Property; provided, further, that in the event that the need for maintenance or repair is caused through the willful or negligent act of any Owner, his family, his guests or invitees, the cost of such maintenance or repairs shall be added to and become a part of the assessment to which such Lot is subject.
- 11.1.3 Managing and maintaining the Common Properties and full maintenance of a utility service for the Common Properties; the furnishing and upkeep of any desired personal property for use in the Common Properties.

- 11.1.4 Purchasing a policy or policies of insurance insuring the Association against any liability to the public or to the Owners (and/or invitees or tenants) incident to the operation of the Association, in an amount not less than \$250,000.00 to indemnify against the claim of one person, \$500,000.00 against the claims of two or more persons in any one occurrence, and property damage insurance in an amount not less than \$50,000.00 per occurrence; which policy or policies shall contain an endorsement providing that the rights of the named insured shall not be prejudiced with respect to actions against other named insured's; provided, that under no circumstances shall the Board be authorized to provide or pay for fire, casualty, or other insurance insuring the interest of any Owner in his Lot.
- 11.1.5 Executing all replats of the Property and all declarations of ownership for tax assessment purposes with regard to the Common Properties on behalf of all Owners.
- 11.1.6 Borrowing funds to pay costs of operation, secured by assignment or pledge of rights against delinquent Owners, if the Board sees fit.
- 11.1.7 Entering into contracts, maintaining one or more bank accounts, and generally exercising all the powers necessary or incidental to the operation and management of the Association, expressly including the power to enter into management and maintenance contracts. Some contracts entered into by the Declarant during the Declarant Control Period may have extended terms which may not be terminated or renegotiated by the Board during the term of the contract without the express written consent of the Declarant.
- 11.1.8 Protecting or defending the Common Properties from loss or damage by suit or otherwise, and to provide adequate reserves for replacements.
- 11.1.9 Making reasonable rules and regulations for the operation of the Common Properties and amend them from time to time, provided that any rule or regulation may be amended or repealed by the vote of at least sixty-seven percent (67%) of those Members present, in person or by proxy, at a meeting called for such purpose (without limiting the generality of the foregoing language, the rules and regulations may provide for limitations on use of the Common Properties during certain periods by youthful persons, visitors or otherwise).
- 11.1.10 Adjusting the amount, collecting and using any insurance proceeds to repair damage or replace lost property, and if proceeds are insufficient to repair damage or replace lost property, assessing the Members in proportionate amounts to cover the deficiency.
- 11.1.11 Enforcing the provisions of this Declaration, the Design Guidelines, any Community-Wide Standard, and any rules made hereunder, and to enjoining and seeking damages from any Owner for violation of such provisions or rules.

- 11.1.12 Exercising the rights granted to the Association in this Declaration, including, without limitation, all rights of the Board, the Association, and the ACC relating to architecture, design, and construction review and inspections under Article III.
- 11.1.13 Establish, suspend, and dissolve committees at the Board's sole discretion. All Committees shall be governed by the Board and serve at the sole discretion of the Board. The Board shall establish a charter, Mission Statement, or Guidelines by which the Committees and its Members shall conduct themselves. The Board shall have the sole right to appoint and remove any Committee Member with or without cause. The establishment, suspension, or dissolving of a Committee shall be done by Resolution of the Board.

The Association may exercise any right or privilege given to it expressly or by reasonable implication by this Declaration, the Bylaws, or the Articles of Incorporation, and may take action reasonably necessary to effectuate any such right or privilege. Except as otherwise specifically provided in such documents or by law, all of the Association's rights and powers may be exercised by the Board without a vote of the membership.

The Board may institute, defend, settle, or intervene on the Association's behalf in mediation, binding or non-binding arbitration, litigation, or administrative proceedings in matters pertaining to the Common Properties, enforcement of this Declaration, or any other civil claim or action. However, the Board shall exercise business judgment in determining whether to take any such action under particular circumstance and shall have no legal duty to institute litigation under any circumstances on behalf of or in the name of the Association or the Members.

Section 11.2 Board Power, Exclusive.

The Board shall have the exclusive right to contract for all goods, services and insurance, payment for which is to be made from the maintenance fund, and the exclusive right and obligation to perform the functions of the Board, except as otherwise provided herein. During the Declarant Control Period, the Declarant may exercise any review or veto rights over the vendor selected.

Section 11.3 Owner's Obligations to Repair.

Except for those portions of each Lot constituting the Common Properties, each Owner shall at his sole cost and expense, shall maintain and repair his Lot and the improvements situated thereon, keeping the same in good condition and repair at all times. In the event that any Owner shall fail to maintain and repair his Lot and such improvements as required hereunder, the Association, in addition to all other remedies available to it hereunder or by law, and without waiving any of said alternative remedies, shall have the right but not the obligation, subject to the notice and cure provisions of Section 6.1 above, through its agents and employees, to enter upon said Lot and to repair, maintain and restore the Lot and the exterior of the buildings and any other improvements erected thereon; and each Owner (by acceptance of a deed for his Lot) hereby covenants and agrees to repay to the Association the cost thereof immediately upon demand, and the failure of any such Owner to pay the same shall carry with it the same consequences as the failure to pay any assessments hereunder when due. Maintenance to an Owner's Lot shall include

all exterior portions of the residence and any structure such as but, not limited to sheds, detached garages, if applicable, play equipment such as children's play sets, fences, retaining walls, garage doors, and roofs.

Section 11.4 Maintenance Contracts with Owners.

The Board, on behalf of the Association, shall have full power and authority to contract with any Owner for the performance by or for the Association of services pursuant to the terms hereof (including, but not limited to, the maintenance and repair of fences owned by any such Owner), such contracts to be upon such terms and conditions and for such consideration as the Board may deem proper, advisable and to the best interest of the Association; provided, however, that same must be commercially reasonable in all circumstances and shall be clearly summarized in the minutes of a meeting at which a majority vote and approval of such action by the Board is taken. If such a contract for the performance by or for the Association pursuant to the terms hereof are with an Owner who serves as a Member of the Board, that Member may not vote when the matter is brought before the Board for voting and approval.

Section 11.5 Liability of the Board of Directors.

The Association shall indemnify every officer, director, and committee member against all damages and expenses, including attorneys' fees, reasonably incurred in connection with any action, suit, or other proceeding (including settlement of any suit or proceeding if approved by the Board of Directors at the time of such settlement) to which he or she may be a party by reason of being or having been an officer, director, or committee member.

OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS ACTING UNDER THE DIRECTORSHIP OF THE BOARD, SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR ANY MISTAKE OF JUDGMENT, NEGLIGENCE OR OTHERWISE, EXCEPT FOR THEIR OWN INDIVIDUAL WILLFUL MISFEASANCE, MALFEASANCE, MISCONDUCT, OR BAD FAITH. The Association's officers and directors shall have no personal liability with respect to any contract or other commitment made or action taken in good faith on behalf of the Association. The Association shall indemnify and forever hold each such officer, director, and committee member harmless from any and all liability to others on account of any such contract, commitment, or action. This right to indemnification shall not be exclusive of any other rights to which any present or former officer, director, or committee member may be entitled. The Association shall, as an Association expense, maintain adequate general liability and officers' and directors' liability insurance to fund this obligation, if such insurance is reasonably available.

Section 11.6 Notice and Hearing Procedures Prior to the Initiation of Certain Types of Actions by the Association.

Except as set forth in paragraph (c) below, prior to filing suit to enforce the provisions of this Declaration, the Design Guidelines, any Community-Wide Standard or rules promulgated hereunder, the Association shall make every effort to comply with the notice and hearing procedures set forth in subsections (a) and (b) below. Matters involving emergencies or threats to the health, welfare, and safety of a person, place, or thing.

- (1) written notice which may be a "Notice of Fine Warning" describing (i) the nature of the alleged violation, (ii) the action which the Association proposes or intends to take unless the violation is corrected within five (5) days after the date of the written notice. Should the Owner not abate the violation within the time noted in the violation notice, the Association may then serve by certified and regular U.S. mail a "Notice of Fine." An Owner shall have a period of not less than thirty (30) calendar days within which the alleged violator may present a written request by Certified Mail to the Board or if applicable, the Managing Agent of Record, for a hearing. If the violation is abated within the time period set forth in the written notice, the Association shall suspend the proposed action unless a similar violation occurs within six (6) months from the date of the written notice. If the same or a similar violation does occur, the Association shall proceed directly to the "Notice of Fine." Any suspension shall not constitute a waiver of the right to sanction future violations of the same or other provisions and rules by any Owner.
- Hearing. If a hearing is requested within the allotted thirty (30) day period, the hearing shall be held before a committee appointed by the Board consisting of three (3) persons, all of whom shall be Owners, Residents, or the Managing Agent of The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc. or during the Declarant Control Period, representatives of the Declarant who may be any person the Declarant appoints who need not be Owners. A representative of the Association shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity to make a statement describing the alleged violation and to present any evidence or witnesses to support its statement. The alleged violator shall also be afforded a reasonable opportunity to be heard and to present any evidence or witnesses on his or her behalf. At the conclusion of all statements and presentations, the committee may close the hearing and retire to discuss the evidence and may render a judgment as to whether, in fact, a violation has occurred or the Committee may take up to ten (10) business days to render a decision which shall be communicated to the Owner by U.S. Mail sent Certified and Regular U.S. Mail. If the committee determines that a violation has occurred, the Association may pursue any and all remedies described in its original notice of the violation. If the Committee determines a violation did not occur or the Committee is willing to waive, suspend, or otherwise determine a lesser fine or enforcement action, the Committee shall notify the Association's Managing Agent so that any adjustment to the Owner's account or suspension or waiver of violation or pending fines may be made. The alleged violator shall have the opportunity to appeal the decision of the committee to the Board in accordance with Section 209.007 of the Texas Residential Property Owners Act, Texas Property Code, as it may be amended. The decision of the Board shall then be final.
- (c) <u>Applicability</u>. The notice and hearing procedures set forth in this Section shall not apply to any claim: (i) upon which the Board deems it necessary to obtain emergency injunctive relief; (ii) pertaining to the collection of assessments; or (iii) where the Association decides to exercise its right of self-help to cure the violation after written notice to the Owner and an opportunity to cure.

ARTICLE XII AUTHORITY AND CONTROL BY DECLARANT

Section 12.1 Declarant Rights.

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, so long as Declarant owns at least one (1) Lot, Declarant shall have the sole right, but not the obligation, in its sole discretion, at any time, effective as of the date hereof, to control, perform and/or conduct the following:

- (1) amend without consent or joinder of the Owners the Declaration, Bylaws, Articles, Design Guidelines and the Community-Wide Standard, in whole or in part;
- (2) enforce the provisions of this Declaration and Bylaws, adopt or amend Rules and Regulations;
- (3) review, determine and enforce the architectural control of the Lots; and
- (4) assigns its rights and obligations under this Declaration to any entity at any time, in whole or in part.

Declarant's rights set forth above are absolute in its sole discretion and do not require the approval, consent, or joinder of (i) any Owner, (ii) the Association, (iii) the Board of Directors, or (iv) any committees or other parties which may be established with respect hereto. At such time as Declarant no longer owns a Lot within the Property, all of such rights of enforcement shall revert to the Board of Directors of the Association.

In the event any other provision in this Declaration is in contradiction to this Article XII, in whole or in part, this Article XII shall prevail.

Section 12.2 Easement to Inspect and Right to Correct.

