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**COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS  
MEADOWBROOKE SUBDIVISION  
THIRD ADDITION**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that JOSEPH E. OSBORN and DONALD P. OSBORN, d/b/a OSBORN DEVELOPMENT, a partnership, are owners of the following described real estate, to wit:

2/100

Lots numbered 117 thru 170 "MEADOWBROOKE SUBDIVISION, THIRD ADDITION, a subdivision according to the plat of same recorded in Plat Cabinet 62, at Page 136 in the Recorders Office of Madison County, Illinois, hereinafter referred to as the "SUBDIVISION".

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the benefits accrued and to accrue to the undersigned by reason of the Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions imposed upon said real estate as hereinafter set forth, and as part of a plan for the use, improvement, development, sale and purchase of said real estate, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, do hereby subject and bind the aforesaid real estate to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, and do hold each and every Lot above described, or portion thereof, for use and sale subject to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, and do declare that no Lot or Lots above described or portion thereof, shall be sold, used, or conveyed by them, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, or assigns, except subject to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, whether expressly stated in the deed of conveyance or not, to-wit:

**1. TIME PERIOD AND ENFORCEMENT OF RESTRICTIONS**

These covenants and restrictions are to run with the land and shall be binding on all parties and all persons claiming under them until December 31, 2021, at which time said Covenants and Restrictions shall automatically be extended for successive periods of (10) ten years, unless at the time the majority of the then owners of the lots shall agree to change or modify the Covenants in whole or in part.

However, notwithstanding the foregoing, these covenants and restrictions may from time to time be altered or amended by the concurrence in writing of two-thirds (2/3) of the owners of record of the lots in said subdivision, providing however, no charges shall be made without the concurrence of the Dedicators hereof so long as the Dedicators own any lots subject to this plan.

Modification or amendment to said Covenants and Restrictions shall be effective upon recording of same together with an affidavit certifying said vote be the secretary of the Homeowners Association, in the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois.

Should the Declarants, their heirs, successors, personal representatives, or assigns, violate or attempt to violate any of the Covenants and Restrictions herein, it shall be lawful, and the power and

authority is hereby given, to any other person or persons owning any of the above described real property, or for the Homeowners Association, without further authority or directions, to enforce, or to prosecute any proceedings at law or in equity to enforce these Covenants and Restrictions, or to directly or consequently from such violation, together with expenses, court costs, any attorneys' fees incurred in such proceedings. Invalidation of any one of these Covenants or Restrictions, or any portion thereof, by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.

## **2. LAND USE AND BUILDING TYPE**

No lot shall be used except for residential purposes. No building will be erected, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any lot other than one detached single-family dwelling, not to exceed two stories in height, excluding the basement, plus an attached garage for not less than 2 cars.

## **3. BUILDING LOCATION**

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## **4. PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS**

Plans and specifications for each dwelling to be construed, showing location of the dwelling on the Lot, landscaping, all four exterior elevations, all exterior lighting, materials to be used on all exterior wall and roof surface and all other construction details and materials which are the subject of these Covenants and Restrictions, shall be submitted to the Architectural Control Committee of the Meadowbrooke Homeowner Association (hereinafter called the "Architectural Control Committee") for written approval, before construction is started. Joseph E. Osborn and Donald P. Osborn, are hereby appointed the initial members of the Architectural Control Committee. The Architectural Control Committee shall have absolute discretion in the approval or disapproval of any structure in Subdivision pursuant to these Covenants and Restrictions. The Architectural Control Committee shall serve without pay and, in discharging the duties imposed upon them hereunder, is hereby granted an easement prior to and during construction of any structure, and in discharging their duties hereunder, to enter upon any Lot in the Subdivision and will not be deemed to be trespassing thereby, and may enter into contracts and employ agents, servants, and counsel as they deem necessary in the performance of their duties. No member of The Architectural Control Committee shall be held personally liable for negligence or for injury to person or damage to property, or for any other act or omission in the absence of willful and deliberate misconduct. The above named initial members of the Architectural Control Committee shall hold office until all Lots in Meadowbrooke Subdivision are sold, or until their successors are elected by the Homeowners Association, whichever is later, and in the event of death or resignation of either said initial members while holding such office, the survivor of them shall have the right to name a replacement member. Commencing with the sale of the last of the Lots above described, the Homeowners Association shall elect the members of the Architectural Control Committee at its annual meeting. At the first such meeting, two members of the new Architectural Control Committee shall be elected, who hold office for respective periods, according to their election, for 1 and 2 year terms, and at subsequent annual meetings, their successors shall be elected for 2 year terms, to replace the member of the Architectural Control Committee whose term expires. The President of the Homeowners Association shall appoint a replacement member for any member of the Architectural Control Committee who fails to remain in office.

