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AMENDED AND RESTATED DECLARATION OF CONDOMINIUM

OF

THE BRIDGEWATER, A CONDOMINIUM

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That heretofore, the original Declaration of Condominium of The Bridgewater, a Condominium, (hereinafter the "Condominium") was recorded in Official Record Book 2340, at Page 0511, et. seq., of the Public Records of Collier County, Florida. That Declaration of Condominium, as it has previously been amended, is hereby further amended and is restated in its entirety.

- 1. THE LAND; DESCRIPTION OF CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY: The certain real property located in Collier County, Florida, submitted to the condominium form of ownership by the original Declaration as amended (hereinafter the "Land") legally described in the original Declaration and attached to this Amended and Restated Declaration, as Exhibit "A", including a perpetual waterway easement over and across certain submerged land also described in Exhibit "A" and identified as "Perpetual Waterway Easement" (collectively, the "Land"). The Perpetual Waterway Easement is subject to any and all rights of the United States Government and/or the State of Florida arising by virtue of the fact that the land is submerged under navigable, tidal waters. Those legal descriptions are hereby incorporated by reference as though set forth at length herein.
- 2. <u>SUBMISSION TO CONDOMINIUM OWNERSHIP</u>: This Amended and Restated Declaration of Condominium is made by Bridgewater at Bonita Beach Condominium Association, Inc., a Florida Corporation not for profit, hereinafter the "Association". The land subject to this Declaration and the improvements located thereon have already been submitted to condominium ownership and use pursuant to the Florida Condominium Act. No additional property is being submitted to condominium ownership by this Declaration. The covenants and restrictions contained in this Declaration shall run with the land and be binding upon and inure to the benefit of all present and future owners of condominium parcels. The acquisition of title to a unit or any other interest in the condominium property, or the lease, occupancy, or use of any portion of a unit or the condominium property, constitutes an acceptance and ratification of all provisions of this Declaration as amended from time to time, and an agreement to be bound by its terms.
- 3. NAME AND ADDRESS: The name of this Condominium is The Bridgewater, a Condominium, and it street address is 4975 Bonita Beach Road, Bonita Springs, Florida 34134.
- 4. <u>DEFINITIONS</u>: The terms used in this Declaration and its exhibits shall have the meanings stated below and in Chapter 718, Florida Statutes, (The "Condominium Act"), unless the context otherwise requires.
 - 4.1 "Apartment" has the same meaning as the term "unit" as defined in the Condominium Act.
- 4.2 "Apartment Owner" or "Owner" has the same meaning as the term "unit owner" as defined in the Condominium Act, except that for the purpose of interpreting use and occupancy restrictions related to units, in cases where a primary occupant has been designated for a unit because of its ownership, the word "owner" refers to the primary occupant and not the record owner.

- 4.3 "Assessments" means a share of the funds required for the payment of common expenses which from time to time is assessed against the units.
- 4.4 "Association" means Bridgewater at Bonita Beach Condominium Association, Inc., a Florida Corporation not for profit, the entity responsible for the operation of this Condominium.
- 4.5 "Association Property" means all property, real or personal, owned or leased by the Association for the use and benefit of the unit owners.
- 4.6 "Board of Directors" or "Board" means the representative body which is responsible for the administration of the Association's affairs, and is the same body that is sometimes referred to in the Condominium Act as the "Board of Administration".
- 4.7 "Common Elements" means all of the property submitted to condominium ownership that is not within the unit boundaries.
- 4.8 "Condominium Documents" means and includes this Declaration and all recorded exhibits hereto, as amended from time to time.
- 4.9 "Fixtures" means those items of tangible personal property which by being physically annexed or constructively affixed to the unit have become accessory to it and part and parcel of it, including but not limited to, interior partitions, walls, appliances which have been built in or permanently affixed, and plumbing fixtures in kitchens and bathrooms. Fixtures do not include floor, wall or ceiling coverings.
- 4.10 "Guest" means any person who is not the unit owner or a lessee or a member of the owner's or lessee's family, who is physically present in, or occupies the unit on a temporary basis at the invitation of the owner or other legally permitted occupant, without the payment of consideration. "Temporary" means not longer than sixty (60) days in any calendar year. All guests are required to register themselves and their vehicles with the Association's management company prior to occupying a unit.
- 4.11 "Institutional Mortgagee" means the mortgagee (or its assignee) of a mortgage against a condominium parcel, which mortgagee is a bank, savings and loan association, mortgage company, insurance company, real estate or mortgage investment trust, pension or profit sharing trust, the Federal Housing Administration, the Veterans Administration, or any agency of the United States of America. The term also refers to any holder of a mortgage against a condominium parcel which mortgage is guaranteed or insured by the Federal Housing Administration, the Veterans Administration, any agency of the United States of America, or by any other public or private corporation engaged in the business of guaranteeing or insuring residential mortgage loans, and their successors and assigns.
- 4.12 "Lease" means the grant by a unit owner of a temporary right of use of the owner's unit for valuable consideration. (See Section 13 Below).
- 4.13 "<u>Limited Common Elements</u>" means and includes those common elements which are reserved for the use of a certain unit or units to the exclusion of other units.
- 4.14 "Occupy" when used in connection with a unit, means the act of staying overnight in a unit. "Occupant" is a person who occupies a unit.
 - 4.15 "Primary Institutional Mortgagee" means that institutional mortgagee which, at the time a

determination is made, holds first mortgages on more units in the Condominium than any other institutional mortgagee, such determination to be made by reference to the number of units encumbered, and not by the dollar amount of such mortgages.

- 4.16 "Rules and Regulations" means those rules and regulations promulgated by the Board of Directors, governing the use, occupancy, alteration, maintenance, transfer and appearance of units, common elements and limited common elements, subject to any limits set forth in the Declaration of Condominium.
 - 4.17 "Family" or "Single Family" shall refer to any one of the following:
 - (A) One natural person, his spouse, if any, and their natural or adopted children if any.
 - (B) Not more than two natural persons not meeting the requirements of (A) above, but who normally reside together as a single housekeeping unit, one of whom must be the unit owner or primary occupant.

The reference to "natural" herein is intended to distinguish between an individual and a corporation or other artificial entity.

