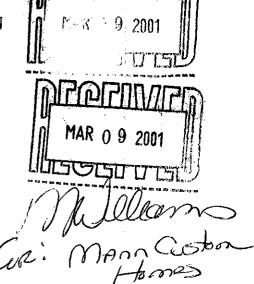
FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION

March 9, 2001

Hand Delivered

David L. Mann
Tom Brown
c/o B & M Development, LTD.
500 N. Loop 1604 E. Suite 110
San Antonio, Texas 78232



Re: Your Letter Dated December 29, 2000, to the Board of Directors of the Forest at Stone Oak Homeowner's Association, Units 1,2 and 3

Dear Sirs:

Your referenced letter contained your resignations from the Forest's Board of Directors and your contribution to the Homeowner's Association (HOA) of \$5,000 to cover minor repairs and \$5,000 to cover completion of the landscaping which you committed to provide at the neighborhood recreation center. Upon receipt, I deposited your check in a segregated, interest-bearing checking account, pending a formal decision of the Board regarding the sufficiency of these funds to satisfy your obligations as developer of the Forest and owner of all common areas through December 30, 2000. All interest that accrues on this account prior to the Board's final determination of your financial obligation to the HOA will be applied to such obligation or returned to you, along with any refund, if your contribution exceeds your financial obligation. The Board cannot accept your contribution as final at this time. If you would prefer to manage these funds yourself until the Board makes its final determination of financial responsibility, please let me know and we will return the funds and all accrued interest to you.

Subsequent to your resignations, new Board members were appointed to fill your positions. We are in the process of reviewing all existing bills and outstanding development obligations, and should be able to verify the adequacy of your contribution in the next 30 days. In order to do this, we ask that you provide us all records of the HOA, including all financial records since the inception of the HOA, all Architectural Control Committee records, and all real estate plats and maps. Also, we will need an explanation of your statement that you have "prepaid through subsidies our remaining lot assessment obligations until these lots are sold."

We appreciate your efforts as developers of the Forest, and look forward to promptly reaching an amicable agreement as to your outstanding obligations, if any, to the HOA.

Sincerely,

Rayford Sha President

Forest at Stone Oak Homeowners' Association

The above letter was reviewed and approved by the following Board Members of The Forest at Stone Oak Homeowners' Association on March 9, 2001.

John Pandosh

Stephanie Park

Cc: Pro Comm ATTN: Gerry Yost

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B & M DEVELOPMENT, LTD. 500 N. LOOP 1604 E. SUITE 110 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78232

DATE

AMOUNT

Jan 4, 2001

Final contribution to HOA

*****\$10,000.00*

1017 Central Parkway North Forest at Stoneoak HOA #112 TO THE ORDER

THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS DOCUMENT INCLUDES AN ARTIFICIAL WATERMARK THOLD ALAM ANGLE TO VIEW 78232 San Antonio, TX

2577% EB#

2001 Jan 4, 1445 Check Number: Check Date:

Amount Paid \$10,000.00 Check Amount: Discount Taken 10,000.00

DECEMBER

Final contribution to HOA

TO RECAIDER, CALL YOUR LOCAL SAFEGUARD DISTRIBUTOR AT 210-546-7400

PAY Ten Thousand and 0/100 Dollars Item to be Paid - Description Forest at Stoneoak HOA Memo:

B & M DEVELOPMENT, LTD.



December 29, 2000

To the members of the Board of Directors of Forest at Stone Oak Homeowner's Association, Units 1, 2 and 3

In accordance with the development plans for the Forest at Stone Oak community, we hereby resign our positions as Directors of the homeowners association, effective December 31, 2000 to allow for the transition to complete homeowner control.

As a <u>developer</u> with active lots for sale within the community, we hereby contribute the sum of \$5000.00 to cover any minor items still incomplete, for routine maintenance and upkeep in the future or for whatever purpose the association may elect. In addition, we also contribute the sum of \$5000.00 for use in landscaping the recreation center. This will allow for the homeowners to complete this job when weather conditions are more favorable for the installation of said landscaping.

As an active <u>builder</u> with lots in the community, we have prepaid through subsidies our remaining lot assessment obligations until these lots are sold.

We wish our successors, the entire Board and the members of the association much success in the future of the community.

Sincerely,

David L. Mann

Tom Brown

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2008- 0218738

WARRANTY DEED

Date:

December 29, 2000

Grantor:

B & M DEVELOPMENT, LTD.

Grantor's Mailing Address (including county):

150 N. Loop 1604 East, #202

San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas 78232

Grantee:

FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

Grantee's Mailing Address (including county):

1017 Central Parkway North, 112 San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas 78232-5009

Consideration:

Ten and No/100 Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration and the agreement of Grantee to submit all disputes to binding arbitration as set forth below.

Property (including any improvements):

Lot 36, Block 1, New City Block 19216, The Forest at Stone Oak, Unit 1, Planned Unit Development, an addition to the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, according to map or plat thereof, recorded in Volume 9536, Page 12, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.

Lot 67, Block 1, New City Block 19216, The Forest at Stone Oak, Unit 2, Planned Unit Development, an addition to the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, according to map or plat thereof, recorded in Volume 9539, Page 110, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.

Lot 108, Block 1, New City Block 19216, The Forest at Stone Oak, Unit 3, Planned Unit Development, an addition to the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, according to map or plat thereof, recorded in Volume 9542, Page 126, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.

Lot 21, Block 1, New City Block 19216, The Forest at Stone Oak, Unit 1, Planned Unit Development, an addition to the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, according to map or plat thereof, recorded in Volume 9536, Page 12, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.

Reservations from and Exceptions to Conveyance and Warranty:

All effective and enforceable restrictions, reservations, conditions, covenants, easements, and all other matters affecting title of record in the Official Public Records of Real Property of Bexar County, Texas.

Current taxes have been prorated and shall be assumed by Grantee.

By accepting this deed, Grantee covenants and agrees that any dispute between Grantee, Grantee's heirs, successors in title, or assignees, and Grantor, Grantor's successors or assignees, of any nature or kind, including but not limited to, disputes: (1) as to events, representations, or omissions, which predate this deed; (2) arising out of this deed or any contract or construction agreement between Grantor and Grantee; (3) relative to any residence constructed on the property; and/or (4) as to repairs or warranty claims arising after any such construction is completed, shall be submitted to binding arbitration. This Agreement shall be binding upon Grantee, Grantee's heirs, successors in title and assignees.

Grantor, for the consideration and subject to the reservations from and exceptions to conveyance and warranty, GRANTS, SELLS, and CONVEYS to Grantee the property, together with all and singular the rights and appurtenances thereto in any wise belonging, to have and hold it to Grantee, Grantee's heirs, executors, administrators, successors, or assigns forever. Grantor binds Grantor and Grantor's heirs, executors, administrators, and successors to warrant and forever defend all and singular the property to Grantee and Grantee's heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns against every person whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof, except as to the reservations from and exceptions to conveyance and warranty.

When this Deed is executed by more than one person, or when the Grantee is more than one person, the instrument shall read as though pertinent verbs, nouns and pronouns were exchanged correspondingly, and when executed by or to a legal entity other than a natural person, the words "heirs, executors and administrators" or "heirs and assigns" shall be construed to mean "successors and assigns". Reference to any gender shall include either gender and in the case of a legal entity other than a natural person, shall include the neuter gender, all as the case may be.

ACCEPTED:

FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATON, INC.

Rayford L. Shaw President

B & M DEVELOPMENT, LTD., a Texas Limited Partnership by its General Partner, Mann Homebuilders, Inc. a Texas Corporation

DAVID L. MANN, President

to the case of the

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF BEXAR

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the 29 day of December, 2000, by DAVID L. MANN, President of Mann Homebuilders, Inc., a Texas Corporation, as General Partner of B & M Developments, Ltd., a Texas limited partnership.

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Texas

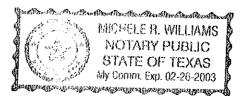
MICHELE R. WILLIAMS
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF TEXAS
My Comm. Exp. 02-26-2003

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF BEXAR

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the Agriculture day of December, 2000, by RAYFORD L. SHAW, President of Forest at Stone Oak Homeowners Association, Inc.

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Texas



PREPARED IN THE LAW OFFICES OF:

JOHNSON, CHRISTOPHER, JAVORE & COCHRAN, INC. 5802 N.W. Expressway San Antonio, Texas 78201 RETURN TO:

Forest at Stone Oak Homeowners Association, Inc. 1017 Central Parkway North, 112 San Antonio, TX 78232-5009

RECUIVED

DECLARATIONS OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR THE FOREST AT STONE OAK A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT UNIT 1

97- 0069478

THIS IS A COMPREHENSIVE LEGAL DOCUMENT WHICH PROVIDES FOR THE IMPOSITION OF MANDATORY HOMEOWNER ASSESSMENTS, THIS DECLARATION IS BINDING UPON ALL FUTURE OWNERS IN THIS SUBDIVISION.

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ARTICLE 1 RECITALS

1. Declarant desires to create a residential community with designated "Lots" and "Common Facilities" (as those terms are defined herein) for the benefit of the present and future owners of said Lots on the following described real property owned by Declarant, (said property being sometimes hereafter referred to as "the Land") to wit:

THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, a PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT (P.U.D.), in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, as shown on plat thereof recorded in Volume 9536, Pages 12-13 of the Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas, and on the grading plan attached hereto as Exhibit A..

- 2. Declarant has subdivided the above-described real property as shown by the map and plat of such subdivision, which map and plat has heretofore been filed as the true and correct survey, map, and plat thereof, and which subdivision shall be effectively known as THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, a P.U.D.
- 3. Declarant has deemed it desirable for the efficient preservation of the values and amenities in said community, and in the subdivision known as THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, A P.U.D., to create an agency to which should be delegated and assigned the powers of maintaining and administering the Common Facilities and administering and enforcing the covenants and restrictions and collecting and disbursing the assessments and charges hereinafter created, and
- 4. Declarant desires to ensure the preservation of the values and amenities in said community and for the maintenance of said Common Facilities, and to this end desires to further subject the above-described real property, together with such additions as may hereafter be made thereto as herein provided, to the covenants, restrictions, easements, charges, and liens hereinafter set forth, each and all of which is and are for the benefit of said property and each of the owners thereof, and

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- 5. FOREST OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. has been incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas as a non-profit corporation for the purpose of exercising the functions aforesaid as to THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, A P.U.D., a residential subdivision in Bexar County, Texas, as shown on plat recorded in Volume 9536, Pages 12-13, and such other real property as may be annexed thereto and become subject to the jurisdiction of said Association; and Declarant desires to conform the restrictions on use of the herein described real property as necessary for the purpose of subjecting said property and the Owners thereof to the jurisdictions of said FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.
- 6. Declarant declares that the property above described as constituting THE FOREST OAK, A P.U.D. shall be hereafter held, transferred, sold, conveyed, occupied, and enjoyed subject to the following covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, charges, and liens hereinafter set forth, and hereafter be subject to the jurisdiction and assessments of the FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

- (i) "Living Unit" shall mean and refer to a single family residence and its attached or detached garage situated upon a Lot.
- (j) "Lot" shall mean and refer to any of the plots of land in the THE FOREST AT STONE OAK a P.U.D. as shown on plat recorded in Volume 9536, Pages 12-13, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.
- (k) "Member" shall mean and refer to all those Owners who are members of the Association as provided herein.
- (I) "Owner" shall mean and refer to the record owner, whether one or more persons or entities, of the fee simple title to any Lot or portion of a Lot within the Existing Property, including contract sellers but excluding those having interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation.
- (m) "Property" shall mean and refer to the above described properties known as THE FOREST AT STONE OAK A P.U.D.
- (n) "Additional Property" shall mean and refer to property which is added to the Property pursuant to Article 7 of this Declaration or any Amended or Supplemental Declaration.
- (o) "Subdivision Plat" shall mean and refer to the map or plat of THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, A P.U.D., filed for record in Volume 9536, Pages 12-13, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas, and any amendment thereof upon filing of same for record in the Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.

ARTICLE 3 HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATION AND ASSESSMENTS

- 1. MEMBERSHIP IN THE ASSOCIATION. Every person or entity who is a record Owner of a fee or undivided interest in any Lot which is subject to the jurisdiction of and to assessment by the Association shall be a member of the Association, provided, however, that any person or entity holding an interest in any such Lot or Lots merely as security for the performance of an obligation, shall not be a member.
 - 2. VOTING RIGHTS. The association shall have two classes of voting membership:
 - Class A. Class A Members shall be all those owners as defined in Article 2(I) above with the exception of Declarant. Class A Members shall be entitled to one vote for each Lot in which they hold the interest required for membership by Article 2(I). When more than one person holds such interest or interests in any Lot, all such persons shall be members, and the vote for such Lot shall be exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall more than one vote be cast with respect to any such Lot.
 - <u>Class B.</u> The Class B Members shall be Declarant and Builder Members. The Class B Members shall be entitled to three votes for

each Lot in which they hold the interest required by Article 2(e) above, provided that the Class B membership shall cease and become converted to Class A membership on the happening of the following events, whichever occurs earlier:

- (a) when the total votes outstanding in the Class A membership equal the total votes outstanding in the Class B membership; or
- (b) On January 1, 2017.

From and after the happening of these events, whichever occurs earlier, the Class B member shall be deemed to be a Class A member entitled to one vote for each Lot in which it holds the interest required for membership.

- 3. CREATION OF THE LIEN AND PERSONAL OBLIGATION OF ASSESSMENTS. Declarant, for each Lot owned by it within the Properties, hereby covenants, and each Owner of any Lot, by acceptance of a deed therefor, whether or not it shall be so expressed in any such deed or other conveyance, shall be deemed to covenant and agree to pay to the Association: (1) annual assessments or charges; and (2) special assessments for capital improvement, such assessments to be fixed, established, and collected from time to time as hereinafter provided. The annual and special assessments, together with such interest thereon and costs of collection thereof as are hereinafter provided, shall be a charge on the land and shall be a continuing lien upon the property against which each such assessment is made. Each such assessment, together with such interest thereon and cost of collection thereof as hereinafter provided, shall also be the personal obligation of the person who was the Owner of such property at the time the obligation accrued.
- 4. PURPOSE OF ASSESSMENTS. The assessments levied by the Association shall be used for the purpose of promoting the recreation, health, safety and welfare of the Members, and in particular, for the improvement, maintenance and operation of the properties, services and facilities devoted to this purpose and related to the use and enjoyment of the Property by the Members.
- 5. BASIS AND MAXIMUM OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS. The annual assessment for both improved and unimproved Lots shall be determined by the Board of Directors in the manner provided for herein after determination of current maintenance costs and anticipated needs of the Association during the year for which the assessment is being made. The initial annual assessment for an improved Lot shall be prorated for the remainder of the calendar year in which begun if begun on other than January 1. The annual assessment for unimproved Lots shall be one-third (1/3) of the annual assessment for improved Lots. The maximum annual assessment for improved Lots and annual assessments for unimproved Lots may be increased by vote of the Members as provided hereinbelow. A Lot shall be deemed to be an "improved Lot" when construction of a Living Unit hereon is completed and closing of a sale thereof has taken place, or when the Living Unit is occupied as a residence, whichever first occurs. As provided in Article 5(16), the Board of Directors shall have the power to adjust assessments on consolidated Lots.

- 6. SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS. In addition to the annual assessments provided for above, the Association may levy, in any assessment year, a Special Assessment on improved Lots only, applicable to that year only, for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the cost of any construction, reconstruction, repair or replacement of a capital improvement on or which is a part of the Common Facilities, provided that any such assessment shall have the assent of two thirds (2/3) of the votes of the improved Lot owners who are voting in person or by proxy at a meeting duly called for this purpose, written notice of which shall be sent to all improved Lot owners at least thirty (30) days in advance which shall set forth the purpose of the meeting.
- 7. CHANGE IN BASIS AND MAXIMUM OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS. Subject to the limitations stated above, the annual assessment may be adjusted by majority vote of the Board of Directors but shall not be increased by more than ten percent (10%) above that of the previous year without a vote of the membership. Any increase in the annual assessment of more than ten percent (10%) above that of a previous year shall require approval of two-thirds (2/3) vote of each class of Members voting at a meeting duly called for that purpose.
- 8. QUORUM FOR ANY ACTION AUTHORIZED UNDER SECTIONS 6 AND 7. The quorum required for any action authorized hereinabove shall be as follows: At the first meeting called as provided above, the presence at the meeting of Members or proxies entitled to cast sixty percent (60%) of all the votes of each class of membership shall constitute a quorum. If the required quorum is not forthcoming at any meeting, another meeting may be called, subject to the notice requirements set forth above, and the required quorum at any such subsequent meeting shall be one-half (½) of the required quorum at the preceding meeting, provided that such reduced quorum requirement shall not be applicable to any such subsequent meeting held more than sixty (60) days following the preceding meeting.
- 9. DATE OF COMMENCEMENT OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS; DUE DATE. The annual assessments provided for herein shall commence as to all Lots on such date as may be determined by the Board of Directors of the Association. The assessments for each calendar year shall become due and payable and shall be collected as the Board of Directors of the Association shall determine. The amount of the annual assessment shall be an amount which bears the same relationship to the annual assessment established by the Board of Directors as the remaining number of months in that year bear to twelve. When a Lot becomes an improved Lot, there shall be payable as of the first day of the month following the month when it becomes an improved Lot a sum equal to the difference between the annual assessment for unimproved Lots and the annual assessment for improved Lots, prorated over the balance of the year then remaining. The due date of any special assessment under the provisions hereof shall be fixed in the resolution authorizing such assessment.
- DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. In December of each year, the Board of Directors of the Association shall fix the amount of the annual assessment against each Lot for the following year and shall at that time prepare a roster of the Lots and assessments applicable thereto which shall be kept in the office of the Association and shall be open to inspection by any Owner on reasonable notice. Written notice of the assessment shall thereupon be sent to every Owner subject thereto. The Association shall upon demand at any time, furnish to any Owner liable for said assessment, a certificate in writing, signed by an officer of the Association, setting forth whether said assessment has been paid. Such certificate shall be conclusive evidence of payment of any assessment therein stated to have been paid.

- 11. EFFECT OF NON-PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS: THE LIEN; REMEDIES OF THE ASSOCIATION. All past due and unpaid assessments shall bear interest at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per annum or the maximum interest allowed by law from the date due until the date paid. The Association shall be entitled to record a Notice of Lien or notice of unpaid assessment in the real property records for any assessment remaining unpaid more than thirty (30) days after the due date thereof. The Association shall be entitled to collect from each Owner the costs to the Association for the collection of any past due assessments or charges, including a reasonable fee for the preparation, recordation or release of any notice. If the Association retains an attorney to assist in the collection of an unpaid assessment, then that member's inspection of the attorney's books and records shall not be a "proper purpose" pursuant to the Texas Non-Profit Corporation Act.
- SUBORDINATION OF THE LIEN TO MORTGAGES. The lien of the assessments 12. provided for herein and the superior title herein reserved shall be deemed subordinate to a first lien or other liens of any bank, insurance company, savings and loan association, university, pension and profit sharing trusts or plans, or other bona fide, third party lender which may have heretofore or may hereafter lend money in good faith for the purchase or improvement of any Lot and any renewal, extension, rearrangement or refinancing thereof. Each such mortgagee of a mortgage encumbering a Lot who obtains title to such Lot pursuant to the remedies provided in the mortgage or by judicial or non-judicial foreclosure, shall take title to the Lot free and clear of any claims for unpaid assessments or charges against such Lot which accrued prior to the time such holder acquired title to such Lot. No such sale or transfer shall relieve such holder acquiring title to a Lot from liability for any assessments thereafter becoming due or from the lien thereof. Any other sale or transfer of a Lot shall not affect the Association's lien for assessments. The Association shall use its best efforts to give each such mortgagee sixty (60) days' advance written notice of the Association's proposed foreclosure of the lien described herein, which notice shall be sent to the nearest office of such mortgages by prepaid United States registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, and shall contain a statement of delinquent assessment upon which the proposed action is based; provided, however, that the Association's failure to give such notice shall not impair or invalidate any foreclosure conducted by the Association pursuant to the provisions of Section 11 hereof.
- 13. TITLE TO COMMON FACILITIES. The Declarant may retain the legal right to the Common Facilities until such time as it has completed improvements thereon and until such time as, in the opinion of the Declarant, the Association is able to maintain the same, but notwithstanding any provision herein, the Declarant hereby covenants, for itself, its successors and assigns, that it will convey the Common Facilities to the Association, not later than two years after the filing of record of this Declaration.
- that it has not previously transferred its rights in this section to the Association), Declarant reserves the legal title and control over all entry houses and gates which it may construct on or about the Subdivision, as well as the authority, in sole discretion, to determine the hours, staffing and manner of operation. Nothing in this Declaration, or any other statement or communication by Declarant or the Association, shall constitute any representation or warranty by Declarant or the Association concerning the hours, staffing or manner of operation of the entry houses and gates, nor concerning any security or safety protection which the entry houses or gates may offer.

- 15. MEMBERS' EASEMENTS OF ENJOYMENT. Subject to the provisions of Sections 16 and 17 of this Article, every Member shall have a common right and easement of enjoyment in and to the Common Facilities and such right and easement shall be appurtenant to and shall pass with the title to every Lot.
- 16. EXTENT OF MEMBERS' EASEMENTS. The rights and easements of enjoyment created hereby shall be subject to the following:
 - (a) the rights and easements existing or hereafter created in favor of others as provided for in the Subdivision Plat.
 - (b) the rights of the Association, once it has obtained legal right to the Common Facilities, as provided in Section 13 above, to do the following:
 - (1) to borrow money for the purpose of constructing or improving the Common Facilities and, in aid thereof, to mortgage said properties and facilities, in accordance with the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association;
 - (2) to take such steps as are reasonably necessary to protect the above-described properties and facilities against foreclosures;
 - (3) to enter into one or more contracts or agreements for the maintenance or improvement of the Common Facilities:
 - (4) to suspend the enjoyment rights of any Member for any period during which any assessment remains unpaid, and for any period not to exceed thirty (30) days for any infraction of the published rules and regulations of the Association or of this Declaration;
 - (5) to assess and collect the assessments provided for herein or elsewhere and to charge reasonable admission and other fees for the use of the Common Facilities;
 - (6) to dedicate or transfer all or any part of the Common Facilities to any public agency, authority, or utility for such purposes and subject to such conditions as may be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Members not voting by class;
 - (7) to enforce a maximum speed limit of thirty (30) miles per hour and to post and/or install such other traffic signs and controls, as it deems necessary; and

- (8) to enforce posted traffic regulations, including, without limitation the right to restrict vehicular access to the Common Facilities by persons who have violated posted traffic regulations or been cited for speeding or reckless driving on more than two occasions in a twelve-month (12) period.
- 17. USE RESTRICTIONS AFFECTING COMMON FACILITIES AND ADJUNCT PROPERTIES. The right of use of the Common Facilities shall be strictly subject to the following:
 - (a) No motorcycles, motorbikes or other motorized vehicles (except those used for maintenance, repairs and upkeep of the Common Facilities) shall be permitted on any part of the drainage easements, sidewalks or other Common Facilities owned by the Association or Declarant. The drainage easements shall be utilized only for walking, jogging, bicycle riding and such other uses as may be approved by the Board of Directors of the Association and the Association may prohibit or limit the uses of any portion of the Common Facilities.
 - (b) No planting or gardening by Owners shall be permitted within the Common Facilities and no fences, hedges or walls or other obstructions shall be erected or maintained upon or over the Common Facilities, except such as are installed by Declarant in connection with the construction of the initial improvements thereon, or such as are subsequently approved by the Board of Directors of the Association.
 - (c) No building or other structure of any type, including recreational structures, shall be built, placed or maintained on the Common Facilities except those constructed or placed, or permitted to be constructed or placed, by Declarant or the Board of Directors of the Association.
 - (d) The Board of Directors is empowered to establish additional use regulations relating to the Common Facilities as it may from time-to-time deem necessary to ensure the preservation and appearance of the Subdivision as a first class residential neighborhood and such rules and regulations shall, when promulgated, be in all respects binding on and enforceable against all Lot Owners, provided, however, no such additional rules or regulations shall in any manner revoke or relax any of the restrictions of use set forth in this section.

