BYLAWS OF

TRIPLE KNOT HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

Article 1

Definitions

- 1.1 <u>Association</u>. "Association" means TRIPLE KNOT HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, a nonprofit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Oregon.
- 1.2 <u>Articles of Incorporation</u>. "Articles of Incorporation" means the Articles of Incorporation of the Association filed with the Corporation Division of the Oregon Secretary of State, as the same may be subsequently amended pursuant to the terms thereof.
- **1.3 Declaration**. The "Declaration" means the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements for Triple Knot Townhomes to which these Bylaws are attached, as the same may be subsequently amended or supplemented pursuant to the terms thereof.
- 1.4 <u>Incorporation by Reference</u>. Except as otherwise provided herein, the terms that are defined in Article 1 of the Declaration are used in these Bylaws as therein defined.

Article 2

Membership

- **2.1** <u>Membership</u>. Each Owner of a Lot shall, immediately upon creation of the Association and thereafter during the entire period of the Owner's ownership of a Lot, be a member of the Association. Such membership shall commence, exist and continue simply by virtue of such ownership, shall expire automatically upon termination of such ownership, and need not be confirmed or evidenced by any certificate or acceptance of membership.
- **2.2** Membership List. The Secretary shall maintain at the principal office of the Association a membership list showing the name and address of the Owner of each Lot. The Secretary may accept as satisfactory proof of such ownership a duly executed and acknowledged conveyance, a title insurance policy, or other evidence reasonably acceptable to the Board of Directors.

Article 3

Meetings And Voting

3.1 <u>Place of Meetings</u>. Meetings of the members of the Association shall be held at such reasonable place convenient to the members as may be designated in the notice of the meeting.

- 3.2 <u>Turnover Meeting</u>. Declarant shall call a meeting of the Owners within ninety (90) days after termination of the Class B membership as provided in Section 3.7 below for the purpose of turning over administrative control of the Association to the Owners. Notice of such meeting shall be given to all Owners as provided in Section 3.5. If a quorum of the Owners is present, the Owners shall elect not fewer than the number of directors sufficient to constitute a quorum of the Board of Directors. If Declarant fails to call the meeting, the meeting may be called and notice given by any Owner or Mortgagee of a Lot. The expense of giving the notice shall be paid or reimbursed by the Association. In the event of a lack of quorum at such Turnover Meeting, it may be adjourned as provided in Section 3.6. Nothing in this section shall be construed as preventing Declarant from calling the Turnover Meeting prior to such date.
- 3.3 <u>Annual Meeting</u>. The Association shall hold an annual meeting of the members. The annual meeting shall be held at such reasonable hour and on such reasonable day as may be established by the Board of Directors. The first annual meeting shall be held within one year of the incorporation of the Association. The first annual meeting of the members held for the election of directors shall be the Turnover Meeting.
- 3.4 <u>Special Meetings</u>. A special meeting of the Association may be called at any time by the President or by a majority of the Board of Directors. A special meeting shall be called by the President or Secretary upon receipt of a written request stating the purpose of the meeting from members having at least thirty percent (30%) of the voting rights entitled to be cast at such meeting. Business transacted at a special meeting shall be confined to the purposes stated in the notice of meeting.

3.5 Notice of Meeting.

- (a) Written or printed notice stating the place, day and hour of the meeting, the items on the agenda, including the general nature of any proposed amendment to the Declaration or these Bylaws, any budget changes, any proposal to remove a director or officer and, in case of a special meeting, the purpose or purposes for which the meeting is called, shall be delivered not less than ten (10) or more than fifty (50) days before the date of the meeting. Such notice shall be given either personally, by mail or, to the extent permitted by law, by electronic mail, facsimile or other form of electronic communication acceptable to the Board of Directors, by or at the direction of the President, the Secretary, or the persons calling the meeting, to each member entitled to vote at such meeting, and to all Mortgagees who have requested such notice. If mailed, such notices shall be deemed to be delivered when deposited in the United States mail, with postage fully prepaid thereon, addressed to the member at his most recent address as it appears on the records of the Association or to the mailing address of his Lot.
- (b) When a meeting is adjourned for thirty (30) days or more, or when a redetermination of the persons entitled to receive notice of the adjourned meeting is required by law, notice of the adjourned meeting shall be given as for an original meeting. In all other cases, no notice of the adjournment or of the business to be transacted at the adjourned meeting need be given other than by announcement at the meeting at which such adjournment is taken.
- (c) For a period of ten (10) years following recording of the Declaration, notices of meetings (including agendas) shall also be given to Declarant (or any designee of

Declarant specified in any written notice to the Association) in the same manner as given to Owners, and Declarant or a representative of Declarant shall be entitled to attend such meetings.

- 3.6 Quorum. At any meeting of the Association, members having at least twenty percent (20%) of the voting rights entitled to be cast at such meeting, present in person or by proxy or absentee ballot, if permitted by the Board of Directors, shall constitute a quorum, except when a larger quorum is required by the Declaration. When a quorum is once present to organize a meeting, it cannot be broken by the subsequent withdrawal of a member or members. If any meeting of members cannot be organized because of a lack of quorum, the members who are present, either in person or by proxy, may adjourn the meeting from time to time not less than forty-eight (48) hours or more than thirty (30) days from the time the original meeting was called until a quorum is present.
- 3.7 <u>Voting Rights</u>. The Association shall have two (2) classes of voting membership:
- <u>Class A.</u> Class A members shall be all Owners with the exception of the Class B member and shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each Lot owned. When more than one (1) person holds an interest in any Lot, all such persons shall be members. The vote for such Lot shall be exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall more than one (1) vote be cast with respect to any Lot. If the Owners of a Lot cannot agree upon how to exercise their vote, then the vote for that Lot shall be disregarded completely in determining the proportion of votes given with respect to such matter, unless a valid court order establishes the authority of a co-Owner to vote.
- <u>Class B</u>. The Class B member shall be Declarant and shall be entitled to three (3) votes for each Lot owned by Declarant. The Class B membership shall cease and be converted to Class A membership on the happening of any of the following events, whichever occurs earlier:
- (1) When all of the Lots in Triple Knot Townhomes have been sold and conveyed to Owners other than a successor Declarant and Declarant has relinquished the right to annex Additional Property into Triple Knot Townhomes; or
- (2) At such earlier time as Declarant may elect in writing to terminate the Class B membership.
- 3.8 Fiduciaries and Joint Owners. An executor, administrator, guardian or trustee may vote or grant consent with respect to any Lot owned or held in such capacity, whether or not the specific right shall have been transferred to his or her name; provided that such person shall satisfy the Secretary that he or she is the executor, administrator, guardian or trustee, holding such Lot in such capacity. Whenever any Lot is owned by two (2) or more persons jointly, according to the records of the Association, the vote of such Lot may be exercised by any one of the Owners, in the absence of protest by a co-Owner. In the event of disagreement among the co-Owners, the vote of such Lot shall be disregarded completely in determining the proportion of votes given with respect to such matter, unless a valid court order establishes the authority of a co-Owner to vote.