**5. DWELLING SIZE AND MISCELLANEOUS**

a. No one-story dwelling shall be permitted on any lot which has less than 1,400 square feet of livable floor space, excluding garages, any space below ground level, and open porches and balconies, no one-and-one half story or two story dwelling shall be permitted on any Lot which has less than 1,600 square feet of such floor space, with at least 830 square feet of such space on the first floor. The character and design of garages must conform to the character and design of the dwelling structure.

b. No recreational apparatus will be permitted in any front yard, or side yard, next to a platted street. Recreational apparatus, including swing sets, swimming pools, playground equipment or similar devices shall not be located at any point toward the front lot line, past a line drawn parallel with and intersecting the front dwelling structure. The Architectural Control Committee shall have absolute discretion to decide what is a front or side yard, and to approve, or disapprove of any recreational construction or apparatus pursuant to these Covenants and Restrictions.

c. No noxious or offensive trade or activity shall be carried on upon any Lot, nor shall anything be done thereon which may be or become an annoyance or nuisance to the neighborhood.

d. No Lot or driveway, outside the exterior walls of the main residential structure or garage, shall be used for the purpose of blocking or jacking automobiles or other vehicles for repair, or for repairing any one or more automobiles, for any period of time.

e. No shed, trailer, recreational vehicle, tent, shack, garage, barn, basement, or outbuilding erected on any Lot shall at any time be used as a residence, temporarily or permanently, no shall any structure of a temporary character be used as a residence.

f. No trucks, trailers, or commercial vehicles will be allowed to stand upon any Lot, other than service vehicles making deliveries and light pick-up and panel trucks. No campers, trucks, mobile equipment, motor homes or recreational vehicles will be permitted to be stored outside the dwelling or garage on any Lot in the Subdivision.

g. Each Lot shall have a garage fully capable of housing a minimum of two automobiles. All buildings, including garages, shall be attached to the dwelling structure.

h. No structure of any kind shall be allowed on any Lot, except the dwelling house and attached garage, and nothing shall be stored in the open, outside said dwelling or garage, with exception of neatly stacked firewood, for use in the residence on that Lot, except during the period of construction of the dwelling house, it being the intent that, among other things, no lawn buildings, garbage cans or visible clothes lines be allowed.

i. All exterior lighting, including but not limited to directional lighting, shall be so located, shaded, and of such intensity so as not to become a visual nuisance to any adjoining or nearby Lot owner, and shall be subject to approval of the Architectural Control Committee.

j. No piece or part of any platted building Lot in the subdivision may be sold, except if said piece or part is sold to an adjoining Lot owner, in which case it becomes an integral part of that Lot and subject to the same restrictive covenants herein stated. No Lot shall ever be used or sold for road purposes except by the developer.

k. No exterior antennas other than those attached to a residence of the size and

type commonly used for the reception of local television signals shall be permitted. No citizen's band, short wave or ham radio antennas shall be permitted. No citizen's band, short wave or ham radio antennas shall be permitted. A satellite television disk receiver if used shall be the wire mesh see through type, dark in color. No receiver shall be attached to any part of house structure. No receiver shall be erected or constructed on front or side yards. Television dish receivers shall be allowed only in the rear property, 20' off side property line and within 30' from back of house.