ARTICLE 4 ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL COMMITTEE

1. COMPOSITION. There is hereby created an Architectural Control Committee, initially composed of David Mann, Tom Brown and Dana Mann to serve until their successors are named. A majority of the Committee may act for the Committee and no notice of any of its meetings shall be required. Subject to the terms hereinafter set forth, Declarant shall have the right to add members to the Committee and fill vacancies in the Committee membership and Declarant may assign such rights

to the Association. In the event that all members of the ACC shall resign, and Declarant shall fail to appoint successors for a period of 30 days after the last to resign, then in such event the Board of Directors of the Association may appoint the members of the ACC.

- 2. POWER AND AUTHORITY. The Committee shall have the express authority to perform fact finding functions hereunder and shall have the power to construe and interpret any covenant, condition or restriction herein. Members of said Committee and their representatives shall not be liable to any person subject to or possessing or claiming the benefits of these restrictive covenants for any claim or loss or damage whatsoever, including, without limitation, any claims for damage or injury to property or for damage or loss arising out of their acts hereunder. In the event of non-compliance with this Declaration, the Architectural Control Committee shall have the power to halt such work through legal means, the first step of which shall be written notice to the non-complying Owner of the property, and to require the resolution of such non-compliance prior to continuation of construction. The Architectural Control Committee shall not be entitled to any compensation for services rendered pursuant to this covenant but shall be entitled to be fully reimbursed for all amounts reasonably expended in the performance of their responsibilities. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the power to employ professional consultants to assist it in discharging its duties at the expense of the Association. The Architectural Committee is empowered to promulgate Architectural Design Guidelines for the Subdivision.
- 3. PROCEDURE. No building, fence or other structure or improvement shall be erected, placed or altered on any Lot in the subdivision until the plans and specifications, including exterior elevations and exterior colors and all exterior materials for such building, fence of other structure and showing the location of such building, fence or other structure, shall have been approved in writing by the Architectural Control Committee as to the quality of workmanship and materials and conformity and harmony of exterior design with existing structures in the subdivision and as to the location with respect to topography, existing trees and finished elevation. Within thirty (30) days after the Owner has submitted to the Committee all plans that the Committee may require ("Submitted Plans"), the Committee shall notify the Owner in writing whether the Submitted Plans are approved or disapproved. Any disapproval shall set forth the specific reason or reasons for such disapproval. In the event the Submitted Plans have not been approved or disapproved within thirty (30) days after submission, the Submitted Plans will be deemed to have been approved but such deemed approval shall not permit a violation of any of the terms of these covenants.
- 4. DISCRETION. It is the express intention of Declarant that the Architectural Control Committee shall have broad discretion to permit, consent to, or approve a variance from the specific requirements or effect of a particular covenant. The discretion afforded the Architectural Control Committee in this instrument shall be subject to, but not incompatible with the purpose of this Declaration as set forth in Article 1 above.
- 5. SEPARATE ACTIONS. Each action of the Committee pursuant to this Article shall be separate and apart from any other action, and the grant of a variance or waiver to any one Owner shall not constitute a waiver of the Committee's right to strictly enforce the restrictions created by this Declaration. All decisions of the Committee shall be final and binding, and there shall be no review of any actions of the Committee.
- 6. DURATION. The Architectural Control Committee shall be duly constituted for the entire period of duration of this Declaration.

ARTICLE 5 LAND USE REGULATIONS

- 1. RESIDENTIAL PURPOSES ONLY. All land included within the Property shall be used for "residential purposes" only, either for the construction of private single-family residences, including an enclosed private garage for not less than two (2) automobiles, or as part of the Common Facilities; provided, however, that only one such private single-family residence may be constructed, or otherwise placed upon any one Lot. The term "residential purpose" as used herein shall be held and construed to exclude any business, commercial, industrial, apartment house, hospital, clinic and/or professional uses, and such excluded uses are hereby expressly prohibited subject solely to the use by each Builder Member of residences within the Property as temporary sales offices and model homes for the display and sale of Lots within the Existing Property and no others. This restriction shall not, however, prevent the inclusion of permanent living quarters for domestic servants or to allow domestic servants to be domiciled with an owner or resident.
- 2. EDWARDS RECHARGE ZONE POLLUTION ABATEMENT. Each lot is subject to a WATER POLLUTION ABATEMENT PLAN which was required under the 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC)§313, the EDWARDS AQUIFER RULES of the TEXAS NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION COMMISSION.
- 3. STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN. Prior to beginning any phase of construction on any lot in the Forest at Stone Oak a P.U.D., the builder or lot owner shall comply with the provisions of the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan established by the Environmental Protection Agency.
- 4. STORAGE OF BUILDING MATERIALS. Building materials placed on Lots prior to commencement of improvements must be kept in a neat, clean and orderly condition. No materials may be placed on the street or between the curb and the property line.
- 5. CONSTRUCTION AND SALES PERIOD. During the construction and sales period of the Living Units, Builder Members may erect and maintain such structures as are customary in connection with such construction and sale of such property, including, but not limited to a business office, storage areas, sign, model units, and sales office. All temporary construction and sales structures shall be aesthetically compatible with the subdivision development as determined by the Committee, and may only be located within the Property for a period not exceeding three (3) years, unless written approval of the ACC is obtained, which approval will not unreasonably be withheld.
- 6. BUILDING MATERIALS. The exterior walls of all one-story residential buildings, and the lower story of all two-story residential buildings, shall be constructed with masonry, rock, stucco, brick, or brick or masonry veneer for 75% or more of the total exterior wall area. The exterior walls of all two-story residential buildings shall be constructed with masonry or masonry veneer for 50% or more of the total exterior wall area, with at least the front and two sides being masonry on the first floor of a two-story house. Window and door openings shall be included as masonry. Detached garages shall be 100% masonry on the front side and not less than 75% of the total exterior wall area. Further masonry may be required on detached garages if the ACC deems that side or rear walls are in clear view from the street. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Architectural Control Committee is empowered to waive this restriction, if, in its sole discretion, such waiver is advisable in order to accommodate a unique or advanced building concept, design or material, and the resulting structure will not detract from the general appearance of the neighborhood. Wall materials used on all Lots shall

be restricted to those types and colors of bricks approved by the Architectural Control Committee.

- 7. ROOFING MATERIALS. Roofing shall be either slate, tile, factory fire-treated wood (if permitted by the City of San Antonio), tarnished metal with standing seams, or composition or fiberglass dimensional shingles, provided that any composition or fiberglass roofing shall be 240 pounds or more. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the discretion to approve other roof treatments and materials if the form utilized will, in its sole discretion, be harmonious with the surrounding homes and Subdivision as a whole.
- 8. FENCES. Fences may be constructed along and adjacent to the property line with the exception that no fence shall be constructed within the limits of the Lot's front setback line. All fences shall be constructed of brick, stone, concrete, wood or a combination of the foregoing, however, no fences described as cyclone (except those specifically approved by the Architectural Review Committee), or metal cloth fencing shall be permitted in the Subdivision. Any wood fences shall be constructed with finish side out. The design and material of construction for any fencing must be submitted to and approved by the Architectural Review Committee prior to start of construction. All perimeter lots shall have fences constructed at rear of property line prior to completion of construction.
 - (a) All other fences shall be of the four types above described or shall be wood composed of one inch by not more than six inches (1" x 6") wide, six feet (6') tall, vertical cedar planks, without gaps between planks, with the tops either level or notched "dog-ear" styled.
 - (b) All wooden fences visible from a street shall be constructed facing the street and without any framing visible from the street.
 - (c) The Architectural Control Committee is empowered to waive the aforesaid composition requirements for fences and the aforesaid height or setback limitation in connection with retaining walls and decorative walls if, in its sole discretion, such waiver is advisable in order to accommodate a unique, attractive or advanced building concept, design or material, and the resulting fence, decorative wall and/or retaining wall (whichever is applicable) will not detract from the general appearance of the neighborhood.
 - (d) No fence, wall, or hedge or shrub planting which obstructs sight lines shall be placed or permitted to remain on any corner Lot within the triangular areas formed by the extension of curb lines and a line connecting them at points twenty-five feet (25') from the intersection of the extended curb lines into the street. No structures or landscape material over three and one-half feet (3½') tall shall be allowed in this inscribed triangle.
- 9. DRIVEWAYS AND SIDEWALKS. Driveways and entry walks on each residential Lot must be constructed of concrete. Any other finish must be approved by the ACC. All other materials and finishes must be to City of San Antonio specifications and approved in writing by the ACC. The driveway turnout shall be constructed to specifications of the City of San Antonio and in such manner as to provide an attractive transitional radius from the curb and gutter into the driveway entrance and shall prevent escape of drainage water from the street onto any Lots. Driveways and entry walks must be shown on the site plan submitted for approval of the Architectural Control Committee. Asphalt driveways and entry walks are specifically prohibited. All entry walks, crossways, and

driveway approaches shall comply with City of San Antonio specifications, including handicapped access. Any concrete spilled, poured or washed on a street must be immediately removed leaving the street clean and unstained. The Owner or Owners of each Lot shall also be the Owner or Owners of the portion of a sidewalk which traverses his Lot, and shall, by acceptance of a deed to his Lot or Lots, covenant to keep such portion in good repair. Each Owner shall execute any and all instruments necessary to grant an easement to the public for the use of the sidewalks.

- 10. TEMPORARY STRUCTURES. No structure of a temporary character (sales structure, trailer, travel trailer, tent, shack, garage, barn or other outbuildings) shall be used on any Lot at any time as a residence, either temporarily or permanently. No trailer, camper, recreational vehicles, or similar vehicles shall at any time be parked in view from other properties or connected to utilities situated within a Lot. No dwelling previously constructed elsewhere may be moved onto any Lot in the subdivision controlled by these covenants. This covenant specifically includes mobile homes or the use of a mobile home in which the axle and wheels have been removed and placed upon a concrete slab, which said mobile home is hereby specifically prohibited as a residence, either temporarily or permanently, and further, specifically includes a mobile home upon which wheels have been left attached. Sales offices and construction offices used by the Declarant or Builder Members are permitted but are subject to ACC approval as to number, type, location and ultimate use.
- 11. RESTRICTIONS ON LOTS. All Lots in the subdivision shall be used for residential purposes or as part of the Common Area. No residential building shall remain incomplete for more than six (6) months after construction has commenced. Temporary use may be made of a house for a Builder Member's sales office, which shall be permitted until such house is sold, not to exceed thirty-six (36) months in total from time of completion, provided such use is approved in writing by Declarant.
- 12. GARAGES. A garage able to accommodate at least two (2) full-sized automobiles must be constructed and maintained for each Living Unit. Garages on corner Lots must be set back at least twenty feet (20') from the side Lot line and all garages must be set back at least fifty feet (50') from the front Lot line. Each driveway must accommodate two vehicles in front of the garage for off-street parking requirements. Rear detached garages shall be permitted provided they are constructed in compliance with the requirements of these covenants and the specifications of the City of San Antonio. No garage shall be permanently enclosed for conversion to any other use. Open carports are not permitted, unless special design circumstances warrant their use, in which case permission must be obtained in writing from the Architectural Control Committee.
- 13. MAXIMUM HEIGHT. No building or structure erected, altered or placed on, with or in the Properties shall exceed thirty-five feet (35') in height (measured from the top of the foundation to the topmost part of the roof) nor be more than two and one-half (2½) stories in height, provided however, that all applicable ordinances, regulations, and statutes with respect to the maximum height of buildings and structures shall, at all times, be complied with.
- 14. MINIMUM AREA. The living area of each residence constructed on a Lot shall contain the minimum, contiguous square feet of living space set forth below, such square feet being exclusive of open or screened porches, terraces, patios, driveways, carports, garages and living quarters for domestic servants separated or detached from the primary living area, to wit:
 - (a) If single story with two-car garage attached or detached, 2,100 square feet of living area

- (b) If two story with attached or detached two-car garage, 2,300 square feet of living area, with 1,700 square feet living area on the ground floor.
- 15. BUILDING SETBACKS. All improvements shall be constructed only in accordance with the greater of the building set back lines indicated on the Subdivision Plat for The Forest at Stone Oak a P.U.D. or this Article 5, Section 15, however, in no case shall any improvement other than landscaping plant materials, walkways and irrigation systems be constructed within 50 feet of any street on which a Lot fronts, 20 feet on any street on which a Lot Sides, or within 20 feet of a side line and 30 feet of a rear lot line.

No structures of any type, including, but not limited to, patios, decks, gazebos, or swimming pools shall be constructed within the building setback line indicated on the Subdivision Plat of The Forest at Stone Oak a P.U.D. or in these Restrictive Covenants, whichever is greater.

The Architectural Review Committee may grant a variance to the foregoing setback restrictions in cases where necessary to permit a unique architectural design or to attempt to conserve native trees.

- 16. LOT CONSOLIDATION. Any Owner owning two or more adjoining Lots or portions of two or more such Lots may, with the prior approval of the Architectural Control Committee, consolidate such Lots or portions thereof into a single building site for the purpose of constructing one residence and such other improvements as are permitted herein, provided, however, that no such building site shall contain less than six thousand (6,000) square feet of land. Any consolidated Lot shall comply with all lawful requirements of any applicable statues, ordinance or regulation. On application by any Owner, the Board of Directors may adjust the assessments on a consolidated Lot to an amount not less than the full assessment rate for a single Lot. Absent such adjustment, a consolidated Lot shall bear the full assessment rate theretofore applicable to all Lots which are not consolidated.
- 17. OUTBUILDING REQUIREMENTS. Every outbuilding, inclusive of such structures as a storage building, gazebo, spa, greenhouse or children's playhouse, shall be compatible with the dwelling to which it is appurtenant in terms of its design and material composition. All such outbuildings shall be subject to approval of the Architectural Control Committee. In no instance shall an outbuilding exceed one (1) story in height, nor shall the total floor area of outbuildings other than a detached garage exceed ten percent (10%%), individually or in the aggregate, of the floor area of the main dwelling.
- 18. SIGNS. No signs, banners, or pennants of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any single-family residential Lot except one (1) professional sign of not more than nine (9) square feet advertising the property for sale or rent. Signs used by the developer or builders to advertise Lots or homes within the Properties during the construction and sales period shall be permitted, irrespective of the foregoing. Signs advertising subcontractors or suppliers are specifically prohibited. The Architectural Control Committee shall have control over all the wording, design, appearance, size, quantity, and location of all signs. Except for sale or rental signs adhering to the standards of the first sentence of this Article, all signs within the Property shall be subject to the prior written approval of the ACC.
- 19. LOT MAINTENANCE. Grass, weeds, and vegetation on each Lot shall be kept mowed at regular intervals. Trees, shrubs, vines and plants which die shall be promptly removed from the

property. Lawns must be properly maintained and fences must be repaired and maintained and no objectionable or unsightly usage of Lots will be permitted which is visible to the public view. Building materials shall not be stored on any Lot except when being employed in construction upon such Lot, and any excess materials not needed for construction and any building refuse shall promptly be removed from such Lot. In the event of default on the part of the Owner or occupant of any Lot in observing the above requirements or any of them, such default continuing after ten (10) days written notice thereof, Declarant, or its assigns, or the Association, may without liability to Owner or any occupants, but without being under any duty to do so, in trespass or otherwise, enter upon said Lot, cut or cause to be cut, such weeds and grass and remove or cause to be removed, such garbage, trash and rubbish or do any other thing necessary to secure compliance with this Declaration, so as to place said Lot in a neat, attractive, healthful and sanitary condition, and may charge the Owner or occupant of such Lot for the cost of such work, plus a reasonable administrative charge and for reasonable attorney's fees. The Owner or occupant, as the case may be, agrees by the purchase or occupancy of the Lot to pay such statement immediately upon receipt thereof. The sum due shall be a charge on the Lot and shall be a continuing lien upon the Lot against which such sums are due, and may be enforced as fully as if it were an unpaid annual or special assessment.

20. LANDSCAPING. All front yards and side yards on all Lots, up to the wing wall that extends from the side of the house to the side property line, must be sodded within thirty days after the occupancy of the house. Side yards on corner Lots must be sodded the full length of the property line adjacent to the street. After sodding, all yards must be maintained with grass or landscaping in a neat and well mown condition, free of unsightly weeds and overgrowth. Decorative ground cover rock in the front and side yard may be used in lieu of grass but may not exceed ten percent (10%) of the total area of the front and side yard. Hydromulching and/or seeding may be utilized in place of sodding if approved by the ACC. No oak, elm, or pecan trees larger than eighteen inches (18") in diameter may be removed without written ACC approval. EACH OWNER IS ADVISED THAT THERE ARE NO EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES AS TO THE LIFE EXPECTANCY, VITALITY OR FITNESS FOR INTENDED PURPOSE OF ANY TREES OR SHRUBS LOCATED ON THE PROPERTIES.

The Architectural Control Committee is empowered to establish additional landscaping guidelines, consistent with these Restrictions as authorized by Articles 4-2 and 9-6.

- 21. WATER AND SEWAGE SYSTEMS. No individual water supply system or sewage disposal system shall be permitted on any Lot, including, but not limited to, water wells, cesspools or septic tanks.
- 22. VEHICLES. No trailer, motor home, tent, boat, recreational vehicle, travel trailer, or any truck larger than a three-quarter (3/4) ton pick-up or wrecked, junked or wholly inoperable vehicle shall be kept, parked, stored or maintained on any portion of the front yard in front of the building line of the permanent structure nor shall be kept, parked, stored or maintained on other portions of the Lot for a period more than twenty-four (24) hours, unless they are in an enclosed structure or in a screened area which prevents the view thereof from adjacent Lots and streets. No dismantling or assembling of an auto, trailer, motor home, tent, boat, recreational vehicle, travel trailer, any truck or other machinery or equipment shall be permitted in any driveway, street or yard adjacent to a street. No commercial vehicle bearing commercial insignia or names shall be parked on any Lot except within an enclosed structure or a screened area which prevents such view thereof from adjacent Lots and streets, unless such vehicle is temporarily parked for the purpose serving such Lot. On-street parking, except by visitors, is prohibited.
 - 23. GARBAGE AND REFUSE DISPOSAL. No Lot shall be used or maintained as a dumping

ground for rubbish. Trash, garbage and other waste shall be kept in sanitary containers, whether arranged for alley pickup or street pickup. No trash, ashes or other refuse may be thrown or dumped on any vacant Lot, park, street, right-of-way, or drainage area in the Properties. No cans, bags, containers or receptacles for the storing or disposal of trash, garbage, refuse, rubble, or debris shall be stored, kept, placed or maintained on any Lot where visible from any street except solely on a day designated for removal of garbage and rubbish and on which days only such cans, bags, containers, and receptacle may be placed in front of a residence and beside a street for removal but shall be removed from view before the following day.

- 24. ANIMALS. No sheep, goats, horses, cattle, swine, poultry, snakes, livestock, or other animals of any kind shall ever be raised, kept, bred, or harbored on any portion of the Properties, except that dogs, cats, or other common household pets (not to exceed a total of three (3) adult animals) may be kept, provided that they are not kept, bred, or maintained for any commercial purposes and provided further that such common household pets shall at all times, except when they are confined within the boundaries of a private single-family residence or Lot upon which same is located, be restrained or controlled by a leash, rope, or similar restraint or a basket, cage, or other container.
- 25. OIL AND MINING OPERATIONS. No oil drilling, oil development operations, oil refining, quarrying or mining operations of any kind shall be permitted upon or in any Lot, nor shall oil wells, tanks, tunnels, mineral excavations, or shafts be permitted upon any Lot. No derrick or other structure designed for use in boring for oil or natural gas shall be erected, maintained or permitted upon any Lot. No tank for the storage of oil or fluids may be maintained on any Lots above the surface of the ground.
- 26. COMMUNICATIONS ANTENNAE. No radio, citizen band or otherwise, or television aerial wires or antennae shall be maintained on any portion of any Lot, except those which are fully enclosed within the structure of the Living Unit. No microwave or other satellite dishes, antennas, receivers, or transmitters shall be placed on any Lot without the prior written approval of the Architectural Control Committee which shall have the authority to establish guidelines for the placement of satellite dishes and solar collectors. Solar apparatus, if used, must be installed in a location not visible from the street, any Rights-of-Way or other Lots or portions thereof, and must be approved by the Architectural Control Committee before erection.
- 27. NUISANCES. No noxious or offensive activity shall be carried on upon any Lot, nor shall anything be done thereon which may be or may become an annoyance or nuisance to the neighborhood.
- 28. ADVERSE CONDITIONS. No Owner or occupant shall perform any work that will impair the structural soundness or integrity of another Living Unit or impair any easement or hereditament, nor do any act nor allow any condition to exist which will adversely affect the other Living Units or their Owners or residents.
- 29. EXTERIOR LIGHTING. No exterior lighting of any sort shall be installed or maintained on a Lot where the light source is offensive or a nuisance to neighboring property (except reasonable security or landscape lighting that has approval of the Architectural Control Committee).
- 30. EXTERIOR NOISE. No exterior speakers, horns, whistles, bells or other sound devices (except security devices such as entry door and patio intercoms used exclusively to protect the Lot and improvements situated thereon) shall be placed or used upon any Lot.

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- 31. ATHLETIC FACILITIES. Tennis court lighting and fencing shall be allowed only with the approval of the Architectural Control Committee. Basketball goals, or backboards, or any other similar sporting equipment of either a permanent or temporary nature shall not be placed on any Lot in the subdivision or where same would be visible from an adjoining street or Lot, without the prior written consent of the Architectural Control Committee. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the authority to establish guidelines for the placement and design of basketball goals and no basketball goal shall be kept or maintained within sight of any street except in accordance with any such guidelines established.
- 32. BURGLAR AND FIRE ALARMS. Each residence constructed on a Lot within the Subdivision shall include, as part of the initial construction, a perimeter burglar alarm system covering all exterior doors, entries and windows and such type, number, and location of smoke detectors as stipulated by the ordinances and/or building codes of the City of San Antonio then in effect.
- 33. HOUSE NUMBERING. House numbers identifying the address of each house must be placed as closed as possible to the front entry and shall be illuminated so that the numbers can be easily read from the street at night. Size, color and material of the numbers must be compatible with the design and color of the house.
- 34. ADDITIONAL LAND USE REGULATIONS. The Association is empowered to establish additional land use regulations relating to the Property, both on Lots and the Common Facilities (including subdivision streets) as it may from time-to-time deem necessary to ensure the preservation and appearance of the Subdivision as a first class residential neighborhood and such rules and regulations shall, when promulgated, be in all respects binding on and enforceable against all Lot Owners, provided, however, no such additional rules or regulations shall in any manner revoke or relax any of the restrictions of use set forth in this section.