Declarant reserves for itself and others it may designate the right, but not the obligation, to inspect, monitor, test, redesign, and correct any structure, improvement, or condition which may exist on any portion of the Property, including Lots, and a nonexclusive easement of access throughout the Property to the extent reasonably necessary to exercise such right. Except in an emergency, entry onto a Lot shall be only after reasonable notice to the Owner and no entry into a dwelling or other structure on a Lot shall be permitted without the Owner's consent, which consent shall not unreasonably be withheld, conditioned, or delayed. The failure or refusal to permit reasonable access to the Lot for the purposes contemplated under this paragraph shall excuse Declarant or its designee from responsibility for repairs or damages relating to defective workmanship or materials.

Section 12.3 Right to Develop.

Declarant and its employees, agents, and designees shall have a right of access and use and an easement over and upon all of the Property for the purpose of making, constructing, and installing such improvements to the Property, as Declarant deems appropriate in its discretion.

Section 12.4 Construction Activities.

All Owners, occupants, and users of Lots are hereby placed on notice that Declarant, and/or its agents, contractors, subcontractors, licensees, and other designees, as well as Builders shall conduct development and construction activities within the Property and that such activities shall be conducted in phases and may cause disturbance and disruption which impact the use and enjoyment of a Lot. Efforts will be made to keep construction hours within reasonable times of the day notwithstanding, construction between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. should be expected. The Declarant has the right but, not the obligation to amend the hours and days of construction activities upon written notice to the contractors, subcontractors, licensees, and other designees. During the Declarant Control Period or so long as any Builder owns a Lot for the purpose of construction of a residence for sale, the Board may not, under any circumstance adopt rules and regulations that will restrict or prohibit a Builder from actively marketing the property for sale. No restriction shall interfere with or prohibit open houses, marketing events, placement of signs or banners, or other marketing events or techniques performed to aid in the sale of a Lot.

By the acceptance of a deed or other conveyance or mortgage, leasehold, license, or other interest, and by using any portion of a Lot or the Property generally, the Owners and all occupants and users of Lots acknowledge, stipulate, and agree: (a) that such activities shall not be deemed nuisances, or noxious or offensive activities, under any applicable covenants or at law generally; (b) not to enter upon, or allow their children or other persons under their control or direction to enter upon, or allow their children or other persons under their control or direction to enter upon (regardless of whether such entry is a trespass or otherwise) any property within or in proximity to the Lot where such activities are being conducted (even if not being actively conducted at the time of entry, such as at night or otherwise during non-working hours); (c) that Declarant and all of its agents, contractors, subcontractors, licensees, and other designees, as well as Builders shall not be liable but, rather, shall be held harmless for any and all losses, damages (compensatory, consequential, punitive, or otherwise), injuries, or deaths arising from or relating to the aforesaid activities; (d) that any purchase or use of any portion of a Lot has been and will be made with full knowledge of the foregoing; and (e) this acknowledgment and agreement is a material inducement to Declarant to sell, convey, lease, and/or allow the use of Lots within the Property.

Section 12.5 Changes in Master Plan.

Each Owner acknowledges that The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc. is a planned community, the development of which is likely to extend over many years, and agrees that the Association shall not engage in, or use Association funds to support any protest, challenge, or other form of objection to (a) changes in uses or density of property within the Property, or (b) changes in the master plan of The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc., including, without limitation, the enlargement of the master plan and the acquisition or revision of regulatory approvals to reflect the annexation of real property, without Declarant's prior written consent, which consent may be granted or withheld in Declarant's discretion.

Each Owner acknowledges and agrees that the present plans and themes for the Property's development may change and that it has not relied on any representation, warranty, or assurance by any person: (a) that any Lots, or other property or facilities will or will not be added, modified, or eliminated within the Property; or (b) as to the financial or other impact of such action on any Owner. Each Owner acknowledges and agrees that it is not entitled to rely upon and has not received or relied upon any representations, warranties, or guarantees whatsoever as to: (a) the design, construction, completion, development, use, benefits, or value of the Property; or (b) the number, types, sizes, prices, or designs of any residential structures or improvements built or to be built in any part of the Property.

Section 12.6 Dispute Resolution Involving Declarant.

- (a) <u>Right to Correct</u>. Prior to the Association or any Member commencing any proceeding to which Declarant is a party, including but not limited to an alleged defect of any improvement, Declarant shall have the right to be heard by the Members, or the particular Member, and to access, inspect, correct the condition of, or redesign any portion of any improvement as to which a defect is alleged or otherwise correct the alleged dispute.
- (b) Alternative Method for Resolving Disputes. Declarant, its officers, directors, employees and agents; the Association, its officers, directors and committee members; all persons subject to this Declaration; any Builder, its officers, directors, employees and agents; and any person not otherwise subject to this Declaration who agrees to submit to this Section 12.6 (each such entity being referred to as a "Bound Party") agree to encourage the amicable resolution of disputes, without the emotional and financial costs of litigation. Accordingly, each Bound Party covenants and agrees to submit those claims, grievances or disputes described in Section 12.6 (c) (collectively, the "Claims") to the mandatory procedures set forth in Section 12.6 (d).
- (c) <u>Claims</u>. Those Claims between any of the Bound Parties, regardless of how the same might have arisen, relating to the quality of design or construction of improvements within the Property including the Common Properties or based upon any statements, representations, promises, or warranties made by or on behalf of any Bound Party, shall be subject to the provisions of this Section 12.6.

(d) Mandatory Procedures.

- (i) <u>Notice</u>. Any Bound Party having a Claim ("Claimant") against any other Bound Party ("Respondent") (the Claimant and Respondent referred to herein being individually, as a "Party", or, collectively, as the "Parties") shall notify each Respondent in writing (the "Notice"), stating plainly and concisely:
 - (a) the nature of the Claim, including the persons involved and Respondent's role in the Claim;
 - (b) the legal basis of the Claim (i.e., the specific authority out of which the Claim arises;
 - (c) the proposed remedy; and
 - (d) the fact that Claimant will meet with Respondent to discuss in good faith ways to resolve the Claim.

(ii) Negotiations and Mediation.

- (a) The parties shall make every reasonable effort to meet in person and confer for the purpose of resolving the Claim by good faith negotiation. If requested in writing, accompanied by a copy of the Notice, the Board may appoint a representative to assist the Parties in negotiation.
- (b) If the parties do not resolve the Claim within thirty (30) days after the date of the Notice (or within such other period as may be agreed upon by the Parties) ("Termination of Negotiations"), Claimant shall have two (2) days to submit the Claim to mediation under the auspices of the American Arbitration Association ("AAA") in accordance with the AAA's Commercial or Construction Industry Mediation Rules, as appropriate.
- (c) If Claimant does not submit the Claim to mediation within such time, or does not appear for mediation, Claimant shall be deemed to have waived the Claim, and Respondent shall be released and discharged from any and all liability to Claimant on account of such Claim; provided, nothing herein shall release or discharge Respondent from any liability to any Person other than the Claimant.
- (d) Any settlement of the Claim through mediation shall be documented in writing by the mediator and signed by the Parties. If the Parties do not settle the Claim within thirty (30) days after submission of the matter to the mediation, or within such other time as determined by the mediator or agreed to by the Parties, the mediator shall issue a notice of termination of the mediation proceedings ("Termination of Mediation"). The Termination of Mediation Notice shall set forth that the Parties are at an impasse and the date that mediation was terminated.

Each Party shall bear its own costs of the mediation, including attorneys' fees, and each Party shall share equally all charges rendered by the mediator. If the Parties agree to a resolution of any Claim through negotiations or mediation in accordance with this Section and any Party thereafter fails to abide by the terms of such agreement, then any other Party may file suit or initiate arbitration proceedings to enforce such agreement, without the need to again comply with the procedures set forth in this Section. In such event, the Party taking action to enforce the agreement shall be entitled to recover from the non-complying Party (or if more than one non-complying Party, from all such Parties pro rata) all costs incurred in enforcing such agreement, including, without limitation, attorneys' fees and court costs.

(iii) Binding Arbitration.

- (a) Upon Termination of Mediation, Claimant shall thereafter be entitled to initial final, binding arbitration of the Claim under the auspices of the AAA in accordance with the AAA's Commercial or Construction Industry Arbitration Rules, as appropriate. Such Claims shall not be decided by or in a court of law. Any judgment upon the award rendered by the arbitrator may be entered in and enforced by any court having jurisdiction over such Claim. If the claimed amount exceeds \$250,000, the dispute shall be heard and determined by three (3) arbitrators. Otherwise, unless mutually agreed to by the Parties, there shall be one (1) arbitrator. Arbitrators shall have expertise in the area(s) of dispute, which may include legal expertise if legal issues are involved.
- (b) Each Party shall bear its own costs and expenses and an equal share of the arbitrator's and administrative fees or arbitration. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if a Party unsuccessfully contests the validity or scope of arbitration in a court of law, the non-contesting Party shall be awarded reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses incurred in defending such contest. All decisions respecting the arbitrability of any Claim shall be decided by the arbitrator(s).
- (c) The award of the arbitrator(s) shall be accompanied by detailed written findings of fact and conclusions of law. Except as may be required by law or for confirmation of an award, neither a Party nor an arbitrator may disclose the existence, content, or results of any arbitration hereunder without the prior written consent of both Parties.

ARTICLE XIII OBLIGATIONS OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 13.1 Obligations of Board of Directors.

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, and so long as Declarant is acting on behalf of the Board of Directors as further described in Section 13.2 below, the sole responsibility and obligation of the Board of Directors shall be to maintain the corporation books of the Association and maintain the Association in good corporate standing with Secretary of State of the State of Texas and in good standing with the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas. During the Declarant Control Period the Board shall only be required to meet one (1) time per year.

Section 13.2 <u>Liability for Association Operations</u>.

The Association shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Declarant (including its successors, assigns, and agents) from and against any and all losses, claims, demands, damages, costs, and expenses of whatever kind or nature (including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs at all tribunal levels and whether or not suit is instituted, including those incurred in establishing the right to be indemnified, defended, and held harmless pursuant hereto), which relate to or arise out of Association management and operations, including, without limitation, improvement, maintenance, and operation of amenities and other portions of the Common Properties and the collection of assessments.

Section 13.3 No Liability for Acts of Third Party.

OWNERS AND OCCUPANTS OF LOTS, AND THEIR RESPECTIVE GUESTS AND INVITEES, ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR OWN PERSONAL SAFETY AND FOR THEIR PROPERTY WITHIN THE PROPERTY. THE ASSOCIATION MAY BUT IS NOT OBLIGATED TO MAINTAIN OR SUPPORT CERTAIN ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE PROPERTY WHICH PROMOTE OR ENHANCE SAFETY OR SECURITY WITHIN THE PROPERTY. HOWEVER, THE ASSOCIATION, AND DECLARANT SHALL NOT IN ANY WAY BE CONSIDERED INSURERS OR GUARANTORS OF SAFETY OR SECURITY WITHIN THE PROPERTY, NOR SHALL THEY BE HELD LIABLE FOR ANY LOSS OR DAMAGE BY REASON OF FAILURE TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE SECURITY OR INEFFECTIVENESS OF SECURITY MEASURES UNDERTAKEN.

NO REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY IS MADE THAT ANY SYSTEMS OR MEASURES, INCLUDING FIRE PROTECTION, BURGLAR ALARM, OR OTHER SECURITY MONITORING SYSTEMS, OR ANY MECHANISM OR SYSTEM FOR LIMITING ACCESS TO THE PROPERTY, CANNOT BE COMPROMISED OR CIRCUMVENTED, NOR THAT ANY SUCH SYSTEMS OR MEASURES UNDERTAKEN WILL IN ALL CASES PREVENT LOSS OR PROVIDE THE DETECTION OR PROTECTION FOR WHICH THE SYSTEM IS DESIGNED OR INTENDED. EACH OWNER ACKNOWLEDGES, UNDERSTANDS, AND SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR INFORMING ITS TENANTS AND ALL OCCUPANTS OF ITS LOT THAT THE ASSOCIATION, THE BOARD AND ITS COMMITTEES, AND DECLARANT ARE NOT INSURERS OR GUARANTORS OF SECURITY OR SAFETY AND THAT EACH PERSON WITHIN THE PROPERTY ASSUMES ALL RISKS OF PERSONAL INJURY AND LOSS OR

DAMAGE TO PROPERTY, INCLUDING LOTS AND THE CONTENTS OF LOTS, RESULTING FROM ACTS OF THIRD PARTIES.