- 4.18 "Primary Occupant" means a natural person approved for occupancy of a unit when title to the unit is held in the name of two or more persons who are not husband and wife, or by a trustee or a corporation or other entity which is not a natural person.
- 4.19 "Voting Interest" means and refers to the arrangement established in the condominium documents by which the owners of each unit collectively are entitled to one vote in Association matters. There are forty-seven (47) units, so the total number of voting interests is forty-seven (47) votes.

5. <u>DESCRIPTION OF IMPROVEMENTS: SURVEY AND PLANS</u>

- 5.1 Survey and Plot Plans. Attached to the original Declaration as Exhibit "B", and attached hereto as Exhibit "B", are a survey of the Land and plot plans, which graphically describe the improvements in which units are located, and which show all the units including their identification numbers, locations and approximate dimensions and the common elements and limited common elements.
- 5.2 <u>Unit Boundaries</u>. Each unit shall include that part of the building that lies within the following boundaries:
 - (A) <u>Upper and Lower Boundaries</u>. The upper and lower boundaries of the unit shall be the following boundaries extended to their intersections with the perimeter boundaries:
 - (1) <u>Upper Boundaries.</u> The horizontal plane of the unfinished lower surface of the ceiling of the unit.
 - (2) <u>Lower Boundaries.</u> The horizontal plane of the unfinished upper surface of the concrete floor of the unit.
 - (B) Perimeter Boundaries. The perimeter boundaries of the unit shall be the vertical

planes of the unfinished interior surfaces of the plasterboard or drywall bounding the unit as shown in Exhibit "B" hereto, extended to their intersections with each other and with the upper and lower boundaries.

- (C) <u>Interior Walls</u>. No part of the non-structural interior partition wall within an apartment shall be considered part of the boundary of a unit.
- (D) Apertures. Where there are openings in any boundary, including, without limitation, windows, doors and skylights, the boundaries of the unit shall extend to the interior unfinished surfaces of the coverings of such openings, and their frameworks thereof. Therefore, windows, doors, screens and all framing, casings and hardware, are excluded from the unit. (See Section 11.2 Below)
- (E) <u>Utilities</u>. The unit shall not be deemed to include any pipes, wiring, ducts or other utility installations that are physically within the above-described boundaries, but which serve other units or the common elements. Such utility installations shall be common elements.
- (F) Entry. Any enclosed entry area, walkway or stairway exclusively serving a unit shall be included in the unit.

In cases not specifically covered in this Section 5.2 or in any case of conflict or ambiguity, the graphic depictions of the unit boundaries set forth in Exhibit "B", hereto shall control in determining the boundaries of a unit, except Section 5.2 (D) above shall control over Exhibit "B".

6. CONDOMINIUM PARCELS: APPURTENANCES AND USE;

- 6.1 Shares of Ownership. The Condominium contains forty-seven (47) units. The owner of each unit shall also own a 1/47th undivided share in the common elements and the common surplus.
- 6.2 <u>Appurtenances to Each Unit</u>. The owner of each unit shall have certain rights and own a certain interest in the condominium property, including without limitation the following:
 - (A) An undivided ownership share in the Land and other common elements and the common surplus, as specifically set forth in Section 6.1 above.
 - (B) Membership and voting rights in the Association, shall be acquired and exercised as provided in the Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association, attached hereto as Exhibits "C" and "D", respectively.
 - (C) The exclusive right to use the limited common elements reserved for the unit, and the non-exclusive right to use the common elements.
 - (D) An exclusive easement for the use of the airspace occupied by the unit as it exists at any particular time and as the unit may lawfully be altered or reconstructed from time to time. An easement in airspace which is vacated shall be terminated automatically.
 - (E) Other appurtenances as may be provided in this Declaration and its exhibits.

Each unit and its appurtenances constitutes a "condominium parcel".

Use and Possession. A unit owner is entitled to exclusive use and possession of his unit. He is entitled to use the common elements in accordance with the purposes for which they are intended, but no use of the unit or the common elements may unreasonably interfere with the rights of other unit owners or other persons having rights to use the condominium property. No unit may be subdivided, and no fractional portion may be sold, leased or otherwise transferred. The use, occupancy, alteration, transfer and appearance of the units, common elements and limited common elements shall be governed by the condominium documents and by the rules and regulations adopted by the Board of Directors.

COMMON ELEMENTS: EASEMENTS: 7.

- Definition. The term "common elements" means all of the property submitted to condominium ownership that is not within the unit boundaries set forth in Section 5 above. The common elements include without limitation the following:
 - (A) The Land.
 - All portions of the building and other improvements outside the units, including all limited **(B)** common elements.
 - The Boat Docks constructed on the perpetual waterway easement over and across certain (C) submerged lands described in Exhibit "A" hereto, excluding, however the individual numbered boat slips as designated on Exhibit "B", which are limited common elements. The limited common element boat slips include the pilings, mooring post, powerpost, ladder and cleats as well as any lift serving the slip.
 - Easements through each unit for conduits, ducts, plumbing, wiring and other facilities for (D) furnishing utility services to other units or the common elements.
 - An easement of support in every portion of the Condominium which contributes to the **(E)** support of a building.
 - The fixtures and installations required for access and utility services to more than one unit **(F)** or to the common elements.
- Easements. Each of the following easements and easement rights is reserved through the 7.2 condominium property and is a covenant running with the land of the Condominium, and notwithstanding any of the other provisions of this Declaration, may not be revoked and shall survive the exclusion of any land from the Condominium. None of these easements may be encumbered by any leasehold or lien other than those on the condominium parcels. Any lien encumbering these easements shall automatically be subordinate to the rights of unit owners with respect to such easements.
 - Utility and other Easements. The Association has the power, without the joinder of any (A) unit owner, to grant, modify or move easements such as electric, gas, cable television, or other utility or service easements, or relocate any existing easements, in any portion of the common elements or association property, and to grant easements or relocate any existing easements in any portion of the common elements or association property, as the Association shall deem necessary or desirable for the proper operation and maintenance of

the Condominium. Such easements, or the relocation of existing easements, may not prevent or unreasonably interfere with the use of the units. The Association may also transfer title to utility-related equipment, facilities or material, and to take any other action to satisfy the requirements of any utility company or governmental agency to which any such utility-related equipment, facilities or material are to be so transferred.

