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# **PROVINCIAL GLADES**

## MASTER DEED

This Master Deed is made and executed on this 22 day of  $\pm eb$ ., 2006 by Provincial Glades LLC, a Michigan Limited Liability Company (the "Developer"), whose address is 41115 Jo Drive, Novi, Michigan, 48375, in pursuance of the provisions of the Michigan Condominium Act (being Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended) (the "Act").

WHEREAS, the Developer desires by recording this Master Deed, together with the Bylaws attached hereto as **Exhibit A** and together with the Condominium Subdivision Plan attached hereto as **Exhibit B** (both of which are incorporated by reference into and made a part of this Master Deed), to establish the real property described in Article II below, together with the improvements located and to be located thereon, and the appurtenances thereto as a residential Site Condominium Project under the provisions of the Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Developer does, upon the recording hereof, establish PROVINCIAL GLADES as a Condominium Project under the Act and does declare that PROVINCIAL GLADES (the "Condominium," the "Project" or the "Condominium Project") shall, after such establishment, be held, conveyed, hypothecated, encumbered, leased, rented, occupied, improved, or in any other manner utilized, subject to the provisions of the Act, and to the covenants, conditions, restrictions, uses, limitations and affirmative obligations set forth in this Master Deed and the attached Exhibits A and B, all of which shall be deemed to run with the land and shall be a burden and a benefit to the Developer, its successors and assigns, and any persons acquiring or owning an interest in the Condominium Project, it is provided as follows:



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## ARTICLE I

## TITLE AND NATURE

The Condominium Project shall be known as PROVINCIAL GLADES, Oakland County Condominium Subdivision Plan No. 1851. The Condominium Project is established in accordance with the Act. The Units contained in the Condominium, including the number, boundaries, dimensions and area of each, are set forth completely in the Condominium Subdivision Plan attached as Exhibit B. Each Unit is capable of individual utilization on account of having its own entrance from and exit to a Common Element of or Public Right of Way within the Condominium Project. Each co-owner in the Condominium Project shall have an exclusive right to his or her Unit and shall have undivided and inseparable rights to share with other coowners the General Common Elements of the Condominium Project.

#### ARTICLE II

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

The land which is submitted to the Condominium Project established by this Master Deed is described as follows:

### "PROVINCIAL GLADES" CONDOMINIUM

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A part of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 30, Town 1 North, Range 8 East, City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan; being more particularly described as commencing at the Southwest Corner of said Section 30; thence South 89°35'50" East, 592.50 feet, along the South line of said Section 30 and the centerline of Nine Mile Road, (said line being the North line of "Park Place Subdivision", as recorded in Liber 276 of Plats, on Pages 28 through 37, Oakland County Records), to the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 00°19'49" East, 741.25 feet; thence South 89°22'23" West, 45.31 feet; thence North 00°19'49" East, 1883.07 feet; thence South 89°35'13" West, 547.25 feet, to the West line of said Section 30 and the centerline of Napier Road, (said point being North 00°19'49" East, 2615.72 feet from the Southwest Corner of said Section 30); thence North 00°19'49" East, 33.00 feet, along the West line of said Section 30 and the centerline of said Napier Road, to the West 1/4 Corner of said Section 30; thence North 89°35'13" East, 2223.22 feet; thence South 14°35'03" West, 91.03 feet; thence South 39°33'31" West, 33.03 feet; thence South 12°32'15" West, 21.17 feet; thence South 08°08'19" West, 60.88 feet; thence South 32°58'58" East, 339.96 feet; thence South 30°30'44" East, 163.43 feet; thence South 05°42'31" West, 128.34 feet; thence South 35°12'13" West, 110.94 feet; thence South 64°45'44" West, 87.56 feet; thence South 78°57'10" West, 76.86 feet; thence North 79°21'18" West, 70.53 feet; thence North 62°08'38" West, 95.18 feet; thence North 31°19'07" West, 78.97 feet; thence South 50°50'42" West, 47.27 feet; thence North 51°30'20" West, 405.79 feet; thence South 64°33'09"

West, 115.59 feet; thence South 36°03'18" West, 60.54 feet; thence South 11°11'14" West, 82.42 feet; thence South 00°13'47" West, 311.67 feet; thence South 08°46'50" West, 118.33 feet; thence South 17°45'35" West, 118.29 feet; thence South 33°33'01" West, 88.13 feet; thence North 89°59'59" West, 80.04 feet; thence South 00°13'47" West, 1336.66 feet, to the South line of said Section 30 and the centerline of said Nine Mile Road; thence North 89°35'50" West, 731.20 feet, (previously described as South 87°12'34" West, 731.85 feet), along the South line of said Section 30 and the centerline of said Nine Mile Road and an extension of and the North line of said "Park Place Subdivision", to the POINT OF BEGINNING. All of the above containing 65.755 Acres. All of the above being subject to easements, restrictions and right-of-ways of record. All of the above being subject to the rights of the public in Nine Mile Road and Napier Road.

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Road. 32-30-300-016 P4-32-30-300-003Together with and subject to the Residential Unit Development Agreement for Provincial Glades (fka the Preserve), entered into between the City and the Developer, dated July 31, 2004, on file with the City, and subsequent amendments thereto, an Affidavit Regarding Residential Unit Development (RUD) Regulation of Land, giving notice of the RUD Agreement, has been recorded at Liber 34870, Page 178, Oakland County Records. The Residential Unit Development Agreement, including all amendments thereto, shall be known as the "RUD Agreement"; and further subject to all other easements and restrictions of record and all governmental limitations. Reference is hereby made to all of the above identified documents for the full and further terms, conditions, requirements, obligations, covenants and regulations.

### ARTICLE III

### DEFINITIONS

Certain terms are utilized not only in this Master Deed and the attached Exhibits A and B. but are or may be used in various other instruments such as, by way of example and not limitation, the Articles of Incorporation and rules and regulations of the PROVINCIAL GLADES CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, a Michigan non-profit corporation, and deeds, mortgages, liens, land contracts, easements and other instruments affecting the establishment of, or transfer of, interests in PROVINCIAL GLADES as a condominium. Wherever used in such documents or any other pertinent instruments, the terms set forth below shall be defined as follows:

Section 1. Act. The "Act" means the Michigan Condominium Act, being Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended.