ARTICLE XIV EXPANSION OF THE PROPERTY

Section 14.1 Expansion of the Property.

Declarant, in its sole discretion and without the approval of any other party, may from time to time subject this Declaration to additional real property by recording in the Real Property Records of the County, a Supplemental Declaration describing the additional real property to be subjected to this Declaration. Any such Supplemental Declaration which is executed by Declarant and the owner of such additional property, if other than Declarant, and recorded in the Real Property Records of the County shall not require the consent or approval of any other Owner or other person in order to be fully enforceable and effective to cause such additional real property to be incorporated herein. Nothing in this Declaration shall be construed to require Declarant to subject additional real property to this Declaration.

Section 14.2 Additional Covenants and Easements.

Declarant, in its sole discretion and without the approval of any other party, may from time to time subject any portion of the Property, whether now or hereafter a part of this Declaration, to additional covenants and easements, including, without limitation, covenants obligating the Association to maintain and insure such property and authorizing the Association to recover its costs through the assessments, as described in Article X hereof. Such additional covenants and easements may be set forth either in a Supplemental Declaration subjecting such property to this Declaration or in a separate Supplemental Declaration referencing property previously subjected to this Declaration. Any such Supplemental Declaration may supplement, create exceptions to, or otherwise modify the terms of this Declaration as it applies to the Property, whether now or hereafter a part of this Declaration, in order to reflect the different character and intended use of such Property. Any such Supplemental Declaration which is executed by Declarant and recorded in the Real Property Records of the County shall not require the consent or approval of any other Owner or other person in order to be fully enforceable and effective to cause such additional covenants and easements to be incorporated herein.

Section 14.3 Effect of Recording Supplemental Declaration.

A Supplemental Declaration shall be effective upon the recording of same in the Real Property Records of the County unless otherwise specified in such Supplemental Declaration. On the effective date of the Supplemental Declaration, any additional property subjected to this Declaration shall be assigned voting rights in the Association and assessment liability in accordance with the provisions of this Declaration.

ARTICLE XV GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 15.1 Mortgages.

It is expressly provided that the breach of any of the conditions contained herein shall not defeat or render invalid the lien of any mortgage or deed of trust made in good faith and for value, as to the same premises or any part thereof encumbered by such mortgage or deed of trust, but said conditions shall be binding thereto as to Lots acquired by foreclosure, trustee's sale or otherwise, as to any breach occurring after such acquisition of title.

Section 15.2 Term.

This Declaration shall be enforceable by Declarant, the Association, any aggrieved Owner, and their respective legal representatives, heirs, successors, and assigns until December 31, 2050, after which time this Declaration shall extend automatically for successive 10-year periods unless at least sixty-seven percent (67%) of the then Owners have signed, within a six month period preceding the end of the initial term or any extension, an instrument which terminates this Declaration and such instrument is recorded in the Real Property Records of the County prior to the end of the term.

Section 15.3 Severability.

If any provision herein contained shall be invalid, which invalidity shall not be presumed until the same is determined by the final (i.e., non-appealable) judgment or order of a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity shall in no way affect any other provision hereof, each of which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 15.4 Binding Effect.

This Declaration is for the mutual benefit of, and shall be binding upon, each and every person acquiring any part of the Property, it being understood that the covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, and other provisions contained in this Declaration are not for the benefit of the owner of any land except that which is a part of the Property. This Declaration, when executed, shall be filed of record in the Real Property Records of the County, so that each and every Owner or purchaser of any portion of the Property is on notice of the covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, and other provisions herein contained.

Section 15.5 Notices.

Any notices or correspondence to an Owner shall be addressed to the street address of the Lot or to such other address as is specified by any such Owner delivered in writing to the Association or its Managing Agent. Owners are responsible for keeping current mailing and contact information on file with the Association at all times. The burden shall be on the Owner to prove that such written notification was duly given and delivered to the Association as provided below. Any notices or correspondence to the Association shall be addressed to the

registered office of the Association as shown by the records of the Secretary of State for the State of Texas or to such other address as is specified by the Association in writing to the Owners.

Except as this Declaration or the Bylaws otherwise provide, all notices, demands, bills, statements, or other communications under this Declaration or the Bylaws shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if delivered personally or placed with a private carrier; if sent by United States mail or delivered to any postal receptacle of the U.S. Post Office or other authorized agent capable of accepting and processing mail for delivery; or, if the intended recipient has given its prior written authorization or the Association has a Policy for the delivery of certain communications; to use such method of delivery, by facsimile or electronic mail with written confirmation of transmission.

For the purpose of clarification, Notices sent in accordance with this Declaration shall be deemed to have been duly given and effective:

- (i) sent by United States mail, when deposited with the U.S. Postal Service, or another certified carrier able to accept and properly mail communications deposited with them for mailing, correctly addressed, with first class postage prepaid;
- (ii) if delivered personally or by private carrier, when actually delivered to the address of the intended recipient, as evidenced by the signature of the person at such address who accepts such delivery; or
- (iii) if sent by facsimile or electronic mail, upon transmission, as evidenced by a printed confirmation or confirmation of delivery and/or read receipts.

Section 15.6 Transfer Under Deed of Trust.

Upon any transfer of Declarant's interest in and to the Property, or any part thereof, under the terms of any deed of trust lien upon the Property, whether voluntary or involuntary, by foreclosure, deed in lieu of foreclosure or otherwise, all rights, title and interests of Declarant under this Declaration, shall be transferred to and devolve upon the party to whom the Property or any part thereof, is thereby conveyed.

Section 15.7 Notice of Transfer.

If at any time a Lot is sold, the new Owner shall have the sole obligation to promptly notify the Association of the name and address of the new Owner and shall be responsible for any cost, charge or expense added to the account of such Owner which may have otherwise been avoided if the above information was promptly delivered to the Association.

Section 15.8 No Liability for Trespass.

Whenever the Declarant or any party duly instructed by the Declarant, or by the Association, its Board of Directors, or the Managing Agent of record exercises any right hereunder

and in connection therewith enters upon any Lot, such parties shall not be liable for trespass upon such Lot.

Section 15.9 Lien Priority.

Notwithstanding any other provision of the Declaration, the lien to secure the payment of assessments and any other lien which the Association may have on any Lot pursuant to the Declaration for (a) assessments or other charges becoming payable on or after the date of recordation of the first mortgage or deed of trust on any Lot, or (b) any fees, late charges, fines or interest that may be levied by the Association in connection with unpaid assessments, shall be subordinate to the lien or equivalent security interest of any legitimate third-party first lien mortgage or deed of trust on any Lot, if any. Any foreclosure of any such superior lien under the power of sale of any mortgage, deed of trust or other security instrument, or through court proceedings in which the Association has been made a party, shall extinguish the liens securing maintenance charges or assessments which became due and payable prior to such foreclosure date, but no such foreclosure shall free any Lot from the liens securing assessments thereafter becoming due and payable, nor shall the liability of any Owner personally obligated to pay maintenance charges or assessments which become due prior to such foreclosure be extinguished by any foreclosure, nor shall the lien for future assessments or changes be affected in any manner. Any such maintenance charges or assessments which are extinguished pursuant to the foregoing provision shall be reallocated and assessed to all Lots as a common expense.

Section 15.10 Use of Recreational Facilities and Other Common Properties.

The property made subject to this Declaration may contain common recreational facilities available for the use and enjoyment of Owners of property, including lots and homes, within The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc. of Frisco, their families, tenants and other occupants of their property, and the guests of any such persons. <u>EACH OWNER, BY ACCEPTANCE OF A DEED TO ANY PORTION OF THE PROPERTY MADE SUBJECT TO THIS DECLARATION, ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE USE AND ENJOYMENT OF ANY RECREATIONAL FACILITY OR ANY OTHER PORTION OF THE COMMON PROPERTIES INVOLVES RISK OF PERSONAL INJURY OR DAMAGE TO PROPERTY.</u>

Each Owner acknowledges, understands, and covenants to inform his or her family members, and tenants and other occupants of Owner's property that Declarant, the Association, the Board and any committees, and Builders constructing homes and other improvements within The Homeowners Association of Dove Creek, Inc. arc not insurers of personal safety. EACH PERSON USING ANY SUCH RECREATIONAL FACILITIES, IF APPLICABLE, OR ANY OTHER PORTION OF THE COMMON PROPERTIES ASSUMES ALL RISKS OF PERSONAL INJURY, DEATH, AND LOSS OR DAMAGE TO PROPERTY, RESULTING FROM THE USE AND ENJOYMENT OF ANY RECREATIONAL FACILITY OR OTHER PORTION OF THE COMMON PROPERTIES. Each Owner agrees that Declarant, the Association, the Board and committees, and builders within the community shall not be liable to any person claiming any loss or damage, including, without limitation, indirect, special or consequential loss or damage arising from personal injury or death, destruction of property, trespass, loss of enjoyment, or any other wrong or entitlement to remedy based upon, due to, arising from, or otherwise relating to the use of any recreational facility or other portions of the Common

Properties, including, without limitation, any claim arising in whole or in part from the negligence of Declarant, the Association, or any Builder within the community. THE FOREGOING RELEASE IS INTENDED TO RELEASE THE SPECIFIED PARTIES FROM LIABILITY FOR THEIR OWN NEGLIGENCE.

EACH OWNER ACKNOWLEDGES AND AGREES THAT THE ABOVE RELEASE FROM LIABILITY IS CONSIDERATION FOR, AND A CONDITION TO, THE USE AND ENJOYMENT OF THE RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AND OTHER COMMON PROPERTIES WITHIN THE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION OF DOVE CREEK, INC. AND THAT THIS ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND AGREEMENT IS A MATERIAL INDUCEMENT TO DECLARANT AND BUILDERS TO SELL, CONVEY, LEASE, AND/OR ALLOW THE USE OF LOTS WITHIN THE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION OF DOVE CREEK, INC. ANY VIOLATION OF THIS RELEASE AGREEMENT BY AN OWNER, OR ANY OF OWNER'S FAMILY MEMBERS, TENANTS AND OTHER OCCUPANTS OF OWNER'S PROPERTY, OR THEIR RESPECTIVE GUESTS SHALL BE GROUNDS FOR THE SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION OF ALL OF SUCH PERSONS' USE PRIVILEGES IN SUCH FACILITIES.

Section 15.11 Construction of Declaration and All Association Documents.

The provisions of this Declaration and all other documents of the Association shall be liberally construed to give effect to its intended purpose. All doubts regarding the meaning, significance or effect of a provision in this Declaration or other documents of the Association, shall be resolved in favor of the operation of the Association and its enforcement of the Declaration.

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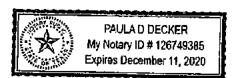
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DECLARANT

124 FRISCO PROPERTY, LLC. A Texas limited liability company

STATE OF TEXAS S
COUNTY OF DULLA S

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the Lord day of October, 2020, by Bradford A. Phillips, the Authorized Signor of 124 Frisco Property, LLC, a Texas limited liability company on behalf of said company.



Notary Public, State of Texas

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Exhibit "A"

THE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION OF DOVE CREEK, INC.