- (B) Encroachments. If any unit encroaches upon any of the common elements or upon any other unit for any reason other than the intentional act of the unit owner, or if any common element encroaches upon any unit, then an easement shall exist to the extent of that encroachment as long as the encroachment exists.
- (C) <u>Ingress and Egress</u>. A non-exclusive easement shall exist in favor of each unit owner and occupant, their respective guests, tenants, licensees and invitees for pedestrian traffic over, through, and across sidewalks, streets, paths, walks, and other portions of the common elements as from time to time may be intended and designated for such purpose and use, and for vehicular and pedestrian traffic over, through, and across such portions of the common elements as from time to time may be paved or intended for such purposes, and for purposes of ingress and egress to the public ways.
- 7.3 Restraint Upon Separation and Partition. The undivided share of ownership in the common elements and common surplus appurtenant to a unit cannot be conveyed or separately described. As long as the Condominium exists, the common elements cannot be partitioned. The shares in the funds and assets of the Association cannot be assigned, pledged or transferred except as an appurtenance to the units.

8. <u>LIMITED COMMON ELEMENTS</u>:

- 8.1 Description of Limited Common Elements. Certain common elements have been reserved for the use of a particular unit or units, to the exclusion of the other units. The limited common elements and the units to which their exclusive use is appurtenant, are as described in this Declaration and its recorded exhibits. These limited common elements may include garages, covered parking spaces, boat slips, storage units, and/or none of the above depending on the particular unit. Initial assignment of the limited common elements was made by the Developer by a written instrument for valuable consideration. The following common elements are hereby designated as limited common elements:
 - (A) Garages, Covered Parking and Driveway Parking Areas. Each unit may have as an appurtenance the exclusive use of a covered parking space, garage(s) and/or other parking areas as shown on Exhibit "B". Garages and covered parking areas are intended for the primary use of parking and storage of motor vehicles. No garage or covered parking area may be converted to another primary use except with prior written approval of the Board of Directors. Owners or residents shall not store personal property in their garage or covered parking area and then park motor vehicles in the unassigned parking areas of the Condominium.
 - (B) Boat Slips. Individual boat slips, identified as slips D1, D2, D3, D4, D5, D6, D7, D8, D9, D10, D11, D12, D14, D15, D16, D17, D18, D19, D20, D21, D22, D23, D24, and D25, as shown on Exhibit "B" are limited common elements which are appurtenant to the unit to which they are assigned and are for the exclusive use of the owners of that unit. The boat slip includes the pilings, mooring post, power post, ladder and cleats as well as any lift serving the slip. Boats that primarily dock in a slip shall be registered to a condominium unit owner. A certificate of insurance for the boat shall be filed with the Secretary of the

Association annually by the boat owner. Boat owners not occupying a unit shall provide the Association with the name, and telephone number of a local person to contact on behalf of the owner to care or service the boat if required. Boat slips shall not be rented or leased. Boat slips shall not be used by anyone other than a unit owner or his guest. Use of boat slip by a guest of the unit owner shall be in accordance with all of the other rules and regulations pertaining to guest use of a unit, including but not limited to length of stay and frequency of visits. All boat lifts shall be installed and operated according to the Boat Lift Specification and Regulations attached hereto as Exhibit "E".

- (C) <u>Air Conditioning and Heating Equipment</u>. All equipment, fixtures and installations located outside of a unit, which furnish air conditioning or heating exclusively to that unit, shall be limited common elements, and shall be maintained, repaired and replaced by, and solely at the expense of, the owner of the unit, except as otherwise provided in Section 11.4 below.
- (D) Entry. Any enclosed entry area, walkway, or stairway exclusively serving a unit as shown in Exhibit "B" shall be a limited common element.
- (E) Storage Areas. Each unit may have as an appurtenance the exclusive use of covered storage space(s) as shown on Exhibit "B"
- (F) Others. Any part of the common elements that is connected to or exclusively serves a single unit, and is specifically required in Section 11 of this Declaration to be maintained, repaired or replaced by or at the expense of the unit owner, shall be deemed a limited common element appurtenant to that unit, whether specifically described above or not. This paragraph includes windows, screens and doors, including all hardware therefor.
- 8.2 Exclusive Use: Transfer of Use Rights. The exclusive use of a limited common element is an appurtenance to the unit or units to which it is designated or assigned. If the exclusive use of any assignable limited common element was not, for any reasons, assigned to the use of a specific unit or units by the Developer, the Association may do so, or may designate another use. The right of exclusive use of each limited common element passes with the unit to which it is assigned, whether or not separately described, and cannot be separated from it; except that the use rights to a particular boat slip, covered parking space, parking area, garage, or storage area may be exchanged between units by written agreement between the unit owners desiring such exchange, with the prior approval of the Association.
- 9. <u>ASSOCIATION</u>: The operation of the Condominium is by Bridgewater at Bonita Beach Condominium Association, Inc., a Florida corporation not for profit, which shall perform its function pursuant to the following:
- 9.1 <u>Articles of Incorporation</u>. A copy of the Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of the Association is attached as Exhibit "C".
 - 9.2 Bylaws. A copy of the Amended and Restated Bylaws is attached as Exhibit "D".
- 9.3 <u>Delegation of Management</u>. The Association may contract for the management and maintenance of the condominium property or employ a licensed manager or management company to assist the Association in carrying out its powers and duties by performing such functions as the submission of proposals, collection of assessments, keeping of records, enforcement of rules, and maintenance, repair and replacement of the common elements with funds made available by the Association for such purposes. The Association and its officers however, shall retain at all times the powers and duties provided in the

Condominium Act.