l. No business of any kind shall be permitted in the subdivision, except any such home occupation as is permitted under the ordinances of City of Troy.

m. No wall, fences or fencing of any kind shall be erected, placed nor maintained nearer than 40' from the street curb of any Lot. No wall, fences or fencing over 5 feet in height shall be allowed on any Lot. All walls, fences and fencing shall be wood construction and be compatible with the natural surroundings, subject to the conditions hereinbelow set out for materials. No galvanized chain link, wire, or metal wall, fence or fencing shall be permitted, (plastic or vinyl coated chain link fence must be approved by the Committee) except that professionally constructed wrought iron fences may be approved. All walls, fences, and fencing must be submitted to and approved by the Architectural Control Committee prior to construction, and must be continually maintained to present an attractive appearance, or such walls, fences and fencing will be removed at the expense of the Lot owner.

n. Each Lot owner shall comply strictly with the set-back and building lines shown on the aforesaid Plat of the subdivision.

o. The undersigned, and the Homeowners Association, shall have the right, but not the obligation, to install amenities in the subdivision, including, but not limited to, tennis, badminton, volleyball, racquetball, and handball courts.

#### **6. LIVESTOCK AND PETS**

No animal of any kind may be kept, bred or maintained for any commercial purpose.

#### **7. CONSTRUCTION OF RESIDENCE, MAINTENANCE OF PROPERTY**

a. Public Sidewalks - Sidewalks shall be installed by the lot owner at the time of construction in such fashion as is designated by the City of Troy. The cost of installation shall be borne by the owner of said lots. In the event sidewalks are not installed and the City of Troy requires OSBORN DEVELOPMENT for all sums advanced and/or expended for the construction of the owner's sidewalk and OSBORN DEVELOPMENT shall have a lien on the subject premises in the amount of said advancement or expenditure to attach in the same manner as set out in this Declaration.

b. During the construction, maintenance or refurbishment of any dwelling house or Lot, any littering or damage to the public and private roadways and easements in the Subdivision, and any clean-up of them, shall be the responsibility of the owner of any Lot upon which such work is being performed.

c. Each property owner shall be responsible for mowing and landscape maintenance of such owner's Lot up to the property line of such Lot, and up to the street curb or curbs, such that the Lot will always present a neat and attractive appearance.

d. The work of construction of any building or structure shall be prosecuted diligently and continuously from the time of commencement until the exterior construction shall be fully completed and the interior construction is substantially completed and no such building or structure shall be occupied during the course of original exterior construction. All structures, including the attached garages thereto, shall be completed insofar as exterior painting, siding windows, roofing and trim are concerned within 8 months from the start of construction.

#### **8. OIL AND MINING OPERATIONS**

No oil drilling, oil development operations, oil refining, gas storage, quarrying or mining operations of any kind for any mineral or minerals, shall be permitted on any Lot, nor shall oil wells, tanks, tunnels, mineral excavations or shafts be permitted on any Lot. No derrick or other structure designed for use in boring for oil or natural gas or minerals be erected, maintained or permitted on any Lot.

#### **9. GARBAGE AND REFUSE DISPOSAL**

No Lot shall be used or maintained as a dumping ground for rubbish, trash or garbage. Trash, rubbish and garbage, or other wastes, shall not be kept, except in sanitary containers located inside the garage of a dwelling house, except on collection days when said sanitary containers may be placed near the platted streets for collection.

#### **10. SIGNS**

No signs of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any Lot, except one sign of not more than six square feet, adverting the property for sale or rent, or signs used by a builder to advertise the property during construction and sales of Lots and residences, or signs used by the undersigned to identify the Subdivision and to advertise sales of Lots and residences in the Subdivision. House numbers on homes or mail boxes are permitted.

#### **11. EASEMENTS**

Easements for installation, construction, reconstruction and maintenance of utilities and drainage facilities are reserved, as shown on the above-mentioned recorded plat of the Subdivision. No building or any other structure of any kind shall be placed on, in, or over any such easement; and such building or structure shall be removed at the expense of the Lot owner.