Property Description

WHEREAS 124 FRISCO PROPERTY, LLC. THE CITY OF FRISCO AND HILLCREST & 380 INVESTMENT PARTNERS, LTC., ARE THE OWNERS OF A TRACT OF LAND SITUATED IN THE LC. WILLIAMSON SURVEY, ABSTRACT NUMBER 947 AND THE COLLIN COUNTY SCHOOL LAND SURVEY, ABSTRACT NUMBER 155, COLLIN COUNTY, TEXAS AND BEING OUT OF A 62.24 ACRE TRACT CONVEYED TO THEM BY LIBERTY BANKERS LFE INSURANCE COMPANY, BEING OUT OF A 62.24 ACRE TRACT CONVEYED TO THEM BY LIBERTY LIFE SERVICE CORPORATION, BEING OUT OF A 7.456 ACRE TRACT CONVEYED TO THEM BY HILLCREST & 380 INVESTMENT PARTNERS, BEING OUT OF A 0.523 ACRE TRACT CONVEYED TO THE BY THE CITY OF FRISCO AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A 578 INCH IRON BOD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET IN THE EAST LINE OF SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT (2010012800009003001 AND BEING IN THE WEST LINE OF THAT TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED BY CEED TO ST CHARLES APARTMENTS, INC., RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 2008081000147010, SAID COUNTY RECORDS, FROM WHICH THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT BEARS IN CO° 24°22°W, 704.81 FEET.

THENCE'S GO124'22"E, WITH SAID COMMON LINE, AT 1605,98 FEET THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID ST CHARLES APARTMENTS TRACT, BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THAT TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED BY DEED TO PROSPER ISO RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 20160822001827420, SAID COUNTY RECORDS, IN ALL 1907.42 FEET TO A 578 INCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAR STAMPED "THP" FOUND AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT, BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID PROSPER ISD TRACT AND THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THAT TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED BY DEED TO VOWAN FAMILY RECORDED IN VOLUME 4822. PAGE 1576, 5AID COUNTY RECORDS:

THENCE'S 88"3"58"W, WITH THE SOUTH LINES OF SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACTS AND THE NORTH LINE OF SAID VOWAN FAMILY TRACT, AT 12"8,39 FEET THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID VOWAN FAVILY TRACT, BEING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THAT TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED BY DEED TO ROCK HILL ENTERPRISES LIMITED PARTNER TRACT RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 20070130000135950, IN ALL 1999,25 FEET TO A 578 INCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET IN THE SOUTH LINE OF AFOREMENTICNED HILLOREST & 380 INVESTMENT PARTNERS TRACT:

THENCE OVER AND ACROSS SAID HILLCREST & 380 INVESTMENT PARTNERS TRACT AND AFOREMENTIONED SITY OF PHISCO TRACTS THE FOLLOWING COURSES AND DISTANCES:

N 80°27'58"W, 751.14 FEET, TO A 578 INCH IRON 800 WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET AT THE REGISNING OF A CURVE TO THE LEFT:

WITH SAID CURVE TO THE LEFT, AN ARC DISTANCE OF 489.55 FEET, THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 18142'00", HAVING A RADIUS OF 1500.00 FEET, THE LONG CHORD WHICH BEARS IN 09148'68"N, 487.39 FEET TO A 578 INCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAPSTANCED "PELOTOK" SET:

N 19*09'57"W, 475.09 FEET, TO A 578 INCH IBON RGO WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET AT THE RECINING OF A CURVE TO THE RIGHT:

WITH SAID CURVE TO THE RIGHT, AN ARC DISTANCE OF 490.06 FEET, THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 15°43'08", HAVING A RADIUS OF 1900.00 FEET. THE LONG CHORD WHICH BEARS N 09°48'23"W, 487,89 FEET TO A 578 INCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET:

N 00°26'49"W, 450.33 FEET, TO A 578 INCH IRON 800 WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET IN THE NORTH LINE OF SAID CITY OF FRISCO TRACT, BEING IN THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF U.S. 380 (A VARIABLE WIDTH RIGHT-OF-WAY):

THENCE N 89° 33'38"E, 67.87 FEET, WITH THE NORTH LINE OF SAID CITY OF FRISCO TRACT AND SAID SCUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO A TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TXDOT) MONOMENT FOUND:

THENCE'S 77°03'56"E, 16:98 FEET, WITH SAID COMMON LINE TO A WOOD TXOOT WOMAINENT FOUNDA

THENCE N 88° 32'19'E, 10.77 FEET, CONTINUING WITH SAID COMMON LINE TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP SYMPED "PELOTON" SET AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID CITY OF FRISCO TRACT, BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF AFOREMENTIONED 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT (2009)23'009557220):

THENCE'S 45" 00"50"W, 32.97 FEET, DEPARTING SAID RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE WITH THE EAST LINE OF SAID CITY OF FRISCO TRACT AND THE WEST LINE OF SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT TO A 578 INCH FRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTOR" SET:

THENCE S 00*26'49"E, 175.00 FEET, WITH SAID COMMON LINE TO A 5/8 INCH IRON FOR WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELSTON" SET.

THENCE 5 03"22"42"W. 46.55 FEET. CONTINUING WITH SAID COMMON LINE TO A 5/8 INCH FRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "FELOTION" SET:

THENCE N 89° 31'54"E 233.32 FEET, GEPARTING SAID COUMON LINE OVER AND ACROSS SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT TO A 578 NOH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET:

THENCE'S 66° 49'46"E, 590.61 FEET, TO A 578 INCHIRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET:

THENCE N 00" 27"8"N, 154.69 FEET, TO A 578 NOH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET:

THENCE N GA*16"13"W, 150.33 FEET, TO A 5/8 NCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "FELOTON" SET:

THENCE N 00° 27'22"W, 150.00 FEET, TO A 578 INCH IRON 800 WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET.

THENCE N. $44^{\circ}51^{\circ}04^{\circ}$ W, 43.09 FEET, TO A 578 INCH IRON ROO WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMFED "PELOTON" SET IN THE MORTHLINE OF SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT AND THE AFOREMENTIONED SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF U.S. 380°

THENCE N 89" 34" YE, 170.42 FEET, WITH SAD COMMON LINE TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" OFF:

THENCE S 44° 02"16"W. 43.20 FEET. DEPARTING SHID COMMON LINE OVER AND ACROSS SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT TO 4 578 INCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET.

THENCE S DO127'22"E, 150,00 FEET, TO A 5/8 INCH IRON RCO WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET:

THENCE 5 03121291W.150,33 FEET, TO A 576 NCH IPON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAWFED "PELOTON" SETS

THENCE S OF 27'22"E, 193,96 FEET, TO A 578 NOH BRON 800 WITH PLASTIC CAP STAVEED "PELOTON" SET:

THENCE 5 66" 49"46"E, 300.58 FEET, TO A 5/8 INCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPER "PELOTON" SET:

THENCE 5 87* 12°24"E, AT 62.09 FEET THE EAST LINE OF SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT (2008)231001557220), BEING THE WEST LINE OF SAID 124 FRISCO PROPERTY TRACT (20100128000090030), N ALL 446.34 FEET TO A 578 INCH IRON ROO WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET:

THENCE S 33: 39'23"E 35.64 FEET, TO A 578 NCH IRON ROD WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED "PELOTON" SET:

THENCE N 89° 58'42"E, 635.35 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING AND CONTAMING 4,427,519 SQUARE FEET CR 101.527 ACRES OF LAND MORE OR LESS.

APPENDIX "B"

TO

DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS THE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION OF DOVE CREEK, INC.

DECLARANT REPRESENTATIONS & RESERVATIONS

B.1. GENERAL PROVISIONS.

- B.1.1. Introduction. Declarant intends the Declaration to be perpetual and understands that provisions pertaining to the initial development, construction, marketing, and control of the Property will become obsolete when Declarant's role is complete. As a courtesy to future users of the Declaration, who may be frustrated by then-obsolete terms, Declarant is compiling the Declarant-related provisions in this Appendix.
- B.1.2. General Reservation & Construction. Notwithstanding other provisions of the Documents to the contrary, nothing contained therein may be construed to, nor may any mortgagee, other Owner, or the Association, prevent or interfere with the rights contained in this Appendix which Declarant hereby reserves exclusively unto itself and its successors and assigns. In case of conflict between this Appendix and any other Document, this Appendix controls. This Appendix may not be amended without the prior written consent of Declarant. To the extent any proposed amendment is for the purpose of either amending the provisions of this Declaration or the Association's Agreements pertaining to the use, operation, maintenance and/or supervision of any facilities, structures, improvements, systems, Common Areas, private Streets or grounds that are the responsibility of the Association, prior written consent of the City may be required. The terms and provisions of this Appendix must be construed liberally to give effect to Declarant's intent to protect Declarant's interests in the Property.
- B.1.3. Purpose of Development and Declarant Control Periods. This Appendix gives Declarant certain rights during the Development Period and the Declarant Control Period to ensure a complete and orderly build out and sellout of the Property, which is ultimately for the benefit and protection of Owners and mortgagees. Declarant may not use its control of the Association and the Property for an advantage over the Owners by way of retention of any residual rights or interests in the Association or through the creation of any contractual agreements which the Association may not terminate without cause with ninety days' notice.
- B.1.4. Definitions. As used in this Appendix and elsewhere in the Documents, the following words and phrases, when capitalized, have the following specified meanings:
- a. "Builder" means a person or entity which purchases, or contracts to purchase, a Lot from Declarant or from a Builder for the purpose of constructing a Residence for resale or under contract

to an Owner other than Declarant. As used in this Declaration, Builder does not refer to Declarant or to any home building or home marketing company that is an affiliate of Declarant.

- b. "Declarant Control Period" means that period of time during which Declarant controls the operation of this Association. The duration of the Declarant Control Period will be from the date this Declaration is recorded for a maximum period as may be stipulated in the Declaration or in the absence of such stipulation, a period not to exceed the earlier of:
- (1) Twenty (20) years from date this Declaration is recorded; or
- (2) the date 99% title to the Lots and all other portions of the Property has been conveyed to Owners other than Builders or Declarant.
- B.1.5. Builders. Declarant, through its affiliates, intends to construct Single Family Residences, including Patio Homes on the Lots in connection with the sale of the Lots. However, Declarant may, without notice, sell some or all of the Lots to one or more Builders to improve the Lots with Residences to be sold and occupied.
- B.2. DECLARANT CONTROL PERIOD RESERVATIONS. Declarant reserves the following powers, rights, and duties during the Declarant Control Period:
- B.2.1. Officers & Directors. During the Declarant Control Period, the Board may consist of three (3) persons. During the Declarant Control Period, Declarant may appoint, remove, and replace any officer or director of the Association, none of whom need be Members or Owners, and each of whom is indemnified by the Association as a "Leader;" provided, however, that on or before the date which is the earlier of (i) one hundred twenty (120) days after Declarant has sold seventy five percent (75%) of the Lots that may be developed within the Property, or (ii) ten (10) years after the date of recordation of this Declaration, at least one-third (1/3) of the directors on the Board shall be elected by Class A Members.
- B.2.2. Weighted Votes. During the Declarant Control Period, the vote appurtenant to each Lot owned by Declarant is weighted twenty (20) times that of the vote appurtenant to a Lot owned by another Owner. In other words, during the Declarant Control Period, Declarant may cast the equivalent of twenty (20) votes for each Lot owned by Declarant on any issue before the Association. On termination of the Declarant Control Period and thereafter, the vote appurtenant to Declarant's Lots is weighted uniformly with all other votes.
- B.2.3. Budget Funding. During the Declarant Control Period only, budget funding shall be as set forth in the Declaration or at the sole discretion of the Declarant. Budgets during the Declarant Control Period are not subject to vote of the Members and may not be vetoed by Members. At the Declarant's sole discretion, funds provided for the purpose of subsidy or offsetting a deficit may be treated as a loan. On termination of the Declarant Control Period, Declarant will cease being responsible for the difference between the Association's operating expenses and the

Assessments received from Owners other than Declarant. Declarant is not responsible for funding the Maintenance or Reserve Fund and may, at its sole discretion, require the Association to use Maintenance or Reserve Funds when available to pay operating expenses prior to the Declarant funding any deficit.