- 9.4 <u>Membership</u>. The membership of the Association shall be the record owners of legal title to the units, as further provided in the Bylaws.
- 9.5 Acts of the Association. Unless the approval or affirmative vote of the unit owners is specifically made necessary by some provision of the Condominium Act or these condominium documents, all approvals or actions permitted or required to be given or taken by the Association may be given or taken by its Board of Directors, without a vote of the unit owners. The officers and Directors of the Association have a fiduciary relationship to the unit owners. A unit owner does not have the authority to act for the Association by reason of being a unit owner.
- 9.6 Powers and Duties. The powers and duties of the Association include those set forth in the Condominium Act and the condominium documents. The Association may contract, sue, or be sued with respect to the exercise or nonexercise of its powers and duties. For these purposes, the powers of the Association include, but are not limited to, the maintenance, management, and operation of the condominium property and association property. The Association may impose fees for the use of common elements or association property. The Association has the power to enter into agreements to acquire leaseholds, memberships and other ownership, possessory or use interests in lands or facilities, whether or not the lands or facilities are contiguous to the lands of the Condominium, for the use and enjoyment of the unit owners. The acquisition of additional real property by the Association shall not be deemed a material change in the appurtenances to the units.
- 9.7 Official Records. The Association shall maintain its Official Records as required by law. The records shall be open to inspection by members or their authorized representatives at all reasonable times. The right to inspect the records includes a right to make or obtain photocopies at the reasonable expense of the member seeking copies.
- 9.8 <u>Purchase of Units</u>. The Association has the power to purchase one or more units in the Condominium, and to own, lease, mortgage, or convey them, such power to be exercised by the Board of Directors.

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- 9.9 Acquisition of Property. The Association has the power to acquire property, both real and personal. The power to acquire personal property shall be exercised by the Board of Directors. Except as otherwise provided in Section 9.8 above, the power to acquire ownership interests in real property shall be exercised by the Board of Directors, but only after approval by at least a majority of the total voting interests.
- 9.10 <u>Disposition of Property</u>. Any property owned by the Association, whether real, personal or mixed, may be mortgaged, leased or otherwise encumbered by the affirmative vote of a majority of the entire Board of Directors, but only after approval by at least a majority of the total voting interests. Any real property owned by the Association may be conveyed by the Board of Directors, but only after approval by at least a majority of the total voting interests. The Board of Directors shall have the authority to convey personal property without the need for authorization by the unit owners.
- 9.11 <u>Roster</u>. The Association shall maintain a current roster of names and mailing addresses of unit owners, based upon information supplied by the unit owners. A copy of the roster shall be made available to any member upon request.
 - 9.12 Member Approval of Certain Litigation. Notwithstanding any other provisions of the

governing Documents, the Board of Directors shall be required to obtain the prior approval of at least a majority of the voting interests of the Association prior to filing any lawsuit, other than for the following purposes:

- (A) the collection of assessments;
- (B) the collection of other charges which members are obligated to pay;
- (C) the enforcement of the Condominium Documents and Rules of the Association;
- (D) in an emergency, when waiting to obtain the approval of the members creates a substantial risk of irreparable injury to the Association or its members; or
- (E) filing a compulsory counterclaim.
- 9.13 <u>Limitation on Liability</u>. Notwithstanding its duty to maintain and repair condominium or association property, the Association shall not be liable to unit owners for injury or damage, other than the cost of maintenance and repair, caused by any latent condition of the property to be maintained and repaired by the Association, or caused by the elements or unit owners or other persons.
- against each unit and unit owner in order to provide the necessary funds for proper operation and management of the Condominium and for the operation of the Association. This power includes both "regular" assessments for each unit's share of the common expenses as set forth in the annual budget, "special" assessments for unusual, nonrecurring or unbudgeted common expenses and "limited common assessments" for limited common expenses. The Association may also levy special charges against any individual unit for any amounts, other than for common expenses, which are properly chargeable against such unit under this Declaration or the Bylaws. Assessments shall be levied and payment enforced as provided in the Bylaws, and as follows:
- 10.1 Common Expenses; Limited Common Expenses. Common expenses include the expenses of operation, maintenance, repair, replacement or insurance of the common elements and association property, the expenses of operating the Association, and any other expenses properly incurred by the Association for the Condominium, including amounts budgeted for the purpose of funding reserve accounts. The cost of water and sewer service to the units shall be a common expense. If the Association contracts for pest control within units or cable or master antennae television programming services in bulk for the entire Condominium, the cost of such services shall be a common expense, unless otherwise provided by the Florida Condominium Act. The cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of the boat slips shall be a limited common expense of the boat slip owners.
- 10.2 <u>Share of Common Expenses and Limited Common Expenses</u>. The owner of each unit shall be liable for a share of the common expenses equal to his share of ownership of the common elements and the common surplus, as set forth in Section 6.1 above. Each boat slip owner shall be responsible for payment of 1/24th of the cost of maintaining, repairing or replacing the boat slips and for any limited common reserves associated therewith.
- 10.3 Ownership. Assessments and other funds collected by or on behalf of the Association become the property of the Association; no unit owner has the right to claim, assign or transfer any interest therein except as an appurtenance to his unit. No owner can withdraw or receive distribution of his share of the common surplus, except as otherwise provided herein or by law.