#### **12. HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION**

After 90% of the total lots in the Subdivision have been sold by the undersigned, an association shall be established as a not-for-profit corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "Homeowners Association", which shall be vested with all powers, duties, and responsibilities of that Homeowners Association set out in these Covenants and Restrictions and as provided by law; the title to all amenities, landscaping, Subdivision fences, entrance improvements, easements, and Subdivision appurtenances, shall be conveyed by the undersigned to the Homeowners Association. The owners of each Lot as provided for herein shall collectively own one share in the Homeowners Association. The Homeowners Association shall from time to time adopt By-Laws for its' constitution, operation and deliberations in conformity with these Covenants and Restrictions. Each of the owners of the will be a member of the association to be formed by the owners referred to above. There shall be one vote for each lot abutting the lake. It shall be the duty of the Homeowners Association to enforce these Covenants and Restrictions, majority rule shall prevail except as otherwise set out herein, and Roberts Rules of Order are hereby adopted for conducting any and all meetings of the Homeowners Association, except as set out herein or in the By-Laws adopted by the Homeowners Association.

**13. DEDICATION OF LAKE**

a. The lake designated on said plat shall be dedicated to the use of all owners and their successors in title of Lots 167 thru 170 Meadowbrooke Subdivision, Third Addition and three future lots.

b. The maintenance and use of the lake shall be controlled by the association through By-Laws as established by such association which shall be governed by the guidelines set forth above.

**14. EASEMENTS**

The parties grant each and all of the owners, successors and assigns of the lots which abut the lake, the rights and easements described below in and to the lake as platted:

a. To cause water to collect on said tracts or parcels of land through backwater or otherwise, whether caused by rain, erosion, seepage, ground water, storm sewers, or in any manner whatever, resulting from the existence of the dam located on Lots 63 and 90.

b. Each of the owners of the 7 lots identified above shall have a perpetual easement for its use described herein, the ownership of such easement and interest shall only pass with title to each respective lot to which it is attached and none of said lot owners shall have the right to partition their interest therein or otherwise assign said easement or any part thereof. Upon the sale of any lot, the ownership of an undivided proportional interest therein shall pass to such purchasers, and no easement or right to use the lake may be sold separate or apart from the sale of any lot.

**16. ASSESSMENTS**

Annual and special assessments may be established or levied against each Lot and its owner for maintenance of streets and entrance landscaping, maintenance of the lake and dam, Sub-division fence, berms, drainage and entrance improvements, and amenities in the Subdivision of an for the use of the lot owners, and for any other duties, powers and responsibilities of the Homeowners Association. Annual assessments shall be established by majority vote of the lot owners, each Lot having one vote to be cast in the aggregate or in fractions as agreed by and between the owners of that Lot, at the first meeting of the Homeowners Association. The share of each lot owner shall be proportional to the number of lots. There are 7 lots and each owner therefore would have a 1/7th interest and pay a 1/7th share of the costs of maintenance and improvements that are authorized by the association. Any unpaid assessments against a Lot shall be the personal obligation of each owner of that Lot at the time of assessment, jointly and severally, and shall also become a lien against that Lot upon filing of a notice thereof in the Recorder's Office of Madison, County, Illinois; if such notice is not filed on or before March 1 of the following year said right to a lien shall expire. Any purchaser, lender, or title company shall have the right to rely upon any statement or assurance by any officer of the Homeowners Association, of the amount or payment status of any such lien.

**17. USE OF LAKE**

The lake shall be used for recreational purposes only. The lake is for exclusive use of the lot owners adjoining said lake and their guests. No gasoline engines will be permitted on the lake, but electric motors and other noiseless and fumeless powers are permitted. All boat docks and launches must be approved by the subdividers, their heirs or assigns, in writing. No porch or projection of any building shall extend within twenty (20) feet from the normal high water line of any of the lakes without written permission of subdividers, their heirs, or assigns.