- 3.9 <u>Tenants and Contract Vendors</u>. Unless otherwise expressly stated in a written rental agreement or lease, all voting rights allocated to a Lot shall be exercised by the Owner. Unless otherwise stated in a written contract, all voting rights allocated to a Lot shall be exercised by the vendee of any recorded land sale contract on the Lot.
- 3.10 <u>Casting of Votes and Consents</u>. The voting rights or consent of an Owner may be cast in person at a meeting of the Association or, at the discretion of the Board of Directors, by proxy in accordance with paragraph (a) of this Section, by absentee ballot in accordance with paragraph (b) of this Section, by written ballot in accordance with paragraph (c) of this Section, or by any other method specified in the Declaration, these Bylaws or the Oregon Planned Community Act.
- (a) <u>Proxies</u>. A proxy must be dated and signed by the Owner, is not valid if it is undated or purports to be revocable without notice, and terminates one (1) year after its date unless the proxy specifies a shorter term. The Board of Directors may not require that a proxy be on a form prescribed by the Board of Directors. An Owner may not revoke a proxy given pursuant to this paragraph except by actual notice of revocation to the person presiding over a meeting of the Association or to the Board of Directors if a vote is being conducted by written ballot in lieu of a meeting. A copy of a proxy in compliance with this paragraph provided to the Association by facsimile, electronic mail or other means of electronic communication utilized by the Board of Directors is valid.
- (b) Absentee Ballots. An absentee ballot, if authorized by the Board of Directors, shall set forth each proposed action and provide an opportunity to vote for or against each proposed action. All solicitations for votes by absentee ballot shall include instructions for delivery of the completed absentee ballot, including the delivery location and instructions about whether the ballot may be canceled if the ballot has been delivered according to the instructions. An absentee ballot shall be counted as an Owner present for the purpose of establishing a quorum. Even if an absentee ballot has been delivered to an Owner, the Owner may vote in person at a meeting if the Owner has returned the absentee ballot and canceled the absentee ballot, if cancellation is permitted in the instructions given under this paragraph.
- (c) <u>Ballot Meetings</u>. At the discretion of the Board of Directors, any action that may be taken at any regular or special meeting of the Association may be taken without a meeting by written ballot to the extent and in the manner provided in ORS 94.647, provided that action by written ballot may not substitute for (i) the Turnover Meeting; (ii) the annual meeting of the Association if more than a majority of the Lots are the principal residences of the occupants; (iii) a meeting of the Association if the agenda includes a proposal to remove a director from the Board of Directors; and (iv) a special meeting of the Association called at the request of the Owners.
- (d) <u>Electronic Ballots</u>. To the extent authorized by the Board of Directors and permitted by the Oregon Planned Community Act, any vote, approval or consent of an Owner may be given by electronic ballot.
- (e) <u>Mortgages</u>. An Owner may pledge or assign such Owner's voting rights to a Mortgagee. In such a case, the Mortgagee or its designated representative shall be entitled to

receive all notices to which the Owner is entitled under these Bylaws and to exercise the Owner's voting rights from and after the time that the Mortgagee shall give written notice of such pledge or assignment to the Board of Directors. Any first Mortgagee may designate a representative to attend all or any meetings of the Association.

- 3.11 <u>Majority Vote</u>. The vote of a majority of the voting rights entitled to be cast by the members present or represented by absentee ballot or proxy, at a meeting at which a quorum is present, shall be necessary for the adoption of any matter voted upon by the members, unless a greater proportion is required by law, by the Declaration, by the Articles of Incorporation, or by these Bylaws.
- 3.12 Rules of Order. Unless other rules of order are adopted by resolution of the Association or the Board of Directors, all meetings of the Association shall be conducted according to the latest edition of Robert's Rules of Order, published by Robert's Rules Association. A decision of the Association may not be challenged because the appropriate rules of order were not used unless a person entitled to be heard was denied the right to be heard and raised an objection at the meeting in which the right to be heard was denied. Further, a decision of the Association is deemed valid without regard to procedural errors related to the rules of order one (1) year after the decision is made unless the error appears on the face of a written instrument memorializing the decision.

Article 4

Directors: Management

- 4.1 <u>Number and Qualification</u>. The affairs of the Association shall be governed by a Board of Directors of three (3) persons. All directors, other than interim directors appointed by Declarant, shall be Owners or co-Owners of Lots. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if a corporation, limited liability company, or partnership owns a Lot or an interest in an entity that owns a Lot, then an officer, employee or agent of the corporation, a member, manager, employee or agent of the limited liability company, or a partner, employee or agent of the partnership may serve on the Board of Directors.
- **4.2** <u>Interim Directors</u>. Upon the recording of the Declaration, Declarant shall appoint an interim board of three (3) directors, who shall serve until replaced by Declarant or until their successors are elected by the Owners at the Turnover Meeting. The interim board shall serve as the Board of Directors of the Association until the Turnover Meeting.
- 4.3 Transitional Advisory Committee. Unless the Turnover Meeting has already been held, Declarant shall call a meeting of the Owners for the purpose of forming a Transitional Advisory Committee. The meeting shall be called within sixty (60) days after the date Declarant conveys fifty percent (50%) or more of the Lots then existing in Triple Knot Townhomes to Owners other than a successor Declarant. The committee shall consist of two (2) or more Owners elected by the Owners other than Declarant and not more than one (1) representative of Declarant. The members shall serve until the Turnover Meeting. The Transitional Advisory Committee shall be advisory only and its purpose shall be to enable ease of transition from administrative control of the Association by Declarant to control by the Owners. The committee

shall have access to any information, documents and records that Declarant must turn over to the Owners at the time of the Turnover Meeting. If Declarant fails to call the meeting to elect a Transitional Advisory Committee within the time specified, the meeting may be called and notice given by any Owner. If the Owners fail to elect a Transitional Advisory Committee at the meeting called for such purpose, Declarant shall have no further obligation to form the committee.