Section 2. Association. "Association" means PROVINCIAL GLADES CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, which is the non-profit corporation organized under Michigan law of which all co-owners shall be members, which corporation shall administer, operate, manage and maintain the Condominium.

Section 3. <u>Bylaws.</u> "Bylaws" means the attached Exhibit A, being the Bylaws setting forth the substantive rights and obligations of the co-owners and required by Section 3(8) of the Act to be recorded as part of the Master Deed. The Bylaws shall also constitute the corporate bylaws of the Association as provided for under the Michigan Nonprofit Corporation Act.

Section 4. <u>City</u>. "City" shall mean the City of Novi, a Michigan municipal corporation, located in Oakland County, Michigan, and its successors, assigns, and transferees.

Section 5. <u>Common Elements.</u> "Common Elements," where used without modification, means both the General and Limited Common Elements described in Article IV hereof.

Section 6. <u>Condominium Documents.</u> "Condominium Documents" means and includes this Master Deed and the attached Exhibits A and B, and the Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws and rules and regulations, if any, of the Association, as all of the same may be amended from time to time.

Section 7. <u>Condominium Premises.</u> "Condominium Premises" means and includes the land described in Article II above, all improvements and structures thereon, and all easements, rights and appurtenances belonging to PROVNICIAL GLADES as described above.

Section 8. <u>Condominium Project, Condominium or Project</u>. "Condominium Project," "Condominium" or "Project" means PROVINCIAL GLADES, as a Condominium Project established in conformity with the Act.

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Section 9. <u>Condominium Subdivision Plan</u>. "Condominium Subdivision Plan" means the attached Exhibit B.

Section 10. <u>Consolidating Master Deed</u>. "Consolidating Master Deed" means the final amended Master Deed which shall describe PROVINCIAL GLADES as a completed Condominium Project and shall reflect the entire land area in the Condominium Project resulting from parcels that may have been converted and/or withdrawn from the Condominium from time to time under Articles VI and VII of this Master Deed, and all Units and Common Elements therein, as constructed, and which shall express percentages of value pertinent to each Unit as finally readjusted. Such Consolidating Master Deed, if and when recorded in the office of the Oakland County Register of Deeds, shall supersede the previously recorded Master Deed for the Condominium and all amendments thereto.

Section 11. <u>Co-owner or Owner</u>. "Co-owner" means a person, firm, corporation, partnership, association, trust or other legal entity or any combination thereof who or which owns one or more Units in the Condominium Project. The term "Owner," wherever used, shall be synonymous with the term "co-owner."

Section 12. <u>Developer</u>. "Developer" means PROVINCIAL GLADES LLC, a Michigan limited liability company, which has made and executed this Master Deed, and its successors and assigns including any successor developer(s) under section 135 of the Act. All successor developers under Section 135 of the Act shall always be deemed to be included within the term "Developer" whenever, however and wherever such terms are used in the Condominium Documents.

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Section 13. <u>Development and Sales Period</u>. "Development and Sales Period", for the purposes of the Condominium Documents and the rights reserved to the Developer thereunder, means the period commencing with the recording of the Master Deed and ending one year after the Developer no longer owns any Unit which it offers for sale. For the purposes of this Section, the term "Developer" shall also mean any successor developer(s) as defined in Section 135 of the Act.

Section 14. <u>First Annual Meeting</u>. "First Annual Meeting" means the initial meeting at which non-developer co-owners are permitted to vote for the election of all Directors and upon all other matters which properly may be brought before the meeting. Such meeting is to be held (a) in the Developer's sole discretion after 50% of the Units that may be created are sold, or (b) Mandatorily within (i) 54 months from the date of the first Unit conveyance, or (ii) 120 days after 75% of the Units that maybe created are sold, whichever first occurs.

Section 15. <u>Transitional Control Date</u>. "Transitional Control Date" means the date on which a Board of Directors of the Association takes office pursuant to an election in which the votes which may be cast by eligible co-owners unaffiliated with the Developer exceed the votes which may be cast by the Developer.

Section 16. <u>Unit or Condominium Unit.</u> "Unit" or "Condominium Unit" each mean a single Unit in PROVINCIAL GLADES, as such space may be described in Article V, Section 1 of this Master Deed and on the attached Exhibit B, and shall have the same meaning as the term "Condominium Unit" as defined in the Act. All structures and improvements now or hereafter located within the boundaries of a Unit shall be owned in their entirety by the co-owner of the Unit within which they are located and shall not, unless otherwise expressly provided in the Condominium Documents, constitute Common Elements. The Developer does not intend to and is not obligated to install any structures whatsoever within the Units or their appurtenant Limited Common Elements, if any.

Section 17. <u>Preservation or Conservation Easement</u>. "Preservation Easement" or "Conservation Easement" shall mean a separate easement recorded for the purpose of preserving portions of the Condominium in their natural wetland or woodland conditions, as referred to in Article X.

Whenever any reference herein is made to one gender, the same shall include a reference to any and all genders where the same would be appropriate; similarly, whenever a reference is made herein to the singular, a reference shall also be included to the plural where the same would be appropriate and vice versa.

## ARTICLE IV

## COMMON ELEMENTS

The Common Elements of the Project, and the respective responsibilities for maintenance, decoration, repair or replacement thereof, are as follows:

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Section 1. <u>General Common Elements</u>. The General Common Elements are:

(a) <u>Electrical</u>. The electrical transmission lines and transformers throughout the Project, up to the point at which service leads leave the transformer to provide connections for service of Units and dwellings.

(b) <u>Telephone</u>. The telephone system throughout the Project up to the point of lateral connections for Unit service.

(c) <u>Gas</u>. The gas distribution system throughout the Project up to the point of lateral connections for Unit service.

(d) <u>Telecommunications</u>. The telecommunications system, if and when any may be installed, up to the point of lateral connections for Unit service.