ARTICLE 6 EASEMENTS

- 1. EASEMENTS. Easements for installation and maintenance of utilities and drainage facilities are reserved as shown on the recorded plat. Within these easements, if any, no structure, planting or other material shall be placed or permitted to remain which may damage or interfere with the installation and maintenance of utilities or, in the case of drainage easements, which may change the direction of flow of water through drainage channels in such easements. The easement area of each Lot, if any, and all improvements in such area shall be maintained continuously by the Owner of the Lot, except for those improvements for which a public authority or utility company is responsible. All drainage on Lots must comply with the area grading plans attached as Exhibit "A" and any subsequent grading plans approved by the City of San Antonio.
- 2. SUBDIVISION WALLS AND MONUMENTS. An easement for construction, reconstruction, repair, and maintenance of any subdivision entry walls, monument, or sign, now or hereafter erected on a Lot, is hereby reserved to Declarant and the Association upon and across each such Lot. No Owner of a Lot on which a subdivision entry wall, monument, or sign is placed shall do or permit any act which damages, defaces, or alters such wall, monument or sign or obscures the same from view of any adjoining street. Any vegetation growing outside of a subdivision entry wall which borders the rear of any Lot in The Forest at Stone Oak a P.U.D., shall be maintained by the Association and the Association may landscape the strip of land outside the wall as it deems appropriate. Vegetation growing between the subdivision entry wall and the adjoining street along the

side of any corner Lot shall be maintained by the Lot Owner in a neat, orderly and trimmed condition, failing which, Declarant and/or the Association may enter on the Lot for such purposes and at the expense of the Owner.

- 3. MAINTENANCE AND ACCESS EASEMENTS. There is hereby created in favor of all easement owners, Declarant, the Association, and their assignees, a right of ingress or egress across, over, and under the Properties for the purpose of installing, replacing, repairing, and maintaining all facilities for utilities, including, but not limited to, water, sewer, telephone, electricity, gas, and appurtenances thereto, and to repair, correct, replace, or maintain any wall, fixture, light, or other structure or item constituting part of the Common Facilities or required or permitted to be maintained under the terms hereof or to correct or remove any condition prohibited under the terms hereof.
- 4. WAIVER OF LIABILITY. Neither the Declarant nor the Architectural Control Committee nor any member of the Committee shall be liable for any damage done by any utility company or their assigns, agents, employees or servants, using any easements now or hereafter in existence, whether located on, in, under, or through the Properties, to fences, shrubbery, trees or flowers or other property now or hereinafter situated on, in, under, or through the Properties. No provision hereof related to placement or nature of structures or conditions on a Lot, nor the approval thereof, express or implied, by the Declarant or the Committee shall affect the rights of easement owners nor enlarge the rights of Lot Owners with regard to the construction or maintenance of improvements or conditions within an easement area.
- 5. DRAINAGE EASEMENTS. Easements for drainage throughout the subdivision are reserved as shown on the Subdivision Plat, such easements being depicted thereon as "drainage easements." No Owner of any Lot in the subdivision may perform or cause to be performed any act which would alter or change the course of such drainage easements and original grading of Lots as shown on Exhibit "A" in a manner that would divert, increase, accelerate or impede the natural flow of water over and across such easements. More specifically and without limitation, no Owner or resident of a Living Unit may:
- (a) alter, change or modify the existing natural vegetation of the drainage easements in a manner that changes the character of the original environment of such easements;
- (b) alter, change or modify the existing configuration of the drainage easements, or fill, excavate or terrace such easements, or remove trees or other vegetation therefrom without the prior written approval of the Architectural Control Committee and the City of San Antonio Drainage Engineer;
- (c) construct, erect or install a fence or other structure of any type or nature within or upon such drainage easements;
- (d) permit storage, either temporary or permanent, of any type upon or within such drainage easements; or
- (e) place, store or permit to accumulate trash, garbage, leaves, limbs or other debris within or upon the drainage easements, either on a temporary or permanent basis.
- 6. COMPLIANCE BY OWNER. The failure of any Owner to comply with the provisions of this Article shall in no event be deemed or construed to impose liability of any nature on the

Architectural Control Committee and/or Declarant, and such Committee and/or Declarant shall not be charged with any affirmative duty to police, control or enforce such provisions. The drainage easements provided for in this Article shall in no way affect any other recorded easement in the subdivision.

7. OVERHANG EASEMENTS. Each Lot shall be subject to an easement five feet (5') wide for encroachments created by construction, settling and overhang of structures constructed by third parties.

ARTICLE 7 ANNEXATION AND AMENDMENTS

- 1. ADDITION TO PROPERTY. Additional lands may become subject to this Declaration in the following manners:
- Additions by Declarant. The Declarant, its successors and assigns, shall have (a) the right to bring within the scheme of this Declaration, and without the consent of Members, additional properties in future stages of the development, and within ten (10) years from the date of this instrument; provided that such additions lie within the area outlined on Exhibit "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. Declarant, its successors and assigns, shall not be bound to make any additions to the Property. Any additions authorized under this and the succeeding subsections shall be made by filing of record a Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions or similar instrument with respect to the additional property which shall extend the general scheme of the covenants and restrictions of this Declaration to such property, and the execution thereof by the Declarant shall constitute all requisite evidence of the required approval thereof. Such document may contain such complimentary additions and/or modifications of the covenants and restrictions contained in this Declaration as may be applicable to the additional lands and are consistent with the overall development. The document may contain different classes of membership and/or land uses. In no event, however, shall any such instrument be construed so as to revoke, modify or add to the covenants established by this Declaration as they are applicable to the Property.
- (b) Other Additions. The owner of any property who desires to add the scheme of this Declaration and to subject it to the jurisdiction of the Association, may make written submission therefor to the Association together with the following:
 - (1) The proposed property shall be described by size, location, proposed land use, and general nature of proposed private improvements;
 - (2) The proponent shall describe the nature and extent of common facilities to be located on the proposed property and fully describe any mortgage debt related to the common facilities or other debt which he seeks the Association to assume;
 - (3) The proponent shall state that the proposed additions, if made, will be subject to the general scheme of this Declaration and all Association assessments.

Upon such submission and subject to the Association's later review and approval of a proposed form of Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for the proposed property, the Association shall vote by class on the proposal. Two-thirds (2/3) approval of the total votes of each class of membership shall be required for approval. If the proposed property shall be approved for

addition to the jurisdiction of the Association, such addition shall be complete upon the proponent's filing of record a Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions or similar instrument in form approved by the Board of Directors of the Association and executed by said Board of Directors or one or more authorized officers of the Association.

- 2. DURATION. This Declaration shall remain in full force and effect until January 1, 2017, at which time, and on each tenth anniversary thereafter, this Declaration shall be automatically renewed for a period of ten (10) years unless the Owners of seventy-five percent (75%) of the Lots shall file a written agreement to abandon same.
- 3. AMENDMENT BY DECLARANT. Declarant reserves the right in its sole discretion to amend, alter, delete, or remove these restrictions without the consent of Owners so long as Class B membership exists, where such amendment, alteration, deletion or removal is in the best interests of the Owners, as determined by Declarant in its sole discretion. The sole restriction on Declarant's ability to amend the Declaration in this fashion is that the amendment must not be illegal or against public policy.
- 4. AMENDMENT BY OWNERS. This Declaration may be amended by written instrument executed by the Owners of seventy-five percent (75%) or more of the Lots, provided that no amendment prior to January 1, 2017, shall be effective until approved and executed by Declarant and filed of record in the Official Public Records of Real Property of Bexar County, Texas.
- 5. FHA/VA APPROVAL. Absent Declarant's written waiver, then for so long as the Declarant, its successors and assigns, have a controlling vote of the Association, the following actions will require the prior approval of the Federal Housing Administration and/or the Veterans Administration: (a) annexation of property other than as shown on Exhibit "B" hereto; (b) dedication of Common Area; and (c) amendment of this Declaration other than pursuant to this Article.

ARTICLE 8 ENFORCEMENT

- 1. BREACH BY OWNER. The failure of any Owner or tenant to comply with any restriction or covenant will result in irreparable damage to Declarant and other Owners of Lots in the Subdivision; thus the breach of any provision of this Declaration may not only give rise to an action for damages at law, but also may be made the subject of an action for injunctive relief and/or specific performance in equity in any court of competent jurisdiction. In the event enforcement actions are instituted and the enforcing party prevails, then in addition to the remedies specified above, court costs and reasonable attorney's fees shall be assessed against the violator.
- 2. REMEDIES. In addition to the remedies for enforcement provided for elsewhere in this Declaration, the violation or attempted violation of the provisions of this Declaration, or any amendment thereto, or Rules and Regulations promulgated by the Board of Directors, by an Owner, his family, guests, lessees or licensees shall authorize the Board (in the case of all of the following remedies) or any Owner (in the case of the remedies provided in (d) below), to avail itself of any one or more of the following remedies:
- (a) The imposition of a special charge not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) per violation, or

- (b) The suspension of Owner's rights to use any Association property for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days per violation, plus attorney's fees incurred by the Association with respect to the exercise of such remedy, or
- The right to cure or abate such violation, including the right to enter any Lot upon which such violation exists without liability for trespass, and to charge the expense thereof, if any, to such Owner, plus attorney's fees incurred by the Association with respect to the exercise of such remedy, or
- (d) The right to seek injunctive or any other relief provided or allowed by law against such violation and to recover from such Owner all its expenses and costs in connection therewith, including but not limited to attorney's fees and court costs.
- WRITTEN NOTICE. Before the Board invokes the remedies provided in subparagraphs (a), (b), (c) and (d) above, it shall give written notice of such alleged violation to Owner, and shall provide the Owner the opportunity to respond. If, after the response, a violation is found to exist, the Board's right to proceed with the listed remedies shall become absolute. Each day a violation continues shall be deemed a separate violation. Failure of the Association, the Declarant, or of any Owner to take any action upon any breach or default with respect to any of the foregoing violations shall not be deemed a waiver of their right to take enforcement action thereafter or upon a subsequent breach or default.
- LIEN AGAINST OWNER. All charges assessed against an Owner pursuant to this Article shall constitute a continuing lien upon the Lot of such Owner as fully as if such charge were an unpaid annual or special assessment.

ARTICLE 9 MISCELLANEOUS

- TITLES. The titles, headings and captions which have been used throughout this Declaration are for convenience only and are not to be used in construing this Declaration or any part thereof.
- 2. GOVERNING LAW. THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED AND INTERPRETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS. ALL ACTS REQUIRED OR PERMITTED TO BE PERFORMED HEREUNDER ARE PERFORMABLE IN BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS, AND IT IS AGREED THAT ANY ACTION BROUGHT TO ENFORCE OR CONSTRUE THE TERMS OR PROVISIONS HEREOF OR TO ENJOIN OR REQUIRE THE PERFORMANCE OF ANY ACT IN CONNECTION HEREWITH SHALL BE BROUGHT IN A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION SITTING IN BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS.
- INTERPRETATION. If this Declaration or any word, clause, sentence, paragraph or other part thereof shall be susceptible to more than one or conflicting interpretations, then the interpretation which is more nearly in accordance with the general purposes and objectives of this Declaration shall govern.
- OMISSIONS. If any punctuation, word, clause, sentence, or provisions necessary to give meaning, validity, or effect to any other word, clause, sentence, or provision appearing in this Declaration shall be omitted herefrom, then it is hereby declared that such omission was unintentional

and that the omitted punctuation, word, clause, sentence or provision shall be supplied by inference.

- 5. GENDER AND GRAMMAR. The singular, whenever used herein, shall be construed to mean the plural, when applicable, and the necessary grammatical changes required to make the provisions here apply either to corporations or individuals, males or females, shall in all cases be assumed as though in each case fully expressed.
- 6. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. Architectural Design Guidelines for the subdivision, Rules and Regulations of the Association, and the other documents and information which may affect an Owner or prospective Owner may be implemented by the ACC, the Association or the Declarant. Each Owner and prospective Owner is advised to carefully examine each of such documents in addition to this Declaration to determine his rights and obligations as an Owner.

EXECUTED effective the 19th day of Arect, 1997.

B & M DEVELOPMENT, a Texas limited partnership

By: MANN HOMEBUILDERS, INC., a Texas corporation,

General Partner

DAVID MANN. President

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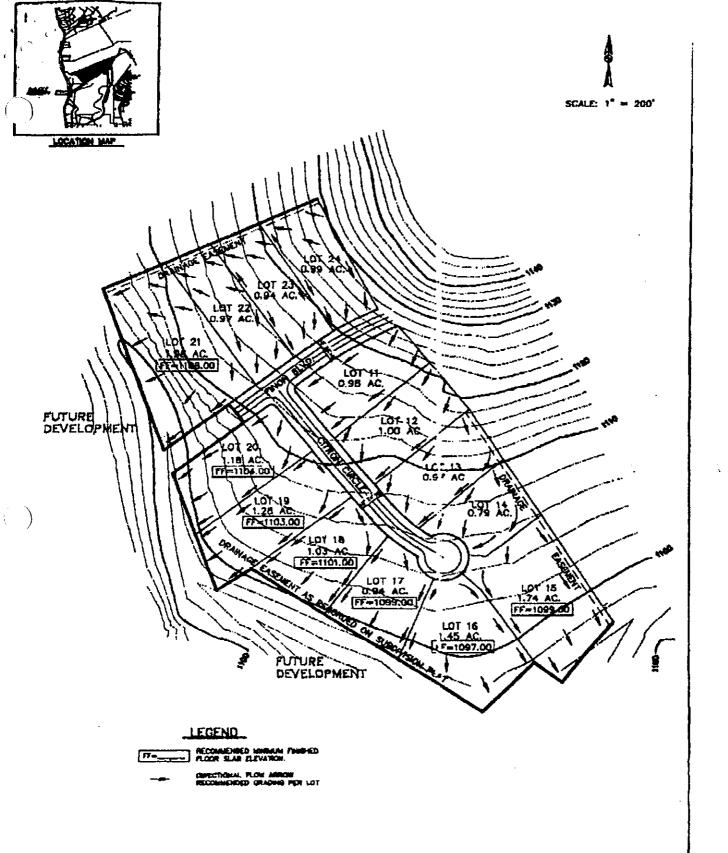


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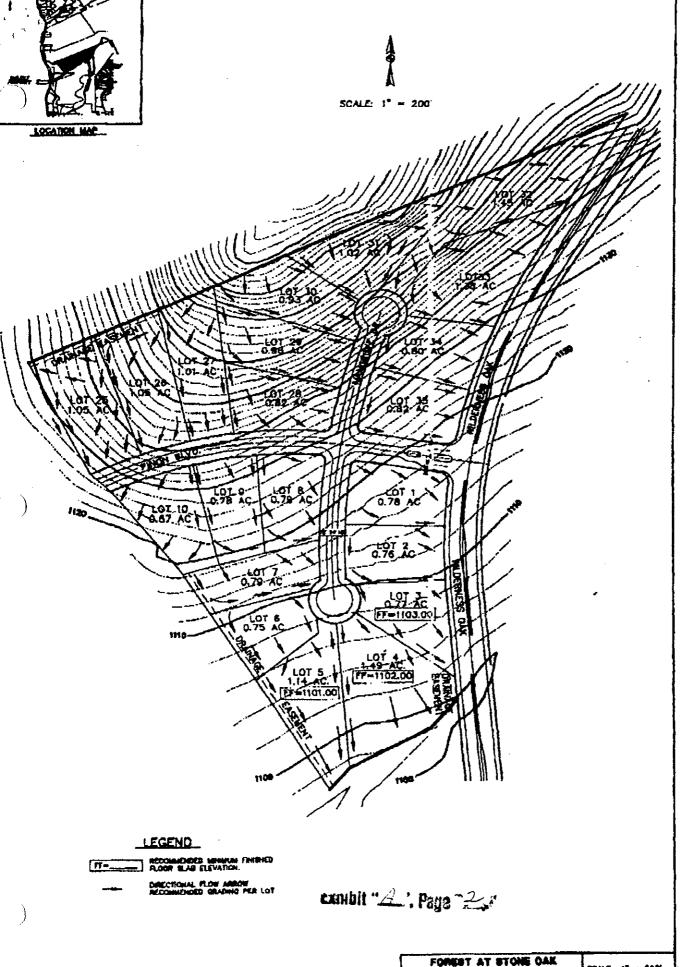
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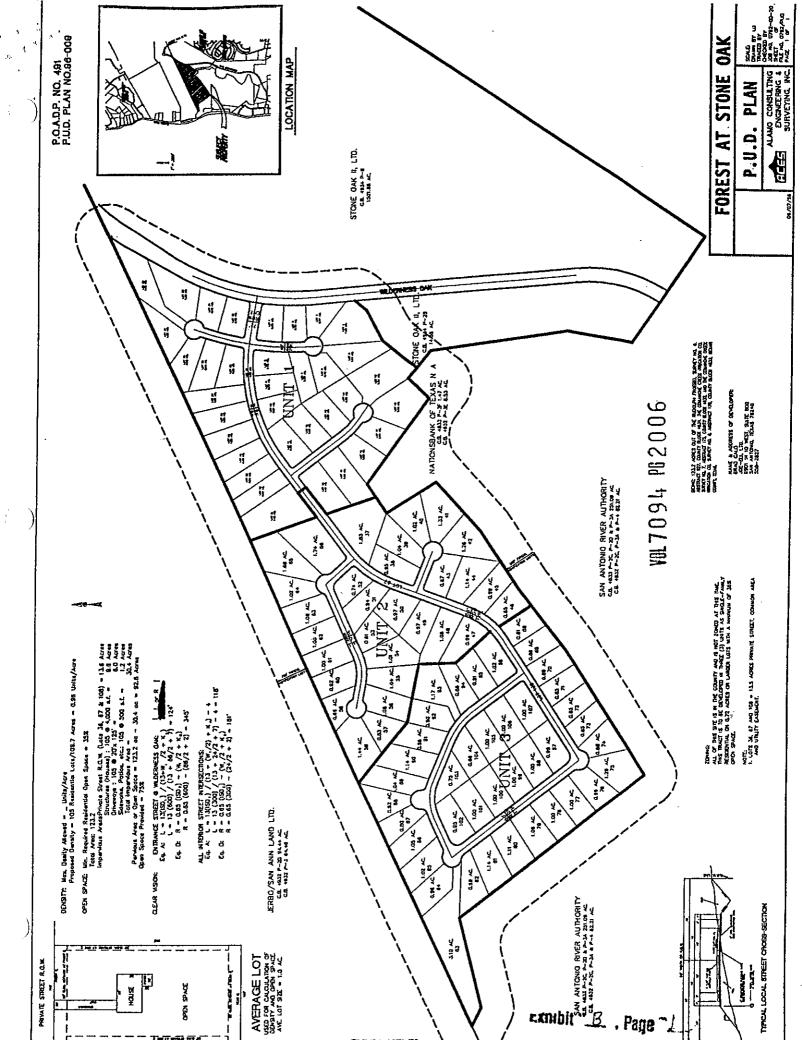


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DECLARATIONS OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR

THE FOREST AT STONE OAK
A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT
UNIT 2

AND ANNEXATION TO THE FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

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THIS IS A COMPREHENSIVE LEGAL DOCUMENT WHICH PROVIDES FOR THE IMPOSITION OF MANDATORY HOMEOWNER ASSESSMENTS. THIS DECLARATION IS BINDING UPON ALL FUTURE OWNERS IN THIS SUBDIVISION.

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ARTICLE 1 RECITALS

1. Declarant desires to create a residential community with designated "Lots" end "Common Facilities" (as those terms are defined herein) for the benefit of the present and future owners of said Lots on the following described real property owned by Declarant, (said property being sometimes hereafter referred to as "the Land") to wit:

THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, a PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT (P.U.D.), in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, as shown on plat thereof recorded in Volume 9639, Pages 110-111 of the Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas, and on the grading plan attached hereto as Exhibit A.

- 2. Declarant has subdivided the above-described real property as shown by the map and plat of such subdivision, which map and plat has heretofore been filed as the true and correct survey, map, and plat thereof, and which subdivision shall be effectively known as THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, a P.U.D.
- 3. Declarant has deemed it desirable for the efficient preservation of the values and amenities in said community, and in the subdivision known as THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, A P.U.D., to create an agency to which should be delegated and assigned the powers of maintaining and administering the Common Facilities and administering and enforcing the covenants and restrictions and collecting and disbursing the assessments and charges hereinafter created, and
- 4. Declarant desires to ensure the preservation of the values and amenities in said community and for the maintenance of said Common Facilities, and to this and desires to further subject the above-described real property, together with such additions as may hereafter be made thereto as herein provided, to the covenants, restrictions, easements, charges, and liens hereinafter set forth, each and all of which is and are for the benefit of said property and each of the owners thereof, and
- 5. FOREST OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. has been incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas as a non-profit corporation for the purpose of exercising the functions aforesaid as to THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, A P.U.D., a residential subdivision in Bexar County, Texas, as shown on plat recorded in Volume 9539, Pages 110-111, and such other real property as may be annexed thereto and become subject to the jurisdiction of said Association; and Declarant desires to conform the restrictions on use of the herein described real property as necessary for the purpose of subjecting said property and the Owners thereof to the jurisdictions of said FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.
- 6. Declarant declares that the property above described as constituting THE FOREST OAK, A P.U.D. shall be hereafter held, transferred, sold, conveyed, occupied, and enjoyed subject to the following covenants, conditions, restrictions, essements, charges, and liens hereinafter set forth, and shall hereafter be subject to the jurisdiction and assessments of the FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

7. Planned Unit Development ("P.U.D.") The Subdivision has been designated as a Planned Unit Development pursuant to Chapter 35 of the City Code of the City of San Antonio, Texas. The Subdivision Plat creates for use as such, subject to the limitations set forth herein, certain private streets and easements shown thereon, and such Subdivision Plat further establishes certain dedications, limitations, reservations and restrictions applicable to the Existing Property. All dedications, limitations, restrictions and reservations shown on the Subdivision Plat are incorporated herein and made a part hereof as if fully set forth herein, and shall be construed as being adopted in each and every contract, deed or conveyance executed or to be executed by or on behalf of Declarant, conveying said property or any part thereof.

ARTICLE 2 <u>DEFINITIONS</u>

The following words when used in this Declaration or any Supplemental Declaration (unless the context shall prohibit) shall have the following meanings:

- (a) "ACC", "Committee" or "Architectural Control Committee" shall mean the "Architectural Control Committee established pursuant to this Declaration.
- (b) "Articles" shall mean the Articles of Incorporation of FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., as they may, from time to time, be amended.
- (c) "Association" shall mean and refer to FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a Texas non-profit corporation, its successors and assigns as provided for herein.
- (d) "Board of Directors" shall mean and refer to the governing body of the Association, the election and procedures of which shall be as set forth in the Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws of the Association.
- (e) "Builder Member" shall mean such builders approved by Declaration for construction within the subdivision and who own one or more Lots for construction of a residence for resale to others.
- (f) "Bylaws" shall mean the Bylaws of FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., as they may, from time to time, be amended.
- (g) "Common Facilities" shall mean and refer to all property leased, owned, or maintained by the Association for the use and benefit of the Members of the Association. By way of illustration, Common Facilities may include, but not necessarily be limited to, the following: private streets, signs, fountains, statuary, parkways, medians, islands, common entry house and gates, tennis courts, landscaping, walls, bridges, safety lanes, trails, drainage easements, and other similar or appurtenant improvements.
- (h) "Declarant" shall mean and refer to B & M DEVELOPMENT, LTD., its successors or assigns, including any bulk transferee of Lots unless such rights as successor Declarant are negated in writing in the recorded instrument of conveyance.