4.4 Nominations, Election and Tenure of Office.

- (a) At the Turnover Meeting, the interim directors shall resign and the members shall elect three (3) directors, two (2) to serve for two (2) years and one (1) to serve for one (1) year. The two (2) nominees receiving the greatest number of votes shall serve for two (2) years. In the event of a tie, term selection shall be by random means. Thereafter, the successors to each director shall serve for terms of two (2) years each.
- (b) All directors shall hold office until their respective successors shall have been elected by the members. Election shall be by plurality and there shall be no cumulative voting.
- (d) Nominations for election to the Board of Directors may be made by a Nominating Committee. Nominations may also be made from the floor at the annual meeting of the members or any other meeting of the members called for the purpose of election of directors. The Board of Directors may organize a Nominating Committee and appoint the members thereof prior to each annual meeting of the members for the purpose of nominating directors to be elected at the annual meeting of the members. If a Nominating Committee is formed, it shall consist of a chairman, who shall be a member of the Board of Directors, and two (2) or more members. The Nominating Committee may make as many nominations for election to the Board of Directors as it shall in its discretion determine, but in no event less than the number of positions to be filled.

4.5 Vacancies.

- (a) A vacancy in the Board of Directors shall exist upon the death, resignation, disqualification or removal of any director, or if the authorized number of directors is increased, or if the members fail at any annual or special meeting of members at which any director or directors are to be elected to elect the full authorized number of directors to be voted for at that meeting. Vacancies in interim directors shall be filled by Declarant.
- (b) Vacancies in the Board of Directors, other than interim directors and other than vacancies caused by the removal of directors by the members in accordance with Section 4.6 below, may be filled by a majority of the remaining directors even though less than a quorum, or by a sole remaining director. Each director so elected shall hold office for the balance of the unexpired term and until his successor is elected.
- 4.6 <u>Removal of Directors</u>. All or any number of the directors, other than interim directors, may be removed, with or without cause, at any meeting of members at which a quorum is present, by a vote of a majority of the number of votes entitled to be cast at an election of

directors. No removal of a director shall be effective unless the matter of removal was an item on the agenda and stated in the notice of the meeting as provided in these Bylaws.

- 4.7 <u>Powers</u>. The Board of Directors shall have all the powers and duties necessary for the administration of the affairs of the Association, except such powers and duties as by law or by the Declaration or by these Bylaws may not be delegated to the Board of Directors by the Owners. The Board of Directors may delegate responsibilities to committees or a managing agent, but shall retain ultimate control and supervision. The powers and duties to be exercised by the Board of Directors shall include, but not be limited to, those set forth in the Declaration and the following:
- (a) Carry out the program for maintenance, upkeep, repair and replacement of any property required to be maintained by the Association as described in the Declaration and these Bylaws including, without limitation, implementation of the Maintenance Plan and inspections as required by the Declaration.
- (b) Determination of the amounts required for operation, maintenance and other affairs of the Association, and the making of such expenditures.
- (c) Preparation of an annual budget for the Association, and assessment and collection of the Assessments.
- (d) Employ and dismiss such personnel as may be necessary for such maintenance, upkeep and repair.
- Employ legal, accounting or other personnel for reasonable compensation to perform such services as may be required for the proper administration of the Association; provided, however, the Board may not incur or commit the Association to incur legal fees in excess of \$5,000 for any specific litigation or claim matter or enter into any contingent fee contract on any claim in excess of \$100,000 unless the Owners have enacted a resolution authorizing the incurring of such fees by a vote of seventy-five percent (75%) of the voting rights of the Association; provided, however, that the foregoing limitations shall not apply to any of the following actions: (i) the defense of claims or litigation asserted against the Association or the Board of Directors, including the assertion of counterclaims by the Association or the Board of Directors in any proceedings instituted against either of them; (ii) actions by the Association for the collection of delinquent assessments, fines or other charges due and payable under the Declaration, these Bylaws or the Rules and Regulations; (iii) actions initiated by the Association during Declarant's period of administrative control; (iv) actions challenging condemnation proceedings; (v) actions initiated against any contractor or vendor hired by the Association or supplier of goods and services to the Association; and (vi) actions to summarily abate, enjoin and remove a structure or condition that violates the Declaration, these Bylaws or the Rules and Regulations. The limitations set forth in this paragraph shall increase by ten percent (10%) on each fifth (5th) anniversary of the recording of the Declaration. To the extent required by the Oregon Planned Community Act, the Board shall notify the Owners before instituting litigation or administrative proceedings. With regard to any pending litigation involving the Association, the Board shall periodically report to the Owners as to the status (including settlement offers), progress, and method of funding such litigation. Nothing in this paragraph shall be construed as

requiring the Board to disclose any privileged communication between the Association and its counsel.

- (f) Open bank accounts on behalf of the Association and designating the signatories required therefor.
- (g) Prepare and file, or cause to be prepared and filed, any required income tax returns or forms for the Association.
- (h) Purchase Lots at foreclosure or other judicial sales in the name of the Association, or its designee.
- (i) Sell, lease, mortgage, vote the votes appurtenant to (other than for the election of directors), or otherwise deal with Lots acquired by the Association or its designee.
- (j) Obtain insurance or bonds pursuant to the provisions of these Bylaws, and reviewing such insurance coverage at least annually.
- (k) Make additions and improvements to, or alterations of, the Neighborhood Common Areas, or modify, close, remove, eliminate or discontinue use of any common facility, including any improvement or landscaping, except that any such modification, closure, removal, elimination or discontinuance other than on a temporary basis of any swimming pool, spa or recreational or community building must be approved by a majority vote of the members at a meeting or by written ballot held or conducted in accordance with these Bylaws.
- (I) From time to time adopt, modify, or revoke such rules and regulations governing the details for the operation of the Association, the conduct of persons and the operation and use of the Lots and Neighborhood Common Areas as the Board of Directors may deem necessary or appropriate to ensure the peaceful and orderly use and enjoyment of the Property. Such action may be overruled or modified by vote of not less than seventy-five percent (75%) of the voting rights of each class of members present, in person or by proxy, at any meeting, the notice of which shall have stated that such modification or revocation of rules and regulations will be under consideration.
- (m) Enforcement by legal means of the provisions of the Declaration, these Bylaws and any rules and regulations adopted hereunder.
- (n) In the name of the Association, maintain a current mailing address of the Association, file annual reports with the Oregon Secretary of State and maintain and keep current the information required to enable the Association to comply with ORS 94.670.
- (o) Subject to Section 6.8 of the Declaration, enter into management agreements with professional management firms.
- (p) The Association may collect from the Owners assessments owing under the Master Declaration for forwarding to the Master Association.

(q) Enter into shared use agreements with other entities for shared use by Owners of facilities and enter into agreements with the Master Association for the provision and performance of various services.