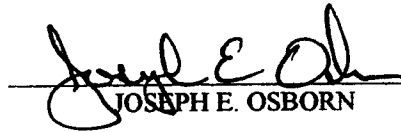
18. SHORELINE CHANGES

Shoreline contours of lakes may not be changed without the written approval of the subdividers. No tract shall be increased in size by filling the waters upon which it abuts.

19. TRANSFER OF RIGHTS

It is further expressly understood that no owner or owners of any lot described above shall sell or lease any rights or privileges in the use of said lake, but rights, and privileges of the use of said lake and freeway adjacent thereto shall be vested in the said owners of the Lots which abut the lake and shall constitute a perpetual easement running with the lake in said subdivision and are not transferable otherwise.

  
DONALD P. OSBORN

  
JOSEPH E. OSBORN

STATE OF ILLINOIS     )  
                                          ) SS.  
COUNTY OF MADISON )

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in the Sate aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT Donald P. Osborn, Joseph E. Osborn, personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribe to the foregoing instrument, as having executed the same, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as their free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth. Given under my hand and Notarial Seal this 1 day of MARCH, 2001

  
NOTARY PUBLIC



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**AMENDMENT TO RESTRICTIONS  
MEADOWBROOKE THIRD ADDITION**

Correcting the Restrictions recorded in Book 4422 Page 3009

**Paragraph 5. Dwelling Size and Miscellaneous**

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**Please amend to the following:**

**Paragraph 5. Dwelling Size and Miscellaneous**

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Donald P. Osborn

  
Joseph E. Osborn

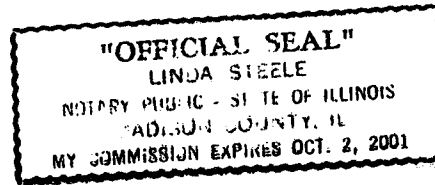


STATE OF ILLINOIS )  
 ) SS  
COUNTY OF MADISON )

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County in the State aforesaid, DO  
HEREBY CERTIFY that Donald P. Osborn and Joseph E. Osborn personally known to me  
to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared  
before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered the  
said instrument as their free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth,  
including the release and waiver of the right of homestead.

Given under my hand and Notarial Seal this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2001.

Linda Steele  
NOTARY PUBLIC



Prepared by and  
Return to:  
Donald Osborn  
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100 Regency Centre  
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**COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS  
MEADOWBROOKE SUBDIVISION  
SIXTH ADDITION**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that JOSEPH E. OSBORN and DONALD P. OSBORN, d/b/a OSBORN DEVELOPMENT, a partnership, are owners of the following described real estate, to wit:

Lots numbered 233 thru 266 "MEADOWBROOKE SUBDIVISION, SIXTH ADDITION. A subdivision according to the plat of same recorded in Plat Cabinet 63, at Page 293 in the Recorders Office of Madison County, Illinois, hereinafter referred to as the "SUBDIVISION," and any future Lots to be known as "MEADOWBROOKE SUBDIVISION, FUTURE ADDITIONS."

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the benefits accrued and to accrue to the undersigned by reason of the Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions imposed upon said real estate as hereinafter set forth, and as part of a plan for the use, improvement, development, sale and purchase of said real estate, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, do hereby subject and bind the aforesaid real estate to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, and do hold each and every Lot above described, or portion thereof, for use and sale subject to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, and do declare that no Lot or Lots above described or portion thereof, shall be sold, used, or conveyed by them, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, or assigns, except subject to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, whether expressly stated in the deed of conveyance or not, to-wit:

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Easements for installation, construction, reconstruction and maintenance of utilities and drainage facilities are reserved, as shown on the above-mentioned recorded plat of the Subdivision. No building or any other structure of any kind shall be placed on, in, or over any such easement; and such building or structure shall be removed at the expense of the Lot owner.