- (i) "Living Unit" shall mean and refer to a single family residence and its attached or detached garage situated upon a Lot.
- (j) "Lot" shall mean and refer to any of the plots of land in THE FOREST AT STONE OAK a P.U.D. as shown on plat recorded in Volume 9639, Pages 110-111, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.
- (k) "Member" shall mean and refer to all those Owners who are members of the Association as provided herein.
- (i) "Owner" shall mean and refer to the record owner, whether one or more persons or entities, of the fee simple title to any Lot or portion of a Lot within the Existing Property, including contract sellers but excluding those having interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation.
- (m) "Property" shall mean and refer to the above described properties known as THE FOREST AT STONE OAK A P.U.D.
- (n) "Additional Property" shall mean and refer to property which is added to the Property pursuant to Article 7 of this Declaration or any Amended or Supplemental Declaration.
- (o) "Subdivision Plat" shall mean and refer to the map or plat of THE FOREST AT STONE OAK, A P.U.D., filed for record in Volume 9539, Pages 110-111, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas, and any amendment thereof upon filing of same for record in the Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.

ARTICLE 3 HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATION AND ASSESSMENTS

- 1. MEMBERSHIP IN THE ASSOCIATION. Every person or entity who is a record Owner of a fee or undivided interest in any Lot which is subject to the jurisdiction of and to assessment by the Association shall be a member of the Association, provided, however, that any person or entity holding an interest in any such Lot or Lots merely as security for the performance of an obligation, shall not be a member.
 - 2. VOTING RIGHTS. The essociation shall have two classes of voting membership:
 - Class A. Class A Members shall be all those owners as defined in Article 2(1) above with the exception of Declarant. Class A Members shall be entitled to one vote for each Lot in which they hold the interest required for membership by Article 2(1). When more than one person holds such interest or interests in any Lot, all such persons shall be members, and the vote for such Lot shall be exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall more than one vote be cast with respect to any such Lot.
 - <u>Class B.</u> The Class B Members shall be Declarant and Builder Members. The Class B Members shall be entitled to three votes for

each Lot in which they hold the interest required by Article 2(e) above, provided that the Class B membership shall cease and become converted to Class A membership on the happening of the following events, whichever occurs earlier:

- (a) when the total votes outstanding in the Class A membership equal the total votes outstanding in the Class B membership; or
- (b) On January 1, 2017.

From and after the happening of these events, whichever occurs earlier, the Class B member shall be deemed to be a Class A member entitled to one vote for each Lot in which it holds the interest required for membership.

- GREATION OF THE LIEN AND PERSONAL OBLIGATION OF ASSESSMENTS. Declarant, for each Lot owned by it within the Properties, hereby covenants, and each Owner of any Lot, by acceptance of a deed therefor, whether or not it shall be so expressed in any such deed or other conveyance, shall be deemed to covenant and agree to pay to the Association: (1) annual assessments or charges; and (2) special assessments for capital improvement, such assessments to be fixed, established, and collected from time to time as hereinafter provided. The annual and special assessments, together with such interest thereon and costs of collection thereof as are hereinafter provided, shall be a charge on the land and shall be a continuing ilen upon the property against which each such assessment is made. Each such assessment, together with such interest thereon and cost of collection thereof as hereinafter provided, shall also be the personal obligation of the person who was the Owner of such property at the time the obligation accrued.
- 4. PURPOSE OF ASSESSMENTS. The assessments levied by the Association shall be used for the purpose of promoting the recreation, health, safety and welfare of the Members, and in particular, for the improvement, maintenance and operation of the properties, services and facilities devoted to this purpose and related to the use and enjoyment of the Property by the Members.
- 5. BASIS AND MAXIMUM OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS. The annual assessment for both improved and unimproved Lots shall be determined by the Board of Directors in the manner provided for herein after determination of current maintenance costs and anticipated needs of the Association during the year for which the assessment is being made. The initial annual assessment for an improved Lot shall be prorated for the remainder of the calendar year in which begun if begun on other than January 1. The annual assessment for unimproved Lots shall be one-third (1/3) of the annual assessment for improved Lots. The maximum annual assessment for improved Lots and annual assessments for unimproved Lots may be increased by vote of the Members as provided hereinbelow. A Lot shall be deemed to be an "improved Lot" when construction of a Living Unit hereon is completed and closing of a sale thereof has taken place, or when the Living Unit is occupied as a residence, whichever first occurs. As provided in Article 5(16), the Board of Directors shall have the power to adjust assessments on consolidated Lots.

- 6. SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS. In addition to the annual assessments provided for above, the Association may levy, in any assessment year, a Special Assessment on improved Lots only, applicable to that year only, for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the cost of any construction, reconstruction, repair or replacement of a capital improvement on or which is a part of the Common Facilities, provided that any such assessment shall have the assent of two thirds (2/3) of the votes of the improved Lot owners who are voting in person or by proxy at a meeting duly called for this purpose, written notice of which shall be sent to all improved Lot owners at least thirty (30) days in advance which shall set forth the purpose of the meeting.
- 7. CHANGE IN BASIS AND MAXIMUM OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS. Subject to the limitations stated above, the annual assessment may be adjusted by majority vote of the Board of Directors but shall not be increased by more than ten percent (10%) above that of the previous year without a vote of the membership. Any increase in the annual assessment of more than ten percent (10%) above that of a previous year shall require approval of two-thirds (2/3) vote of each class of Members voting at a meeting duly called for that purpose.
- 8. QUORUM FOR ANY ACTION AUTHORIZED UNDER SECTIONS 6 AND 7. The quorum required for any action authorized hereinabove shall be as follows: At the first meeting called as provided above, the presence at the meeting of Members or proxies entitled to cast sixty percent (60%) of all the votes of each class of membership shall constitute a quorum. If the required quorum is not forthcoming at any meeting, another meeting may be called, subject to the notice requirements set forth above, and the required quorum at any such subsequent meeting shall be one-half (%) of the required quorum at the precading meeting, provided that such reduced quorum requirement shall not be applicable to any such subsequent meeting held more than sixty (60) days following the precading meeting.
- 9. DATE OF COMMENCEMENT OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS; DUE DATE. The annual assessments provided for herein shall commence as to all Lots on such date as may be determined by the Board of Directors of the Association. The assessments for each calendar year shall become due and payable and shall be collected as the Board of Directors of the Association shall determine. The amount of the annual assessment shall be an amount which bears the same relationship to the annual assessment established by the Board of Directors as the remaining number of months in that year bear to twelve. When a Lot becomes an improved Lot, there shall be payable as of the first day of the month following the month when it becomes an improved Lot a sum equal to the difference between the annual assessment for unimproved Lots and the annual assessment for improved Lots, prorated over the balance of the year then remaining. The due date of any special assessment under the provisions hereof shall be fixed in the resolution authorizing such assessment.
- 10. DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. In December of each year, the Board of Directors of the Association shall fix the amount of the annual assessment against each Lot for the following year and shall at that time prepare a roster of the Lots and assessments applicable thereto which shall be kept in the office of the Association and shall be open to inspection by any Owner on reasonable notice. Written notice of the assessment shall thereupon be sent to every Owner subject thereto. The Association shall upon demand at any time, furnish to any Owner liable for said assessment, a certificate in writing, signed by an officer of the Association, setting forth whether said assessment has been paid. Such certificate shall be conclusive evidence of payment of any assessment therein stated to have been paid.

- 11. EFFECT OF NON-PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS: THE LIEN; REMEDIES OF THE ASSOCIATION. All past due and unpaid assessments shall bear interest at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per annum or the maximum interest allowed by lew from the date due until the date paid. The Association shall be entitled to record a Notice of Lien or notice of unpaid assessment in the real property records for any assessment remaining unpaid more than thirty (30) days after the due date thereof. The Association shall be entitled to collect from each Owner the costs to the Association for the collection of any past due assessments or charges, including a reasonable fee for the preparation, recordation or release of any notice. If the Association retains an attorney to assist in the collection of an unpaid assessment, then that member's inspection of the attorney's books and records shall not be a "proper purpose" pursuent to the Texas Non-Profit Corporation Act.
- SUBORDINATION OF THE LIEN TO MORTGAGES. The lien of the assessments provided for herein and the superior title herein reserved shall be deemed subordinate to a first lien or other liens of any bank, insurance company, savings and loan association, university, pension and profit sharing trusts or plans, or other bona fide, third party lender which may have heretofore or may hareafter lend money in good faith for the purchase or improvement of any Lot and any renewal, extension, rearrangement or refinancing thereof. Each such mortgages of a mortgage encumbering a Lot who obtains title to such Lot pursuant to the remedies provided in the mortgage or by judicial or non-judicial foreclosure, shall take title to the Lot free and clear of any claims for unpaid assessments or charges against such Lot which accrued prior to the time such holder acquired title to such Lot. No such sale or transfer shall relieve such holder acquiring title to a Lot from liability for any assessments thereafter becoming due or from the iten thereof. Any other sale or transfer of a Lot shall not affect the Association's ilen for assessments. The Association shall use its best efforts to give each such mortgages sixty (60) days' advance written notice of the Association's proposed foreclosure of the lien described herein, which notice shall be sent to the nearest office of such mortgages by prepaid United States registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, and shall contain a statement of delinquent assessment upon which the proposed action is based; provided, however, that the Association's failure to give such notice shall not impair or invalidate any foreclosure conducted by the Association pursuant to the provisions of Section 11 hereof.
- 13. TITLE TO COMMON FACILITIES. The Declarant may retain the legal right to the Common Facilities until such time as it has completed improvements thereon and until such time as, in the opinion of the Declarant, the Association is able to maintain the same, but notwithstanding any provision herein, the Declarant hereby covenants, for itself, its successors and assigns, that it will convey the Common Facilities to the Association, not later than two years after the filing of record of this Declaration.
- 14. ENTRY HOUSES AND GATES. So long as Class B membership exists (and provided that it has not previously transferred its rights in this section to the Association), Declarant reserves the legal title and control over all entry houses and gates which it may construct on or about the Subdivision, as well as the authority, in sole discretion, to determine the hours, staffing and manner of operation. Nothing in this Declaration, or any other statement or communication by Declarant or the Association, shall constitute any representation or warranty by Declarant or the Association concaming the hours, staffing or manner of operation of the entry houses and gates, nor concerning any security or safety protection which the entry houses or gates may offer.

- 15. MEMBERS' EASEMENTS OF ENJOYMENT. Subject to the provisions of Sections 16 and 17 of this Article, every Member shall have a common right and easement of enjoyment in and to the Common Facilities and such right and easement shall be appurtenant to and shall pass with the title to every Lot.
- 16. EXTENT OF MEMBERS' EASEMENTS. The rights and easements of enjoyment created hereby shell be subject to the following:
 - (a) the rights and easements existing or hereafter created in favor of others as provided for in the Subdivision Plat.
 - (b) the rights of the Association, once it has obtained legal right to the Common Facilities, as provided in Section 13 above, to do the following:
 - (1) to borrow money for the purpose of constructing or improving the Common Facilities and, in aid thereof, to mortgage said properties and facilities, in accordance with the Articles of incorporation and Bylaws of the Association;
 - (2) to take such steps as are reasonably necessary to protect the above-described properties and facilities against foreclosures:
 - (3) to enter into one or more contracts or agreements for the maintanance or improvement of the Common Facilities;
 - (4) to suspend the enjoyment rights of any Member for any period during which any assessment remains unpaid, and for any period not to exceed thirty (30) days for any infraction of the published rules and regulations of the Association or of this Declaration:
 - (5) to assess and collect the assessments provided for herein or elsewhere and to charge reasonable admission and other fees for the use of the Common Facilities;
 - (6) to dedicate or transfer all or any part of the Common Facilities to any public agency, authority, or utility for such purposes and subject to such conditions as may be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Members not voting by class;
 - (7) to enforce a maximum speed limit of thirty (30) miles per hour and to post and/or install such other traffic signs and controls, as it deems necessary; and

- (8) to enforce posted traffic regulations, including, without limitation the right to restrict vehicular access to the Common Facilities by persons who have violated posted traffic regulations or been cited for speeding or recites driving on more than two occasions in a twelve-month (12) period.
- 17. USE RESTRICTIONS AFFECTING COMMON FACILITIES AND ADJUNCT PROPERTIES. The right of use of the Common Facilities shall be strictly subject to the following:
 - (a) No motorcycles, motorbikes or other motorized vehicles (except those used for maintenance, repairs and upkeep of the Common Facilities) shall be permitted on any part of the drainage easements, sidewalks or other Common Facilities owned by the Association or Declarant. The drainage easements shall be utilized only for welking, jogging, bicycle riding and such other uses as may be approved by the Board of Directors of the Association and the Association may prohibit or limit the uses of any portion of the Common Facilities.
 - (b) No planting or gardening by Owners shall be permitted within the Common Facilities and no fences, hedges or walls or other obstructions shall be erected or maintained upon or over the Common Facilities, except such as are installed by Declarant in connection with the construction of the initial improvements thereon, or such as are subsequently approved by the Board of Directors of the Association.
 - (c) No building or other structure of any type, including recreational structures, shall be built, placed or maintained on the Common Facilities except those constructed or placed, or permitted to be constructed or placed, by Declarant or the Board of Directors of the Association.
 - (d) The Board of Directors is empowered to establish additional use regulations relating to the Common Facilities as it may from time-to-time deem necessary to ensure the preservation and appearance of the Subdivision as a first class residential neighborhood and such rules and regulations shall, when promulgated, be in all respects binding on and enforceable against all Lot Owners, provided, however, no such additional rules or regulations shall in any manner revoke or relax any of the restrictions of use set forth in this section.

ARTICLE 4 ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL COMMITTEE

1. COMPOSITION. There is hereby created an Architectural Control Committee, initially composed of David Mann, Tom Brown and Dana Mann to serve until their successors are named. A majority of the Committee may act for the Committee and no notice of any of its meetings shall be required. Subject to the terms hereinafter set forth, Declarant shall have the right to add members to the Committee and fill vacancies in the Committee membership and Declarant may assign such rights

to the Association. In the event that all members of the ACC shall resign, and Declarant shall fall to appoint successors for a period of 30 days after the last to resign, then in such event the Board of Directors of the Association may appoint the members of the ACC.

- 2. POWER AND AUTHORITY. The Committee shall have the express authority to perform fact finding functions hereunder and shall have the power to construe and interpret any covenant, condition or restriction herein. Members of said Committee and their representatives shall not be liable to any person subject to or possessing or claiming the benefits of these restrictive covenants for any claim or loss or damage whatsoever, including, without limitation, any claims for damage or injury to property or for damage or loss arising out of their acts hereunder. In the event of non-compliance with this Declaration, the Architectural Control Committee shall have the power to halt such work through legal means, the first step of which shall be written notice to the non-complying Owner of the property, and to require the resolution of such non-compliance prior to continuation of construction. The Architectural Control Committee shall not be entitled to any compensation for services rendered pursuant to this covenant but shall be entitled to be fully reimbursed for all amounts reasonably expended in the performance of their responsibilities. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the power to employ professional consultants to assist it in discharging its duties at the expense of the Association. The Architectural Committee is empowered to promulgate Architectural Design Guidelines for the Subdivision.
- PROCEDURE. No building, fence or other structure or improvement shall be erected, placed or altered on any Lot in the subdivision until the plans and specifications, including exterior elevations and exterior colors and all exterior materials for such building, fence of other structure and showing the location of such building, fence or other structure, shall have been approved in writing by the Architectural Control Committee as to the quality of workmanship and materials and conformity and harmony of exterior design with existing structures in the subdivision and as to the location with respect to topography, existing trees and finished elevation. Within thirty (30) days after the Owner has submitted to the Committee all plans that the Committee may require ("Submitted Plans"), the Committee shall notify the Owner in writing whether the Submitted Plans are approved or disapproved. Any disapproval shall set forth the specific reason or reasons for such disapproval. In the event the Submitted Plans have not been approved or disapproved within thirty (30) days after submission, the Submitted Plans will be deemed to have been approved but such deamed approval shall not permit a violation of any of the terms of these covenants.
- 4. DISCRETION. It is the express intention of Declarant that the Architectural Control Committee shall have broad discretion to permit, consent to, or approve a variance from the specific requirements or affect of a particular covenant. The discretion afforded the Architectural Control Committee in this instrument shall be subject to, but not incompatible with the purpose of this Declaration as set forth in Article 1 above.
- 5. SEPARATE ACTIONS. Each action of the Committee pursuant to this Article shall be separate and spart from any other action, and the grant of a variance or waiver to any one Owner shall not constitute a waiver of the Committee's right to strictly enforce the restrictions creeted by this Declaration. All decisions of the Committee shall be final and binding, and there shall be no review of any actions of the Committee.
- 6. DURATION. The Architectural Control Committee shall be duly constituted for the entire period of duration of this Declaration.

ARTICLE 5 LAND USE REGULATIONS

- 1. RESIDENTIAL PURPOSES ONLY. All land included within the Property shall be used for "residential purposes" only, either for the construction of private single-family residences, including an enclosed private garage for not less than two (2) automobiles, or as part of the Common Fecilities; provided, however, that only one such private single-family residence may be constructed, or otherwise placed upon any one Lot. The term "residential purpose" as used herein shall be held and construed to exclude any business, commercial, industrial, spertment house, hospital, clinic and/or professional uses, and such excluded uses are hereby expressly prohibited subject solely to the use by each Builder Member of residences within the Property as temporary sales offices and model homes for the display and sale of Lots within the Existing Property and no others. This restriction shall not, however, prevent the inclusion of permanent living quarters for domestic servants or to allow domestic servants to be domiciled with an owner or resident.
- 2. EDWARDS RECHARGE ZONE POLLUTION ABATEMENT. Each lot is subject to a WATER POLLUTION ABATEMENT PLAN which was required under the 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) \$313, the EDWARDS AQUIFER RULES of the TEXAS NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION COMMISSION. The Water Pollution Abatement Plan for the Forest of Stone Oak, Unit 2 and 3 was approved September 12, 1997.
- 3. STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN. Prior to beginning any phase of construction on any lot in The Forest at Stone Oak a P.U.D., the builder or lot owner shall comply with the provisions of the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan established by the Environmental Protection Agency.
- 4. STORAGE OF BUILDING MATERIALS. Building materials placed on Lots prior to commencement of improvements must be kept in a neat, clean and orderly condition. No materials may be placed on the street or between the curb and the property line.
- 5. CONSTRUCTION AND SALES PERIOD. During the construction and sales period of the Living Units, Builder Members may erect and maintain such structures as are customary in connection with such construction and sale of such property, including, but not limited to a business office, storage areas, sign, model units, and sales office. All temporary construction and sales structures shall be aesthetically compatible with the subdivision development as determined by the Committee, and may only be located within the Property for a period not exceeding three (3) years, unless written approval of the ACC is obtained, which approval will not unreasonably be withheld.
- 6. BUILDING MATERIALS. The exterior walls of all one-story residential buildings, and the lower story of all two-story residential buildings, shall be constructed with masonry, rock, studgo, brick, or brick or masonry veneer for 75% or more of the total exterior wall area. The exterior walls of all two-story residential buildings shall be constructed with masonry or masonry veneer for 50% or more of the total exterior wall area, with at least the front and two sides being masonry on the first floor of a two-story house. Window and door openings shall be included as masonry. Detached garages shall be 100% masonry on the front side and not less than 75% of the total exterior wall area. Further masonry may be required on detached garages if the ACC deems that side or rear walls are in clear view from the street. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Architectural Control Committee is empowered to waive this restriction, if, in its sole discretion, such waiver is advisable in order to accommodate a unique or advanced building concept, design or material, and the resulting structure

will not detract from the general appearance of the neighborhood. Wall meterials used on all Lots shall be restricted to those types and colors of bricks approved by the Architectural Control Committee.

- 7. ROOFING MATERIALS. Roofing shall be either slate, tile, factory fire-treated wood (if permitted by the City of San Antonio), termished metal with standing seams, or composition or fiberglass dimensional shingles, provided that any composition or fiberglass roofing shall be 240 pounds or more. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the discretion to approve other roof treatments and materials if the form utilized will, in its sole discretion, be harmonious with the surrounding homes and Subdivision as a whole.
- 8. FENCES. Fences may be constructed along and adjacent to the property line with the exception that no fence shall be constructed within the limits of the Lot's front satback line. All fences shall be constructed of brick, stone, concrete, wood or a combination of the foregoing, however, no fences described as cyclone (except those specifically approved by the Architectural Review Committee), or metal cloth fencing shall be permitted in the Subdivision. Any wood fences shall be constructed with finish side out. The design and material of construction for any fencing must be submitted to and approved by the Architectural Review Committee prior to start of construction. All perimeter lots shall have fences constructed at rear of property line prior to completion of construction.
 - (a) All other fences shall be of the four types above described or shall be wood composed of one inch by not more than six inches (1" x 6") wide, six feet (6') tall, vertical cedar planks, without gaps between planks, with the tops either level or notched "dog-ear" styled.
 - (b) All wooden fances visible from a street shall be constructed facing the street and without any framing visible from the street and shall have masonry columns not less than 30 feet on center. Masonry columns shall consist of colors and materials matching the main structure.
 - (c) The Architectural Control Committee is empowered to waive the aforesaid composition requirements for fences and the aforesaid height or satback limitation in connection with retaining walls and decorative walls if, in its sole discretion, such waiver is advisable in order to accommodate a unique, attractive or advanced building concept, design or material, and the resulting fence, decorative wall and/or retaining wall (whichever is applicable) will not detract from the general appearance of the neighborhood.
 - (d) No fence, wall, or hedge or shrub planting which obstructs sight lines shall be placed or permitted to remain on any corner Lot within the triangular areas formed by the extension of curb lines and a line connecting them at points twenty-five feet (25') from the intersection of the extended curb lines into the street. No structures or landscape material over three and one-half feet (3'%') tall shall be allowed in this inscribed triangle.
- 9. DRIVEWAYS AND SIDEWALKS. Driveways and entry walks on each residential Lot must be constructed of concrete. Any other finish must be approved by the ACC. All other materials and finishes must be to City of San Antonio specifications and approved in writing by the ACC. The driveway turnout shall be constructed to specifications of the City of San Antonio and in such manner as to provide an attractive transitional radius from the curb and gutter into the driveway entrance and

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shall prevent escape of drainage water from the street onto any Lots. Driveways and entry walks must be shown on the site plan submitted for approval of the Architectural Control Committee, Asphalt driveways and entry walks are specifically prohibited. All entry walks, crossways, and driveway approaches shall comply with City of San Antonio specifications, including handleapped access. Any concrete spilled, poured or washed on a street must be immediately removed leaving the street clean and unstained. The Owner or Owners of each Lot shall also be the Owner or Owners of the portion of a sidewalk which traverses his Lot, and shall, by acceptance of a deed to his Lot or Lots, covenant to keep such portion in good repair. Each Owner shall execute any and all instruments necessary to grant an essement to the public for the use of the sidewalks.