- 10.4 Who is Liable for Assessments. The owner of each unit, regardless of how title was acquired, is liable for all assessments or installments thereon coming due while he is the owner. Multiple owners are jointly and severally liable. Except as provided in Section 20.3 below, whenever title to a condominium parcel is transferred for any reason, the new owner is jointly and severally liable with the previous owner for all assessments which came due prior to the transfer and remain unpaid without prejudice to any right the new owner may have to recover from the previous owner any amounts paid by the new owner.
- 10.5 No Waiver or Excuse from Payment. The liability for assessments may not be avoided or abated by waiver of the use or enjoyment of any common elements, by abandonment of the unit on which the assessments are made, or by interruption in the availability of the unit of the common elements for any reason whatsoever. No unit owner may be excused from payment of his share of the common expenses unless all unit owners are likewise proportionately excused from payment, except as otherwise provided in Section 20.3 below as to certain mortgagees. Nothing herein shall be construed to prevent the Association from compromising or settling a claim for past due assessments for less than full payment, if the Board determines that such action is in the best interests of the Association.
- 10.6 Application of Payments; Failure to Pay; Interest. Assessments and installments thereon paid on or before ten (10) days after the date due shall not bear interest, but all sums not so paid shall bear interest at the highest rate allowed by law, calculated from the date due until paid. Assessments shall be deemed paid when received by the Association. The Association may also impose a late payment fee (in addition to interest) to the extent permitted by law. Assessments and installments thereon shall become due, and the unit owner shall become liable for said assessments or installments, on the date established in the Bylaws or otherwise set by the Board of Directors for payment. All payments on account shall be applied first to interest, then to late payment fees, court costs and attorney's fees, and finally to delinquent assessments. No payment by check is deemed received until the check has cleared.
- Acceleration. If any special assessment or installation of a regular assessment as to a unit becomes past due, and a Claim of Lien is recorded, the Association shall have the right to accelerate the due date of the entire unpaid balance of the unit's assessments for that fiscal year. The due date for all accelerated amounts shall be the date the Claim of Lien was recorded in the public records. The Association's Claim of Lien shall secure payment of the entire accelerated obligation, together with interest on the entire balance, attorney's fees and costs as provided by law, and said Claim of Lien shall not be satisfied or released until all sums secured by it have been paid. The right to accelerate shall be exercised by sending to the delinquent owner a notice of the exercise, which notice shall be sent by certified or registered mail to the owner's last known address, and shall be deemed given upon mailing of the notice, postpaid. The notice may be given as part of the notice of intent to foreclose, as required by Section 718.116 of the Condominium Act, or may be sent separately.
- Liens. The Association has a lien on each condominium parcel securing payment of past due assessments, including interest and attorney's fees and costs incurred by the Association incident to the collection of the assessment or enforcement of the lien, whether before, during or after a lien foreclosure suit. Except as otherwise provided by Section 718.116 F.S., the lien is effective from and shall relate back to the recording of the original Declaration of Condominium. However, as to first mortgages of record, the lien is effective from and after recording of a Claim of Lien in the Public Records of Collier County, Florida. The Claim of Lien must state the description of the condominium parcel, the name of the record owner, the amount due, the name and address of the Association, and the due dates. The lien is in effect until barred by law. The Claim of Lien secures all unpaid assessments and which may accrue subsequent to the recording of the Claim of Lien and prior to the entry of a Certificate of Title, as well as interest and all reasonable costs and attorney's fees incurred by the Association incident to the collection process. Upon full payment,

the person making the payment is entitled to a satisfaction of the lien.

- Priority of Lien. The Association's lien for unpaid assessments shall be subordinate and inferior to the lien of a recorded first mortgage, but only to the least extent required by the Condominium Act, as amended from time to time. The Association's lien shall be superior to, and take priority over, any other mortgage or lien regardless of when the mortgage or lien was recorded, except as otherwise expressly provided by law. Any lease of a unit shall be subordinate and inferior to the Association's lien, regardless of when the lease was executed.
- 10.10 Foreclosure of Lien. The Association may bring an action in its name to foreclose its lien for unpaid assessments in the manner provided in the Condominium Act, and may also bring an action to recover a money judgment for the unpaid assessments without waiving any lien rights.
- 10.11 Certificate as to Assessments. Within 15 days after request by a unit owner or mortgagee, the Association shall provide a certificate (sometimes referred to as an "estoppel letter") stating whether all assessments and other monies owed to the Association by the unit owner with respect to the condominium have been paid. Any person other than the owner who relies upon such certificate shall be protected thereby. TER COUNT
 - 10.12 (Section Intentionally Left Blank)
- 11. LIMITATIONS UPON ALTERATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS: MAINTENANCE: Responsibility for the protection, maintenance, repair and replacement of the condominium property, and restrictions on its alteration and improvement shall be as follows:
- Association Maintenance. The Association is responsible for the protection, maintenance, repair and replacement of all common elements and association property (other than certain limited common elements that are required elsewhere herein to be maintained by the unit owner). Unless stated otherwise the cost is a common expense. The Association's responsibilities include without limitation:
 - (A) Electrical wiring up to the circuit breaker panel in each unit.
 - Water pipes, up to the individual unit cut-off valve inside the unit. **(B)**
 - (C) Cable television lines up to the wall outlets in the units.
 - (D) Air conditioning condensation drain lines serving more than one unit, up to the point where the individual drain line cuts off.
 - Sewer lines, up to the point where the sewer lines enter the individual units. (E)
 - All installations, fixtures and equipment located within one unit but serving another unit, or **(F)** located outside the unit, for the furnishing of utilities to more than one unit or the common elements.
 - The exterior surface of the main entrance doors to the units. (G)
 - All exterior building walls, including painting, waterproofing, and caulking. (H)
 - **(I)** The maintenance of the roof, exterior surfaces and all structural components of any

garages, as well as the exterior surfaces of any garage doors.

- (J) The maintenance of the stairwells, up to the main entrance door to the units.
- (K) The maintenance of the appearance and capital improvements to the Marina.
- (L) Fire alarm systems and sprinkler systems.
- (M) The Boat Dock and Boat Slips but not Boat Lifts. The Boat Dock, which includes the wooden "finger" piers, shall be maintained, repaired and replaced by the Association and the cost shall be a common expense; but the expenses of the electricity, maintenance, repair and replacement of the boat slips, excluding the boat lifts, that are numbered and identified as limited common elements (see Section 8.1, para. B above) shall be assessed as limited common expenses payable only by the limited common element slip owners. Any person owning a boat lift is individually responsible for the maintenance, repair or replacement of his or her boat lift and the cost thereof.

The Association's responsibility does not include interior wall switches or receptacles, plumbing fixtures, or other electrical, plumbing or mechanical installations located within a unit and servicing only that unit. All incidental damage caused to a unit or limited common elements by work performed or ordered to be performed by the Association shall be promptly repaired by and at the expense of the Association, which shall restore the property as nearly as practical to its condition before the damage, and the cost shall be a common expense, except the Association shall not be responsible for the damage to any modification, installation, alteration or addition made by unit owners.