(e) <u>Storm Drainage System</u>. The storm water drainage system throughout the Project, including, but not limited to, the various sedimentation basins located throughout the Project, but excluding those portions of the storm drainage system which are within a public road right-of-way, if any, and any portion of the storm drainage which has been deeded to a governmental authority. A separate Storm Water Maintenance Agreement between the Developer and the City of Novi is incorporated herein by reference, and will be or has been recorded at the Oakland County Register of Deeds, Liber \_\_\_\_\_ Page(s)

(f) <u>Sanitary Sewer System</u>. The sanitary sewer system throughout the Project up to the point of lateral connection for service to Units and dwellings, excluding those portions of the sanitary sewer system which are within the public road right-of-way, if any, and any portion of the sanitary sewer system which has been deeded to a governmental authority.

(g) <u>Water Service System</u>. The water service system and water mains throughout the project up to the point of lateral connection for service to Units and dwellings, excluding those portions of the water service system which are within the

public road right-of-way, if any, and any portion of the water service system which has been deeded to a governmental authority.

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(h) <u>Sprinkler System</u>. Any sprinkler system(s), if and when installed, by the Developer to serve general common lawn areas or areas within the public road right-of-way shall be General Common Elements to be maintained, repaired and replaced by the Association.

(i) <u>Roadways and Sidewalks</u>. The roadways, and sidewalks, if any, contained within the road rights of way in the Project, unless and/or until such roadways and/or sidewalks are dedicated to and accepted for ownership by the City of Novi or other governmental entity. There is no absolute promise that dedication or acceptance of the roadways and/or sidewalks will take place and this dedication may be made by the Developer without the consent of any co-owner.

(j) <u>Non-access Greenbelt</u>. The non-access greenbelt area shown on Exhibit B along, and adjacent to, Nine Mile Road.

(k) <u>Park Areas.</u> The open, natural areas within the condominium referred to as Provincial Park, Solstice Park, Arboretum Park, Glades Park, and Laurel Park. These areas are intended for recreational use by all of the owners of the condominium, and are to be perpetually maintained in its natural state. With the exception of playground equipment or similar non permanent structures or recreational equipment, construction in this area of any permanent nature, including a residential dwelling, is expressly prohibited. The Park labeled as Amanda Park on the attached exhibit "B" drawings is intended to be deeded to and for ownership and maintenance by the City of Novi.

(1) Other. Such other elements of the Project not herein designated as General or Limited Common Elements which are not enclosed within the boundaries of a Unit, and which are intended for common use or are necessary to the existence, upkeep, appearance, utility or safety of the Project, including but not limited to open spaces, landscaping, signage, natural feature areas, storm drainage, detention and retention areas, the emergency access drive, and all roads, sidewalks, pathways within the Condominium not referenced in subsection 1(i) above.

Section 2. <u>Limited Common Elements</u>. Limited Common Elements, if any, shall be subject to the exclusive use and enjoyment of the owner of the Unit to which the Limited Common Elements are appurtenant. No Limited Common Elements are anticipated within the Condominium. However, Developer reserves the right prior to the end of the development and sales period to designate any appropriate limited common elements as may be necessary.

Section 3. <u>Responsibilities</u>. The respective responsibilities for the maintenance, decoration, repair and replacement of the Common Elements are as follows:

- (a) <u>Co-Owner Responsibilities.</u>
- (1) Units and Limited Common Elements. It is anticipated that separate residential dwellings will be constructed within the Units depicted on Exhibit B. Except as otherwise expressly provided, the responsibility for, and the costs of maintenance, decoration, repair and replacement of any dwelling and appurtenances to each dwelling as a Limited Common Element, if any shall be designated, shall be borne by the co-owner of the Unit; provided, however, that the exterior appearance of such dwelling, the Units and appurtenant Limited Common Elements, to the extent visible from any other dwelling, Unit or Common Element on the Project, shall be subject at all times to reasonable aesthetic and maintenance standards prescribed by the Association in duly adopted rules and regulations.
- (2) <u>Utility Services</u>. All costs of electricity, water and natural gas and any other utility services, except as otherwise specifically provided, shall be borne by the co-owner of the Unit to which such services are furnished.
- (3) <u>Landscaping</u>. Each co-owner shall be responsible for the initial installation of landscaping within his or her Unit. Co-owners shall be responsible for and bear the costs of, maintenance, repair and replacement of all landscaping installed within their respective Units and yard areas, including lawns. General Common Element landscaping installed by the Developer shall be maintained, repaired and replaced by the Association; however, Co-owners shall be responsible for maintenance and landscaping within the Public Right of Way between the unit boundary and the paved surface of any Public Road Way.

(b) Association Responsibility for Units and Common Elements. The Association shall not be responsible for performing any maintenance, repair or replacement with respect to the grounds or residences and their appurtenances located within the Condominium Units or the Limited Common Elements appurtenant thereto, except as otherwise provided herein. The Developer, in the initial maintenance budget for the Association, shall be entitled to determine the nature and extent of such services and reasonable rules and regulations may be promulgated in connection therewith.

(c) <u>General Common Elements</u>. The cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of all General Common Elements shall be borne by the Association. The Developer, prior to the transitional date, and the association thereafter, shall have the authority and responsibility, to operate, maintain, repair, manage, and improve the common areas on the property. The Developer and/or Association shall have the responsibility to preserve and maintain all private storm water detention facilities and all private roadways and walkways, which are located within the condominium as well as all

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or the private park areas, to ensure that the same continue to function as intended. The Developer and/or Association shall establish a regular and systematic program of maintenance for any common areas to ensure that the physical condition and intended function of such areas and facilities shall be perpetually preserved and/or maintained. In the event that the Developer and/or Association shall at any time fail to carry out the responsibilities specified above, and/or in the event of a failure to preserve and/or maintain such areas or facilities in reasonable order and condition, the City may serve written notice upon the Developer and/or Association setting forth the deficiencies in maintenance and/or preservation. Notice shall also set forth a demand that the deficiencies be cured within a stated reasonable time period, and the date, time and place of a hearing before the City Council, or such other Council, body or official delegated by the City Council, for the purpose of allowing the Developer and/or Association to be heard as to why the City should not proceed with the maintenance and/or preservation.