- 10. TEMPORARY STRUCTURES. No structure of a temporary character (sales structure, trailer, travel trailer, tent, shack, garage, barn or other outbuildings) shall be used on any Lot at any time as a residence, either temporarily or permanently. No trailer, camper, recreational vehicles, or similar vehicles shall at any time be parked in view from other properties or connected to utilities situated within a Lot. No dwelling previously constructed elsewhere may be moved onto any Lot in the subdivision controlled by these covenants. This covenant specifically includes mobile homes or the use of a mobile home in which the axle and wheels have been removed and placed upon a concrete slab, which said mobile home is hereby specifically prohibited as a residence, either temporarily or permanently, and further, specifically includes a mobile home upon which wheels have been left attached. Sales offices and construction offices used by the Declarant or Builder Members are permitted but are subject to ACC approval as to number, type, location and ultimate use.
- 11. RESTRICTIONS ON LOTS. All Lots in the subdivision shall be used for residential purposes or as part of the Common Area. No residential building shall remain incomplete for more than six (6) months after construction has commenced. Temporary use may be made of a house for a Builder Member's sales office, which shall be permitted until such house is sold, not to exceed thirty-six (36) months in total from time of completion, provided such use is approved in writing by Declarant.
- 12. GARAGES. A garage able to accommodate at least two (2) full-sized automobiles must be constructed and maintained for each Living Unit and shall be side loading to the main structure. Garages on corner Lots must be set back at least twenty feet (20') from the side Lot line and all garages must be set back at least flifty feet (50') from the front Lot line. Each driveway must accommodate two vehicles in front of the garage for off-street parking requirements. Rear detached garages shall be permitted provided they are constructed in compliance with the requirements of these covenants and the specifications of the City of San Antonio. No garage shall be permanently enclosed for conversion to any other use. Open carports are not permitted, unless special design circumstances warrant their use, in which case permission must be obtained in writing from the Architectural Control Committee.
- 13. MAXIMUM HEIGHT. No building or structure erected, altered or placed on, with or in the Properties shall exceed thirty-five feet (35') in height (measured from the top of the foundation to the topmost part of the roof) nor be more than two and one-half (2½) stories in height, provided however, that all applicable ordinances, regulations, and statutes with respect to the maximum height of buildings and structures shall, at all times, be compiled with.
- 14. MINIMUM AREA. The living area of each residence constructed on a Lot shall contain the minimum, contiguous square feet of living space set forth below, such square feet being exclusive of open or screened porches, terraces, patios, driveways, carports, garages and living quarters for

domestic servants separated or detached from the primary living area, to wit:

- (a) If single story with two-car garage attached or detached, 2,100 square feet of living area
- (b) If two story with attached or detached two-car garage, 2,300 square feet of living area, with 1,700 square feet living area on the ground floor.
- 15. BUILDING SETBACKS, All improvements shall be constructed only in accordance with the greater of the building set back lines indicated on the Subdivision Plat for The Forest at Stone Oak a P.U.D. or this Article 5, Section 15, however, in no case shall any improvement other than landscaping plant materials, walkways and irrigation systems be constructed within 50 feet of any street on which a Lot fronts, 20 feet on any street on which a Lot Sides, or within 20 feet of a side line and 30 feet of a rear lot line.

No structures of any type, including, but not limited to, patios, decks, gazebos, or swimming pools shall be constructed within the building setback line indicated on the Subdivision Plat of The Forest at Stone Oak a P.U.D. or in these Restrictive Covenants, whichever is greater.

The Architectural Review Committee may grant a variance to the foregoing setback restrictions in cases where necessary to permit a unique architectural design or to attempt to conserve native trees.

- 16. LOT CONSOLIDATION. Any Owner owning two or more adjoining Lots or portions of two or more such Lots may, with the prior approval of the Architectural Control Committee, consolidate such Lots or portions thereof into a single building site for the purpose of constructing one residence and such other improvements as are permitted herein, provided, however, that no such building site shall contain less than six thousand (6,000) square feet of land. Any consolidated Lot shall comply with all lawful requirements of any applicable statues, ordinance or regulation. On application by any Owner, the Board of Directors may adjust the assessments on a consolidated Lot to an amount not less than the full assessment rate for a single Lot. Absent such adjustment, a consolidated Lot shall bear the full assessment rate theretofore applicable to all Lots which are not consolidated.
- 17. OUTBUILDING REQUIREMENTS. Every outbuilding, inclusive of such structures as a storage building, gazebo, spa. greenhouse or children's playhouse, shall be compatible with the dwelling to which it is appurtanent in terms of its design and material composition. All such outbuildings shall be subject to approval of the Architectural Control Committee. In no instance shall an outbuilding exceed one (1) story in height, nor shall the total floor area of outbuildings other than a detached garage exceed ten percent (10%%), individually or in the aggregate, of the floor area of the main dwelling.
- 18. SiGNS. No signs, benners, or pennants of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any single-family residential Lot except one (1) professional sign of not more than nine (9) square feet advertising the property for sale or rent. Signs used by the developer or builders to advertise Lots or homes within the Properties during the construction and sales period shall be permitted, krespective of the foregoing. Signs advertising subcontractors or suppliers are specifically prohibited. The Architectural Control Committee shall have control over all the wording, design, appearance, size, quantity, and location of all signs. Except for sale or rental signs adhering to the

standards of the first sentence of this Article, all signs within the Property shall be subject to the prior written approval of the ACC.

- LOT MAINTENANCE. Grass, weeds, and vegetation on each Lot shall be kept mowed at regular intervals. Trees, shrubs, vines and plants which die shall be promptly removed from the property. Lawns must be properly maintained and fences must be repaired and maintained and no objectionable or unsightly usage of Lots will be permitted which is visible to the public view. Building materials shall not be stored on any Lot except when being employed in construction upon such Lot, and any excess materials not needed for construction and any building refuse shall promptly be removed from such Lot. In the event of default on the part of the Owner or occupant of any Lot in observing the above requirements or any of them, such default continuing after ten (10) days written notice thereof, Declarant, or its assigns, or the Association, may without liability to Owner or any occupants, but without being under any duty to do so, in trespess or otherwise, enter upon said Lot, cut or cause to be cut, such weeds and grass and remove or cause to be removed, such garbaga, trash and rubbish or do any other thing necessary to secure compliance with this Declaration, so as to place said Lot in a neat, attractive, healthful and sanitary condition, and may charge the Owner or occupant of such Lot for the cost of such work, plus a reasonable administrative charge and for reasonable attorney's fees. The Owner or occupant, as the case may be, agrees by the purchase or occupancy of the Lot to pay such statement immediately upon receipt thereof. The sum due shall be a charge on the Lot and shall be a continuing lien upon the Lot against which such sums are due, and may be enforced as fully as if it were an unpaid annual or special assessment.
- 20. LANDSCAPING. All front yards and side yards on all Lots, up to the wing wall that extends from the side of the house to the side property line, must be sodded within thirty days after the occupancy of the house. Side yards on comer Lots must be sodded the full length of the property line adjacent to the street. After sodding, all yards must be maintained with grass or landscaping in a neat and well mown condition, free of unsightly weeds and overgrowth. Decorative ground cover rock in the front and side yard may be used in lieu of grass but may not exceed tan percent (10%) of the total area of the front and side yard. Hydromulching and/or seeding may be utilized in place of sodding if approved by the ACC. No oak, eim, or pecan trees larger than eighteen inches (18") in diameter may be removed without written ACC approval. <u>EACH OWNER IS ADVISED THAT THERE ARE NO EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES AS TO THE LIFE EXPECTANCY, VITALITY OR FITNESS FOR INTENDED PURPOSE OF ANY TREES OR SHRUBS LOCATED ON THE PROPERTIES.

 The Architectural Control Committee is empowered to establish additional landscaping guidelines, consistent with these Restrictions as authorized by Articles 4-2 and 9-6.</u>
- 21. WATER AND SEWAGE SYSTEMS. No individual water supply system or sawage disposal system shall be permitted on any Lot, including, but not limited to, water wells, casspools or septic tanks.
- 22. VEHICLES. No trailer, motor home, tent, boat, recreational vehicle, travel trailer, or any truck larger than a three-quarter (3/4) ton pick-up or wrecked, junked or wholly inoperable vehicle shall be kept, parked, stored or maintained on any portion of the front yard in front of the building line of the permanent structure nor shall be kept, parked, stored or maintained on other portions of the Lot for a period more than twenty-four (24) hours, unless they are in an enclosed structure or in a screened area which prevents the view thereof from adjacent Lots and streets. No dismanding or assembling of an auto, trailer, motor home, tent, boat, recreational vehicle, travel trailer, any truck or other machinery or equipment shall be permitted in any driveway, street or yard adjacent to a street. No commercial vehicle bearing commercial insignia or names shall be parked on any Lot except within

an enclosed structure or a screened area which prevents such view thereof from adjacent Lots and streets, unless such vehicle is temporarily parked for the purpose serving such Lot. On-street parking, except by visitors, is prohibited.

- 23. GARBAGE AND REFUSE DISPOSAL. No Lot shall be used or maintained as a dumping ground for rubbish. Trash, garbage and other waste shall be kept in sanitary containers, whether arranged for alley pickup or street pickup. No trash, ashes or other refuse may be thrown or dumped on any vacant Lot, park, street, right-of-way, or drainage area in the Properties. No cans, bags, containers or receptacles for the storing or disposal of trash, garbage, refuse, rubble, or debris shall be stored, kept, placed or maintained on any Lot where visible from any street except solely on a day designated for removal of garbage and rubbish and on which days only such cans, bags, containers, and receptacle may be placed in front of a residence and baside a street for removal but shall be removed from view before the following day.
- 24. ANIMALS. No sheep, goats, horses, cattle, swine, poultry, snakes, livestock, or other animals of any kind shall ever be raised, kept, brad, or harbored on any portion of the Properties, except that dogs, cats, or other common household pets (not to exceed a total of three (3) adult animals) may be kept, provided that they are not kept, bred, or maintained for any commercial purposes and provided further that such common household pets shall at all times, except when they are confined within the boundaries of a private single-family residence or Lot upon which same is located, be restrained or controlled by a leash, rope, or similar restraint or a basket, cage, or other container.
- 25. OIL AND MINING OPERATIONS. No oil drilling, oil development operations, oil refining, quarrying or mining operations of any kind shall be permitted upon or in any Lot, nor shall oil wells, tanks, tunnals, mineral excavations, or shafts be permitted upon any Lot. No derrick or other structure designed for use in boring for oil or natural gas shall be erected, maintained or permitted upon any Lot. No tank for the storage of oil or fluids may be maintained on any Lots above the surface of the ground.
- 26. COMMUNICATIONS ANTENNAE. No radio, citizen band or otherwise, or television serial wires or antennae shall be maintained on any portion of any Lot, except those which are fully enclosed within the structure of the Living Unit. No microwave or other satellite dishes, antennas, receivers, or transmitters shall be placed on any Lot without the prior written approval of the Architectural Control Committee which shall have the authority to establish guidelines for the placement of satellite dishes and solar collectors. Solar apparatus, if used, must be installed in a location not visible from the street, any Rights-of-Way or other Lots or portions thereof, and must be approved by the Architectural Control Committee before erection.
- 27. NUISANCES. No noxious or offensive activity shall be carried on upon any Lot, nor shall anything be done thereon which may be or may become an annoyance or nuisance to the neighborhood.
- 28. ADVERSE CONDITIONS. No Owner or occupant shall perform any work that will impair the structural soundness or integrity of another Living Unit or impair any easement or heraditament, nor do any act nor allow any condition to exist which will adversely affect the other Living Units or their Owners or residents.
- 29. EXTERIOR LIGHTING. No exterior lighting of any sort shall be installed or maintained on a Lot where the light source is offensive or a nuisance to neighboring property (except reasonable

security or landscape lighting that has approval of the Architectural Control Committee).

- 30. EXTERIOR NOISE. No exterior speakers, home, whistles, bells or other sound devices (except security devices such as entry door and patic intercome used exclusively to protect the Lot and improvements situated thereon) shall be placed or used upon any Lot.
- 31. ATHLETIC FACILITIES. Tennis court lighting and fencing shall be allowed only with the approval of the Architectural Control Committee. Basketball goals, or backboards, or any other similar sporting equipment of either a permanent or temporary nature shall not be piaced on any Lot in the subdivision or where same would be visible from an adjoining street or Lot, without the prior written consent of the Architectural Control Committee. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the authority to establish guidelines for the piacement and design of basketball goals and no basketball goals shall be kept or maintained within sight of any street except in accordance with any such guidelines established.
- 32. BURGLAR AND FIRE ALARMS. Each residence constructed on a Lot within the Subdivision shall include, as part of the initial construction, a perimeter burglar alarm system covering all exterior doors, entries and windows and auch type, number, and location of smoke detectors as stipulated by the ordinances and/or building codes of the City of San Antonio then in effect.
- 33. HOUSE NUMBERING. House numbers identifying the address of each house must be placed as closed as possible to the front entry and shall be illuminated so that the numbers can be easily read from the street at night. Size, color and material of the numbers must be compatible with the design and color of the house.
- 34. ADDITIONAL LAND USE REGULATIONS. The Association is empowered to establish additional land use regulations relating to the Property, both on Lots and the Common Facilities (including subdivision streets) as it may from time-to-time deem necessary to ensure the preservation and appearance of the Subdivision as a first class residential neighborhood and such rules and regulations shall, when promulgated, be in all respects binding on and enforceable against all Lot Owners, provided, however, no such additional rules or regulations shall in any manner revoke or relax any of the restrictions of use set forth in this section.

ARTICLE 6 EASEMENTS

- 1. EASEMENTS. Essements for installation and maintenance of utilities and drainage facilities are reserved as shown on the recorded plat. Within these essements, if any, no structure, planting or other material shall be placed or permitted to remain which may damage or interfere with the installation and maintenance of utilities or, in the case of drainage essements, which may change the direction of flow of water through drainage channels in such essements. The essement area of each Lot, if any, and all improvements in such area shall be maintained continuously by the Owner of the Lot, except for those improvements for which a public authority or utility company is responsible. All drainage on Lots must comply with the area grading plans attached as Exhibit "A" and any subsequent grading plans approved by the City of San Antonio.
- 2. SUBDIVISION WALLS AND MONUMENTS. An easement for construction, reconstruction, repair, and maintenance of any subdivision entry walls, monument, or sign, now or hereafter erected on a Lot, is hereby reserved to Declarant and the Association upon and across each

such Lot. No Owner of a Lot on which a subdivision entry wall, monument, or sign is placed shall do or permit any act which damages, defaces, or elters such well, monument or sign or obscures the same from view of any adjoining street. Any vegetation growing outside of a subdivision entry wall which borders the rear of any Lot in The Forest at Stone Oak a P.U.D., shall be maintained by the Association and the Association may landscape the strip of land outside the wall as it deems appropriate. Vegetation growing between the subdivision entry wall and the adjoining street along the side of any corner Lot shall be maintained by the Lot Owner in a neat, orderly and trimmed condition, falling which, Declarant and/or the Association may enter on the Lot for such purposes and at the expense of the Owner.

- 3. MAINTENANCE AND ACCESS EASEMENTS. There is hereby created in favor of all easement owners, Declarant, the Association, and their assignees, a right of ingress or egrass across, over, and under the Properties for the purpose of installing, replacing, repairing, and maintaining all facilities for utilities, including, but not limited to, water, sewer, telephone, electricity, gas, and appurtanences thereto, and to repair, correct, replace, or maintain any wall, fixture, light, or other structure or item constituting part of the Common Facilities or required or permitted to be maintained under the terms hereof or to correct or remove any condition prohibited under the terms hereof.
- 4. WAIVER OF LIABILITY. Neither the Declarant nor the Architectural Control Committee nor any member of the Committee shall be liable for any damage done by any utility company or their assigns, agents, employees or servants, using any easements now or hereafter in existence, whether located on, in, under, or through the Properties, to fences, shrubbery, trees or flowers or other property now or hereinafter situated on, in, under, or through the Properties. No provision hereof related to placement or nature of structures or conditions on a Lot, nor the approval thereof, express or implied, by the Declarant or the Committee shall affect the rights of easement owners nor enlarge the rights of Lot Owners with regard to the construction or maintenance of improvements or conditions within an easement area.
- 5. DRAINAGE EASEMENTS. Easements for drainage throughout the subdivision are reserved as shown on the Subdivision Plat, such easements being depicted thereon as "drainage easements." No Owner of any Lot in the subdivision may perform or cause to be performed any act which would alter or change the course of such drainage easements and original grading of Lots as shown on Exhibit: "A" in a manner that would divert, increase, accalerate or impede the natural flow of water over and across such easements. More specifically and without limitation, no Owner or resident of a Living Unit may:
- (a) alter, change or modify the existing natural vegetation of the drainage easements in a manner that changes the character of the original environment of such essements:
- (b) alter, change or modify the existing configuration of the drainage essements, or fill, excavate or terrace such essements, or remove trees or other vegetation therefrom without the prior written approval of the Architectural Control Committee and the City of San Antonio Drainage Engineer;
- (c) construct, erect or install a fence or other structure of any type or nature within or upon such drainage essements;
- (d) permit storage, either temporary or permanent, of any type upon or within such drainage easements; or

- (e) place, store or permit to accumulate trash, garbage, leaves, limbs or other debris within or upon the drainage essements, either on a temporary or permanent basis.
- 6. COMPLIANCE BY OWNER. The failure of any Owner to comply with the provisions of this Article shall in no event be deemed or construed to impose liability of any nature on the Architectural Control Committee and/or Declarant, and such Committee and/or Declarant shall not be charged with any affirmative duty to police, control or enforce such provisions. The drainage easements provided for in this Article shall in no way affect any other recorded essement in the subdivision.
- 7. OVERHANG EASEMENTS. Each Lot shall be subject to an easement five feet (5') wide for encroachments created by construction, settling and overhang of structures constructed by third parties.

ARTICLE 7 ANNEXATION AND AMENDMENTS

- 1. ADDITION TO PROPERTY. Additional lands may become subject to this Declaration in the following manners:
- the right to bring within the scheme of this Declaration, and without the consent of Members, additional properties in future stages of the development, and within ten (10) years from the date of this instrument; provided that such additions lie within the area outlined on Exhibit "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. Declarant, its successors and assigns, shall not be bound to make any additions to the Property. Any additions authorized under this and the succeeding subsections shall be made by filing of record a Declaration of Covenants. Conditions and Restrictions or similar instrument with respect to the additional property which shall extend the general scheme of the covenants and restrictions of this Declaration to such property, and the execution thereof by the Declarant shall constitute all requisite evidence of the required approval thereof. Such document may contain such complimentary additions and/or modifications of the covenants and restrictions contained in this Declaration as may be applicable to the additional lands and are consistent with the overall development. The document may contain different classes of membership and/or land-uses. In no event, however, shall any such instrument be construed so as to revoke, modify or add to the covenants established by this Declaration as they are applicable to the Property.
- (b) Other Additions. The owner of any property who desires to add the scheme of this Declaration and to subject it to the jurisdiction of the Association, may make written submission therefor to the Association together with the following:
 - (1) The proposed property shall be described by size, location, proposed land use, and general nature of proposed private improvements;
 - (2) The proponent shall describe the nature and extent of common facilities to be located on the proposed property and fully describe any mortgage debt related to the common facilities or other debt which he seeks the Association to assume:
 - (3) The proportent shall state that the proposed additions, if made, will be subject to the general scheme of this Declaration and all Association assessments.

Upon such submission and subject to the Association's later review and approval of a proposed form of Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for the proposed property, the Association shall vote by class on the proposal. Two-thirds (2/3) approval of the total votes of each class of membership shall be required for approval. If the proposed property shall be approved for addition to the jurisdiction of the Association, such addition shall be complete upon the proponent's filling of record a Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions or similar instrument in form approved by the Board of Directors of the Association and executed by said Board of Directors or one or more authorized officers of the Association.

- 2. DURATION. This Declaration shall remain in full force and effect until January 1, 2017, at which time, and on each tenth anniversary thereafter, this Declaration shall be automatically renewed for a period of ten (10) years unless the Owners of seventy-five percent (75%) of the Lots shall file a written agreement to abandon same.
- 3. AMENDMENT BY DECLARANT. Declarent reserves the right in its sole discretion to amend, siter, delete, or remove these restrictions without the consent of Owners so long as Class B membership exists, where such amendment, siteration, deletion or removal is in the best interests of the Owners, as determined by Declarant in its sole discretion. The sole restriction on Declarant's ability to amend the Declaration in this fashion is that the amendment must not be illegal or against public policy.
- 4. AMENDMENT BY OWNERS. This Declaration may be amended by written instrument executed by the Owners of seventy-five percent (75%) or more of the Lots, provided that no amendment prior to January 1, 2017, shall be effective until approved and executed by Declarant and filed of record in the Official Public Records of Real Property of Bexar County, Texas.
- 5. FHA/VA APPROVAL. Absent Declarant's written walver, then for so long as the Declarant, its successors and assigns, have a controlling vote of the Association, the following actions will require the prior approval of the Federal Housing Administration and/or the Veterans Administration: (a) annexation of property other than as shown on Exhibit "B" hereto; (b) dedication of Common Area; and (c) amendment of this Declaration other than pursuant to this Article.

ARTICLE 8 ENFORCEMENT

- 1. BREACH BY OWNER. The failure of any Owner or tenant to comply with any restriction or covenant will result in irreparable demage to Declarant and other Owners of Lots in the Subdivision; thus the breach of any provision of this Declaration may not only give rise to an action for damages at law, but also may be made the subject of an action for injunctive relief and/or specific performance in equity in any court of competent jurisdiction. In the event enforcement actions are instituted and the enforcing party pravails, then in addition to the remedies specified above, court costs and reasonable attorney's fees shall be assessed against the violator.
- 2. REMEDIES. In addition to the remedies for enforcement provided for elsewhere in this Declaration, the violation or attempted violation of the provisions of this Declaration, or any amendment therato, or Rules and Regulations promulgated by the Board of Directors, by an Owner, his family, guests, lessees or licensees shall authorize the Board (in the case of all of the following remedies) or any Owner (in the case of the remedies provided in (d) below), to avail itself of any one or more of the following remedies:

- (a) The imposition of a special charge not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (#200.00) per violetion, or
- (b) The suspension of Owner's rights to use any Association property for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days per violation, plus attorney's fees incurred by the Association with respect to the exercise of such remedy, or
- (c) The right to cure or abate such violation, including the right to enter any Lot upon which such violation exists without liability for trespess, and to charge the expense thereof, if any, to such Owner, plus attorney's fees incurred by the Association with respect to the exercise of such remedy, or:
- (d) The right to seek injunctive or any other reilef provided or allowed by law against such violation and to recover from such Owner all its expenses and costs in connection therewith, including but not limited to attorney's fees and court costs.
- 3. WRITTEN NOTICE. Before the Board invokes the remedies provided in subparagraphs (a), (b), (c) and (d) above, it shall give written notice of such alleged violation to Owner, and shall provide the Owner the opportunity to respond. If, after the response, a violation is found to exist, the Board's right to proceed with the listed remedies shall become absolute. Each day a violation continues shall be deemed a separate violation. Failure of the Association, the Declarant, or of any Owner to take any action upon any breach or default with respect to any of the foregoing violations shall not be deemed a waiver of their right to take enforcement action thereafter or upon a subsequent breach or default.
- 4. LIEN AGAINST OWNER. All charges assessed against an Owner pursuant to this Article shall constitute a continuing lien upon the Lot of such Owner as fully as if such charge were an unpaid annual or special assessment.