- 11.2 <u>Unit Owner Maintenance</u>. Each unit owner is responsible, at his own expense, for all personal property. The owner's responsibilities include, without limitation:
 - (A) Maintenance, repair and replacement of screens, windows and window glass.
 - (B) The main entrance door to the unit and its interior surface (with the exception of the exterior surface).
 - (C) All other doors within or affording access to the unit.
 - (D) The electrical, mechanical and plumbing fixtures, switches, valves, drains and outlets (including connections) located partially or entirely within the unit or serving only the unit.
 - (E) The circuit breaker panel and all electrical wiring going into the unit from the panel.
 - (F) Appliances, water heaters, smoke alarms and vent fans.
 - (G) All air conditioning, and heating equipment, thermostats, ducts and installations serving the unit exclusively.
 - (H) Carpeting and other floor coverings.
 - (I) Door and window hardware, locks and weather-stripping.

- (J) Shower pans.
- (K) The main water supply shut-off valve for the unit.
- (L) All interior, partition walls which do not form part of the boundary of the unit.
- (N) The interior of any garage assigned to the unit, any garage door (except the exterior surface) and windows, and any garage door opener.
- (O) Lanai, patio or terrace areas.
- (P) All cabinetry installed within the unit.
- (Q) Boat Lifts.
- 11.3 Other Unit Owners Responsibilities. The unit owner shall have the following responsibilities:
 - (A) Patios, Terraces, Lanais and Entries. No patio, terrace or lanai shall be carpeted, covered or enclosed in any way without prior written approval of the Board of Directors. The unit owner shall be responsible for the day-to-day cleaning and care and painting of the interior surfaces of the walls, floor and ceiling bounding said area. The owner shall also be responsible for any fixed glass, screening and sliding glass doors in said area, if any; and the wiring, electrical outlet(s) and fixture(s) thereon, if any, and the replacement of light bulbs. The Association is responsible for the maintenance, repair and replacement of all exterior walls of the building and the concrete slabs.
 - (B) Garages. The maintenance of the interior of any garage, any garage door (except the exterior surface) and any garage door opener, is the responsibility of the owner of the unit to which any garage is assigned. The maintenance of the exterior surfaces and all structural components of any garage, as well as the exterior surfaces of any garage doors shall be by the Association, and shall be a common expense.
 - (C) <u>Interior Decorating</u>. Each unit owner is responsible for all decorating within his own unit, including painting, wallpapering, paneling, floor covering, draperies, window shades, curtains, lamps and other light fixtures, and other furnishings and interior decorating.
 - (D) Flooring. All units above the ground floor shall always have the floors covered with wall-to-wall carpeting installed over high quality padding, except carpeting is not required in kitchens, bathrooms, foyers, or laundry rooms. An owner who desires to install in place of carpeting any hard-surface floor covering (e.g. marble, slate, ceramic tile, parquet, hardwood, etc.) shall also install a sound absorbent underlayment of such kind and quality as to equal or exceed the sound transmission inhibiting properties of a ½" cork underlayment to substantially reduce the transmission of noise to adjoining units. If the installation is made without the required underlayment, the Board may, in addition to exercising all the other remedies provided in this Declaration, require the unit owner to cover all such hard-surface flooring with carpeting. No carpeting or other covering of any kind shall be installed on or affixed to concrete surfaces exposed to the elements.
 - (E) Window Coverings. The covering and appearance of windows and doors whether by

draperies, shades, reflective film or other items, whether installed within or outside of the unit, visible from the exterior of the unit, shall be subject to the rules and regulations of the Association.

- (F) Modifications and Alterations. If a unit owner makes any modifications, alterations, installations or additions to his unit or the common elements, the unit owner and his successors in title shall be financially responsible for the maintenance, repair, and replacement of the modifications, installations, alterations or additions, as well as the cost of insuring same and the cost of repairing any damage to the common elements or other units resulting from same. The unit owner shall also be responsible the costs of removing and replacing or reinstalling such modifications, installations, alterations or additions if their removal by the Association becomes necessary in order to maintain, repair, replace, or protect other parts of the condominium property. In the event of a conflict, the provisions of this paragraph shall prevail over the provisions of Section 11.1 above.
- (G) <u>Use of Licensed and Insured Contractors; Construction Lien Law.</u> Whenever a unit owner contracts for maintenance, repair, replacement, alteration, addition or improvement of any portion of the unit or common elements, whether with or without Association approval, such owner shall be deemed to have warranted to the Association and its members that his contractor(s) are properly licensed and fully insured and that the owner will be financially responsible for any resulting damage to persons or property. The unit owner also agrees to comply with the requirements of Chapter 713, Florida Statutes and to indemnify the Association and its members from any construction liens which may attach to common elements and which are attributable to work performed by or for the benefit of the unit owner.
- Appliance Maintenance Contracts. If there shall become available to the Association a program of contract maintenance for water heaters within units and/or air conditioning compressors and/or air handlers serving individual units, then the Association may enter into such contractual undertakings upon approval of the Board of Directors. The expenses of such contractual undertakings to the Association shall be common expenses. All maintenance, repairs and replacements not covered by the contracts shall be the responsibility of the unit owner.
- 11.5 Alteration of Units or Common Elements by Unit Owners. No owner shall make or permit the making of any material alterations or substantial additions to his unit or the common elements, or in any manner change the exterior appearance of any portion of the Condominium, without first obtaining the written approval of the Board of Directors, which approval may be denied if the Board of Directors determines that the proposed modifications or alterations would adversely affect, or in any manner be detrimental to, the Condominium in part or in whole. Any glass, screen, curtain, blind, shutter, awning, or other modifications, additions or installations which may be installed where visible from outside the unit, are subject to regulation by the Board of Directors. No owner may alter the landscaping of the common elements in any way without prior Board approval. The Board of Directors may revoke or rescind any approval of an alteration, installation, addition or modification previously given, if in the sole discretion of the Board of Directors, it appears that the alteration, installation, addition or modification has had adverse effects on the Condominium. The installation of hurricane shutters shall be subject to regulation by the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall adopt hurricane shutter specifications which shall include required color, style and other factors deemed relevant by the Board of Directors.
- 11.6 <u>Alterations and Additions to Common Elements and Association Property</u>. The protection, maintenance, repair, insurance and replacement of the common elements and association property is the

responsibility of the Association and the cost is a common expense. Beyond this function, the Association shall make no material alteration of, nor substantial additions to, the common elements or the real property owned by the Association costing more than \$20,000 in the aggregate in any fiscal year without prior approval of at least a majority of the total voting interests. Alterations or additions costing less than that amount may be made without membership approval. If work reasonably necessary to protect, maintain, repair, replace or insure the common elements or association property or to comply with any local, state or federal law or regulation also constitutes a material alteration or substantial addition to the common elements, no prior unit owner approval is required.