- B.2.4. Declarant Assessments. During the Declarant Control Period, any real property owned by Declarant is not subject to Assessments by the Association.
- B.2.5. Builder Obligations. During the Declarant Control Period only, Declarant has the right but not the duty (1) to reduce or waive the Assessment obligation of a Builder, and (2) to exempt a Builder from any or all liabilities for transfer-related fees charged by the Association or its manager, provided the agreement is in writing. Absent such an exemption, any Builder who owns a Lot is liable for all Assessments and other fees charged by the Association in the same manner as any Owner.
- B.2.6. Commencement of Assessments. During the initial development of the Property, Declarant may elect to postpone the Association's initial levy of Regular Assessments until a certain number of Lots are sold. During the Declarant Control Period, Declarant will determine when the Association first levies Regular Assessments against the Lots. Prior to the first levy, Declarant will be responsible for all operating expenses of the Association.
- B.2.7. Expenses of Declarant. Expenses related to the completion and marketing of the Property will be paid by Declarant and are not expenses of the Association.
- B.2.8. Budget Control. During the Declarant Control Period, the right of Owners to veto Assessment increases or Special Assessments is not effective and may not be exercised.
- B.2.9. Organizational Meeting. Within one hundred twenty (120) days after the end of the Declarant Control Period, or sooner at the Declarant's option, Declarant will call an organizational meeting of the Members of the Association for the purpose of electing, by vote of the Owners, directors to the Board. Written notice of the organizational meeting must be given to an Owner of each Lot at least ten (10) days but not more than sixty (60) days before the meeting. For the organizational meeting, Owners of ten percent (10%) of the Lots constitute a quorum. Unless the initial Directors are elected in conjunction with an Annual Meeting, the directors elected at the organizational meeting will serve as the Board until the next Annual Meeting of the Association at which time the staggering of terms will begin. At this transition meeting, if not already done, the Declarant will transfer control over all utilities related to the Common Areas owned by the Association and Declarant will provide information to the Association, if not already done so, relating to the total costs to date related to the operation and maintenance of the Common Areas and Areas of Common Responsibility.

- B.3. DEVELOPMENT PERIOD RESERVATIONS. Declarant reserves the following easements and rights, exercisable at Declarant's sole discretion, at any time during the Development Period:
- B.3.1. Changes in Development Plan. Declarant may modify the initial development plan to respond to perceived or actual changes and opportunities in the marketplace. Subject to approval by (1) a governmental entity, if applicable, and (2) the Owner of the land or Lots to which the change would directly apply (if other than Declarant), Declarant may (a) change the sizes, dimensions, and configurations of Lots and Streets; (b) change the minimum Residence size; (c) change the building setback requirements; and (d) eliminate or modify any other feature of the Property. WITHOUT LIMITING THE FOREGOING, DECLARANT HEREBY RESERVES THE RIGHT DURING THE DEVELOPMENT PERIOD, WITHOUT APPROVAL OR CONSENT OF ANY OTHER OWNER OR THE ASSOCIATION, TO FURTHER SUDIVIDE THE REAL PROPERTY OF THE COMMON AREAS INTO ADDITIONAL LOTS AND/OR COMMON AREAS NOTWITHSTANDING ANY SUCH CHANGE SHALL BE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY A GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY, IF APPLICABLE.
- B.3.2. Builder Limitations. Declarant may require its approval (which may not be unreasonably withheld) of all documents and materials used by a Builder in connection with the development and sale of Lots, including without limitation promotional materials; deed restrictions; forms for deeds, Lot sales, and Lot closings. Without Declarant's prior written approval, a Builder may not use a sales office or model in the Property to market homes, Lots, or other products located outside the Property.
- B.3.3. Architectural Control. During the Development Period, Declarant has the absolute right to serve as the Architectural Reviewer. Declarant may from time to time, but is not obligated to, delegate all or a portion of its reserved rights as Architectural Reviewer and this Appendix to (1) an ACC appointed by the Board, or (2) a committee comprised of architects, engineers, or other persons who may or may not be Members of the Association. Any such delegation is at all times subject to the unilateral rights of Declarant (1) to revoke such delegation at any time and reassume jurisdiction over the matters previously delegated and (2) to veto any decision which Declarant in its sole discretion determines to be inappropriate or inadvisable for any reason. Declarant also has the unilateral right to exercise architectural control over vacant Lots in the Property. The Association, the Board of Directors, nor a committee appointed by the Association or Board (no matter how the committee is named) may involve itself with the approval of new Residences and related improvements on vacant Lots.
- B.3.4. Amendment. During the Development Period, Declarant may amend this Declaration and the other Documents to include Bylaws, without consent of the Board, other Owners or mortgagee, or Members for any purpose, including without limitation the following purposes:
- a. To create Lots, easements, and Common Areas within the Property.
- b. To modify the designation of the Area of Common Responsibility.

- c. To subdivide, combine, or reconfigure Lots.
- To convert Lots into Common Areas and Common Areas back to Lots.
- e. To modify the construction and use restrictions of this Declaration.
- f. To merge the Association with another property owners association.
- g. To comply with the requirements of an underwriting lender.
- h. To resolve conflicts, clarify ambiguities, and to correct misstatements, errors, or omissions in the Documents.
- i. To enable any reputable title insurance company to issue title insurance coverage on the Lots.
- j. To enable an institutional or governmental lender to make or purchase mortgage loans on the Lots.
- To change the name or entity of Declarant.
- 1. To change the name of the addition in which the Property is located.
- To change the name of the Association.
- n. For any other purpose, provided the amendment has no material adverse effect on any right of any Owner.
- B.3.5. Completion. During the Development Period, Declarant has (1) the right to complete or make improvements indicated on the Plat; (2) the right to sell or lease any Lot owned by Declarant; and (3) an easement and right to erect, construct, and maintain on and in the Common Area, Area of Common Responsibility, and Lots owned or leased by Declarant whatever Declarant determines to be necessary or advisable in connection with the construction, completion, management, maintenance, leasing, and marketing of the Property, including, without limitation, parking areas, temporary buildings, temporary fencing, portable toilets, storage areas, dumpsters, trailers, and commercial vehicles of every type.
- B.3.6. Easement to Inspect & Right to Correct. During the Development Period, Declarant reserves for itself the right, but not the duty, to inspect, monitor, test, redesign, correct, and relocate any structure, improvement or condition that may exist on any portion of the Property, including the Lots, and a perpetual nonexclusive easement of access throughout the Property to the extent reasonably necessary to exercise this right. Declarant will promptly repair, at its sole expense, any damage resulting from the exercise of this right. By way of illustration but not limitation, relocation of a screening wall located on a Lot may be warranted by a change of circumstance,

imprecise siting of the original wall, or desire to comply more fully with public codes and ordinances. This Section may not be construed to create a duty for Declarant or the Association.

- B.3.7. Promotion. During the Development Period, Declarant reserves for itself and any Builder an easement and right to place or install signs, banners, flags, display lighting, potted plants, exterior decorative items, seasonal decorations, temporary window treatments, and seasonal landscaping on the Property, including items and locations that are prohibited to other Owners and Residents, for purposes of promoting, identifying, and marketing the Property and/or Declarant's Residences, Lots, developments, or other products located outside the Property. Declarant reserves an easement and right to maintain, relocate, replace, or remove the same from time to time within the Property. Declarant also reserves the right to sponsor marketing events such as open houses, MLS tours, and broker's parties at the Property to promote the sale of Lots. During the Development Period, Declarant also reserves (1) the right to permit Builders to place signs and promotional materials on the Property and (2) the right to exempt Builders from the sign restriction in this Declaration.
- B.3.8. Offices. During the Development Period, Declarant reserves for itself the right to use Residences owned or leased by Declarant as models, storage areas, and offices for the marketing, management, maintenance, customer service, construction, and leasing of the Property and/or Declarant's developments or other products located outside the Property. Also, Declarant reserves for itself the easement and right to make structural changes and alterations on and to Lots or Residences used by Declarant as models, storage areas, and offices, as may be necessary to adapt them to the uses permitted herein.
- B.3.9. Access. During the Development Period, Declarant has an easement and right of ingress and egress in and through the Property for purposes of constructing, maintaining, managing, and marketing the Property and the Property Subject to Annexation (as hereinafter defined), and for discharging Declarant's obligations under this Declaration. Declarant also has the right to provide a reasonable means of access for the home buying public through any existing or future gate that restricts vehicular access to the Property in connection with the active marketing of Lots and Residences by Declarant or Builders, including the right to require that the gate be kept open during certain hours and/or on certain days. This provision may not be construed as an obligation or intent to gate the Property.
- B.3.10. Utility Easements. During the Development Period, Declarant may grant permits, licenses, and easements over, in, on, under, and through the Property for utilities, roads, and other purposes necessary for the proper development and operation of the Property. Declarant reserves the right to make changes in and additions to the easements on any Lot, as shown on the Plat, to more efficiently or economically install utilities or other improvements. Utilities may include, but are not limited to, water, sewer, trash removal, electricity, gas, telephone, television, cable, internet service, and security. To exercise this right as to land that is not a Common Area or not owned by Declarant, Declarant must have the prior written consent of the Owner.

- B.3.11. Assessments. For the duration of the Development Period, any Lot owned by Declarant is not subject to mandatory assessment or any special or other assessment or charge levied by the Association until the date Declarant transfers title to an Owner other than Declarant. If Declarant owns a Lot on the expiration or termination of the Development Period, from that day forward Declarant is liable for Assessments on each Lot owned by Declarant in the same manner as any Owner.
- B.3.12.Land Transfers. During the Development Period, any transfer of an interest in the Property to or from Declarant is not subject to any transfer-related provision in the Documents, including without limitation on an obligation for transfer or Resale Certificate fees, and the transfer-related provisions of this Declaration. The application of this provision includes without limitation Declarant's Lot take-downs, Declarant's sale of Lots to Builders, and Declarant's sale of Lots to homebuyers.
- B.4. COMMON AREAS. Declarant will convey title to the Common Areas, including any and all facilities, structures, improvements and systems of the Common Areas owned by Declarant, to the Association by one or more deeds with or without warranty. Any initial Common Area improvements will be installed, constructed, or authorized by Declarant, the cost of which is not a Common Expense of the Association. At the time of conveyance to the Association, the Common Areas will be free to encumbrance except for the property taxes accruing for the year of conveyance the terms of this Declaration and matters reflected on the Plat. Declarant's conveyance of title is a ministerial task that does not require and is not subject to acceptance by the Association or the Owners. The transfer of control of the Association at the end of the Declarant Control Period is not a transfer of Common Areas requiring inspection, evaluation, acceptance, or approval of Common Area improvements by the Owners. Declarant is under no contractual or other obligation to provide amenities of any kind or type.
- B.5. RESERVE OR WORKING CAPITAL FUND. Declarant may (but is not required to) establish a Reserve or Working Capital Fund for the Association by requiring purchasers of Lots to make a contribution to this fund, subject to the following conditions:
- a. The amount of the contribution to this fund will be collected on the closing of the sale of the Lot to any Owner other than Declarant, a Successor Declarant, Declarant-affiliate.
- b. Subject to the foregoing provision, a Lot's contribution should be collected from the Owner at closing upon sale of Lot from any Builder to any Owner or from any Owner to another Owner; Declarant acknowledges that this condition may create an inequity among the Owners, but deems it a necessary response to the diversification of marketing and closing Lot sales.
- d. Contributions to the fund are not advance payments of Regular Assessments or Special Assessments and are not refundable to the contributor by the Association or by Declarant.