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After 90% of the total lots in the Subdivision have been sold by the undersigned, an association shall be established as a not-for-profit corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "Homeowners Association", which shall be vested with all powers, duties, and responsibilities of that Homeowners Association set out in these Covenants and Restrictions and as provided by law; the title to all amenities, landscaping, Subdivision fences, entrance improvements, easements, and Subdivision appurtenances, shall be conveyed by the undersigned to the Homeowners Association. The owners of each Lot as provided for herein shall collectively own one share in the Homeowners Association. The Homeowners Association shall from time to time adopt By-Laws for its' constitution, operation and deliberations in conformity with these Covenants and Restrictions. Each of the owners of the will be a member of the association to be formed by the owners referred to above. It shall be the duty of the Homeowners Association to enforce these Covenants and Restrictions, majority rule shall prevail except as otherwise set out herein, and Roberts

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Annual and special assessments may be established or levied against each Lot and its owner for maintenance of streets and entrance landscaping, maintenance of the lake, Sub-division fence, berms, drainage and entrance improvements, and amenities in the Subdivision of an for the use of the lot owners, and for any other duties, powers and responsibilities of the Homeowners Association. Initial annual assessments shall be \$25.00 per year with following annual assessments being established by majority vote of the lot owners, each Lot having one vote to be cast in the aggregate or in fractions as agreed by and between the owners of that Lot, at the first meeting of the Homeowners Association. The share of each lot owner shall be proportional to the number of lots. If there are 13 lots and each owner therefore would have a 1/13<sup>th</sup> interest and pay a 1/13<sup>th</sup> share of the costs of maintenance and improvements that are authorized by the association. A lot owners share will change with future additions of the subdivision. Any unpaid assessments against a Lot shall be the personal obligation of each owner of that Lot at the time of assessment, jointly and severally, and shall also become a lien against that Lot upon filing of a notice thereof in the Recorder's Office of Madison, County, Illinois; if such notice is not filed on or before March 1 of the following year said right to a lien shall expire. Any purchaser, lender, or title company shall have the right to rely upon any statement or assurance by any officer of the Homeowners Association, of the amount or payment status of any such lien.

  
DONALD P. OSBORN

  
JOSEPH E. OSBORN

STATE OF ILLINOIS     )  
                                          ) SS.  
COUNTY OF MADISON )

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in the Sate aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT Donald P. Osborn, Joseph E. Osborn, personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribe to the foregoing instrument, as having executed the same, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as their free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth. Given under my hand and Notarial Seal this 12TH day of JANUARY, 2005

  
NOTARY PUBLIC



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**COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS  
MEADOWBROOKE SUBDIVISION  
SEVENTH ADDITION**

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that JOSEPH E. OSBORN and DONALD P. OSBORN, d/b/a OSBORN DEVELOPMENT, a partnership, are owners of the following described real estate, to wit:

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NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the benefits accrued and to accrue to the undersigned by reason of the Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions imposed upon said real estate as hereinafter set forth, and as part of a plan for the use, improvement, development, sale and purchase of said real estate, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, do hereby subject and bind the aforesaid real estate to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, and do hold each and every Lot above described, or portion thereof, for use and sale subject to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, and do declare that no Lot or Lots above described or portion thereof, shall be sold, used, or conveyed by them, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, or assigns, except subject to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions, whether expressly stated in the deed of conveyance or not, to-wit:

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These covenants and restrictions are to run with the land and shall be binding on all parties and all persons claiming under them until December 31, 2025, at which time said Covenants and Restrictions shall



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However, notwithstanding the foregoing, these covenants and restrictions may from time to time be altered or amended by the concurrence in writing of two-thirds (2/3) of the owners of record of the lots in said subdivision, providing however, no charges shall be made without the concurrence of the Dedicators hereof so long as the Dedicators own any lots subject to this plan.

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Should the Declarants, their heirs, successors, personal representatives, or assigns, violate or attempt to violate any of the Covenants and Restrictions herein, it shall be lawful, and the power and authority is hereby given, to any other person or persons owning any of the above described real property, or for the Homeowners Association, without further authority or directions, to enforce, or to prosecute any proceedings at law or in equity to enforce these Covenants and Restrictions, or to directly or consequently from such violation, together with expenses, court costs, any attorneys' fees incurred in such proceedings. Invalidation of any one of these Covenants or Restrictions, or any portion thereof, by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.

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