- 11.7 Enforcement of Maintenance. If after reasonable notice the owner of a unit fails to maintain the unit or its appurtenant limited common elements as required in this Declaration, the Association shall have the right to institute legal proceedings to enforce compliance, or may take any and all other lawful actions to remedy such violation, including but not limited to, entering the unit, with or without notice to or consent of the tenant or unit owner, to repair, replace, or maintain any item which in the reasonable judgment of the Board of Directors may constitute a health or safety hazard to other property or residents or which has a material adverse effect on the appearance of the Condominium. Any expenses incurred by the Association in performing work within the unit as authorized by this Declaration shall be charged to the unit owner, together with reasonable attorney's fees and other expenses or collection, if any, which expense shall be secured by a lien against the unit and may be foreclosed in the same manner as common expenses.
- 11.8 Negligence: Damage Caused by Condition in Unit. The owner of each unit shall be liable for the expenses of any maintenance, repair or replacement of common elements, other units, or personal property made necessary by his act or negligence, or by that of any member of his family or his guests, employees, agents, or tenants. Each unit owner has a duty to maintain his unit, any limited common element appurtenant to the unit, and personal property therein, in such a manner as to prevent foreseeable and reasonably preventable damage to other units, the common elements or the property of other owners and residents. If any condition, defect or malfunction, resulting from the owner's failure to perform this duty causes damage to other units, the common elements, association property or property within other units, the owner of the offending unit shall be liable for the damage.
- Association's Access to Units and A/C Closet. The Association has an irrevocable right of 11.9 access to the units and a/c closet for the purposes of protecting, maintaining, repairing, and replacing the common elements or portions of a unit to be maintained by the Association under this Declaration, and as necessary to prevent damage to one or more units. The Association's right of access includes, without limitation, entry for purposes of pest control and preventive maintenance of safety equipment such as fire alarms and sprinkler systems as well as the right, but not the duty, to enter under circumstances where the health or safety or residents may be endangered. The exercise of the Association's rights of access to the unit and a/c closet shall be accomplished with due respect for the rights of occupants to privacy and freedom from unreasonable annoyance, as well as with appropriate precautions to protect the personal property within the unit. The Association shall retain a pass-key to all units and a/c closets. No unit owner shall alter any lock, nor install a new lock, which prevents access when the unit is unoccupied, unless the unit owner provides the Association with a key. If the Association is not provided with a key to the unit and a/c closet, the owner shall pay all costs incurred by the Association in gaining entrance to his unit or a/c closet, and also shall be responsible for any damage done to his unit or a/c closet in gaining entrance thereto, and shall also be liable for any damage resulting from delay in gaining entrance to his unit or a/c closet caused by the unavailability of a key. (Note: The Association maintains a master key to which a unit's entry door and a/c closet may be keyed.)
 - 11.10 Pest Control. The Association may supply pest control within units with the cost thereof

being part of the common expenses. If the service is provided by the Association a unit owner has the option to decline service unless the Association, in its sole discretion, determines that service is necessary for the protection of the Condominium or building as a whole, in which case the owner must either permit the Association's pets control company to enter the unit, or must employ a licensed pest control company to perform the required pest control services and furnish written evidence to the Association that such treatment has occurred. The election of an owner not to use the service shall not relieve the owner of the obligation to pay for the service as part of the common expense of the Association.

- 11.11 Patio, Terrace or Lanai Enclosures. The Board of Directors may adopt a basic approved plan for screening and/or glassing-in of patios, terraces and lanais. A unit owner may screen or enclose the patio, terrace or lanai which is a portion of his or her unit in accordance with the approved basic plans with specific consent from the Board of Directors, provided that such screening or enclosure conforms in all respects to the approved basic plans and specifications therefore. If a unit owner installs and utilizes approved hurricane shutters, the unit owner may be excepted from any requirement that lanai/patio furniture be removed during hurricane season or extended absence from the unit.
- 11.12 Hurricane Shutters. Notwithstanding any provision set forth hereinabove to the contrary, the Board of Directors shall adopt and approve a model, style and color of hurricane shutter as a standard hurricane shutter for use in the Condominium. No hurricane shutter except for the standard model, color and style adopted by the Board of Directors shall be used in or upon the Condominium. All specifications adopted by the Board shall comply with the applicable building code. Notwithstanding any provision in the Condominium documents to the contrary, the Board shall not refuse to approve the installation or replacement of hurricane shutters conforming to the specification adopted by the Board. The Board may, subject to the provisions of Florida Statutes, 718.3026 and the approval of a majority of the voting interests on the Condominium, install hurricane shutters and may maintain, repair and replace such approved hurricane shutters, whether in or within common elements, limited common elements, units or association property. However, where laminated glass or window film architecturally designed to function as hurricane protection which complies with the applicable building code has been installed on a unit, the Board may not also install hurricane shutters on that unit. The Board may operate shutters installed pursuant to these provisions without permission of the unit owners only where such operation is necessary to preserve and protect the Condominium property and Association property. The installation, replacement, operation, repair and maintenance of such shutters in accordance with these provisions shall not be deemed a material alteration to the common elements or association property
- 11.13 Combining Units. Nothing in this Declaration shall be construed as prohibiting the Board of Directors from authorizing the removal of the party wall between two units in order that the units might be used together as one integral living space. In such event, all assessments, voting rights and the share of common elements shall be calculated as such units were originally designated on the exhibits attached to this Declaration, notwithstanding the fact that several units are used as one, with the intent and purpose that the owner of such "combined" units shall be treated as the owner of as many units as have been combined.
- approve construction in or alterations to a unit or the common elements requested by a unit owner, the unit owner shall provide the Board with not less than thirty (30) days written notice of the unit owner's intention, together with plans and specifications indicating the proposed construction. The Board shall indicate its approval or disapproval of the proposed construction in writing within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notice and all required plans. The Board reserves the right to consult with a licensed Florida architect or professional engineer and to pass such costs on to the unit owner and to require that any plans and specifications be prepared by a licensed Florida architect or engineer. The Board may extend the time in which it must render its decision by an additional thirty (30) days in the event it determines a licensed

Florida architect's or professional engineer's review is necessary.