ARTICLE 9 MISCELLANEOUS

- 1. TITLES. The titles, headings and captions which have been used throughout this Declaration are for convenience only and are not to be used in construing this Declaration or any part thereof.
- 2. GOVERNING LAW. THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED AND INTERPRETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS. ALL ACTS REQUIRED OR PERMITTED TO BE PERFORMED HEREUNDER ARE PERFORMABLE IN BEXAR COUNTY. TEXAS. AND IT IS AGREED THAT ANY ACTION BROUGHT TO ENFORCE OR CONSTRUE THE TERMS OR PROVISIONS HEREOF OR TO ENJOIN OR REQUIRE THE PERFORMANCE OF ANY ACT IN CONNECTION HEREWITH SHALL BE BROUGHT IN A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION SITTING IN BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS.
- 3. INTERPRETATION. If this Declaration or any word, clause, sentence, paragraph or other part thereof shall be susceptible to more than one or conflicting interpretations, then the interpretation which is more nearly in accordance with the general purposes and objectives of this Declaration shall govern.

- 4. OMISSIONS. If any punctuation, word, clause, sentence, or provisions necessary to give meaning, validity, or effect to any other word, clause, sentence, or provision appearing in this Declaration shall be omitted herefrom, then it is hereby declared that such omission was unintentional and that the omitted punctuation, word, clause, sentence or provision shall be supplied by inference.
- 5. GENDER AND GRAMMAR. The singular, whenever used herein, shall be construed to mean the plural, when applicable, and the necessary grammatical changes required to make the provisions here apply either to corporations or individuals, males or females, shall in all cases be assumed as though in each case fully expressed.
- 6. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. Architectural Design Guidelines for the subdivision, Rules and Regulations of the Association, and the other documents and information which may affect an Owner or prospective Owner may be implemented by the ACC, the Association or the Deciarant. Each Owner and prospective Owner is advised to carefully examine each of such documents in addition to this Deciaration to determine his rights and obligations as an Owner.

EXECUTED effective the 12 day of august, 1998.

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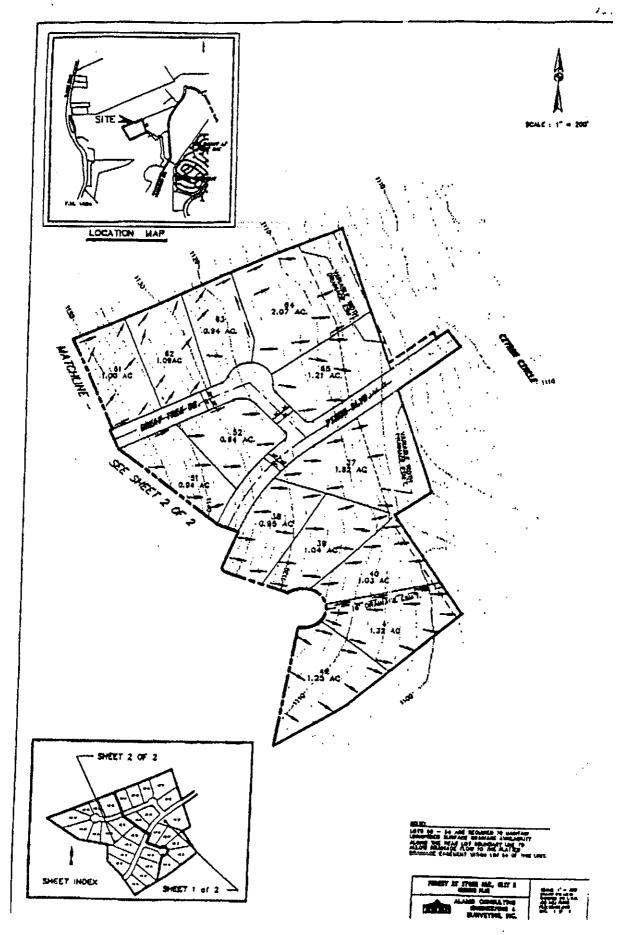
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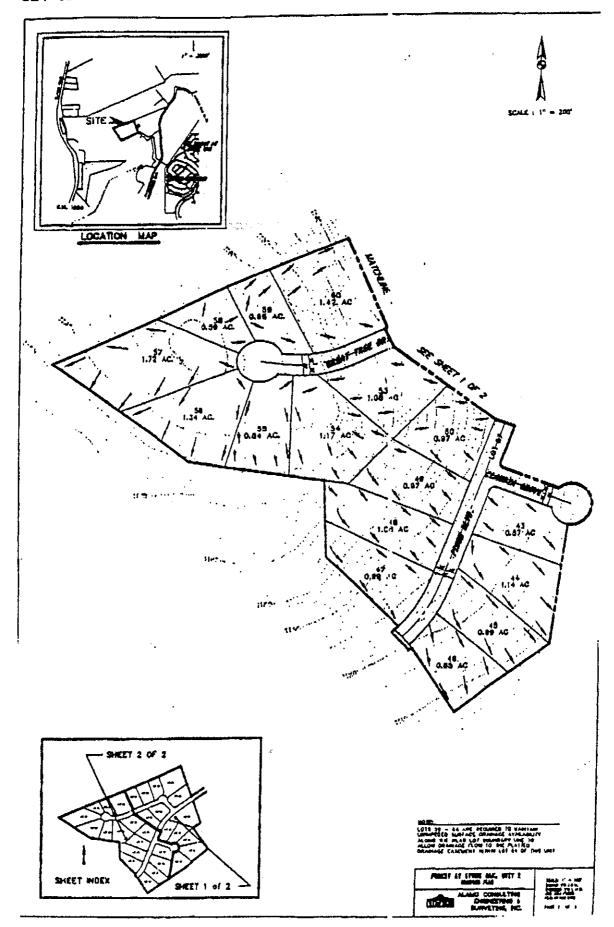
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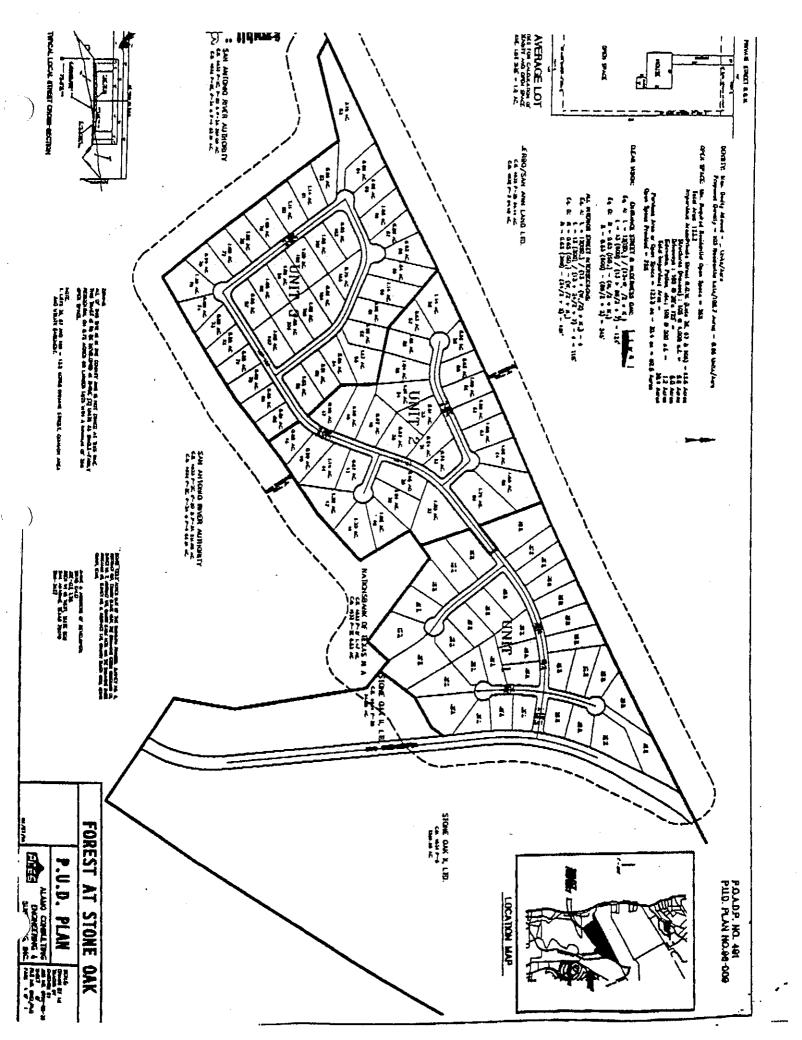
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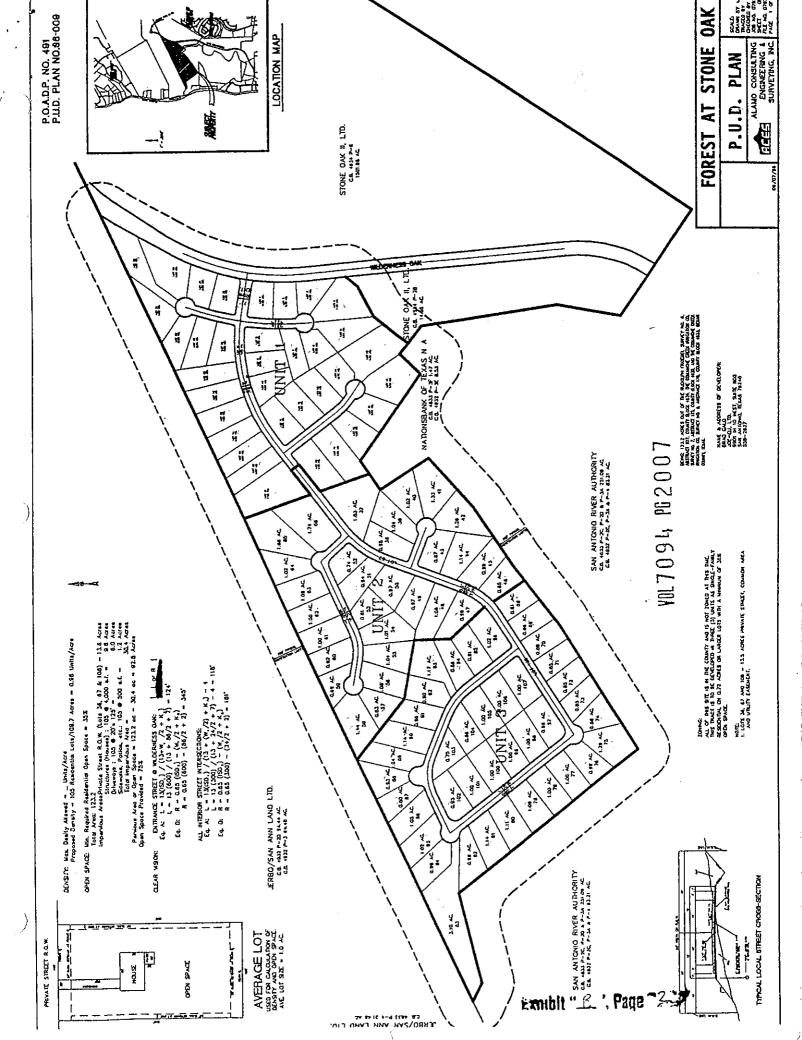
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DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR THE FOREST AT STONE OAK A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT UNIT 3

AND
ANNEXATION TO THE
FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

THIS IS A COMPREHENSIVE LEGAL DOCUMENT WHICH PROVIDES FOR THE IMPOSITION OF MANDATORY HOMEOWNER ASSESSMENT. THIS DECLARATION IS BINDING UPON ALL FUTURE OWNERS IN THIS SUBDIVISION.

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ARTICLE 1 RECITALS

1. Declarant desires to create a residential community with designated "Lots" and "Common Facilities" (as those terms are defined herein) for the benefit of the present and future Owners of said Lots on the following described real property owned by Declarant, to wit:

FOREST AT STONE OAK UNIT 3, A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, as shown on the plat thereof recorded in Volume 9542, Pages 126-128 of the Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas, and on the grading plan attached hereto as Exhibit A (said property being sometimes hereafter referred to as "the Subdivision";

- 2. Declarant has subdivided the above-described real property as shown by the map and plat of such Subdivision, which map and plat has heretofore been filed as the true and correct survey, map, and plat thereof, and which Subdivision shall be effectively known as FOREST AT STONE OAK UNIT 3, A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT.
- 3. Declarant has deemed it desirable for the efficient preservation of the values and amenities in said community, and in the Subdivision known as FOREST AT STONE OAK, A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT, to create an agency to which should be delegated and assigned the powers of maintaining and administering the Common Facilities and administering and enforcing the covenants and restrictions and collecting and disbursing the assessments and charges hereinafter created; and
- 4. Declarant desires to ensure the preservation of the values and amenities in said community and for the maintenance of said Common Facilities, and to this end desires to further subject the above-described real property, together with such additions as may hereafter be made thereto as herein provided, to the covenants, restrictions, easements, charges, and liens hereinafter set forth, each and all of which is and are for the benefit of said property and each of the Owners thereof; and
- 5. FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. has been incorporated under the laws of the state of Texas as a non-profit corporation for the purpose of exercising the functions aforesaid as to FOREST AT STONE OAK, A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, and such other real property as may be annexed thereto and become subject to the jurisdiction of said Association; and Declarant desires to conform the restrictions on use of the herein described real property as necessary for the purpose of subjecting said property and the Owners thereof to the jurisdictions of said Forest at Stone Oak Homeowners Association, Inc.
- 6. Declarant declares that the property above described as constituting FOREST AT STONE OAK UNIT 3, A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT, shall be hereafter held, transferred, sold, conveyed, occupied, and enjoyed subject to the following covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, charges, and liens hereinafter set forth, and shall hereafter be subject to the jurisdiction and assessments of the Forest at Stone Oak Homeowners Association, Inc.
- 7. PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT. The Subdivision has been designated as a Planned Unit Development pursuant to Chapter 35 of the City Code of the City of San Antonio, Texas. The Subdivision Plat creates for use as such, subject to the limitations set forth herein, certain private streets and easements shown thereon, and such Subdivision Plat further establishes certain dedications, limitations, reservations and restrictions applicable to the Existing Property. All dedications, limitations, restrictions and reservations shown on the Subdivision Plat are incorporated herein and made a part hereof as if fully set forth herein, and shall be construed as being adopted in each and every contract, deed or conveyance executed or to be executed by or on behalf of Declarant, conveying said property or any part thereof.

ARTICLE 2 DEFINITIONS

The following words when used in this Declaration or any supplemental Declaration (unless the context shall prohibit) shall have the following meanings:

- (a) "ACC", "Committee" or "Architectural Control Committee" shall mean the "Architectural Control Committee established pursuant to this Declaration.
- (b) "Articles" shall mean the Articles of Incorporation of FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., as they may, from time to time, be amended.
- (c) "Association" shall mean and refer to FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a Texas non-profit corporation, its successors and assigns as provided for herein.
- (d) "Board of Directors" shall mean and refer to the governing body of the Association, the election and procedures of which shall be as set forth in the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association.
- (e) "Builder Member" shall mean such builders approved by Declarant for construction within the subdivision and who own one or more Lots for construction of a residence for resale to others.
- (f) "Bylaws" shall mean the Bylaws of FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., as they may, from time to time, be amended.
- (g) "Common Facilities" shall mean and refer to all property leased, owned, or maintained by the Association for the use and benefit of the Members of the Association. By way of illustration, Common Facilities may include, but not necessarily be limited to, the following: private streets, signs, fountains, statuary, parkways, medians, islands, common entry house and gates, tennis courts, landscaping, walls, bridges, safety lanes, trails, drainage easements, and other similar of appurtenant improvements.
- (h) "Declarant" shall mean and refer to B & M DEVELOPMENT, LTD., its successors and assigns, including any bulk transferee of Lots unless such rights as successor Declarant are negated in writing in the recorded instrument of conveyance.
- (I) "Living Unit" shall mean and refer to a single family residence and its attached or detached garage situated upon a Lot.
- (j) "Lot" shall mean and refer to any of the plots of land in the FOREST AT STONE OAK, A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT, as shown on a plat recorded in Volume 9542, Pages 126-128, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.
- (k) "Member" shall mean and refer to all those Owners who are members of the Association as provided herein.
- (I) "Owner" shall mean and refer to the record owner, whether one or more persons or entities, of the fee simple title to any Lot or portion of a Lot within the Existing Property, including contract sellers but excluding those having interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation.
- (m) "Property" shall mean and refer to the above described properties known as the FOREST AT STONE OAK, A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT.
- (n) "Additional Property" shall mean and refer to property which is added to the Property pursuant to Article 7 of this Declaration or any Amended or Supplemental Declaration.
- (o) "Subdivision Plat" shall mean and refer to the map or plat of the FOREST AT STONE OAK UNIT 3, A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT, filed for record in Volume 9542, Pages 126-128, Deed

and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas, and any amendment thereof upon filing of same for record in the Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas.

ARTICLE 3 HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATION AND ASSESSMENTS

- 1. MEMBERSHIP IN THE ASSOCIATION. Every person or entity who is a record Owner of a fee or undivided interest in any Lot which is subject to the jurisdiction of and to assessment by the Association shall be a member of the Association, provided, however, that any person or entity holding an interest in any such Lot or Lots merely as security for the performance of an obligation shall not be a member.
 - 2. VOTING RIGHTS. The association shall have two classes of voting membership:
 - Class A. Class A Members shall be all those owners as defined in Article 2(I) above with the exception of Declarant. Class A Members shall be entitled to one vote for each Lot in which they hold the interest required for membership by Article 2(I). When more than one person holds such interest or interests in any Lot, all such persons shall be members, and the vote for such Lot shall be exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall more than one vote be cast with respect to any such Lot.
 - Class B. The Class B Members shall be Declarant and Builder Members. The Class B Members shall be entitled to three votes for each Lot in which they hold the interest required by Article 2(e) above, provided that the Class B membership shall cease and become converted to Class A membership on the happening of the following events, whichever occurs earlier:
 - (a) when the total votes outstanding in the Class A membership equals the total votes outstanding in the Class B membership; or
 - (b) On January 1, 2017.

From and after the happening of these events, whichever occurs earlier, the Class B member shall be deemed to be a Class A member entitled to one vote for each Lot in which it holds the interest required for membership.

- 3. CREATION OF THE LIEN AND PERSONAL OBLIGATION OF ASSESSMENTS. Declarant, for each Lot owned by it within the Properties, hereby covenants, and each Owner of any Lot, by acceptance of a deed therefor, whether or not it shall be so expressed in any such deed or other conveyance, shall be deemed to covenant and agree to pay to the Association: (1) annual assessments or charges; and (2) special assessments for capital improvement, such assessments to be fixed, established, and collected from time to time as hereinafter provided. The annual and special assessments, together with such interest thereon and costs of collection thereof as are hereinafter provided, shall be a charge on the land and shall be a continuing lien upon the property against which each such assessment is made. Each such assessment, together with such interest thereon and costs of collection thereof as hereinafter provided, shall also be the personal obligation of the person who was the Owner of such property at the time the obligation accrued.
- 4. PURPOSE OF ASSESSMENTS. The assessments levied by the Association shall be used for the purpose of promoting the recreation, health, safety and welfare of the Members, and in particular, for the improvement, maintenance and operation of the properties, services and facilities devoted to this purpose and related to the use and enjoyment of the Property by the Members.
- 5. BASIS AND MAXIMUM OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS. The annual assessment for both improved and unimproved Lots shall be determined by the Board of Directors in the manner provided for herein after determination of current maintenance costs and anticipated needs of the Association during the year for

which the assessment is being made. The initial annual assessment for an improved Lot shall be prorated for the remainder of the calendar year in which begun if begun on other than January 1. The annual assessment for unimproved Lots shall be one-third (1/3) of the annual assessment for improved Lots. The maximum annual assessment for improved Lots and annual assessment for unimproved Lots may be increased by vote of the Members as provided hereinbelow. A Lot shall be deemed to be an "improved Lot" when construction of a Living Unit thereon is completed and closing of a sale thereof has taken place, or when the Living Unit is occupied as a resident, whichever occurs first. As provided in Article 5(16), the Board of Directors shall have the power to adjust assessments on consolidated Lots.

- 6. SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS. In addition to the annual assessments provided for above, the Association may levy, in any assessment year, a Special Assessment on improved Lots only, applicable to that year only, for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the cost of any construction, reconstruction, repair or replacement of a capital improvement on or which is a part of the Common Facilities, provided that any such assessment shall have the assent of two thirds (2/3) of the votes of the improved Lot owners who are voting in person or by proxy at a meeting duly called for this purpose, written notice of which shall be sent to all improved Lot owners at least thirty (30) days in advance which shall set forth the purpose of the meeting.
- 7. CHANGE IN BASIS AND MAXIMUM OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS. Subject to the limitations stated above, the annual assessment may be adjusted by majority vote of the Board of Directors but shall not be increased by more than ten percent (10%) above that of the previous year without a vote of the membership. Any increase in the annual assessment of more than ten percent (10%) above that of a previous year shall require approval of two-thirds (2/3) vote of each class of Members voting at a meeting duly called for that purpose.
- 8. QUORUM FOR ANY ACTION AUTHORIZED UNDER SECTIONS 6 AND 7. The quorum required for any action authorized hereinabove shall be as follows: At the first meeting called as provided above, the presence at the meeting of Members or proxies entitled to cast sixty percent (60%) of all the votes of each class of membership shall constitute a quorum. If the required quorum is not forthcoming at any meeting, another meeting may be called, subject to the notice requirements set forth above, and the required quorum at any such subsequent meeting shall be one-half (1/2) of the required quorum at the preceding meeting, provided that such reduced quorum requirement shall not be applicable to any such subsequent meeting held more than sixty (60) days following the preceding meeting.
- 9. DATE OF COMMENCEMENT OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS; DUE DATE. The annual assessments provided for herein shall commence as to all Lots on such date as may be determined by the Board of Directors of the Association. The assessments for each calendar year shall become due and payable and shall be collected as the Board of Directors of the Association shall determine. The amount of the annual assessment shall be an amount which bears the same relationship to the annual assessment established by the Board of Directors as the remaining number of months in that year bear to twelve. When a Lot becomes an improved Lot, there shall be payable as of the first day of the month following the month when it becomes an improved Lot, a sum equal to the difference between the annual assessment for unimproved Lots and the annual assessment for improved Lots, prorated over the balance of the year then remaining. The due date of any special assessment under the provisions hereof shall be fixed in the resolution authorizing such assessment.
- 10. DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. In December of each year, the Board of Directors of the Association shall fix the amount of the annual assessment against each Lot for the following year and shall at that time prepare a roster of the Lots and assessments applicable thereto which shall be kept in the office of the association and shall be open to inspection by any Owner on reasonable notice. Written notice of the assessment shall thereupon be sent to every Owner subject thereto. The association shall upon demand at any time, furnish to any Owner liable for said assessment, a certificate in writing, signed by an office of the Association, setting forth whether said assessment has been paid. Such certificate shall be conclusive evidence of payment of any assessment therein stated to have been paid.
- 11. EFFECT OF NON-PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS: THE LIEN; REMEDIES OF THE ASSOCIATION. All past due and unpaid assessments shall bear interest at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per annum or the maximum interest allowed by law from the date due until the date paid. The Association shall

be entitled to record a Notice of Lien or notice of unpaid assessment in the real property records for any assessment remaining unpaid more than thirty (30) days after the due date thereof. The Association shall be entitled to collect from each Owner the costs to the Association for the collection of any past due assessments or charges, including a reasonable fee for the preparation, recordation or release of any notice. If the Association retains an attorney to assist in the collection of an unpaid assessment, then that member's inspection of the attorney's books and records shall not be a "proper purpose" pursuant to the Texas Non-Profit Corporation Act.