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At the hearing, the time for curing the deficiencies and the hearing itself may be extended and/or continued to a date certain. If, following the hearing, the City Council, or other body or official designated to conduct the hearing, shall determine that maintenance and/or preservation have not been undertaken within the time specified in the notice, the City shall thereupon have the power and authority, but not obligation, to enter upon the property, or cause its agents or contractors, at reasonable commercial expense, to enter upon the property and perform such maintenance and/or preservation as reasonably found by the City to be appropriate. The cost and expense of making and financing such maintenance and/or preservation, including the cost of notices by the City and reasonable legal fees incurred by the City, plus an administrative fee in the amount of 25% of the total of all costs and expenses incurred (except that no administrative fee will be added in respect to legal fees), shall be paid by the Developer and/or Association, and such amount shall constitute a lien on an equal pro rata basis as to all of the condominium units on the property. The City may require the payment of such monies prior to the commencement of work. If such costs and expenses have not been paid within 90 days of a billing to the Developer or Association, all unpaid amounts may be placed on the delinquent tax roll of the City, pro rata, as to each lot, and shall accrue interest and penalties, and shall be collected as, and shall be deemed delinquent real property taxes, according to the laws made and provided for the collection of delinquent real property taxes. In the discretion of the City, such costs and expenses may be collected by suit initiated against the Developer or Association, and in such event, unless adjudicated otherwise; the Developer and/or Association shall pay all court costs and reasonable attorney fees incurred by the City in connection with such suit.

(d) <u>Sprinkling Systems for Sedimentation Basins and Non Access Greenbelt</u>. The Association shall be responsible for the repair, replacement and maintenance of the sprinkler systems, if any, within the sedimentation basins and non access greenbelt,

including all electrical appliances such as pumps, timers and controls which operate the system, if and when installed wherever they may be located.

(e) <u>Maintenance of Lawn Areas</u>. Any additional services performed by the lawn service company at the request of individual co-owners will be charged separately to the requesting co-owner.

Section 4. <u>Utility Systems</u>. Some or all of the utility lines, systems (including mains and service leads) and equipment, and the telecommunications described above may be owned by the local public authority or by the company that is providing the pertinent service. Accordingly, such utility lines, systems and equipment, and the telecommunications, shall be General Common Elements only to the extent of the co-owner's interest therein, if any, and Developer makes no warranty whatever with respect to the nature or extent of such interest, if any. The extent of the Developer's responsibility will be to see that water, sanitary, telephone, electric and natural gas mains are installed within reasonable proximity to, but not necessarily within, the Units. Each Co-owner will be entirely responsible for arranging for and paying all costs in connection with extension of such utilities by laterals from the mains to any structures and fixtures located within the Units.

Section 5. <u>Use of Units and Common Elements</u>. No co-owner shall use his or her Unit or the Common Elements in any manner inconsistent with the purposes of the Project or in any manner which will interfere with or impair the rights of any other co-owner in the use and enjoyment of his or her Unit or the Common Elements. No Limited Common Element may be modified or its use enlarged or diminished by the Association without the written consent of the co-owner to whose Unit the same is appurtenant.

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#### ARTICLE V

## UNIT DESCRIPTIONS, PERCENTAGES OF VALUE AND CO-OWNER RESPONSIBILITIES

Section 1. <u>Description of Units</u>. Each Unit in the Condominium Project is described in this paragraph with reference to the Condominium Subdivision Plan of Provincial Glades, as prepared by Seiber, Keast & Associates, Inc. and attached to this Master Deed as Exhibit B. Each Unit shall consist of the area located within Unit boundaries as shown on the attached Exhibit B and delineated with heavy outlines together with all appurtenances thereto. The plans and specifications for the Project have been filed with the office of the Register of Deeds in Oakland County, MI. Any dwellings must be constructed within the Units as depicted on Exhibit B. The Units are numbered consecutively from 1 to 70.

Section 2. <u>Percentage of Value</u>. The percentage of value assigned to each Unit in Provincial Glades shall be equal, being 1/70 per unit. The determination that percentages of

value should be equal was made after reviewing the comparative characteristics of each Unit in the Project and concluding that there are not material differences among the Units insofar as the allocation of percentages of value is concerned. The percentage of value assigned to each Unit shall be determinative of each co-owner's respective share of the Common Elements of the Condominium Project, the proportionate share of each respective co-owner in the proceeds and the expenses of administration and the value of such co-owner's vote at meetings of the Association. The total percentage value of the Project is 100%.

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### ARTICLE VI

## CONTRACTION OF CONDOMINIUM

Section 1. <u>Right to Contract</u>. As of the date this Master Deed is recorded, the Developer intends to establish a Condominium Project consisting of Units on the land described in Article II, all as shown on the Condominium Subdivision Plan. Developer reserves the right, however, to establish a Condominium Project consisting of fewer Units than described above and to withdraw from the project all or some portion of the land described in Article II, except that in no event may the project consist of fewer than three (3) Units, being Units 1-3 as they are depicted on Exhibit B.

Therefore, any other provisions of this Master Deed to the contrary notwithstanding, the number of Units in this Condominium Project may, at the option of the Developer, from time to time, within a period ending no later than six years from the date of recording this Master Deed, be contracted to any number determined by the Developer in its sole judgment, but in no event shall the number of Units be less than three. There is no obligation on the part of the Developer to withdraw from the Condominium all or any portion of the contractible area described in this Article VI, nor is there any obligation to withdraw portions thereof in any particular order.

Section 2. <u>Withdrawal of Land</u>. In connection with such contraction, the Developer unconditionally reserves the right to withdraw from the Condominium Project such portion or portions of the land described in this Article VI as are not reasonably necessary to provide access to or otherwise serve the Units included in the Condominium Project as so contracted. Developer reserves the right to use the portion of the land so withdrawn to establish, in its sole discretion, a platted development, a separate condominium project (or projects) or any other form of development. Developer further reserves the right, subsequent to such withdrawal but prior to six years from the date of recording this Master Deed, to re-expand the Project as so reduced to include all or any portion of the land so withdrawn. In all events, no common areas containing storm drainage facilities serving the Condominium, and/or no right of way, shall be withdrawn from the Condominium.

Section 3. <u>Reservation of Rights Under Section 67</u>. The Developer further reserves all contraction rights provided under Section 67 of the Act, as amended by the Public Act 379 of

2000. Any contraction must be done in accordance with all applicable state law and local ordinances, with prior written approval by the City of Novi.