This may not be construed to prevent a selling Owner from negotiating reimbursement of the contribution from a purchaser.

- e. Declarant will ensure the transfer, if applicable, the balance in any account is in the name of the Association on or before termination of the Declarant Control Period. Declarant may not use Association funds to defray Declarant's personal expenses or construction costs however, Declarant may, if necessary, utilize funds for the Association's operating needs in the event of a deficit in the Association's operating budget.
- B.6. SUCCESSOR DECLARANT. Declarant may designate one or more Successor Declarants' (herein so called) for specified designated purposes and/or for specified portions of the Property, or for all purposes and all of the Property. To be effective, the designation must be in writing, signed and acknowledged by Declarant and Successor Declarant, and recorded in the Real Property Records of Collin County, Texas. Declarant (or Successor Declarant) may subject the designation of Successor Declarant to limitations and reservations. Unless the designation of Successor Declarant provides otherwise, a Successor Declarant has the rights of Declarant under this Section and may designate further Successor Declarants.
- B.7. Declarant's Right to Annex Adjacent Property. Declarant hereby reserves for itself and its affiliates and/or any of their respective successors and assigns the right to annex any real property in the vicinity of the Property (the "Property Subject to Annexation") into the scheme of this Declaration as provided in this Declaration. Notwithstanding anything herein or otherwise to the contrary, Declarant and/or such affiliates, successors and/or assigns, subject to annexation of same into the real property, shall have the exclusive unilateral right, privilege and option (but never an obligation), from time to time, for as long as Declarant owns any portion of the Property or Property Subject to Annexation, to annex (a) all or any portion of the Property Subject to Annexation owned by Declarant, and (b) subject to the provisions of this Declaration and the jurisdiction of the Association, any additional property located adjacent to or in the immediate vicinity of the Property (collectively, the "Annexed Land"), by filing in the Official Public Records of Collin County, Texas, a Supplemental Declaration expressly annexing any such Annexed Land. Such Supplemental Declaration shall not require the vote of the Owners, the Members of the Association, or approval by the Board or other action of the Association or any other Person, subject to the prior annexation of such Annexed Land into the real property. Any such annexation shall be effective upon the filing of such Supplemental Declaration in the Official Public Records of Collin County, Texas (with consent of Owner(s) of the Annexed Land, if not Declarant). Declarant shall also have the unilateral right to transfer to any successor Declarant, Declarant's right, privilege and option to annex Annexed Land, provided that such successor Declarant shall be the developer of at least a portion of the Annexed Land and shall be expressly designated by Declarant in writing to be the successor or assignee to all or any part of Declarant's rights hereunder.

- B.7.1. Procedure for Annexation. Any such annexation shall be accomplished by the execution by Declarant, and the filing for record by Declarant (or the other Owner of the property being added or annexed, to the extent such other Owner has received a written assignment from Declarant of the right to annex hereunder) of a Supplemental Declaration which must set out and provide for the following:
- (i) A legally sufficient description of the Annexed Land being added or annexed, which Annexed Land must as a condition precedent to such annexation be included in the real property;
- (ii) That the Annexed Land is being annexed in accordance with and subject to the provisions of this Declaration, and that the Annexed Land being annexed shall be developed, held, used, sold and conveyed in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions of this Declaration as theretofore and thereafter amended; provided, however, that if any Lots or portions thereof being so annexed are to be treated differently than any of the other Lots (whether such difference is applicable to other Lots included therein or to the Lots now subject to this Declaration), the Supplemental Declaration should specify the details of such differential treatment and a general statement of the rationale and reasons for the difference in treatment, and if applicable, any other special or unique covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements or other requirements as may be applicable to all or any of the Lots or other portions of Annexed Land being annexed;
- (iii) That all of the provisions of this Declaration, as amended, shall apply to the Annexed Land being added or annexed with the same force and effect as if said Annexed Land were originally included in this Declaration as part of the Initial Property, with the total number of Lots increased accordingly;
- (iv) That an Assessment Lien is therein created and reserved in favor of the Association to secure collection of the Assessments as provided in this Declaration, and as provided for, authorized or contemplated in the Supplemental Declaration, and setting forth the first year Maintenance Assessments and the amount of any other then applicable Assessments (if any) for the Lots within the Annexed Land being made subject to this Declaration; and
- (v) Such other provisions as the Declarant therein shall deem appropriate.
- B.7.2. Amendment. The provisions of this B.7. or its sub-sections may not be amended without the express written consent of Declarant (and Declarant's successors and assigns in accordance with the terms hereof).
- B.7.3. No Duty to Annex. Nothing herein contained shall establish any duty or obligation on the part of the Declarant or any Member to annex any property to this Declaration and no Owner of the property excluded from this Declaration shall have any right to have such property annexed thereto.

B.7.4. Effect of Annexation on Class B Membership. In determining the number of Lots owned by the Declarant for the purpose of Class B Membership status the total number of Lots covered by this Declaration and located in such Declarant's portion of the Property, including all Lots acquired by the Declarant and annexed thereto, shall be considered. If Class B Membership has previously lapsed but annexation of additional property restores the ratio of Lots owned by the Declarant to the number required by Class B Membership, such Class B Membership shall be reinstated until it expires pursuant to the terms of the Declaration.

[End of Appendix B]

Exhibit "C"

THE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION OF DOVE CREEK, INC.

Design Guidelines

PART ONE: LANDSCAPING, FENCES AND EXTERIOR ELEMENTS

SECTION 1.1 LANDSCAPING:

Upon completion of each dwelling unit, each dwelling must comply with the landscaping requirements of any applicable City of Frisco Ordinances and Association Rules. Notwithstanding, compliance with the foregoing, the following landscape elements shall be installed prior to occupancy of the dwelling:

- 1.1.1 Sod: Each dwelling shall have full sod installed for the entire front, sides, and rear yard. Bermuda will be allowed as a drought tolerant turf, however, alternative native drought tolerant grasses, which remain green while using fifty percent (50%) less water, may be used.
- 1.1.2 Trees: A minimum of two (2) medium to large trees with a minimum caliper of three inches (3"), measured at a point six (6) inches above ground level and approximately 12 feet in height at the time of planting shall be required for all Lots. At least one (1) of the trees shall be located in the front yard. Any variance to this rule may require the written permission of the City of Frisco and the ACC. Tree placement along city streets shall comply with City of Frisco standards. Street trees may be counted as one (1) tree requirement applicable to each lot. All trees shall be planted a minimum of four (4) feet from easements, curbs, utility lines, screening walls, fences, sidewalks, and alleys or as shall be determined by the City of Frisco and the ACC. Each homeowner shall be responsible for the proper watering and preservation of trees located on their property and street trees located in front of or adjacent to their property. Owners shall promptly replace dead trees located on their Lot within thirty (30) days when favorable planting weather exists or otherwise within sixty (60) days of loss occurrences. Owners shall report dead or dving street trees to the Association prior to taking any action to replace.
- 1.1.3 Shrubbery and Planting Beds: Each Dwelling shall have a minimum of ten (10) one (1) gallon shrubs planted in a mulched planting bed; the planting bed shall have edging materials to separate the sod and bed mulch areas. Builders are encouraged to provide drought tolerant plants able to survive stage three drought conditions. The homeowner shall be responsible for the maintenance a preservation of the shrubs and planting bed, and shall promptly replace dead plants within thirty (30) days when favorable planting weather exists or otherwise within sixty (60) days of loss occurrences.

1.1.4 Landscaping for Lots located along major thoroughfares and Rights-of-Way may require more arduous landscaping requirements than other Lots which may include Sight Visibility Triangle restrictions and limitations. Builders are responsible for familiarizing themselves with the City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance for required landscape. Each irrigation zone shall apply water to sod, trees, and plants for the healthy growth. An automatic, underground irrigation system shall provide one hundred percent (100%) coverage for all living screens and plantings. Drip lines may be used in some circumstances including landscape beds, tree wells. Areas within ten (10) feet from the curb must be irrigated only by drip irrigation or efficient low precipitation nozzles as may be approved by City of Frisco and the ACC.

SECTION 1.2 FENCES:

1.2.1 All required walls, fencing, and other screening must be installed and completed prior to sale and occupancy of the Home. Wooden Fencing shall be the primary form of fencing for residential Lots. Notwithstanding, certain Lots, along the side and/or rear portion of Lots within the sub-division shall be required to have wrought iron ornamental fencing. All wood fences to have step ups and step downs to adjust for grade and all residential fences shall have gates that are equal in height to the fence within which the gate is added and shall have the same or similar characteristics in style and material to the wall or fence in which the gate is installed.

Major thoroughfares and Some Corner Lots with the exception of those Lots listed under Exhibit 1.2.3-WI which shall require ornamental wrought iron on certain portions of the Lot, the remaining Lots shall require Board-on-Board fencing, a minimum of six feet (6') in height and set back at least five feet from the property line. Fences may not be closer than five feet (5') to the front façade of the home on the Corner Lot or Major Thoroughfare side(s). Fencing shall be pre-stained Spruce or better with steel posts mounted on the inside so as not to be visible, and wall construction shall comply with the details indicated in Exhibit Attachment 1.2.1.

All wood fencing, unless otherwise approved by the ACC, shall be stained and preserved as follows:

Manufacturer: Seal Rite

Color: Medium Brown - or similar color acceptable to

ACC.

1.2.2 Interior Lots: Only those portions of interior Lots not visible from any street shall be a minimum of six feet (6°) in height. Notwithstanding any fencing requirement per the City of Frisco which may have a higher standard or those portions of fencing outlined in Exhibit 1.2.3-WI, fencing shall be pre-stained Spruce or better with steel posts mounted on the inside so as not to be

visible, and wall construction shall comply with the details indicated in Exhibit Attachment 1.2.1 unless the City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance for fences has a higher standard. All such fencing shall be stained and preserved as shown in 1.2.1 above or as the ACC may allow.

1.2.3 Required Wrought Iron Fencing: Six Foot (6') High Ornamental Metal Fence: Certain Lots within Dove Creek require Builders to install 6-foot high ornamental wrought iron along certain rear and side perimeters of the Lot as part of the initial construction. If wrought iron fencing is a requirement, the fence shall have black ornamental wrought iron. All fences shall meet the minimum design and quality requirements as noted in the PD Ordinance 259 for the City of Frisco. Failure to install the proper fencing shall result in a notice from the ACC requiring the removal and replacement of required fencing at the sole expense of the Builder if installed by the Builder or otherwise by the Owner. No variation of design shall be permitted. Fence areas shall be unobstructed by screening or other materials unless specifically approved in writing by the ACC. See Exhibit 1.2.3-WI attached for sample of acceptable fencing and list of Lots and Blocks requiring Ornamental Wrought Iron. ALL ORNAMENTAL METAL SHALL HAVE A DARK BRONZE PAINT FINISH PER CITY OF FRISCO ZONING ORDINANCE.

SECTION 1.3 MAIL BOXES:

- 1.3.1 Mail boxes shall be cluster boxes. Cluster boxes shall be chosen by the Declarant or ACC and shall comply with all applicable State and Federal postal standards and requirements.
- 1.3.2 Mail Box Location: Location of Cluster Boxes shall be determined by the Declarant in conjunction with the approval of the U.S. Postal Service.