4.8 Meetings.

- (a) Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held at such place as may be designated from time to time by the Board of Directors or other persons calling the meeting.
- (b) Annual meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held within thirty (30) days following the adjournment of the annual meetings of the members.
- (c) Special meetings of the Board of Directors for any purpose or purposes may be called at any time by the President or by any two (2) directors.
- (d) Unless other rules of order are adopted by resolution of the Association or the Board of Directors, all meetings of the Board of Directors shall be conducted according to the latest edition of *Robert's Rules of Order*, published by Robert's Rules Association. A decision of the Board of Directors may not be challenged because the appropriate rules of order were not used unless a director entitled to be heard was denied the right to be heard and raised an objection at the meeting in which the right to be heard was denied. Further, a decision of the Board of Directors is deemed valid without regard to procedural errors related to the rules of order one (1) year after the decision is made unless the error appears on the face of a written instrument memorializing the decision.
- (e) For a period of ten (10) years following recording of the Declaration, notices of meetings (including agendas) shall also be given to Declarant (or any designee of Declarant specified in any written notice to the Association) in the same manner as given to the directors, and Declarant or a representative of Declarant shall be entitled to attend such meetings.

4.9 Open Meetings.

- (a) All meetings of the Board of Directors shall be open to Owners except that, in the discretion of the Board, the following matters may be considered in executive session: (i) consultation with legal counsel; (ii) personnel matters, including salary negotiations and employee discipline; (iii) negotiation of contracts with third parties; and (iv) collection of unpaid assessments. Except in the case of an emergency, the Board of Directors shall vote in an open meeting whether to meet in executive session. If the Board of Directors votes to meet in executive session, the presiding officer shall state the general nature of the action to be considered, as precisely as possible, when and under what circumstances the deliberations can be disclosed to the Owners. The statement, motion or decision to meet in the executive session shall be included in the minutes of the meeting, and any contract or action considered in executive session shall not become effective unless the Board, following the executive session, reconvenes in open meeting and votes on the contract or action, which shall be reasonably identified in the open meeting and included in the minutes.
- (b) Meetings of the Board of Directors may be conducted by telephonic communication or by other means of communication that allows all members of the Board

participating to hear each other simultaneously or otherwise to be able to communicate during the meeting, except that if a majority of the Lots are principal residences of the occupants, then: (i) for other than emergency meetings, notice of each Board of Directors' meeting shall be posted at a place or places on the property at least three (3) days prior to the meeting, or notice shall be provided by a method otherwise reasonably calculated to inform the Owners of such meeting; and (ii) only emergency meetings of the Board of Directors may be conducted by telephonic communication or such other means. The meeting and notice requirements of this section may not be circumvented by chance or social meetings or by any other means.

4.10 Notice of Meetings.

- (a) Notice of the time and place of meetings shall be given to each director orally, or delivered in writing personally, by mail or to the extent permitted by the Oregon Planned Community Act, by electronic mail, facsimile or other form of electronic communication acceptable to the Board of Directors at least twenty-four (24) hours before the meeting. Notice shall be sufficient if actually received at the required time or if mailed or sent electronically not less than seventy-two (72) hours before the meeting. If mailed, the notice shall be directed to the address shown on the Association's records or to the director's actual address ascertained by the person giving the notice. Such notice need not be given for an adjourned meeting if such time and place is fixed at the meeting adjourned.
- (b) Attendance of a director at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting except when a director attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened.

4.11 Quorum and Vote.

- (a) A majority of the directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. A minority of the directors, in the absence of a quorum, may adjourn from time to time but may not transact any business.
- (b) The action of a majority of the directors present at any meeting at which there is a quorum shall be the act of the Board of Directors unless a greater number is required by law, the Declaration, the Articles of Incorporation or these Bylaws.
- (c) A director who is present at a meeting of the Board of Directors at which action is taken on any Association matter is presumed to have assented to the action unless the director votes against the action or abstains from voting on the action because the director claims a conflict of interest. When action is taken on any matter at a meeting of the Board of Directors, the vote or abstention of each director present must be recorded in the minutes of the meeting. Directors may not vote by proxy or by secret ballot at meetings of the Board of Directors, except that officers may be elected by secret ballot.
- 4.12 <u>Liability</u>. The liability of a member of the Board of Directors or an officer or committee member of the Association to the Association or any Owner for any damage, loss or prejudice suffered or claimed on account of any action or failure to act in the performance of his or her duties as a member of the Board of Directors or an officer or committee member of the Association shall be eliminated to the maximum extent permitted by law. In the event any

member of the Board of Directors or an officer or committee member of the Association is threatened with or made a party to any proceeding because the individual is or was a member of the Board of Directors or an officer or committee member of the Association, the Association shall defend such individual against such claims and indemnify such individual against liability and expenses incurred to the maximum extent permitted by law.

- **4.13** <u>Compensation</u>. No director shall receive any compensation from the Association for acting as such.
- 4.14 Executive, Covenants and Other Committees. Subject to any applicable law, the provisions of the Declaration and these Bylaws, the Board of Directors, may appoint an Executive Committee, a Covenants Committee to be responsible for covenant enforcement as provided in Section 4.15, and such other standing or temporary committees as may be necessary from time to time consisting of Owners and at least one member of the Board of Directors and having such powers as the Board of Directors may designate. Such committees shall hold office at the pleasure of the Board.
- 4.15 <u>Enforcement Procedures</u>. The Association shall have the power, as provided in the Declaration, to impose sanctions for any violation of the Declaration, these Bylaws or the Rules and Regulations. To the extent specifically required by the Declaration, the Board of Directors shall comply with the following procedures prior to the imposition of sanctions:
- violator with written notice describing (i) the nature of the alleged violation, (ii) the proposed sanction to be imposed, (iii) a statement that the alleged violator shall have fourteen (14) days to present a written request for a hearing before the Board of Directors or a Covenants Committee appointed by the Board of Directors, if any; and (iv) a statement that the proposed sanction may be imposed as contained in the notice unless a hearing is requested within fourteen (14) days of the notice.
- (b) Response. The alleged violator shall respond to the notice of the alleged violation in writing within such fourteen (14) day period, regardless of whether the alleged violator is challenging the imposition of the proposed sanction. If the alleged violator cures the alleged violation and notifies the Board of Directors in writing within such fourteen (14) day period the Board of Directors may, but shall not be obligated to, waive the sanction. Such waiver shall not constitute a waiver of the right to sanction future violations of the same or other provisions by any person. If a timely request for a hearing is not made, the sanction stated in the notice shall be imposed; provided, however, that the Board of Directors or Covenants Committee may, but shall not be obligated to, suspend any proposed sanction if the violation is cured within the fourteen (14) day period. Any response or request for a hearing shall be delivered to the Association's manager, President or Secretary, or as otherwise specified in the notice of violation.
- (c) <u>Proof of Notice</u>. Prior to the effectiveness of sanctions imposed pursuant to this section, proof of proper notice shall be placed in the minutes of the Board of Directors or Covenants Committee, as applicable. Such proof shall be deemed adequate if a copy of the notice, together with a statement of the date and manner of delivery, is entered by the officer,

director, or agent who delivered such notice. The notice requirement shall be deemed satisfied if the alleged violator or its representative requests and appears at the hearing.