- 12. SUBORDINATION OF THE LIEN TO MORTGAGES. The lien of the assessments provided for herein and the superior title herein reserved shall be deemed subordinate to a first lien or other liens of any bank, insurance company, savings and loan association, university, pension and profit sharing trusts or plans, or other bona fide, third party lender which may have heretofore or may hereafter lend money in good faith for the purchase or improvement of any Lot and any renewal, extension, rearrangement or refinancing thereof. Each such mortgagee of a mortgage encumbering a Lot who obtains title to such Lot pursuant to the remedies provided in the mortgage or by judicial or non-judicial foreclosure, shall take title to the Lot free and clear of any claims or unpaid assessments or charges against such Lot which accrued prior to the time such holder acquired title to such Lot. No such sale or transfer shall relieve such holder acquiring title to a Lot from liability for any assessments thereafter becoming due or from the lien thereof. Any other sale or transfer of a Lot shall not affect the Association's lien for assessments. The Association shall use its best efforts to give each mortgagee sixty (60) days' advance written notice of the Association's proposed foreclosure of the lien described herein, which notice shall be sent to the nearest office of such mortgagee by prepaid United States registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, and shall contain a statement of delinquent assessment upon which the proposed action is based; provided, however, that the Association's failure to give such notice shall not impair or invalidate any foreclosure conducted by the Association pursuant to the provisions of Section 11 hereof.
- 13. TITLE TO COMMON FACILITIES. The Declarant may retain the legal right to the Common Facilities until such time as it has completed improvements thereon and until such time as, in the opinion of the Declarant, the Association is able to maintain the same, but notwithstanding any provision herein, the Declarant hereby covenants, for itself, its successors and assigns, that it will convey the Common Facilities to the Association, not later than two years after the filing of record of this Declaration.
- 14. ENTRY HOUSES AND GATES. So long as Class B membership exists (and provided that it has not previously transferred its rights in this section to the Association), Declarant reserves the legal title and control over all entry houses and gates which it may construct on or about the Subdivision, as well as the authority, in its sole discretion, to determine the hours, staffing and manner of operation. Nothing in this Declaration, or any other statement or communication by Declarant or the Association, shall constitute any representation or warranty by Declarant or the Association concerning the hours, staffing or manner of operation of the entry houses and gates, nor concerning any security or safety protection which the entry houses or gates may offer.
- 15. MEMBERS' EASEMENTS OF ENJOYMENT. Subject to the provisions of Section 16 and 17 of this Article, every Member shall have a common right and easement of enjoyment in and to the Common Facilities and such right and easement shall be appurtenant to and shall pass with the title to every Lot.
- 16. EXTENT OF MEMBERS' EASEMENTS. The rights and easements of enjoyment created hereby shall be subject to the following:
 - (a) the rights and easements existing or hereafter created in favor of others as provided for in the Subdivision Plat.
 - (b) the rights of the Association, once it has obtained legal right to the Common Facilities, as provided in Section 13 above, to do the following:
 - (1) to borrow money for the purpose of constructing or improving the Common Facilities and, in aid thereof, to mortgage said properties and facilities, in accordance with the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association:

- (2) to take such steps as are reasonably necessary to protect the above-described properties and facilities against foreclosure;
- (3) to enter into one or more contracts or agreements for the maintenance or improvement of the Common Facilities;
- (4) to suspend the enjoyment rights of any Member for any period during which any assessment remains unpaid, and for any period not to exceed thirty (30) days for any infraction of the published rules and regulations of the Association or of this Declaration:
- (5) to assess and collect the assessments provided for herein or elsewhere and to charge reasonable admission and other fees for the use of the Common Facilities;
- (6) to dedicate or transfer all or any part of the Common Facilities to any public agency, authority, or utility for such purposes and subject to such conditions as may be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Members not voting by class;
- (7) to enforce a maximum speed limit of thirty (30) mile per hour and to post and/or install such other traffic signs and controls, as it deems necessary; and
- (8) to enforce posted traffic regulations, including, without limitation, the right to restrict vehicular access to the Common Facilities by persons who have violated posted traffic regulations or been cited for speeding or reckless driving on more than two occasions in a twelve-month (12) period.
- 17. USE RESTRICTIONS AFFECTING COMMON FACILITIES AND ADJUNCT PROPERTIES. The right of use of the Common Facilities shall be strictly subject to the following:
 - (a) No motorcycles, motorbikes or other motorized vehicles (except those used for maintenance, repairs and upkeep of the Common Facilities) shall be permitted on any part of the drainage easements, sidewalks, or other Common Facilities owned or maintained by the Association or Declarant.
 - (b) No planting or gardening by Owners shall be permitted within the Common Facilities and no fences, hedges or walls or other obstructions shall be erected or maintained upon or over the Common Facilities, except such as are installed by Declarant in connection with the construction of the initial improvements thereon, or such as are subsequently approved by the Board of Directors of the Association.
 - (c) No building or other structure of any type, including recreational structures, shall be built, placed or maintained on the Common Facilities except those constructed or placed, or permitted to be constructed or placed, by Declarant or the Board of Directors of the Association.
 - (d) The Board of Directors is empowered to establish additional use regulations relating to the Common Facilities as it may from time-to-time deem necessary to ensure the preservation and appearance of the Subdivision as a first class residential neighborhood and such rules and regulations shall, when promulgated, be in all respects binding on and enforceable against all Lot Owners, provided, however, no such additional rules or regulations shall in any manner revoke or relax any of the restrictions of use set forth in this section.

ARTICLE 4 ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL COMMITTEE

- 1. COMPOSITION. There is hereby created an Architectural Control Committee, initially composed of David Mann, Tom Brown and Dana Mann to serve until their successors are named. A majority of the Committee may act for the Committee and no notice of any of its meetings shall be required. Subject to the terms hereinafter set forth, Declarant shall have the right to add members to the committee and fill vacancies in the Committee membership and Declarant may assign such rights to the Association. In the event that all members of the ACC shall resign, and Declarant shall fail to appoint successors for a period of 30 days after the last to resign, then in such event the Board of Directors of the Association may appoint the members of the ACC.
- 2. POWER AND AUTHORITY. The Committee shall have the express authority to perform fact finding functions hereunder and shall have the power to construe and interpret any covenant, condition or restriction herein. Members of said Committee and their representatives shall not be liable to any person subject to or possessing or claiming the benefits of these restrictive covenants for any claim or loss or damage whatsoever, including, without limitation, any claims for damage or injury to property or for damage or loss arising out of their acts hereunder. In the event of non-compliance with this Declaration, the Architectural Control Committee shall have the power to halt such work through legal means, the first step of which shall be written notice to the non-complying Owner of the property, and to require the resolution of such noncompliance prior to continuation of construction. The Architectural Control Committee shall not be entitled to any compensation for services rendered pursuant to this covenant but shall be entitled to be fully reimbursed for all amounts reasonably expended in the performance of their responsibilities. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the power to employ professional consultants to assist it in discharging its duties at the expense of the Association. The Architectural Committee is empowered to promulgate Architectural Design Guidelines for the Subdivision.
- or altered on any Lot in the Subdivision until the plans and specifications, including exterior elevations and exterior colors and all exterior material for such building, fence or other structure and showing the location of such building, fence or other structure, shall have been approved in writing by the Architectural Control Committee as to the quality of workmanship and materials and conformity and harmony of exterior design with existing structures in the Subdivision and as to the location with respect to topography, existing trees and finished elevation. Within thirty (30) days after the Owner has submitted to the Committee all plans that the committee may required ("Submitted Plans"), the Committee shall notify the Owner in writing whether the Submitted Plans are approved or disapproved. Any disapproval shall set forth the specific reason or reasons for such disapproval. In the event the Submitted Plans have not been approved or disapproved within thirty (30) days after submission, the Submitted Plans will be deemed to have been approved but such deemed approval shall not permit a violation of any of the terms of these covenants.
- 4. DISCRETION. It is the express intention of Declarant that the Architectural Control Committee shall have broad discretion to permit, consent to, or approve a variance from the specific requirements or effect of a particular covenant. The discretion afforded the Architectural Control Committee in this instrument shall be subject to, but not incompatible with the purpose of this Declaration as set forth in Article 1 above.
- 5. SEPARATE ACTIONS. Each action of the Committee pursuant to this Article shall be separate and apart from any other action, and the grant of a variance or waiver to any one Owner shall not constitute a waiver of the Committee's right to strictly enforce the restrictions created by this Declaration. All decisions of the Committee shall be final and binding, and there shall be no review of any actions of the Committee.
- 6. DURATION. The Architectural Control Committee shall be duly constituted for the entire period of duration of this Declaration.

ARTICLE 5 LAND USE REGULATIONS

- 1. RESIDENTIAL PURPOSES ONLY. All land included within the Property shall be used for "residential purposes" only, either for the construction of private single-family residences, including an enclosed private garage for not less than two (2) automobiles, or as part of the Common Facilities; provided, however, that only one such private single-family residence may be constructed, or otherwise placed upon any one Lot. The term "residential purpose" as used herein shall be held and construed to exclude any business, commercial, industrial, apartment house, hospital, clinic and/or professional uses, and such excluded uses are hereby expressly prohibited subject solely to the use by each Builder/Declarant Member of residences within the Property as temporary sales offices and model homes for the display and sale of Lots within the Existing Property and no others. This restriction shall not, however, prevent the inclusion of permanent living quarters for domestic servants or to allow domestic servants to be domiciled with an owner or resident.
- 2. EDWARDS RECHARGE ZONE POLLUTION ABATEMENT. Each Lot is subject to a Water Pollution Abatement Plan which was required under the 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC)§313, the Edwards Aquifer Rules of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission. The Water Pollution Abatement Plan for the Forest of Stone Oak, Units 2 and 3 was approved on September 12, 1997.
- 3. STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN. Prior to beginning any phase of construction on any lot in the Forest at Stone Oak, Planned Unit Development, the builder or lot owner shall comply with the provisions of the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan established by the Environmental Protection Agency.
- 4. STORAGE OF BUILDING MATERIALS. Building materials placed on Lots prior to commencement of improvements must be kept in a neat, clean and orderly condition. No materials may be placed on the street or between the curb and the property line.
- 5. CONSTRUCTION AND SALES PERIOD. During the construction and sales period of the Living Units, Builder Members may erect and maintain such structures as are customary in connection with the construction and sale of such property, including, but not limited to a business office, storage areas, sign, model units, and sales office. All temporary construction and sales structures shall be aesthetically compatible with the subdivision development as determined by the Committee, and may only be located within the Property for a period not exceeding three (3) years, unless written approval of the ACC is obtained, which approval will not unreasonably be withheld.
- 6. BUILDING MATERIALS. The exterior walls of all one-story residential buildings, and the lower story of all two-story residential buildings, shall be constructed with masonry, rock, stucco, brick, or brick or masonry veneer for 75% or more of the total exterior wall area. The exterior walls of all two-story residential buildings shall be constructed with masonry or masonry veneer for 50% or more of the total exterior wall area, with at least the front and two sides being masonry on the first floor of a two-story house. Window and door openings shall be included as masonry. Detached garages shall be 100% masonry on the front side and not less than 75% of the total exterior wall area. Further, masonry may be required on detached garages if the ACC deems that side or rear walls are in clear view from the street. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Architectural Control Committee is empowered to waive this restriction, if, in its sole discretion, such waiver is advisable in order to accommodate a unique or advanced building concept, design or material, and the resulting structure will not detract from the general appearance of the neighborhood. Wall materials used on all Lots shall be restricted to those types and colors of bricks approved by the Architectural Control Committee.
- 7. ROOFING MATERIALS. Roofing shall be either slate, tile, factory fire-treated wood (if permitted by the City of San Antonio), tarnished metal with standing seams, or composition or fiberglass dimensional shingles, provided that any composition or fiberglass roofing shall be 25-year or greater dimensional shingle. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the discretion to approve other roof treatments and materials if the form utilized will, in its sole discretion, be harmonious with the surrounding homes and Subdivision as a whole.
- 8. FENCES. Fences may be constructed along and adjacent to the property line with the exception that no fence shall be constructed within the limits of the Lot's front setback line. All fences shall be

constructed of brick, stone, concrete, wood or a combination of the foregoing, however, no fences described as cyclone or chain-link (except those specifically approved by the Architectural Control Committee), or metal cloth fencing shall be permitted in the Subdivision. The design and material of construction for any fencing must be submitted to and approved by the Architectural Control Committee prior to start of construction. All fences located on a corner lot and facing a street shall have masonry columns, not more than 30 feet apart, with the masonry matching the masonry of the residence. An exception shall be made in the case of retaining walls and perimeter fencing constructed by Declarant.

- (a) All other fences shall be of the four types above described or shall be wood composed of one inch by not more than six inches (1" x 6") wide, six feet (6') tall, vertical cedar planks, without gaps between planks, with the tops either level or notched "dog-ear" styled.
- (b) All wooden fences visible from a street shall be constructed facing the street and without any framing visible from the street.
- (c) The Architectural Control Committee is empowered to waive the aforesaid composition requirements for fences and the aforesaid height or setback limitation in connection with retaining walls and decorative walls if, in its sole discretion, such waiver is advisable in order to accommodate a unique, attractive or advanced building concept, design or material, and the resulting fence, decorative wall and/or retaining wall (whichever is applicable) will not detract from the general appearance of the neighborhood.
- (d) No fence, wall, or hedge or shrub planting which obstructs sight lines shall be placed or permitted to remain on any corner Lot within the triangular areas formed by the extension of curb lines and a line connecting them at points twenty-five feet (25') from the intersection of the extended curb lines into the street. No structures or landscape material over three and one-half feet (3½') tall shall be allowed in this inscribed triangle.
- (d) No access gates are to be constructed along the perimeter of lots which adjoin San Antonio River Authority property.
- 9. DRIVEWAYS AND SIDEWALKS. Driveways and entry walks on each residential Lot must be constructed of concrete. Any other finish must be approved by the ACC. All other materials and finishes must be to City of San Antonio specifications and approved in writing by the ACC. The driveway turnout shall be constructed to specifications of the City of San Antonio and in such manner as to provide an attractive transitional radius from the curb and gutter into the driveway entrance and shall prevent escape of drainage water from the street onto any Lots. Driveways and entry walks must be shown on the site plan submitted for approval of the Architectural Control Committee. Asphalt driveways and entry walks are specifically prohibited. All entry walks, crossways, and driveway approaches shall comply with City of San Antonio specifications, including handicapped access. Any concrete spilled, poured or washed on a street must be immediately removed leaving the street clean and unstained. The Owner or Owners of each Lot shall also be the Owner or Owners of the portion of a sidewalk which traverses his Lot, and shall, by acceptance of a deed to his Lot or Lots, covenant to keep such portion in good repair. Each Owner shall execute any and all instruments necessary to grant an easement to the public for the use of the sidewalks.
- TEMPORARY STRUCTURES. No structure of a temporary character (sales structure, trailer, travel trailer, tent, shack, garage, barn or other outbuildings) shall be used on any Lot at any time as a residence, either temporarily or permanently. No trailer, camper, recreational vehicles, or similar vehicles shall at any time be parked in view from other properties or connected to utilities situated within a Lot. No dwelling previously constructed elsewhere may be moved onto any Lot in the subdivision controlled by these covenants. This covenant specifically includes mobile homes or the use of a mobile home in which the axle and wheels have been removed and placed upon a concrete slab, which said mobile home is hereby specifically prohibited as a residence, either temporarily or permanently, and further, specifically includes a mobile home upon which wheels have been left attached. Sales offices and construction offices used by Declarant or Builder Members are permitted but are subject to ACC approval as to number, type, location and ultimate use.
- 11. RESTRICTIONS ON LOTS. Construction of a Living Unit must commence within two years from date of purchase of a Lot. All Lots in the subdivision shall be used for residential purposes or as part of

the Common Area. No residential buildings shall remain incomplete for more than twelve (12) months after construction has commenced. Temporary use may be made of a house for a Builder Member's sales office, which shall be permitted until such house is sold, not to exceed thirty-six (36) months in total from time of completion, provided such use is approved in writing by Declarant.

- 12. GARAGES. A garage able to accommodate at least two (2) full sized automobiles must be constructed and maintained for each Living Unit and shall be side loading to the main structure. Garages on corner Lots must be set back at least twenty feet (20') from the side Lot line and all garages must be set back at least fifty feet (50') from the front Lot line. Garages shall not face the street or be visible from the front of the Lot upon which they are situated; all garages shall be constructed to face the side or rear of the Lot upon which they are situated. Rear detached garages shall be permitted provided they are constructed in compliance with the requirements of these covenants and the specifications of the City of San Antonio. No garage shall be permanently enclosed for conversion to any other use. Open carports are not permitted, unless special design circumstances warrant their use, in which case permission must be obtained in writing from the Architectural Control Committee.
- 13. MAXIMUM HEIGHT. No building or structure erected, altered or placed on, with or in the Properties shall exceed thirty-five feet (35') in height (measured from the top of the foundation to the topmost part of the roof) nor be more than two and one-half (2½) stories in height, provided however, that all applicable ordinances, regulations, and statutes with respect to the maximum height of buildings and structures shall, at all times, be complied with.
- 14. MINIMUM AREA. The living area of each residence constructed on a Lot shall contain the minimum, contiguous square feet of living space set forth below, such square feet being exclusive of open or screened porches, terraces, patios, driveways, carports, garages and living quarters for domestic servants separated or detached from the primary living area, to wit:
 - (a) If single story with two car garage attached or detached, 2,100 square feet of living area
 - (b) If two story with attached or detached two-car garage, 2,300 square feet of living area, with 1,700 square feet living area on the ground floor.
- 15. BUILDING SETBACKS. All improvements shall be constructed only in accordance with the greater of the building setback lines indicated on the Subdivision Plat for the Forest at Stone Oak Planned Unit Development or this Article 5, Section 15, however, in no case shall any improvement other than landscaping plant materials, walkways and irrigation systems be constructed within fifty (50) feet of any street on which a Lot fronts, twenty (20) feet on any street on which a Lot sides, or within twenty (20) feet of a side line and thirty (30) feet of a rear Lot line.
- 16. LOT CONSOLIDATION. Any Owner owning two or more adjoining Lots or portions of two or more such Lots may, with the prior approval of the Architectural Control Committee, consolidate such Lots or portions thereof into a single building site for the purpose of constructing one residence and such other improvements as are permitted herein, provided, however, that no such building site shall contain less than six thousand (6,000) square feet of land. Any consolidated Lot shall comply with all lawful requirements of any applicable statutes, ordinances or regulations. On application by any Owner, the board of Directors may adjust the assessments on a consolidated Lot to an amount not less than the full assessment rate for a single Lot. Absent such adjustment, a consolidated Lot shall bear the full assessment rate theretofore applicable to all Lots which are not consolidated.
- 17. OUTBUILDING REQUIREMENTS. Every outbuilding, inclusive of such structures as a storage building, gazebo, spa, greenhouse or children's playhouse, shall be compatible with the dwelling to which it is appurtenant in terms of its design and material composition. All such outbuildings shall be subject to approval by the Architectural Control Committee. In no instance shall an outbuilding exceed one (1) story in height, nor shall the total floor area of outbuildings other than a detached garage exceed ten percent (10%), individually, or in the aggregate, of the floor area of the main dwelling.
- 18. SIGNS. No signs, banners or pennants of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any single family residential Lot except one (1) professional sign of not more than nine (9) square feet

advertising the property for sale or rent. Signs used by the developer or builders to advertise Lots or homes within the Properties during the construction and sales period shall be permitted, irrespective of the foregoing. Signs advertising subcontractors or suppliers are specifically prohibited. The Architectural Control Committee shall have control over all the wording, design, appearance, size, quantity, and location of all signs. Except for sale or rental signs adhering to the standards of the first sentence of this Article, all signs within the Property shall be subject to the prior written approval of the ACC.

- Grass, weeds and vegetation on each Lot shall be kept mowed at LOT MAINTENANCE. 19. regular intervals. Trees, shrubs, vines and plants which die shall be promptly removed from the property. Lawns must be properly maintained and fences must be repairs and maintained and no objectionable or unsightly usage of Lots will be permitted which is visible to the public view. Building materials shall not be stored on any Lot except when being employed in construction upon such Lot, and any excess materials not needed for construction and any building refuse shall promptly be removed from such Lot. In the event of default on the part of the Owner or occupant of any Lot in observing the above requirements or any of them, such default continuing after ten (10) days written notice thereof, Declarant, or its assigns, or the Association, may without liability to Owner or any occupants, but without being under any duty to do so, in trespass or otherwise, enter upon said Lot, cut or cause to be cut, such weeds and grass and remove or cause to be removed, such garbage, trash and rubbish or do any other thing necessary to secure compliance with this Declaration, so as to place said Lot in a neat, attractive, healthful and sanitary condition, and may charge the Owner or Occupant of such Lot for the cost of such work, plus a reasonable administrative charge and for reasonable attorney's fees. The Owner or occupant, as the case may be, agrees by the purchase or occupancy of the Lot to pay such statement immediately upon receipt thereof. The sum due shall be a charge on the Lot and shall be a continuing lien upon the Lot against which such sums are due and may be enforced as fully as if it were an unpaid annual or special assessment.
- 20. LANDSCAPING. All front yards and side yards on all Lot, up to the wing wall that extends from the side of the house to the side property line, must be sodded within thirty days after the occupancy of the house. Side yards on corner Lots must be sodded the full length of the property line adjacent to the street to the curb. After sodding, all yards must be maintained with grass or landscaping in a neat and well mown condition, free of unsightly weeds and overgrowth. Decorative ground cover rock in the front and side yard may be used in lieu or grass but may not exceed ten percent (10%) of the total area of the front and side yard. Hydromulching and/or seeding may be utilized in place of sodding if approved b the ACC. No oak, elm, or pecan trees larger than eighteen inches (18") in diameter may be removed without written ACC approval. EACH OWNER IS ADVISED THAT THERE ARE NO EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES AS TO THE LIFE EXPECTANCY, VITALITY OR FITNESS FOR INTENDED PURPOSE OF ANY TREES OR SHRUBS LOCATED ON THE PROPERTIES. The Architectural Control Committee is empowered to establish additional landscaping guidelines, consistent with these Restrictions as authorized by Articles 4-.2 and 9.6.
- 21. WATER AND SEWAGE SYSTEMS. No individual water supply systems or sewage disposal systems shall be permitted on any Lot, including, but not limited to, water wells, cesspools, or septic tanks.
- 22. VEHICLES. No trailer, motor home, tent, boat, recreational vehicle, travel trailer, or any truck larger than a three-quarter (3/4) ton pick-up or wrecked, junked or wholly inoperable vehicle shall be kept, parked, stored or maintained on any portion of the front yard in front of the building line of the permanent structure nor shall be kept, parked, stored or maintained on other portions of the Lot for a period more than twenty-four (24) hours, unless they are in an enclosed structure or in a screened area which prevents the view thereof from adjacent Lots and streets. No dismantling or assembling of an auto, trailer, motor home, tent, boat, recreational vehicle, travel trailer, any truck or other machinery or equipment shall be permitted in any driveway, street or yard adjacent to a street. No commercial vehicle bearing commercial insignia or names shall be parked on any Lot except within an enclosed structure or a screened area which prevents such view thereof from adjacent Lots and streets, unless such vehicle is temporarily parked for the purpose of serving such Lot. On-street parking, except by visitors, is prohibited.
- 23. GARBAGE AND REFUSE DISPOSAL. No Lot shall be used or maintained as a dumping ground for rubbish. Trash, garbage and other waste shall be kept in sanitary containers, whether arranged for alley pickup or street pickup. No trash, ashes or other refuse may be thrown or dumped on any vacant Lot, park, street, right-of-way, or drainage area in the Properties. No cans, bags, containers or receptacles for the storing or disposal of trash, garbage, refuse, rubble, or debris shall be stored, kept, placed or maintained on any

Lot where visible from any street except solely on a day designed for removal of garbage and rubbish and on which days only such cans, bags, containers, and receptacles may be placed in front of a residence and beside a street for removal but shall be removed from view before the following day.