SECTION 1.4 FLAGS AND FLAGPOLES

- 1.4.1 The only flags which may be displayed are: (i) the flag of the United States of America; (ii) the flag of the State of Texas; and (iii) an official or replica flag of any branch of the United States armed forces. No other types of flags, pennants, banners, kits or similar types of displays are permitted on a Lot if the display is visible from a street or Common Area.
- 1.4.2 The flag of the United States must be displayed in accordance with 4 U.S.C. Sections 5-10.
- 1.4.3 The flag of the State of Texas must be displayed in accordance with Chapter 3100 of the Texas Government Code.
- 1.4.4 Any freestanding flagpole, or flagpole attached to a dwelling, shall be constructed of permanent, long-lasting materials. The materials used for the flagpole shall be harmonious with the dwelling, and must have a silver finish with a gold or silver ball at the top. The flagpole must not exceed three (3) inches in diameter.

- 1.4.5 The display of a flag, or the location and construction of the supporting flagpole, shall comply with applicable zoning ordinances, easements, and setbacks of record.
- 1.4.6 A displayed flag, and the flagpole on which it is flown, shall be maintained in good condition at all times. Any flag that is deteriorated must be replaced or removed. Any flagpole that is structurally unsafe or deteriorated shall be repaired, replaced, or removed.
- 1.4.7 Only one flagpole will be allowed per Lot. A flagpole can either be securely attached to the face of the dwelling (no other structure) or be a freestanding flagpole. A flagpole attached to the dwelling may not exceed 4 feet in length. A freestanding flagpole may not exceed 20 feet in height. Any freestanding flagpole must be located in either the front yard or backyard of a Lot, and there must be a distance of at least 5 feet between the flagpole and the property line.
- 1.4.8 Any flag flown or displayed on a freestanding flagpole may be no smaller than 3'x5' and no larger than 4'x6'.
- 1.4.9 Any flag flown or displayed on a flagpole attached to the dwelling may be no larger than 3'x5'.
- 1.4.10 Any freestanding flagpole must be equipped to minimize halyard noise. The preferred method is through the use of an internal halyard system. Alternatively, swivel snap hooks must be covered or "Quiet Halyard" Flag snaps installed. Neighbor complaints of noisy halyards are a basis to have flagpole removed until Owner resolves the noise complaint.
- 1.4.11 The illumination of a flag is allowed so long as it does not create a disturbance to other residents in the community. Solar powered, pole mounted light fixtures are preferred as opposed to ground mounted light fixtures. Compliance with all municipal requirements for electrical ground mounted installations must be certified by Owner. Flag illumination may not shine into another dwelling. Neighbor complaints regarding flag illumination are a basis to prohibit further illumination until Owner resolves complaint.
- 1.4.12 Flagpoles shall not be installed in Common Area or property maintained by the Association.
- 1.4.13 All freestanding flagpole installations must receive prior written approval from the Reviewer.

SECTION 1.5 RAIN BARRELS OR RAINWATER HARVESTING SYTEMS

- 1.5.1 Rain barrels or rain water harvesting systems and related system components (collectively, "Rain Barrels") may only be installed after receiving the written approval of the Reviewer.
- 1.5.2 Rain Barrels may not be installed upon or within common area of the Association.
- 1.5.3 Under no circumstances shall Rain Barrels be installed or located in or on any area within a Lot that is in-between the front of the property owner's home and an adjoining or adjacent street.
- 1.5.4 The rain barrel must be of color that is consistent with the color scheme of the property owner's home and may not contain or display any language or other content that is not typically displayed on such Rain Barrels as manufactured.
- 1.5.5 Rain Barrels may be located in the side-yard or back-yard of an owner's Residential Parcel so long as these may not be seen from a street, another Lot or any common area of the Association.
- 1.5.6 In the event the installation of Rain Barrels in the side-yard or back-yard of an owner's property in compliance with paragraph 1.5.5 above is impossible, the Reviewing Body may impose limitations or further requirements regarding the size, number and screening of Rain Barrels with the objective of screening the Rain Barrels from public view to the greatest extent possible. The owner must have sufficient area on their Lot to accommodate the Rain Barrels.
- 1.5.7 Rain Barrels must be properly maintained at all times or removed by the owner.
- 1.5.8 Rain Barrels must be enclosed or covered.
- 1.5.9 Rain Barrels which are not properly maintained become unsightly or could serve as a breeding pool for mosquitoes must be removed by the owner from the Lot.

SECTION 1.6 RELIGIOUS DISPLAYS

- 1.6.1 An owner may display or affix on the entry to the owner's or resident's dwelling one or more religious items, the display of which is motivated by the owner's or resident's sincere religious belief.
- 1.6.2 If displaying or affixing of a religious item on the entry to the owner's or resident's dwelling violates any of the following covenants, The Association may remove the item displayed:
 - (1) threatens the public health or safety;
 - (2) violates a law;

- (3) contains language, graphics, or any display that is patently offensive to a passerby;
- (4) is in a location other than the entry door or door frame or extends past the outer edge of the door frame of the owner's or resident's dwelling; or
- (5) individually or in combination with each other religious item displayed or affixed on the entry door or door frame has a total size of greater than 25 square inches.
- 1.6.3 No owner or resident is authorized to use a material or color for an entry door or door frame of the owner's or resident's dwelling or make an alteration to the entry door or door frame that is not authorized by the Association, Declaration or otherwise expressly approved by the Architectural Control Committee.

PART TWO: DWELLING UNITS

SECTION 2.1 ROOFS, BANDING, AND GROUND OR ROOF MOUNTED MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT.

- 2.1.1 Minimum of 8-in-12 slope, notwithstanding, lesser roof pitches may be considered based on the style of the dwelling to be constructed and shall require written consent of the ACC prior to construction. Variances in roof pitches may also be contingent upon requirements or allowances for roof pitches with regard to dormers and other architectural details on front elevations. Roof Pitches for porches, windows, garages, and some patios may be allowed a lesser pitch upon written consent of the ACC.
- 2.1.2 Roofing Materials: Roofing materials shall be asphalt shingles with a minimum 30-year rated shingle having a minimum weight of 220 pounds per square (100 square feet) and have a color scheme in the weather wood or browns and grey color schemes. Black shingles will be considered on a case by case basis and shall require the prior written approval of the ACC before installation.
- 2.1.3 Dormers & Above Roof Chimneys: Dormers and Chimney Chases, above roof structure and roofing materials, must be finished with an approved material based on the City of Frisco requirements. All Fireplace flues shall be enclosed and finished; exposed pre-fabricated metal flue piping is prohibited. Some exceptions may be considered notwithstanding, no such metal flue shall be installed in an area visible from the front of the street or home.

SECTION 2.2 CERTAIN ROOFING MATERIALS

- 2.2.1 Roofing Shingles allowed under this Section shall:
 - (1) resemble the shingles used or otherwise authorized for use in the community;
 - (2) be more durable than and are of equal or superior quality to the shingles

- used or otherwise authorized for use in the community.
- (3) match the aesthetics of the property surrounding the property of the owner requesting permission to install the Roofing Shingles.
- 2.2.3 The owner requesting permission to install the Roofing Shingles will be solely responsible for accrediting, certifying and demonstrating to the Reviewer that the proposed installation is in full compliance with paragraphs a and b above.
- 2.2.4 Roofing Shingles shall be installed after receiving the written approval of the Reviewer.
- 2.2.5 Owners are hereby placed on notice that the installation of Roofing Materials may void or adversely affect other warranties.

SECTION 2.3 SOLAR PANELS / SOLAR SHINGLES

- 2.3.1 Solar energy devices, including any related equipment or system components (collectively, "Solar Panels") may only be installed after receiving the written approval of the Architectural Control Committee.
- 2.3.2 Solar Panels or Solar Shingles may not be installed upon or within common area or any area which is maintained by the Association.
- 2.3.3 Solar Panels may only be installed on designated locations on the roof of a home, on any structure allowed under any Association dedicatory instrument, or within any fenced rear-yard or fenced-in patio of the owner's property, but only as allowed by the Reviewer. Solar Panels and/or Solar Shingles may not be installed on the front elevation of the residence.
- 2.3.4 If located on the roof of a home, Solar Panels shall:
 - (1) not extend higher than or beyond the roofline;
 - (2) conform to the slope of the roof;
 - (3) have a top edge that is parallel to the roofline; and
 - (4) have a frame, support bracket, or wiring that is black or painted to match the color of the roof tiles or shingles of the roof. Piping must be painted to match the surface to which it is attached, i.e. the soffit and wall. Panels must blend with the color of the roof to the greatest extent possible.
- 2.3.5 If located in the fenced rear-yard or patio, Solar Panels shall not be taller than the fence line or visible from a Lot, common area or street.
- 2.3.6 The Reviewer may deny a request for the installation of Solar Panels if it determines that the placement of the Solar Panels, as proposed by the property owner, will create an interference with the use and enjoyment of land of neighboring owners.

- 2.3.7 Owners are hereby placed on notice that the installation of Solar Panels or Solar Shingles may void or adversely affect roof warranties. Any installation of Solar Panels which voids material warranties is not permitted and will be cause for the Solar Panels to be removed by the owner.
- 2.3.8 Solar Panels or Solar Shingles must be properly maintained at all times or removed by the owner.
 - 2.3.9 Solar Panels or Solar Shingles which become non-functioning or inoperable must be removed by the owner of the property.

SECTION 2.4 EXTERIOR WALLS

- 2.4.1 Exterior walls, per the City of Frisco Zoning and Planning Development Ordinance shall require one-hundred percent (100%) masonry as approved by the ACC for patio and single-family homes. Residential material requirements for the exterior facades of the main residence shall be constructed of one-hundred percent (100%) masonry, unless otherwise specified in the City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance. Primary forms of mason shall be brick veneer and stone veneer. 3-Step system fiber cement siding may constitute up to fifty percent (50%) of stories other than the first story, where located over roofline. Fiber cement siding may also be used for architectural features, including window boxouts, bay windows, roof dormers, garage door headers of rear entry garages, columns, chimneys not part of an exterior wall, or other architectural features approved by the ACC.
 - 2.4.1.1 Siding in very limited quantities for upper gable areas that would create a "brick-on-wood" condition may be considered however; this provision is for special conditions only and is not intended to reduce the essential 100% masonry requirement. Approval of the use of this provision is at the sole discretion of the Reviewer and the City of Frisco.
 - 2.4.1.2 Side and Rear Walls: Side and rear wall surfaces shall comply with the overall masonry requirements as set forth in the City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance. Where materials other than mason may be used, when applicable, exterior-grade siding materials may be used
 - 2.4.1.3 Chimneys: Chimney wall structures that are a direct extension of an exterior wall shall match the requirement of said wall.
 - 2.4.1.4 Required masonry percentages shall be calculated excluding exterior wall areas built on top of a roof.

SECTION 2.5 WINDOWS

2.5.1 Windows may be constructed of vinyl with or without divided light on all front windows. Windows must compliment the residence and be of a quality that allows for energy efficiency. Some restrictions may apply for windows in walls backing siding collectors, parks or open spaces. Reflective glass is prohibited. Windows.

SECTION 2.6 FRONT PORCHES

2.6.1 Houses on Lots in areas shown on Exhibit 2.6.1-P shall incorporate front porches and shall meet the minimum standards for porches as described in the City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance Section 04.07.16 and shall have building setback of twelve (12) feet.