- (d) <u>Hearing</u>. If a hearing is requested within the allotted fourteen (14) day period, the hearing shall be held before the Board of Directors or the Covenants Committee, as applicable. The alleged violator shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity to be heard. The minutes of the meeting shall contain a written statement of the results of the hearing (i.e., the decision) and the sanction, if any, to be imposed.
- (e) <u>Appeal</u>. Following a hearing before the Covenants Committee, if applicable, the violator shall have the right to appeal the decision to the Board of Directors. To exercise this right, the violator must deliver a written notice of appeal to the Association's manager, President or Secretary within ten (10) days after the hearing date.
- (f) <u>Enforcement Policies</u>. The Board of Directors, by resolution, may adopt additional policies and procedures governing enforcement of the Declaration, these Bylaws or the Rules and Regulations or modify the policies and procedures set forth herein. Any additional policies and procedures or modifications of existing policies and procedures adopted by the Board of Directors shall be sent to each member of the Association in accordance with the notice provisions contained in Section 8.2 and shall be deemed effective and binding upon the members on the date sent by the Association.
- (g) <u>Collection of Assessments</u>. The foregoing enforcement policies and procedures shall not apply to the imposition of interest charges or late fees on unpaid Assessments or the exercise of any remedies of the Association for the collection of unpaid Assessments.

Article 5

Officers

- 5.1 <u>Designation and Qualification</u>. The officers of the Association shall be the President, the Secretary, the Treasurer, and such Vice Presidents and subordinate officers as the Board of Directors shall from time to time appoint. The President shall be a member of the Board of Directors, but other officers need not be members of the Board of Directors. Any two (2) offices, except the offices of President and Secretary, may be held by the same person.
- 5.2 <u>Election and Vacancies</u>. The officers of the Association shall be elected annually by the Board of Directors at the organization meeting of each new Board to serve for one (1) year and until their respective successors are elected. If any office shall become vacant by reason of death, resignation, removal, disqualification or any other cause, the Board of Directors shall elect a successor to fill the unexpired term at any meeting of the Board of Directors.

5.3 Removal and Resignation.

(a) Any officer may be removed upon the affirmative vote of a majority of the directors whenever, in their judgment, the best interests of the Association will be served

thereby. The removal of an officer shall be without prejudice to the contract rights, if any, of the officer so removed.

- (b) Any officer may resign at any time by giving written notice to the Board of Directors, the President or the Secretary of the Association. Any such resignation shall take effect upon receipt of such notice or at any later time specified therein. Unless otherwise specified therein, the acceptance of such resignation shall not be necessary to make it effective, provided, however, that the Board of Directors may reject any postdated resignation by notice in writing to the resigning officer. The effectiveness of such resignation shall not prejudice the contract rights, if any, of the Association against the officer so resigning.
- 5.4 <u>President</u>. The President shall be the chief executive officer of the Association and shall, subject to the control of the Board of Directors, have powers of general supervision, direction and control of the business and affairs of the Association. He or she shall preside at all meetings of the members and of the Board of Directors. He or she shall be an ex officio member of all the standing committees, including the executive committee, if any, shall have the general powers and duties of management usually vested in the office of president of a nonprofit corporation, and shall have such other powers and duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors or these Bylaws.
- 5.5 <u>Vice Presidents</u>. The Vice Presidents, if any, shall perform such duties as the Board of Directors shall prescribe. In the absence or disability of the President, the President's duties and powers shall be performed and exercised by the Senior Vice President as designated by the Board of Directors.

5.6 Secretary.

- (a) The Secretary shall keep or cause to be kept a book of minutes of all meetings of directors and members showing the time and place of the meeting, whether it was regular or special, and if special, how authorized, the notice given, the names of those present at directors' meetings, the number of memberships present or represented at members' meetings and the proceedings thereof.
- (b) The Secretary shall give or cause to be given such notice of the meetings of the members and of the Board of Directors as is required by these Bylaws or by law. The Secretary shall keep the seal of the Association, if any, and affix it to all documents requiring a seal, and shall have such other powers and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors or these Bylaws.
- (c) If there are no Vice Presidents, then in the absence or disability of the President, the President's duties and powers shall be performed and exercised by the Secretary.
- 5.7 <u>Treasurer</u>. The Treasurer shall keep and maintain, or cause to be kept and maintained, adequate and correct accounts of the properties and business transactions of the Association, including accounts of its assets, liabilities, receipts and disbursements. The books of accounts shall at all reasonable times be open to inspection by any director. The Treasurer shall deposit or cause to be deposited all moneys and other valuables in the name and to the credit of the Association with such depositories as may be designated by the Board. The

Treasurer shall disburse or cause to be disbursed the funds of the Association as may be ordered by the Board, shall render to the President and directors, whenever they request it, an account of all of the Treasurer's transactions as Treasurer and of the financial condition of the Association, and shall have such other powers and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board or these Bylaws.

5.8 <u>Compensation of Officers</u>. No officer who is a member of the Board of Directors shall receive any compensation from the Association for acting as an officer, unless such compensation is authorized by a resolution duly adopted by the members. The Board of Directors may fix any compensation to be paid to other officers.

Article 6

Assessments, Records And Reports

- **6.1** <u>Assessments</u>. As provided in the Declaration, the Association, through the Board of Directors, shall do the following:
- (a) Assess and collect from every Owner Assessments in the manner described in the Declaration.
- (b) Keep all funds received by the Association as Assessments, other than reserves described in the Declaration, in the Operations Fund and keep all reserves collected pursuant to the Declaration in the Reserve Fund and use such funds only for the purposes described in the Declaration. All Assessments shall be deposited in the name of the Association in one or more separate federally insured accounts, including certificates of deposit, at a financial institution as defined in ORS 706.008, other than an extranational institution. Funds of the Association maintained in accounts established pursuant to this section may be used to purchase obligations of the United States government. All expenses of the Association shall be paid from the Association's bank account.
- (c) From time to time, and at least annually, prepare a budget for the Association, estimating the common expenses expected to be incurred with adequate allowance for reserves based upon the reserve study required by the Declaration, and determine whether the Annual Assessment should be increased or decreased. Within thirty (30) days after adopting a proposed annual budget, the Board of Directors shall provide a summary of the budget to all Owners. If the Board of Directors fails to adopt a budget, the last adopted annual budget shall continue in effect.
- (d) Fix the amount of the Annual Assessment against each Lot at least thirty (30) days in advance of each Annual Assessment period. Written notice of any Assessment shall be sent to every Owner subject thereto and to any first Mortgagee requesting such notice. The due dates shall be established by the Board of Directors, which may fix a regular flat Assessment payable on a monthly, quarterly, semiannual or annual basis. The Board of Directors shall cause to be prepared a roster of the Lots showing Assessments applicable to each Lot. The roster shall be kept in the Association office and shall be subject to inspection by any Owner or Mortgagee during regular business hours.