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## ARTICLE VII

### CONVERTIBLE AREAS

Section 1. <u>Designation of Convertible Areas</u>. All Units and Common Elements are Convertible Areas. Convertible Areas may be modified as provided herein.

Section 2. <u>The Developer's Right to Modify Units and Common Elements</u>. The Developer reserves the right, in its sole discretion, during a period ending no later than six years from the date of recording this Master Deed, to modify the size, location, design or elevation of Units and/or General or Limited Common Elements appurtenant or geographically proximate to such Units within the Convertible Areas designated for such purpose on the Condominium Subdivision Plan, so long as such modifications do not unreasonably impair or diminish the appearance of the Project or the view, privacy or other significant attribute or amenity of any Unit which adjoins or is proximate to the modified Unit or Common Element. Any conversion or modification shall require approval of the City and shall occur in accordance with all applicable laws and ordinances.

Section 3. <u>Compatibility of Improvements</u>. All improvements constructed within the Convertible Areas described above shall be reasonably compatible with the structures on other portions of the Condominium Project, and in accordance with applicable laws an ordinances. No improvements, other than as above indicated, may be created on the Convertible Areas.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### **OPERATIVE PROVISIONS**

Any contraction or conversion in the Project pursuant to Articles VI or VII above shall be governed by the provisions as set forth below.

Section 1. <u>Amendment of Master Deed and Modification of Percentages of Value.</u> Such contraction or conversion of this Condominium Project shall be given effect by appropriate amendments to this Master Deed in the manner provided by law, which amendments shall be prepared by and at the discretion of the Developer and in which the percentages of value set forth in Article V hereof shall be proportionately readjusted when applicable in order to preserve a total value of 100% for the entire Project resulting from such amendments to this Master Deed. The precise determination of the readjustments in percentages of value shall be made within the sole judgment of the Developer. Such readjustments, however, shall reflect a continuing reasonable relationship among percentages of value based upon the original method of determining percentages of value for the Project.

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Section 2. <u>Redefinition of Common Elements</u>. Such amendments to the Master Deed shall also contain such further definitions and redefinitions of General or Limited Common Elements as may be necessary to adequately describe, serve and provide access to the additional parcel or parcels being withdrawn from the Project by such amendments. In connection with any such amendments, the Developer shall have the right to change the nature of any Common Element previously included in the Project for any purpose reasonably necessary to achieve the purposes of this Article, including, but not limited to, the connection of roadways and sidewalks in the Project to any roadways and sidewalks that may be located on, or planned for the contractible area, and to provide access to any Unit that is located on, or planned for the common elements may not cause the sedimentation basin to come within the boundaries of a unit, and shall not affect the Conservation Easement Areas within the Condominium. Any redefinition of the City and shall occur in accordance with all applicable laws and ordinances.

Section 3. <u>Right to Modify Units; Plans</u>. The Developer further reserves the right to amend and alter the Units described in the Condominium Subdivision Plan attached hereto as long as any Unit so altered has not been sold at the time the alteration is made. The nature and appearance of all such altered Units shall be determined by the Developer in its sole judgment; but, in no event shall such altered or modified Units deviate substantially from the general development plan approved by the City of Novi. All improvements shall be reasonably compatible with the existing improvements in the Project, as determined by the Developer in its sole discretion.

Section 4. <u>Consolidating Master Deed</u>. A Consolidating Master Deed shall be recorded pursuant to the Act when the Project is finally concluded as determined by the Developer in order to incorporate into one set of instruments all successive stages of development. The Consolidating Master Deed, when recorded, shall supersede the previously recorded Master Deed and all amendments thereto.

Section 5. <u>Consent of Interested Persons.</u> All of the co-owners and mortgagees of Units and other persons interested or to become interested in the Project from time to time shall be deemed to have irrevocably and unanimously consented to such amendments to this Master Deed as may be proposed by the Developer to effectuate the purposes of Articles VI and VII above and to any proportionate reallocation of percentages of value of existing Units which the Developer may determine necessary in conjunction with such amendments. All such interested persons irrevocably appoint the Developer as agent and attorney for the purpose of execution of such amendments to the Master Deed and all other documents necessary to effectuate the foregoing. Such amendments may be effected without the necessity of re-recording the entire Master Deed or the Exhibits hereto and may incorporate by reference all or any pertinent portions of this Master Deed and the Exhibits hereto.

## ARTICLE IX

# SUBDIVISION, CONSOLIDATION AND OTHER MODIFICATIONS OF UNITS

Notwithstanding any other provision of the Master Deed or the Bylaws, Units in the Condominium may be subdivided, consolidated, modified and the boundaries relocated, in accordance with Sections 48 and 49 of the Act, subject, however, to the terms and conditions of the RUD Agreement and the approved final site plan. In accordance with the RUD Agreement, the Condominium is limited to 70 units. In no event shall any unit be subdivided without prior written approval of the City, including but not limited to, the requirement of obtaining an amendment to the RUD Agreement in that regard. Such changes in the RUD Agreement and/or any affected Unit or Units shall be promptly reflected in a duly recorded amendment or amendments to this Master Deed.

Section 1. <u>By Developer</u>. Subject to the approval of the City of Novi under local ordinances and the RUD Agreement, Developer reserves the sole right during the Development and Sales Period and without the consent of any other co-owner or any mortgagee of any Unit to take the following action:

(a) <u>Subdivide Units</u>. Subdivide or re-subdivide any Units which it owns and in connection therewith to install utility conduits and connections and any other improvements reasonably necessary to effect the subdivision, any or all of which may be designated by the Developer as General or Limited Common Elements. Such installation shall not disturb any utility connections serving Units other than temporarily. Such subdivision or re-subdivision of Units shall be given effect by an appropriate amendment or amendments to this Master Deed in the manner provided by law, which amendment or amendments shall be prepared by and at the sole discretion of Developer, its successors or assigns.

(b) <u>Consolidate Contiguous Units</u>. Consolidate under single ownership two or more Units. Such consolidation of Units shall be given effect by an appropriate amendment or amendments to this Master Deed in the manner provided by Law, which amendment or amendments shall be prepared by and at the sole discretion of the Developer, its successors or assigns.