SECTION 2.7 GARAGE

2.7.1 A garage face for front facing garages shall either be set back a minimum of five (5) feet from the front of the house or front porch or be a minimum of twenty-five feet (25') from the front property line, whichever is greater. Front facing garage doors shall also contain at least three (3) of the following enhancements: (i) garage door recessed a minimum of twelve (12) inches from the garage face; (ii) Cedar/wood clad doors; (iii) Double doors; (iv) Decorative windows; (v) Decorative hardware; or (vi) Reveals/texture. Rear entry garage doors may be constructed of metal or metal with wood overlay so long as the use of metal garage doors on rear entry residences does not violate any applicable City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance. J-Swing garages required certain setbacks which shall comply with the City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance. Garage doors shall be kept in good repair at all times. Doors should remain closed when not in use and no garage may be turned into a living quarters or business on any temporary or permanent basis.

SECTION 2.8 FRONT DOORS AND ADDRESS BLOCKS

2.8.1 Homes shall be designed in a manner that enhances the front door rather than or in addition to the garage door and shall include one of the following: (i) Front porch; (ii) Columns/Gateways/Articulation at the sidewalk. All address blocks shall be cast stone and shall never be blocked with landscape or any other architectural feature.

SECTION 2.9 DRIVEWAYS

Driveways for Blocks B, C, D, E, G, and M as shown on the final plat for Dove Creek shall access the Alleys, no driveways for Lots on the above-named Blocks may access the streets. Driveways shall be constructed of concrete. Driveways and entryways for homes fronting a street may require decorative paving techniques per the City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance. Any colored concrete (stain mixed in, not applied after), stamped or patterned concrete, or brick or pave stone used shall require the prior

written consent of the ACC. No widening of a driveway is allowed without prior written consent of the ACC is allowed.

SECTION 2.10 ELEVATION AND BRICK USAGE

- 2.10.1 Same Plan with Same Elevation: The repeat of the same floor plan with the same elevation design shall be governed by the following provisions:
 - 2.10.1.1 Dwelling units using the same floor plan and same elevation on the same side of the street shall be separated by a minimum of two (2) lots. A one (1) Lot separation will be permitted when a street intersection occurs, the street right-of-way serves as a Lot equivalent. Dwelling units using the same floor plan and same elevation for the opposite side of street shall not be constructed directly across from each other.
- 2.10.2 Repeat Brick Usage: All Dwelling submittals shall calculate the percentage coverage for each material as follows:
 - 2.10.2.1 Same Side of Street: No combination of brick color, mortar color, and sand color shall be repeated for adjacent dwellings. Street and alley intersections are acceptable separation elements.
 - 2.10.2.2 Opposite Side of Street: There are no restrictions for the use of brick color, mortar color, and sand color for dwelling units on opposing sides of the street.
- 2.10.3 Exterior Material Area Calculations: All Dwelling submittals shall calculate the percentage coverage for each material as follows:
 - 2.10.3.1 Calculation Method: Calculations for material coverage percentages shall include all exposed areas of the wall surface, excluding window and door openings.
 - 2.10.3.2 Calculation Format: Calculations shall indicate the area coverage for front, side, and rear wall areas. Calculations shall be submitted in the following format:

PLANS SUBMITTED MUST INCLUDE A MASONRY TABLE FOR ALL SIDES AND ELEVATIONS OF THE RESIDENCE OR RISK BEING RETURNED WITHOUT THE DESIRED APPROVAL.

SECTION 2.11 DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS AND ZONING ORDINANCES

2.11.1 All construction must comply with the City of Frisco Development Standards Zoning Ordinance 11-04-09 and PD 259. SF-7 Zoning Standards apply. Although this Declaration and its Design Guidelines make every effort to list the minimum standards required by the City of Frisco it is the Builders and Owners responsibility to ensure all construction performed, whether new construction, reconstruction, or modification, complies with the City of Frisco's standards. At all times and in every circumstance, the higher standard shall prevail.

SECTION 2.12 PATIO HOMES: Requirements for Patio Homes with regard to materials and all general construction and design shall follow the same regulations as single-family detached homes unless otherwise specified in this Declaration.

PATIO HOMES WITH ZERO LOTS: Patio Homes shall be shall allow for the development of "zero-lot-line" or "center" options. For Lots with a zero (0) side yard setback the following shall apply:

- A roof overhang equipped with a gutter may extend a maximum of eight (8) inches into a neighboring property. No other roof overhangs or extensions from a wall may extend into a neighboring Lot.
- The closest exterior roofline to an adjacent property shall be storm guttered if the general slope of the roof falls toward the neighboring property. Gutters shall include returns to direct the water to the Lot of origin.
- The "Zero" side shall be designated on the Final Plat. All access, maintenance, and use easements shall be provided on preliminary and Final Plats. Unless otherwise specified, the side setback for Zero Lots shall be Zero on one side and ten (10) feet on the other. For corner lots, the set back on the non-zero Lot side shall be fifteen (15) feet.
- A five (5) foot wide access, maintenance, and use easement shall be dedicated on the Final Plat for all Lots adjacent to Lots with a "Zero" side. The purpose of this easement is to give the adjoining Owner access for maintenance of his/her dwelling.
- The majority of one side of the structure shall be located within three (3) feet of one side Lot line. Building walls which are located adjacent to the "Zero" side of the Lot shall not have any doors, windows, ducts, grills, vents, or other openings. This requirement precludes exterior walls forming enclosures for courts, patios, or similar indentations to the "Zero" wall.
- Minimum Lot size for Zero Lots is fifty (50) feet.

SECTION 2.13 CENTER OPTION LOTS:

PATIO HOMES WITH CENTER OPTION LOTS

- Lots not using a "Zero" side yard setback shall be considered Center Option Lots. Side setbacks for Center Option Lots shall be seven (7) feet on both sides notwithstanding, corner Lots shall have a fifteen (15) foot setback.
- Center Option Lots shall conform to the City of Frisco standards listed within Zoning Ordinance 11-04-09.
- The minimum rear yard for Center Option Lots shall be twelve (12) feet.

- Twenty (20) feet for structures accommodating required off-street parking if provided, from a dedicated street or private alley.
- Minimum Lot size for Center Option Lots shall be fifty-five (55) feet.

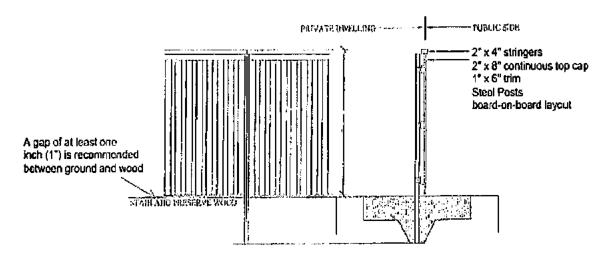
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IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EVERY OWNER AND/OR BUILDER TO ENSURE THAT ALL CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS FROM THE CITY OF FRISCO ZONING AND BUIDLING ORDINANCE AS WELL AS THOSE OUTLINED IN THIS DECLARATION AND ITS GUIDELINES ARE FOLLOWED. NOT ALL CITY ORDINANCES MAY BE INCLUDED THEREFORE, EACH OWNER AND/OR BUILDER SHOULD BE SURE TO REVIEW THIS DECLARATION AND THE CITY ORDINANCES PRIOR TO COMMENCING CONSTRUCTION, RE-CONSTRUCTION, MODIFICATION, OR ANY OTHER CHANGE.

Exhibit Attachment 1.2.1.1 – Fencing on corner lots and backing up to major thoroughfare

THIS EXHIBIT IS FOR SAMPLE PURPOSES ONLY.

ALL FENCES MUST MEET THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF THE CITY OF FRISCO ZONING ORDINANCE FOR FENCES AND THIS DECLARATION.



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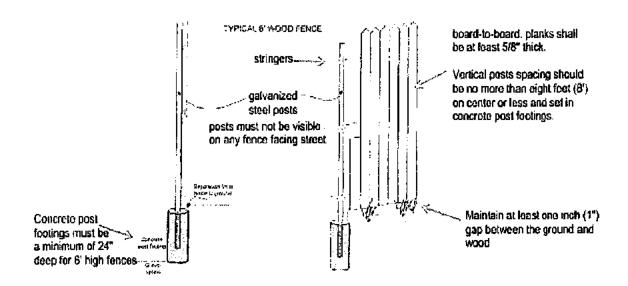
Minimum Fonce height shall be six feet (6'). Heights greater than six feet (6') require prior written approval of the ACC. See Section 1.2.1 of the Design Guidelines for more information.

Major Thoroughfare and Corner Lot Fence Details

Exhibit Attachment 1.2.2.1 – Standard Side and Rear Yard Fences

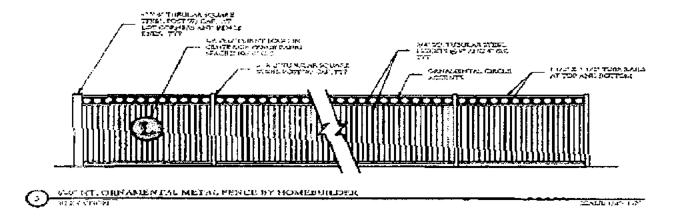
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TOP RAIL PREFERRED BUT NOT REQUIRED. TRIM FOR SIDE AND REAR YARD FENCES NOT VISIBLE FROM THE STREET IS OPTIONAL. ALL FENCES MUST BE STAINED WITH THE COLOR SPECIFIED IN SECTION 1.2.1 OF THE DESIGN GUIDELINES.

Exhibit Attachment 1.2.3-WI - Ornamental Wrought Iron Required to be installed by Builders per City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance



The following Lots are required to have Ornamental Wrought Iron where indicated:

- Block A, Lots 1, 2, & 3: All portions of the Lot facing Lot 1X, Public Open Space
- Block A, Lot 16: South side of the Lot facing Freemon Place
- Block B, Lot 1: Full south side of this Lot facing Dolcetto Lane
- Block B, Lot 5: Full north side of this Lot facing Single Leaf Drive
- Block B, Lots 10 & 11: East side of both these Lots facing Tablerock Drive
- Block D, Lot 1: West side facing Maple Bend Drive
- Block D, Lot 7: East side facing Tablerock Drive
- Block D, Lots 24, 25 & 39: West side facing Maplebend Drive
- Block E, Lots 1 & 6: West side facing Maplebend Drive
- Block G, Lot 1: West side facing Chadwell Drive
- Block G. Lot 5: East side facing Valley Manor Drive
- Block G, Lots 12 & 13: Southeast side facing Tavendale Drive
- Block H, Lots 1, 2, & 3: All portions of the Lots facing Lot 4X Public Open Space
- Block H, Lots 4 to 13: All Portions of the Lots facing Lot 5X Public Open Space;
 and Lot 10 of Block H, west side of Lot facing Valley Manor Drive
- Block H, Lot 19: South side of Lot facing Hardy Drive
- Block J, Lots 1 & 17: North side of Lots facing Groverton Drive
- Block J, Lots 9 & 10: South side of each Lot facing Iron Hollow Drive
- Block K, Lot 1: North side of Lot facing Hardy Drive
- Block L, Lots 5 to 10: Southeastern section of all Lots facing Lot 6X Public Open Space
- Block L, Lots 11, 12, 13, & 29: All sections of the Lots facing northerly facing Lot 6X Public Open Space
- Block L, Lots 21 & 22: South side of Lots facing Iron Hollow Drive
- Block M, Lot 7: All sections of the Lot facing Lot 8X. Public Park
- Lot M, Block 12: West side facing Baltzell Drive
- Block M, Lot 15: East side facing Maple Bend Drive

Exhibit Attachment 2.6.1-P

Blocks and Lots requiring front porches Per City of Frisco Zoning Ordinance

Block A, Lots 12 to 16 & Lot 27

Block B, Lots 1, & Lots 6 to 14

Block C, Lots 4 to 8

Block D, Lots 1 to 7 and Lots 19 to 24

Block G, Lots 1 to 12

Block H, Lots 1 to 9

Block M, Lots 12 to 15



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