- (e) When Additional Property is annexed, the Board of Directors shall assess any Lots included therein in accordance with Section 8.9 of the Declaration.
 - (f) Enforce the Assessments in the manner provided in the Declaration.
- (g) Keep records of the receipts and expenditures affecting the Operations Fund and Reserve Fund and make the same available for examination by the members and their Mortgagees at convenient hours.
- 6.2 Records. The Association shall keep within the State of Oregon correct and complete financial records sufficiently detailed for proper accounting purposes, keep minutes of the proceedings of its members, the Board of Directors and committees having any of the authority of the Board of Directors, and retain all documents, information and records turned over to the Association by Declarant. All documents, information and records delivered to the Association by Declarant pursuant to ORS 94.616 and other records of the Association shall be kept within the State of Oregon for the time periods specified in ORS 94.670.
- 6.3 Statement of Assessments Due. The Association shall provide, within ten (10) business days after receipt of a written request from an Owner, a written statement that provides: (a) the amount of assessments due from the Owner and unpaid at the time the request was received, including regular and special assessments, fines and other charges, accrued interest, and late-payment charges; (b) the percentage rate at which interest accrues on assessments that are not paid when due; and (c) the percentage rate used to calculate the charges for late payment or the amount of a fixed-rate charge for late payment. The Association is not required to comply with this section if the Association has commenced litigation by filing a complaint against the Owner and the litigation is pending when the statement would otherwise be due.
- 6.4 Inspection of Books and Records. Except as otherwise provided in ORS 94.670(9)(b), during normal business hours or under other reasonable circumstances, the Association shall make reasonably available for examination and, upon written request, available for duplication, by Owners, lenders, and holders of any Mortgage of a Lot that make the request in good faith for a proper purpose, current copies of the Declaration, Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, Rules and Regulations, amendments or supplements to such documents and the books, records, financial statements and current operating budget of the Association. The Association shall maintain a copy, suitable for purposes of duplication, of each of the following: (a) the Declaration, these Bylaws, the Rules and Regulations, the recorded plat for the Property and any amendments or supplements to them, (b) the most recent financial statement of the Association, (c) the current operating budget of the Association, and (d) the architectural standards and guidelines, if any. The Association, within ten (10) business days after receipt of a written request by an Owner, shall furnish copies of such documents to the requesting Owner. Upon written request, the Association shall make such documents, information and records available to such persons for duplication during reasonable hours. The Board of Directors, by resolution, may adopt reasonable rules governing the frequency, time, location, notice and manner of examination and duplication of Association records and the imposition of a reasonable fee for furnishing copies of such documents, information or records. The fee may include reasonable personnel costs for furnishing the documents, information or records.

- 6.5 <u>Payment of Vouchers</u>. The Treasurer or managing agent shall pay all vouchers for all budgeted items and for any non-budgeted items up to \$1,000 signed by the President, managing agent, manager or other person authorized by the Board of Directors. Any voucher for non-budgeted items in excess of \$1,000 shall require the authorization of the President or a resolution of the Board of Directors.
- 6.6 Execution of Documents. The Board of Directors may, except as otherwise provided in the Declaration, Articles of Incorporation or these Bylaws, authorize any officer or agent to enter into any contract or execute any instrument in the name of and on behalf of the Association. Such authority may be general or confined to specific instances. Unless so authorized by the Board of Directors, no officer, agent or employee shall have any power or authority to bind the Association by any contract or engagement, to pledge its credit, or to render it liable for any purpose or for any amount.
- Reports and Audits. An annual financial statement consisting of a balance sheet and an income and expense statement for the preceding year shall be rendered by the Board of Directors to all Owners and to all Mortgagees who have requested the same within ninety (90) days after the end of each fiscal year. If the Annual Assessments exceed \$75,000 for the year, then the Board of Directors shall cause such financial statements to be reviewed within one hundred eighty (180) days after the end of the fiscal year by an independent certified public accountant licensed in Oregon in accordance with the Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, or if the Annual Assessments are \$75,000 or less, shall cause such review within one hundred eighty (180) days after receipt of a petition requesting such review signed by at least a majority of Owners. The Board of Directors need not cause such a review to be performed if so directed by an affirmative vote of at least sixty percent (60%) of the Owners, not including votes of Declarant with respect to Lots owned by Declarant. From time to time, the Board of Directors, at the expense of the Association, may obtain an audit of the books and records pertaining to the Association and furnish copies thereof to the members. At any time any Owner or Mortgagee may, at their own expense, cause an audit or inspection to be made of the books and records of the Association.

Article 7

Insurance

7.1 <u>Types of Insurance</u>. For the benefit of the Association and the Owners, the Board of Directors shall obtain and maintain at all times, and shall pay for out of the Operations Fund, the following insurance:

(a) **Property Damage Insurance**.

(1) The Association shall maintain a policy or policies of insurance covering loss or damage from fire, with standard extended coverage and "all risk" endorsements, and such other coverages as the Association may deem desirable.

- (2) The amount of the coverage shall be for not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the current replacement cost of the Building Structures and any improvements on the Neighborhood Common Areas (exclusive of land, foundation, excavation and other items normally excluded from coverage), subject to a reasonable deductible as determined by the Board of Directors not to exceed the greater of: (a) the maximum deductible acceptable to the Federal National Mortgage Association or (b) \$10,000.
- (3) The policy or policies shall include all fixtures and building service equipment to the extent that they are part of the Neighborhood Common Areas and all personal property and supplies belonging to the Association, together with all fixtures, improvements and alterations comprising a part of each Building Structure, exclusive of any Betterments.
- (4) Such policy or policies shall name the Association, for the use and benefit of the individual Owners, as insured, and shall provide for loss payable in favor of the Association, as a trustee for each Owner and each such Owner's Mortgagee, as their interests may appear. The policies shall contain the standard mortgage clause, or equivalent endorsement (without contribution) which is commonly accepted by institutional mortgage investors in Oregon.