(c) <u>Relocate Boundaries</u>. Relocate any boundaries between adjoining Units, separated only by Unit perimeters or other Common Elements not necessary for the reasonable use of Units other than those subject to the relocation. The relocation of such boundaries shall be given effect by an appropriate amendment or amendments to this

Master Deed in the manner provided by law, which amendment or amendments shall be prepared by and at the sole discretion of the Developer, its successors or assigns.

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Amend to Effectuate Modifications. In any amendment or amendments (d) resulting from the exercise of the rights reserved to Developer above, each portion of the Unit or Units resulting from such subdivision, consolidation or relocation of boundaries shall be separately identified by number. Such amendment or amendments to the Master Deed shall also contain such further definitions of General or Limited Common Elements as may be necessary to adequately describe the Units in the Condominium Project as so modified. All of the co-owners and mortgagees of Units and other persons interested or to become interested in the Project from time to time shall be deemed to have irrevocably and unanimously consented to such amendment or amendments of this Master Deed to effectuate the foregoing and to any proportionate reallocation of percentages of value of Units which Developer or its successors may determine necessary in conjunction with such amendment or amendments. All such interested persons irrevocably appoint Developer or its successors as agent and attorney for the purpose of execution of such amendment or amendments to the Master Deed and all other documents necessary to effectuate the foregoing. Such amendments may be effected without the necessity of rerecording an entire Master Deed or the Exhibits hereto.

Section 2. <u>By Co-owners</u>. Subject to the approval of the City of Novi if required under local ordinances, one or more co-owners may undertake:

(a) <u>Subdivision of Units</u>. Subject to the limitations set forth in this Article, the co-owner of a Unit may subdivide his Unit upon request to and written approval by both the Association and the Developer during the Development and Sales Period and further subject to the RUD Agreement and any amendments thereto. Upon receipt of such request and submission of evidence that the City of Novi has approved of the proposed division, the president of the Association shall present the matter to the Board of Directors for review and, if approved by the Board, cause to be prepared an amendment to the Master Deed, duly subdividing the Unit, separately identifying the resulting Units by number or other designation, designating only the Limited or General Common Elements in connection therewith, and reallocating the percentages of value (if necessary) in accordance with the co-owner's request. The co-owner requesting such subdivision shall bear all costs of such amendment. Such subdivision shall not become effective, however, until the amendment to the Master Deed, duly executed by the Association, has been recorded in the office of the Oakland County Register of Deeds.

(b) <u>Consolidation of Units; Relocation of Boundaries</u>. Co-owners of adjoining Units may relocate boundaries between their Units or eliminate boundaries between two or more Units upon written request to and approval by the Association. Upon receipt of such request and submission of evidence that the proposed consolidation of Units has been approved by the City of Novi, the president of the Association shall

present the matter to the Board of Directors for review and, if approved by the Board, cause to be prepared an amendment to the Master Deed duly relocating the boundaries, identifying the Units involved, reallocating percentages of value if necessary, and providing for conveying between or among the co-owners involved in relocation of boundaries. The co-owners requesting relocation of boundaries shall bear all costs of such amendment. Such relocation or elimination of boundaries shall not become effective, however, until the amendment to the Master Deed has been recorded in the office of the Oakland County Register of Deeds.

Section 3. <u>Limited Common Elements</u>. Limited Common Elements shall be subject to assignment and reassignment in accordance with Section 39 of the Act and in furtherance of the rights to subdivide, consolidate or relocate boundaries described in this Article IX.

#### ARTICLE X

### EASEMENTS

Section 1. Easement for Maintenance of Encroachments and Utilities. In the event of any encroachments due to shifting, settling or moving of an improvement, or due to survey errors, or construction deviations, reciprocal easements shall exist for the maintenance of such encroachment for so long as such encroachment exists, and for maintenance thereof after rebuilding in the event of any destruction. There shall be easements to, through and over those portions of the land, structures, buildings and improvements for the continuing maintenance, repair, replacement, enlargement of or tapping into all utilities in the Condominium. The Developer and the Association also hereby reserve easements within General Common Elements for the purpose of construction and maintenance of entry markers or signs identifying the Condominium by name. The size, design and precise location of such markers or signs shall be at the sole discretion of the Developer and the Association shall be responsible for the maintenance, repair and replacement thereof.

Section 2. Easements and Right to Dedicate Retained by Developer.

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(a) <u>Dedication to the Public</u>. The Developer reserves the right at any time during the Development and Sales Period to dedicate to the public a right-of-way of such width as may be required by the local public authority over any or all of the roadways in PROVINCIAL GLADES which may be shown as General Common Elements in the Condominium Subdivision Plan. Any such right-of-way dedication may be made by the Developer without the consent of any co-owner, mortgagee or other person and shall be evidenced by an appropriate amendment to this Master Deed and to the Condominium Subdivision Plan hereto, recorded in the Oakland County Records. All of the co-owners and mortgagees of Units and other persons interested or to become interested in the Project from time to time shall be deemed to have irrevocably and unanimously consented to such amendment or amendments of this Master Deed to effectuate the foregoing right-of-way dedication.

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Utility Easements. The Developer also hereby reserves for the benefit of (c) itself, its successors and assigns, and all future owners of the land described in Article VI and any adjoining land thereof, perpetual easements to utilize, tap, tie into, extend and enlarge all utility mains located in the Condominium, including, but not limited to, electric, telephone, cable television, water, gas, storm and sanitary sewer mains. In the event Developer, its successors or assigns, utilizes, taps, ties into, extends or enlarges any utilities located in the Condominium, it shall be obligated to pay all of the expenses reasonably necessary to restore the Condominium Premises to their state immediately prior to such utilization, tapping, tying-in, extension or enlargement. All expenses of maintenance, repair and replacement of any utility mains referred to in this Section shall be shared by this Condominium and any developed portions of the land described in Article VI and any adjoining land which may be owned by the Developer which are served by such mains. The co-owners of this Condominium shall be responsible from time to time for payment of a proportionate share of said expenses which share shall be determined by multiplying such expenses times a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of dwelling Units in this Condominium, and the denominator of which is comprised of the numerator plus all other dwelling Units in the land described in Article VI and any adjoining land which may be owned by Developer that are served by such mains.