- 24. ANIMALS. No sheep, goats, horses, cattle, swine, poultry, snakes, livestock, or other animals of any kind shall ever be raised, kept, bred, or harbored on any portion of the Properties, except that dogs, cats, or other common household pets (not to exceed a total of three (3) adult animals) may be kept, provided that they are not kept, bred, or maintained for any commercial purposes and provided further that such common household pets shall at all times, except when they are confined within the boundaries of a private single-family residence or Lot upon which same is located, be restrained or controlled by a leash, rope, or similar restraint or a basket, cage or other container.
- 25. OIL AND MINING OPERATIONS. No oil drilling, oil development operations, oil refining, quarrying or mining operations of any kind shall be permitted upon or in any Lot, nor shall oil wells, tanks, tunnels, mineral excavations, or shafts be permitted upon any Lot. No derrick or other structure designed for use in boring for oil or natural gas shall be erected, maintained or permitted upon any Lot. No tank for the storage or oil or fluids may be maintained on any Lots above the surface of the ground.
- 26. COMMUNICATIONS ANTENNAE. No radio, citizen band or otherwise, or television aerial wires or antennae shall be maintained on any portion of any Lot, except those which are fully enclosed within the structure of the Living Unit. No microwave or other satellite dishes, antennas, receivers, or transmitters shall be placed on any Lot without the prior written approval of the Architectural Control Committee which shall have the authority to establish guidelines for the placement of satellite dishes and solar collectors. Solar apparatus, if used, must be installed in a location not visible from the street, any Rights-of-Way or other Lots or portions thereof, and must be approved by the Architectural Control Committee before erection.
- 27. NUISANCES. No noxious or offensive activity shall be carried on upon any Lot, nor shall anything be done thereon which may be or may become an annoyance or nuisance to the neighborhood.
- 28. ADVERSE CONDITIONS. No Owner or occupant shall perform any work that will impair the structural soundness or integrity of another Living Unit or impair any easement or hereditament, nor do any act nor allow any condition to exist which will adversely affect the other Living Units or their Owners or residents.
- 29. EXTERIOR LIGHTING. No exterior lighting of any sort shall be installed or maintained on a Lot where the light source is offensive or a nuisance to neighboring property (except reasonable security or landscape lighting that has approval of the Architectural Control Committee).
- 30. EXTERIOR NOISE. No exterior speakers, horns, whistles, bells or other sound devices (except security devises such as door and patio intercoms used exclusively to protect the Lot and improvements situated thereon) shall be placed or used upon any Lot.
- 31. ATHLETIC FACILITIES. Tennis court lighting and fencing shall be allowed only with the approval of the Architectural Control Committee. Basketball goals, or backboards, or any other similar sporting equipment of either a permanent or temporary nature shall not be placed on any Lot in the subdivision or where same would be visible from an adjoining street or Lot, without the prior written consent of the Architectural Control Committee. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the authority to establish guidelines for the placement and design of basketball goals and no basketball goal shall be kept or maintained within sight of any street except in accordance with any such guidelines established.
- 32. BURGLAR AND FIRE ALARMS. Each residence constructed on a Lot within the Subdivision shall include, as part of the initial construction, a perimeter burglar alarm system covering all exterior doors, entries and windows and such type, number, and location of smoke detectors as stipulated by the ordinances and/or building codes of the City of San Antonio then in effect.
- 33. HOUSE NUMBERING. House numbers identifying the address of each house must be placed as close as possible to the front entry and shall be illuminated so that the numbers can be easily read from the street at night. Size, color and material of the numbers must be compatible with the design and color of the house.

34. ADDITIONAL LAND USE REGULATIONS. The Association is empowered to establish additional land use regulations relating to the Property, both on Lots and the Common Facilities (including subdivision streets) as it may from time to time deem necessary to ensure the preservation and appearance of the Subdivision as a first class residential neighborhood and such rules and regulations shall, when promulgated, be in all respects binding on and enforceable against all Lot Owners, provided, however, no such additional rules or regulations shall in any manner revoke or relax any of the restrictions of use set forth in this section.

ARTICLE 6 EASEMENTS

- 1. EASEMENTS. Easements for installation and maintenance of utilities and drainage facilities are reserved as shown on the recorded plat. Within these easements, if any, no structure, planting or other material shall be placed or permitted to remain which may damage or interfere with the installation and maintenance of utilities or, in the case of drainage easements, which may change the direction of flow of water through drainage channels in such easements. The easement area of each Lot, if any, and all improvements in such areas shall be maintained continuously by the Owner of the Lot, except for those improvements for which a public authority or utility company is responsible. All drainage on Lots must comply with the area grading plans attached as Exhibit "A" and any subsequent grading plans approved by the City of San Antonio.
- 2. SUBDIVISION WALLS AND MONUMENTS. An easement for construction, reconstruction, repair, and maintenance of any subdivision entry walls, monuments, or signs, now or hereafter erected on a Lot, is hereby reserved to Declarant and the Association upon and across each such Lot. No Owner of a Lot on which a subdivision entry wall, monument or sign is placed shall do or permit any act which damages, defaces, or alters such wall, monument or sign or obscures the same from view of any adjoining street. Any vegetation growing outside of a subdivision entry wall which borders the rear of any Lot in The Forest at Stone Oak Planned Unit Development shall be maintained by the Association and the Association may landscape the strip of land outside the wall as it deems appropriate. Vegetation growing between the subdivision entry wall and the adjoining street along the side of any corner Lot shall be maintained by the Lot Owner in a near, orderly and trimmed condition, failing which, Declarant and/or the Association may enter on the Lot for such purposes and at the expense of the Owner.
- assement owners, Declarant, the Association, and their assignees, a right of ingress or egress across, over, and under the Properties for the purpose of installing, replacing, repairing, and maintaining all facilities for utilities, including, but not limited to, water, sewer, telephone, electricity, gas, and appurtenances thereto, and to repair, correct, replace, or maintain any wall, fixture, light, or other structure or item constituting part of the Common Facilities or required or permitted to be maintained under the terms hereof or to correct or remove any condition prohibited under the terms hereof.
- 4. WAIVER OF LIABILITY. Neither the Declarant nor the Architectural Control Committee nor any member of the Committee shall be liable for any damage done by any utility company or their assigns, agents, employees or servants, using any easements now or hereafter in existence, whether located on, in, under or through the Properties, to fences, shrubbery, trees or flowers or other property now or hereinafter situated on, in under or through the Properties. No provision hereof related to placement or nature of structures or conditions on a Lot, nor the approval thereof, express or implied, by the Declarant or the Committee shall affect the rights of easement owners nor enlarge the rights of Lot Owners with regard to the construction or maintenance of improvements or conditions within an easement area.
- 5. DRAINAGE EASEMENTS. Easements for drainage throughout the subdivision are reserved as shown on the Subdivision Plat, such easements being depicted thereon as "drainage easements." No Owner of any Lot in the subdivision may perform or cause to be performed any act which would alter or change the course of such drainage easements and original grading of Lots as shown on Exhibit "A" in a manner that would divert, increase, accelerate or impede the natural flow of water over and across such easements. More specifically and without limitation, no Owner or resident of a Living Unit may:

- (a) alter, change or modify the existing natural vegetation of the drainage easements in a manner that changes the character of the original environment of such easements;
- (b) alter, change or modify the existing configuration of the drainage easements, or fill, excavate or terrace such easements, or remove trees or other vegetation therefrom without the prior written approval of the Architectural Control Committee and the City of San Antonio Drainage Engineer;
- (c) construct, erect or install a fence or other structure of any type or nature within or upon such drainage easements;
- (d) permit storage, either temporary or permanent, of any type upon on or within such drainage easements; or
- (e) place, store or permit to accumulate trash, garbage, leaves, limbs or other debris within or upon the drainage easements, either on a temporary or permanent basis.
- 6. ACCESS TO ADJACENT PROPERTIES: The San Antonio River Authority owns property adjacent to The Forest at Stone Oak Unit-3. Access to this property is restricted by the River Authority. No easement or language of any kind in this document or on the plat of the Subdivision is meant to imply that Owners have any access to adjacent property owned by the San Antonio River Authority.
- 7. COMPLIANCE BY OWNER. The failure of any Owner to comply with the provisions of this Article shall in no event be deemed or construed to impose liability of any nature on the Architectural Control Committee and/or Declarant, and such Committee and/or Declarant shall not be charged with any affirmative duty to police, control or enforce such provisions. The drainage easements provided for in this Article shall in no way affect any other recorded easement in the subdivision.

ARTICLE 7 ANNEXATION AND AMENDMENTS

- 1. ADDITION TO PROPERTY. Additional lands may become subject to this Declaration in the following manners:
 - The Declarant, its successors and assigns, shall have the right to Additions by Declarant. bring within the scheme of this Declaration, and without the consent of Members, additional properties in future stages of the development, and within ten (10) years from the date of this instrument; provided that such additions lie within the area outlined on Exhibit "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. Declarant, its successors and assigns shall not be bound to make any additions to the Property. Any additions authorized under this and the succeeding subsections shall be made by filing of record a Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions or similar instrument with respect to the additional property which shall extend the general scheme of the covenants and restrictions of this Declaration to such property, and the execution thereof by the Declarant shall constitute all requisite evidence of the required approval thereof. Such document may contain such complimentary additions and/or modifications of the covenants and restrictions contained in this Declaration as may be applicable to the additional lands and area consistent with the overall development. The document may contain difference classes of membership and/or land uses. In no event, however, shall any such instrument be construed so as to revoke, modify or add to the covenants established by this Declaration as they are applicable to the Property.
 - (b) Other Additions: The owner of any property who desires to add such property to the scheme of this Declaration and to subject it to the jurisdiction of the Association, may make written submission therefore to the Association together with the following:
 - (1) The proposed property shall be described by size, location, proposed land use, and general nature of proposed private improvements;

- (2) The proponent shall described the nature and extent of common facilities to be located on the property and fully describe any mortgage debt related to the common facilities or other debt which he seeks the Association to assume:
- (3) The proponent shall state that the proposed additions, if made, will be subject to the general scheme of this Declaration and all Association assessments.

Upon such submission and subject to the Association's later review and approval of a proposed form of Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for the proposed property, the Association shall vote by class on the proposal. Two-thirds (2/3) approval of the total votes of each class of membership shall be required for approval. If the proposed property shall be approved for addition to the jurisdiction of the Association, such addition shall be complete upon the proponent's filing of record a Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions or similar instrument in form approved by the Board of Directors of the Association and executed by said Board of Directors or one or more authorized officers of the Association.

- 2 DURATION. This Declaration shall remain in full force and effect until January 1, 2017, at which time, and on each tenth anniversary thereafter, this Declaration shall be automatically renewed for a period of ten (10) years unless the Owners of seventy-five percent (75%) of the Lots shall file a written agreement to abandon same.
- 3. AMENDMENT BY DECLARANT. Declarant reserves the right in its sole discretion to amend, alter, delete, or remove these restrictions without the consent of Owners so long as Class B membership exists, where such amendment, alteration, deletion or removal is in the best interests of the Owners, as determined by Declarant in its sole discretion. The sole restriction on Declarant's ability to amend the Declaration in this fashion is that the amendment must not be illegal or against public policy.
- 4. AMENDMENT BY OWNERS. This Declaration may be amended by written instrument executed by the Owners of seventy-five percent (75%) or more of the Lots, provided that no amendment prior to January 1, 2017, shall be effective until approved and executed by Declarant and filed of record in the Official Public Records of Real Property of Bexar County, Texas.
- 5. FHA/VA APPROVAL. Absent Declarant's written waiver, then for so long as the Declarant, its successors and assigns, have a controlling vote of the Association, the following actions will require the prior approval of the Federal Housing Administration, and/or the Veterans Administration; (a) annexation of property other than as shown on Exhibit "B" hereto; (b) dedication of Common Area; and (c) amendment of this Declaration other than pursuant to this Article.

ARTICLE 8 ENFORCEMENT

- 1. BREACH BY OWNER. The failure of any Owner or tenant to comply with any restriction or covenant will result in irreparable damage to Declarant and other Owners of Lots in the Subdivision; thus the breach of any provision of this Declaration may not only give rise to an action for damages at law, but also may be made the subject of an action for injunctive relief and/or specific performance in equity in any court of competent jurisdiction. In the event enforcement actions are instituted and the enforcing party prevails, then in addition to the remedies specified above, court costs and reasonable attorney's fees shall be assessed against the violator.
- 2. REMEDIES. In addition to the remedies for enforcement provided for elsewhere in this Declaration, the violation or attempted violation of the provisions of this Declaration, or any amendment thereto, or Rules and Regulations promulgated by the Board of Directors, by an Owner, his family, guests, lessees or licensees shall authorize the Board (in the case of all of the following remedies) or any Owner (in the case of the remedies provided in (d) below), to avail itself of any one or more of the following remedies:
 - (a) The imposition of a special charge not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) per violation,

or

- (b) The suspension of Owner's right to use any Association property for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days per violation, plus attorney's fees insured by the Association with respect to the exercise of such remedy, or
- (c) The right to cure or abate such violation, including the right to enter any Lot upon which such violation exists without liability for trespass, and to charge the expense thereof, if any, to such Owner, plus attorney's fees incurred by the Association with respect to the exercise of such remedy, or
- (d) The right to seek injunctive or any other relief provided or allowed by law against such violation and to recover from such owner all its expenses and costs in connection therewith, including but not limited to attorney's fees and court costs.
- 3. WRITTEN NOTICE. The titles, headings and captions which have been used throughout this Declaration are for convenience only and are not to be used in construing this Declaration or any part thereof.
- 4. LIEN AGAINST OWNER. All charges assessed against an Owner pursuant to this Article shall constitute a continuing lien upon the Lot of such Owner as fully as if such charge were an unpaid annual or special assessment.

ARTICLE 9 MISCELLANEOUS

- 1. TITLES. The titles, headings and captions which have been used throughout this Declaration are for convenience only and are not to be used in construing this Declaration or any part thereof.
- 2. GOVERNING LAW. THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED AND INTERPRETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS. ALL ACTS REQUIRED OR PERMITTED TO BE PERFORMED HEREUNDER ARE PREFERABLE IN BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS, AND IT IS AGREED THAT ANY ACTION BROUGHT TO ENFORCE OR CONSTRUE THE TERMS OR PROVISIONS HEREOF OR TO ENJOIN OR REQUIRE THE PERFORMANCE OF ANY ACT IN CONNECTION HEREWITH SHALL BE BROUGHT IN A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION SITTING IN BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS.
- 3. INTERPRETATION. If this Declaration or any word, clause, sentence, paragraph or other part thereof shall be susceptible to more than one or conflicting interpretations, then the interpretation which is more nearly in accordance with the general purposes and objectives of this Declaration shall govern.
- 4. OMISSIONS. If any punctuation, word, clause, sentence, or provision necessary to give meaning, validity, or effect to any of the words, clauses, sentences, or provisions appearing in this Declaration shall be omitted herefrom, then it is hereby declared that such omission was unintentional and that the omitted punctuation, word, clause, sentence or provision shall be supplied by inference.
- 5. GENDER AND GRAMMAR. The singular, whenever used herein, shall be construed to mean the plural, when applicable, and the necessary grammatical changes required to make the provisions here apply either to corporations or individuals, males or females, shall in all cases be assumed as though in each case fully expressed.
- 6. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. Architectural Design Guidelines for the subdivision, Rules and Regulations of the Association, and the other documents and information which may affect an Owner or prospective Owner may be implemented by the ACC, the Association or the Declarant. Each Owner and prospective Owner is advised to carefully examine each of such documents in addition to this Declaration to determine his rights and obligations as an Owner.

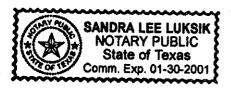
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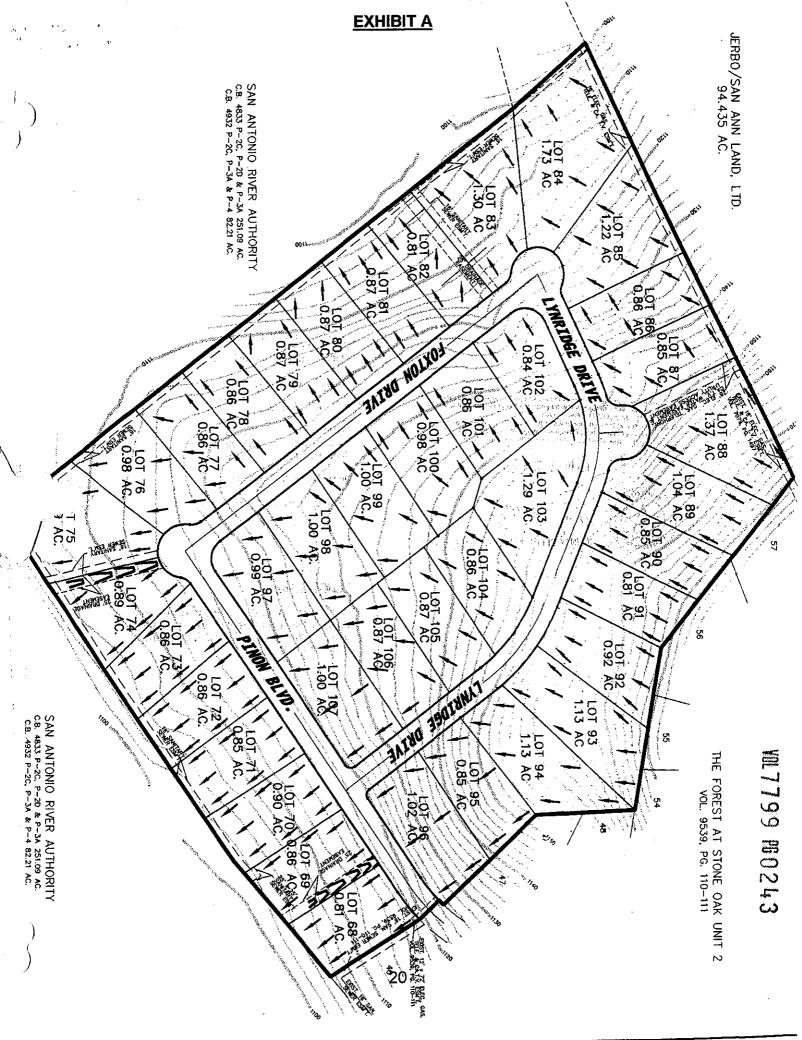
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Sandra Su Suksik Notary, Public, State of Texas

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Forest at Stone Oak Homeowners Association, Inc. 1017 Central Parkway N., Suite 112 San Antonio, TX 78232-5009



SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, DBA AT&T TEXAS ACCESS, CABLE AND EQUIPMENT EASEMENT

This Easement, entered into by FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., herein referred to as GRANTOR, and SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, a Missouri corporation, d/b/a AT&T TEXAS, herein referred to as GRANTEE, wherein GRANTOR, in consideration of the sum of TEN Dollars (\$10.00), and other valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, does by these presents GRANT, BARGAIN, SELL AND CONVEY AND CONFIRM unto GRANTEE, its affiliates, successors, and assigns, a permanent easement to construct, operate, maintain, repair, inspect, replace, protect, substitute, and remove facilities for the transmission of signals used in the provision of communication, video, information services, and/or any other services or uses for which such facilities are designed. Such facilities may include, without limitation, poles, anchors, conduit, ducts, cables, wires, fiber optic cables, marker posts and signs, and other related or useful equipment, fixtures, appurtenances, improvements, and facilities, whether buried or aerial (the "Facilities"), as may be required by Grantee from time to time upon, over and under Grantor's Land within the confines of the easement situated in Bexar County, Texas and described as follows:

A 10 foot wide easement more particularly described in the metes and bounds description attached as Exhibit A. The easement described in Exhibit A is shown on a survey plat attached as Exhibit B and shall be herein referred to as the "Easement Tract."

The Easement Tract is a part of Grantor's Land described as follows:

Lot 21, Block 1, New City Block 19216, The Forest at Stone Oak, Unit 1, Planned Unit Development, an addition to the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, according to map or plat therof, recorded in Volume 9536, Page 12, Deed and Plat Records of Bexar County, Texas, as conveyed to Grantor by Warranty Deed dated December 29, 2000 and recorded in Volume 8691, Page 1597, Official Public Records of Bexar County, Texas; also being the same tract of land described in Exhibit A.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the Easement Tract with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging unto Grantee, its successors and assigns forever, until the use of the Easement Tract is relinquished or abandoned, including (1) the right of ingress and egress to and from the Easement Tract by reasonable routes across Grantor's property, (2) the right to clear and trim trees, overhanging branches, roots, brush and other obstructions in the Easement Tract which may injure, endanger, or interfere with the use of said Facilities or their appurtenances, and (3) the right to install temporary or permanent gates in fences crossing the Easement Tract.

Grantee, its successors and assigns shall repair and restore Grantor's Land as is reasonably practicable. Further, Grantor reserves the right to use and enjoy its interests in the Easement Tract insofar as the exercise thereof does not endanger or interfere with the

construction, operation and maintenance of said Facilities. However, Grantor expressly covenants and agrees for itself, its respective heirs, successors, assigns and legal representatives, that no building or structure will be placed on the Easement Tract herein granted, nor any tree be hereafter planted thereon.

Grantor warrants that it owns the Easement Tract, and has no knowledge of environmental hazards affecting the Easement Tract except those disclosed to Grantee, and that it has the right to make this conveyance and receive the payment therefor. Grantor agrees that it and its heirs, successors, administrators and assigns, shall and will WARRANT AND DEFEND the title to the Easement Tract unto the said Grantee, and to its successors and assigns forever against the claims of all persons whomsoever, and covenants that Grantee, its successors, assigns, and licensees, may quietly enjoy the Easement Tract for the uses herein stated.

| Signed and executed this day of, 2008. |
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| FOREST AT STONE OAK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. |
| Signature: |
| Name: |
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| (SEAL) | My Commission Expires: |
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| | Notary Public, State of Texas |
| This instrument was acknowledged | d before me on this day of, 2008, by |
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| COUNTY OF | |
| THE STATE OF TEXAS | |
| ACKNOWLEDGMENT | |

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