(b) <u>Liability Insurance</u>.

- (1) The Association shall maintain comprehensive general liability insurance coverage insuring Declarant, the Association, the Board of Directors, and the managing agent, against liability to the public or to Owners and their invitees or tenants, incident to the operation, maintenance, ownership or use of the Property, including legal liability arising out of lawsuits related to employment contracts of the Association. There may be excluded from such policy or policies coverage of an Owner (other than as a member of the Association or Board of Directors) for liability arising out of acts or omissions of such Owner and liability incident to the ownership and/or use of the part of the Property as to which such Owner has the exclusive use or occupancy.
- (2) Limits of liability under such insurance shall not be less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) on a combined single-limit basis.
- (3) Such policy or policies shall be issued on a comprehensive liability basis and shall provide a cross liability endorsement wherein the rights of named insureds under the policy or policies shall not be prejudiced as respects his, her or their action against another named insured.
- (c) <u>Workers' Compensation Insurance</u>. The Association shall maintain workers' compensation insurance to the extent necessary to comply with any applicable laws.

(d) Fidelity Insurance.

(1) The Board of Directors may cause the Association to maintain blanket fidelity insurance for all officers, directors, trustees and employees of the Association and all other persons handling or responsible for funds of, or administered by, the Association. In the event that the Association has retained a management agent, the Board of Directors may require such agent to maintain fidelity insurance for its officers, employees and agents handling or responsible for funds of, or administered on behalf of, the Association. The cost of such insurance, if any, may be borne by the Association.

- (2) The total amount of fidelity coverage required shall be based upon the best business judgment of the Board of Directors.
- (3) Such fidelity insurance shall name the Association as obligee and shall contain waivers by the issuers of the insurance of all defenses based upon the exclusion of persons serving without compensation from the definition of "employees" or similar terms or expressions. The insurance shall provide that it may not be canceled or substantially modified (including cancellation for nonpayment of premium) without at least ten (10) days' prior written notice to the Association.
- Insurance by Unit Owners. The Association has no responsibility to procure or assist in procuring property loss insurance for any Owner or tenant for (i) damage to a Townhome not covered by the Association's policy (because of the deductible amount or because the claim for loss or damage is one not covered by fire and property loss insurance policies required by these Bylaws or held by the Association); or (ii) for any damage or loss to any Betterments or the Owner's or tenant's personal property. Owners must be responsible for purchasing insurance policies insuring their Townhomes for the deductible amount under the Association's policies and for insuring their own personal property and any Betterments for any loss or damage. Tenants must be responsible for insuring their own personal property for any loss or damage. The Association shall notify all Owners of the amount of the deductible under the Association policies. To the extent reasonably practicable, the Association shall give at least thirty (30) days' notice to the Owners of any increase in the deductible proposed in renewal or replacement insurance policies. Owners and tenants of all Townhomes must procure and maintain comprehensive liability policies having combined limits in amounts reasonably set by the Board of Directors not more often than every three (3) years. Such insurance must provide coverage for, without limitation, the negligent acts of the Owner and tenant and their guests or other occupants of the Townhome for damage to the Neighborhood Common Area and other Townhomes and the personal property of others located therein.
- 7.3 Other Insurance Requirements. Insurance obtained by the Association shall be governed by the following requirements:
- (a) All policies shall be written with the State of Oregon or a company licensed to do business in the State of Oregon which falls into a B general policyholder's rating or a financial performance index of 6 or better, as designated in Best's Key Rating Guide, or an A or better rating from Demotech, Inc.
- (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 7.1 above, there may be named as an insured, on behalf of the Association, the Association's authorized representative, including any trustee with whom the Association may enter into any Insurance Trust Agreement, or any successor to such trustee. Such insurance trustee shall have exclusive authority to negotiate losses under any property or liability insurance policy. Each Owner appoints the Association, or any insurance trustee or substitute trustee designated by the Association, as

attorney-in-fact for the purpose of purchasing and maintaining such insurance including: the collection and appropriate disposition of the proceeds thereof, the negotiation of losses and execution of releases of liability, the execution of all documents, and the performance of all other acts necessary to accomplish such purchase. The Association or insurance trustee shall receive, hold or otherwise properly dispose of any proceeds of insurance in trust for Owners and their first mortgage holders, as their interests may appear.

- (c) All property insurance policies shall contain endorsements providing for the following: recognition of any Insurance Trust Agreement, a waiver of the right of subrogation against the Board of Directors, any Owner or any guest of an Owner, that the insurance is not prejudiced by any act or neglect of individual Owners which is not in the control of such Owners collectively, and that the policy is primary in the event the Owner has other insurance covering the same loss, and any such other insurance policies of the Owners or their mortgagees shall not be brought into contribution with the insurance policies to be obtained by the Association.
- (d) For purposes of this Article, insurance policies are unacceptable where (i) under the terms of the insurance carrier's charter, bylaws or policy, contributions or assessments may be made against the Association or Owners, or (ii) by the terms of the carrier's charter, bylaws or policy, loss payments are contingent upon action by the carrier's board of directors, policy holders or members, or (iii) policy includes any limiting clauses (other than insurance conditions) which could prevent Owners from collecting insurance proceeds.
- (e) All policies required by this Article shall provide that they may not be canceled or substantially modified without at least ten (10) days' prior written notice to the Association and to each holder of a first Mortgage which is listed as a scheduled holder of a first Mortgage in the insurance policy. Evidence of insurance shall be issued to each Owner and Mortgagee upon request.
- (f) The Board of Directors may require each Owner to notify the Board of all improvements made by the Owner to his or her Townhome, the value of which is in excess of an amount established by the Board. Nothing in this paragraph shall permit an Owner to make improvements without first obtaining the approval of the Board of Directors pursuant to the Declaration.
- (g) Any Owner who obtains individual insurance policies covering any portion of the Property other than his or her personal property and fixtures shall file a copy of such individual policy or policies with the Association within thirty (30) days after the purchase of such insurance.
- 7.4 <u>Optional Provisions</u>. The Board of Directors shall make every effort to secure insurance policies that will provide for the following:
- (a) To the extent appropriate and available at reasonable cost, the Association shall maintain additional coverages against such other risks as are customarily covered with respect to projects similar in construction, location and use, including but not limited to, flood, host liquor liability, contractual and all-written contract insurance, employer's liability insurance,

director's and officer's liability insurance, comprehensive automobile liability insurance, and an endorsement patterned after "use and occupancy" insurance providing relief from monthly assessments while a Townhome is uninhabitable due to a covered loss.