(d) <u>Granting of Utility Easements</u>. The Developer reserves the right at any time during the Development and Sales Period to grant easements for utilities over, under and across the Condominium to appropriate governmental agencies or public utility companies and to transfer title of utilities to governmental agencies or to utility companies. Any such easement or transfer of title may be conveyed by the Developer without the consent of any co-owner, mortgagee or other person and shall be evidenced by an appropriate amendment to this Master Deed and to the attached Exhibit B, recorded in the Oakland County Records. All of the co-owners and mortgagees of Units and other persons interested or to become interested in the Project from time to time shall be deemed to have irrevocably and unanimously consented to such amendments to this Master Deed as may be required to effectuate the foregoing grant of easement or transfer of title.

Section 3. <u>Grant of Easements by Association</u>. The Association, acting through its lawfully constituted Board of Directors (including any Board of Directors properly organized and acting prior to the Transitional Control Date) shall be empowered and obligated to grant such reasonable easements (including dedication of the sidewalks), licenses, rights-of-entry and rights-of-way over, under and across the Condominium Premises for utility purposes or other lawful purposes, as may be necessary for the benefit of the Condominium subject, however, to the approval of the Developer so long as the Development and Sales Period has not expired. No

easements created under the Condominium Documents may be modified, nor may any of the obligations with respect thereto be varied, without the consent of each person benefited or burdened thereby.

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Section 4. Association Right to Dedicate Public Rights-of-Way and Act Upon Special The Association, upon expiration of the Development and Sales Assessment\_Proceedings. Period, acting through its lawfully constituted Board of Directors shall be empowered to dedicate to the public a right-of-way of such width as may be required by the local public authority over any or all of the roadways or sidewalks in PROVINCIAL GLADES, which may be shown as General Common Elements in the Condominium Subdivision Plan. Any such right-of-way dedication shall be evidenced by an appropriate amendment to the Master Deed and to the attached Exhibit B, recorded in Oakland County Register of Deeds. The Association shall further be empowered, at any time, to execute petitions for and to act on behalf of all co-owners in any statutory proceedings regarding special assessment improvements of the roadways in the Condominium. All of the co-owners and mortgagees of Units and other persons interested or to become interested in the Project from time to time shall be deemed to have irrevocably and unanimously consented to such amendment or amendments of this Master Deed to effectuate the foregoing right-of-way dedication. There is no promise that any such dedication will ever take place, notwithstanding the reservation of this right.

Section 5. Association Easements for Maintenance, Repair and Replacement. The Developer, the Association and all public or private utilities shall have such easements over, under, across and through the Condominium Premises, including all Units and Common Elements, as may be necessary to fulfill any responsibilities of maintenance, repair, decoration, replacement or upkeep which they or any of them are required or permitted to perform under the Condominium Documents or by law or to respond to any emergency or common need of the Condominium including without limitation an casement over all Units for maintenance, repair and replacement of lawn sprinkling systems and related controls, clocks, meters and valves; provided, however, that the easements granted hereunder shall not entitle any person other than the Owner thereof to gain entrance to the interior of any dwelling or garage located within a Unit. While it is intended that each co-owner shall be solely responsible for the performance and costs of all maintenance, repair and replacement of and decoration of the residence and all other appurtenances and improvements constructed or otherwise located within his or her Unit unless otherwise provided herein, it is nevertheless a matter of concern that a co-owner may fail to properly maintain the exterior of his or her Unit or any Limited Common Elements appurtenant thereto in a proper manner and in accordance with the standards set forth in this Master Deed, the Bylaws and any rules and regulations promulgated by the Association. Therefore, in the event a co-owner fails, as required by this Master Deed, the Bylaws or any rules and regulations of the Association, to properly and adequately maintain, decorate, repair, replace or otherwise keep his or her Unit or any improvements or appurtenances located therein or any Limited Common Elements appurtenant thereto, the Association (and/or the Developer during the Development and Sale Period) shall have the right, and all necessary easements in furtherance thereof, (but not the obligation) to take whatever action or actions it deems desirable to so maintain, decorate,

repair or replace the Unit (including the exteriors of any structures located therein), its appurtenances or any of its Limited Common Elements, all at the expense of the co-owner of the Unit. Neither the Developer nor the Association shall be liable to the Owner of any Unit or any other person, in trespass or in any other form of action, for the exercise of rights pursuant to the provisions of this Section or any other provision of the Condominium Documents which grant such easements, rights of entry or other means of access. Failure of the Association (or the Developer) to take any such action shall not be deemed a waiver of the Association's (or the Developer's) right to take any such action at a future time. All costs incurred by the Association or the Developer in performing any responsibilities which are required, in the first instance to be borne by any co-owner, shall be assessed against such co-owner and shall be due and payable with his or her monthly assessment next falling due; further, the lien for non-payment shall attach as in all cases of regular assessments and such assessments may be enforced by the use of all means available to the Association under the Condominium Documents and by law for the collection of regular assessments including, without limitation, legal action, foreclosure of the lien securing payment and imposition of fines.

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Section 6. Telecommunications Agreements. The Association, acting through its duly constituted Board of Directors and subject to the Developer's approval during the Development and Sales Period, shall have the power to grant such easements, licenses and other rights-of-entry, use and access and to enter into any contract or agreement, including wiring agreements, right-of-way agreements, access agreements and multi-unit agreements and, to the extent allowed by law, contracts for sharing of any installation or periodic subscriber service fees as may be necessary, convenient or desirable to provide for telecommunications, videotext, broad band cable, satellite dish, earth antenna and similar services (collectively "Telecommunications") to the Project or any Unit within the Project. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in no event shall the Board of Directors enter into any contract or agreement or grant any easement, license or right of entry or do any other act or thing which will violate any provision of any federal, state or local law or ordinance. Any and all sums paid by any telecommunications or other company or entity in connection with such service, including fees, if any, for the privilege of installing same or sharing periodic subscriber service fees, shall be receipts affecting the administration of the Condominium Project within the meaning of the Act and shall be paid over to and shall be the property of the Association.

Section 7. <u>Emergency Vehicle and Public Services Access Easement</u>. There shall exist for the benefit of the City of Novi, any emergency service agency and the United States Postal Service ("USPS"), an easement over all roads in the Condominium for use by the City of Novi service providers, USPS, garbage collection and/or emergency vehicles. Said easement shall be for purposes of ingress and egress to provide, without limitation, fire and police protection, ambulance and rescue services and other lawful governmental or private emergency services to the Condominium Project and co-owners thereof. This grant of easement shall in no way be construed as a dedication of any streets, roads or driveways to the public. This easement shall automatically expire in the event of a successful dedication to and acceptance of the roads by the City of Novi or other governmental body.

Section 8. <u>Non-Access Greenbelt Area.</u> There shall exist, along and adjacent to the Nine Mile Road ROW, as shown on Exhibit B, a non-access greenbelt area. This area shall be maintained in its vegetative state, as initially established by the Developer. Access over and across this area from Nine Mile Road to any portion of the Condominium by vehicular traffic shall be prohibited.

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Section 9. <u>Conservation Easement</u>. There shall be recorded separate easements for the protection and preservation of woodland and wetland areas, wetland buffer and open space within the Condominium in accordance with the final approved project plans. This Master Deed may be amended to add the specific Liber and Page wherein the conservation easement(s) is/are recorded. In accordance with the terms of the recorded easements, no trees or vegetation shall be altered within or removed from the protected areas. Except for and subject to the activities which have been expressly authorized by permit, there shall be no disturbance of the woodlands and/or wetlands within the easement area, including altering the topography of, placing fill material in, dredging, removing or excavating any soil, minerals, or trees; or from constructing or placing any structures on; draining surface water from; or plowing, tilling, cultivating or otherwise altering or developing, operating, or maintaining any use in the easement area. No grass or other vegetation shall be planted in the easement areas with the exception of plantings approved, in advance, by the City of Novi in accordance with all applicable laws and ordinances.

Section 10. <u>Emergency access drive easement.</u> The Developer hereby grants and conveys an emergency access drive easement over and through the area described and depicted on Exhibit B as the "Emergency Access Drive", such drive providing emergency access from the Condominium to Napier Road. The easement is for the benefit of the Developer, the Co-Owners, the Association, the City and all emergency service providers, including, but not limited to fire, police protection, ambulance and rescue services.

The easement area shall be kept passable at all times, and shall be kept free of debris, snow, ice or any natural condition that would make it impassable. Failure to comply with this requirement shall result in the City having the power and authority, but not the obligation, to enter upon the Property, and perform such maintenance, repairs, and/or preservation as found by the City to be appropriate. The cost and expense of making and financing such maintenance, repairs, and/or preservation, including reasonable attorney's fees, plus a reasonable administrative fee, shall be paid by the Developer or successor owners, and such amounts shall constitute a lien on all taxable portions of the Property, in accordance with the provisions described in Article IV, Section 3 (c) of this Master Deed.

At such time as a connection is made to the property and development to the north has been provided, this emergency access easement shall be terminated, and an amendment to this Master Deed may be recorded, with a copy provided to the City.

If the Developer installs a gated entrance, the Developer and Association should provide to the City Fire Department all keys and/or codes necessary to gain entrance to the Condominium Premises. The Developer (during the construction and sales periods), the Association and Owners of each individual unit hereby indemnify and hold harmless the City, the Fire and Police Departments and all other governmental agencies providing emergency services, together with all of their officers, officials, employees, representatives and agents, from any claim, cause of action, damage, loss, injury or death which results from or are in any way due to the inability of the emergency vehicles or personnel to gain entry or access to the Condominium premises due to impassable conditions or inability to gain entry due to the gate.

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Pursuant to Section VIII of the RUD Agreement, when the property to the north of the Condominium is developed, the stub, or connection road at the northern boundary of the property, shall be connected to the northern property and opened for traffic circulation in the City's discretion, but without unreasonable delay, as part of site plan approval with respect to that adjacent property.

## ARTICLE XI

#### AMENDMENT

This Master Deed and the Condominium Subdivision Plan may be amended with the consent of 66-2/3% of the co-owners, except as hereinafter set forth:

Section 1. <u>Modification of Units or Common</u> Elements. No Unit dimension may be modified in any material way without the consent of the co-owner of such Unit nor may the nature or extent of Limited Common Elements or the responsibility for maintenance, repair or replacement thereof be modified in any material way without the written consent of the co-owner of any Unit to which the same are appurtenant.

Section 2. <u>Mortgagee, Mortgagee Insurer and Mortgage Guarantor Consent</u>. Whenever a proposed amendment would materially alter or change the rights of mortgagees generally, mortgagee insurers or mortgage guarantors, then such amendments shall require the approval of 66-2/3% of all first mortgagees, insurers of the first mortgagee and guarantors of the first mortgages of record allocating only one vote for each mortgage held. No more than one vote may be cast per first mortgage, regardless of the number of mortgagees, insurers and guarantors having such an interest in the first mortgage.

Section 3. <u>By Developer</u>. Prior to one year after expiration of the Development and Sales Period, the Developer may, without the consent of any co-owner or any other person, amend this Master Deed and the Condominium Subdivision Plan attached as Exhibit B in order to correct survey or other errors made in such documents and to make such other amendments to such instruments and to the Bylaws attached hereto as Exhibit A as do not materially affect any rights of any co-owners or mortgagees in the Project.

Section 4. <u>Change in Percentage of Value</u>. The value of the vote of any co-owner and the corresponding proportion of common expenses assessed against such co-owner shall not be modified without the written consent of such co-owner and his or her mortgagee, nor shall the

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## **DEVELOPER:**

Provincial Glades LLC, a Michigan Limited Liability Company

By: Michael Fellows Its:

STATE OF MICHIGAN ) )SS COUNTY OF OAKLAND )

On this  $22^{nd}$  day of <u>February</u>2006, the foregoing Master Deed was acknowledged before me by <u>Wichael Fellows</u>, a Manager of Provincial Glades LLC, on behalf of the LLC.

Notary Public

Oakland County, Michigan My commission expires: <u>10/17/2007</u>

> TELYA MALAG NOTARY PUBLIC VIAVRE CO., MI MY COMMISSION EXEMPES ON 17, 2007 ACTING IN OAKLAND COUNTY, MI

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