- (b) If reasonably available, the insurance policies shall include an Agreed Amount and Inflation Guard Endorsement, and Construction Code Endorsements (such as a Demolition Cost Endorsement, a Contingent Liability from Operation of Building Laws Endorsement, and an Increased Cost of Construction Endorsement).
 - (c) Flood insurance, if the Property is in a Special Flood Hazard Area.
- 7.5 <u>FannieMae and GNMA Requirements</u>. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Article, the Association shall continuously maintain in effect such casualty, flood and liability insurance and fidelity insurance meeting the insurance and fidelity requirements for planned unit development projects established by FannieMae and Government National Mortgage Association, if any, so long as either is a Mortgagee or Owner, except to the extent such coverage is not available or has been waived in writing by FannieMae, or Government National Mortgage Association. FannieMae or FannieMae's servicer, its successors and assigns, shall be named as a mortgagee in the Association's policies, if required by FannieMae.
- 7.6 Review of Insurance Coverage. At least annually, the Board of Directors shall review the insurance coverage of the Association to determine whether the amounts and types of insurance the Association has obtained comply with the requirements of this Article 7 and the Oregon Planned Community Act, ORS 94.550 to 94.780, and provide adequate coverage in light of new risks or exposure, increased construction costs, inflation, practices by other owner associations in the area in which the Property is located, or any other factor which tends to indicate that either additional insurance policies or increased coverage under existing policies is necessary or desirable to protect the interests of the Association, all as determined by the Board of Directors in its discretion.
- 7.7 <u>Planned Community Act Requirements</u>. The insurance maintained by the Association shall comply with the requirements of the Oregon Planned Community Act, ORS 94.550 to 94.780.

Article 8

General Provisions

- **8.1** Seal. The Board of Directors may, by resolution, adopt a corporate seal.
- 8.2 Notice. All notices to the Association or to the Board of Directors shall be sent care of the manager of the Association, or if there is no manager, to the principal office of the Association or to such other address as the Board of Directors may designate from time to time. All notices to any Owner shall be sent to such address as may have been designated by such Owner from time to time, in writing, to the Board of Directors, or, if no address has been designated, then to the Owner's Lot. All notices shall be sent by: (i) messenger service (or hand delivery); (ii) overnight courier service; or (iii) regular U.S. Mail. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the discretion of the Board of Directors, any notice, information or other written

material required to be given to an Owner or director under this Declaration or the Bylaws or pursuant to the Oregon Planned Community Act, may be given by electronic mail, facsimile or other form of electronic communication acceptable to the Board of Directors, provided that electronic mail, facsimile or other form of electronic communication may not be used to notify an Owner of: (i) the failure to pay an Assessment; (ii) the foreclosure of an Association lien under ORS 94.709; or (iii) an action the Association may take against the Owner. Additionally, an Owner or director may decline to receive notice by electronic mail, facsimile or other form of electronic communication and may direct the Board of Directors in writing to provide notice in any other manner permitted under these Bylaws or the Oregon Planned Community Act. Notices shall be deemed given on the date the notices are sent in accordance with the procedures outlined herein.

- **8.3** <u>Waiver of Notice</u>. Whenever any notice to any member or director is required by law, the Declaration, the Articles of Incorporation, or these Bylaws, a waiver of notice in writing signed at any time by the person entitled to notice shall be equivalent to the giving of the notice.
- 8.4 <u>Action Without Meeting</u>. Any action that the law, the Declaration, the Articles of Incorporation or the Bylaws require or permit the members or directors to take at any meeting may be taken without a meeting or ballot meeting if a consent in writing setting forth the action so taken is signed by all of the members or directors entitled to vote on the matter. The consent, which shall have the same effect as a unanimous vote of the members or directors, shall be filed in the records of minutes of the Association.
- 8.5 <u>Conflicts</u>. These Bylaws are intended to comply with the Oregon Planned Community Act, the Oregon Nonprofit Corporation Act, the Declaration and the Articles of Incorporation. In case of any irreconcilable conflict, such statutes and documents shall control over these Bylaws.

Article 9

Amendments To Bylaws

9.1 <u>How Proposed</u>. Amendments to these Bylaws shall be proposed by either a majority of the Board of Directors or by members holding at least thirty percent (30%) of the voting rights entitled to be cast for such amendment. The proposed amendment must be reduced to writing and shall be included in the notice of any meeting at which action is to be taken thereon or be attached to any request for consent to the amendment.

9.2 Adoption.

(a) A resolution adopting a proposed amendment may be proposed by either the Board of Directors or by the members and must be approved by the membership at a meeting called for such purpose, or by written consent of the members. Members not present at the meeting considering such amendment may express their approval in writing or by proxy. Any resolution must be approved by the members holding a majority of the voting rights of the Association, voting in person, by proxy or by ballot, at a meeting or ballot meeting of the Association at which a quorum is represented, together with the written consent of the Class B

member, if any. Amendment or repeal of any provision of these Bylaws that is also contained in the Declaration must be approved by the same voting requirement for amendment of such provision of the Declaration.

- (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of the preceding paragraph, until the Turnover Meeting has occurred, Declarant shall have the right to amend these Bylaws in order to comply with the requirements of the Federal Housing Administration, the United States Department of Veterans Affairs, the Farmers Home Administration of the United States, the Federal National Mortgage Association, the Government National Mortgage Association, the Federal Home Mortgage Loan Corporation, any department, bureau, board, commission or agency of the United States or the State of Oregon, or any corporation wholly owned, directly or indirectly, by the United States or the State of Oregon that insures, guarantees or provides financing for a planned community or lots in a planned community. After the Turnover Meeting, any such amendment shall require the approval of a majority of the voting rights of the Association, voting in person, by proxy or by ballot, at a meeting or ballot meeting of the Association at which a quorum is represented.
- 9.3 <u>Execution and Recording</u>. An amendment shall not be effective until certified by the President and Secretary of the Association as being adopted in accordance with these Bylaws and ORS 94.625, acknowledged and recorded in the Official Records of Deschutes County, Oregon.

(Remainder of Page Intentionally Left Blank; Signature Page Follows) IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each undersigned Declarant has adopted these Bylaws on behalf of the Association as of May 2, 2012.

WESTON INVESTMENT CO. LLC, an Oregon limited liability company

By: Weston Trust Corp., an

Oregon corporation

Its: Manager

Joseph E. Weston, President

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TRIPLE KNOT ASSOCIATES, LLC, an Oregon limited liability company

Donald N. Bauhofer, Manager

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John P. Lietz, Manager