- 12. <u>USE RESTRICTIONS</u>: The use of the condominium property shall be in accordance with the following provisions:
- 12.1 <u>Units</u>. Each unit shall be occupied by only one family, its servants and guests, as a residence and for no other purpose. Units shall not be used for commercial or business purposes, including, without limitation, caring for children or adults, or any use that requires an occupational license. Occupants may use units for "home office" or "telecommuting" purposes, provided that such uses do not involve customers or clients coming onto the property, the postage of any signage in on the property, the storage of equipment, products or materials on the property, nor more than two regular deliveries a day of correspondence or similar items from customary express delivery or mail services. The use of a unit as a public lodging establishment shall be deemed a business or commercial use.
- 12.2 <u>Minors</u>. There is no restriction on the age of occupants of units. All occupants under eighteen (18) years of age shall be supervised at all times by an adult to insure that they do not become a source of unreasonable annoyance to other residents.
- 12.3 Pets. The keeping of pets is a privilege not a right. The owner of each unit may keep no more than two (2) dogs, two (2) cats or one (1) dog and one (1) cat, none of which weigh more than thirty-five (35) pounds at maturity and no more than two (2) birds, tropical fish, and other customary non-exotic (snakes are prohibited), quiet, and inoffensive household pets not being kept or raised for commercial purposes with the following conditions:
 - (A) Pets on the common elements will be under handheld leash or carried at all times.
 - (B) Messes made by pets shall be removed by owners or handlers immediately. The Directors will designate the portions of the property that will be used to accommodate the reasonable requirements of unit owners who keep pet.
 - (C) Pets that are vicious, noisy, or otherwise unpleasant will not be permitted in the condominium. In the event that a pet has, in the sole opinion of the Board of Directors, become a nuisance or an unreasonable disturbance, written notice will be given to the owner or other person responsible for the pet, and the pet shall be removed from the condominium property within three (3) days.
 - (D) Owners may not leave pets unattended in screened porches or on balconies where their noise may bother others.
 - (E) Guests and lessees are not permitted to have pets.
 - (F) The Board of Directors has the authority and discretion to make exceptions to the limitations in this regulation in individual cases and to impose conditions concerning the exceptions. The granting of exceptions shall not be deemed to be a waiver of the right to enforce the restrictions in other cases.
 - (G) The unit owner shall be liable for all damage or injury to persons or property caused by their pet.
 - 12.4 Nuisances. No owner shall use his unit, or permit to be used, in any manner which

constitutes or causes an unreasonable amount of annoyance or nuisance to the occupant of another unit, or which would not be consistent with the maintenance of the highest standards for a first class residential condominium, nor permit the premises to be used in a disorderly or unlawful way. The use of each unit shall be consistent with existing laws and the condominium documents, and occupants shall at all times conduct themselves in a peaceful and orderly manner.

- 12.5 <u>Signs.</u> No person shall post or display "For Sale", "For Rent", "Open House", "Garage Sale" or other signs of any type anywhere on the condominium property unless authorized in writing by the Board of Directors in advance.
- 12.6 Parking. No motor vehicle shall be parked on the condominium property except in such areas intended for that purpose. Motorcycles and 2-axle, non-commercial pickup trucks are permitted in assigned parking spaces only. No commercial trucks, or vehicles which are primarily used for commercial purposes, other than service vehicles temporarily present on business, may be parked on the Condominium property unless fully enclosed within a garage or covered parking space. Any vehicle displaying signage, tools or equipment of a commercial nature is deemed a commercial vehicle. Boats, trailers, campers, travel trailers, mobile homes, motor homes, recreational vehicles, and the like, and any vehicles not in operable condition or validly licensed, are not permitted to be kept on the condominium property. For the purpose of the foregoing sentence, the term "kept" shall mean present for a period of four (4) consecutive hours. Unit owners and occupants shall not park, keep or store more than two (2) vehicles on the Condominium property at any one time.
- 12.7 Garage and Covered Parking. Garages and covered parking areas are intended for the primary use of parking and storing of motor vehicles. No garage or covered parking area may be converted to another use except with the prior approval of the Board of Directors. Owners and residents shall not store personal property in their garage or assigned covered parking area and then park motor vehicles in the unassigned parking areas of the Condominium.
- 12.8 <u>Litter</u>. No garbage trash, refuse or rubbish shall be deposited, dumped or kept on the Property except in closed containers, dumpsters or other garbage collection facilities deemed suitable by the Board. All containers, dumpsters and other garbage collection facilities shall be kept in designated areas and kept in a clean condition with no noxious or offensive odors emanating therefrom.
- 12.9 <u>Correction of Health and Safety Hazards</u>. Any conditions which are deemed by the Association to be a hazard to the public health or safety may be corrected immediately as an emergency matter by the Association and the cost thereof shall be charged to the responsible Owner as a special limited common assessment, and payment may be enforced by a lien against the Unit with the same force and effect as any other common assessment.
- 12.10 <u>Lighting</u>. All exterior lighting shall be accomplished in accordance with lighting plans approved in advance and in writing by the Board of Directors
- 12.11 Outdoor Cooking. No barbequing or outdoor cooking of any type shall be permitted on Condominium property, except where the Association designates a place or provides facilities for such type of cooking, and then such activity may be undertaken only in conformity with the rules established for the use of such facilities.
- 12.12 Attire. Residents and guests may utilize the swimming facilities only if attired in appropriate apparel which conforms to the rules and regulations pertaining to the use of such facilities, as same may from time to time exist.

- 12.13 <u>Camping</u>. No tents or camping facilities shall be permitted on the Common Elements.
- 12.14 <u>Landscaping: Sprinkler Systems</u>. Areas not covered by structures, walkways, parking facilities or recreation facilities shall be maintained as lawn or landscaped areas to the pavement edge of abutting streets and to the waterline of any abutting lakes, canals or water management areas. Certain areas as determined by the Board of Directors may remain in a natural or unimproved state. All lawns, landscaping, and sprinkler systems with the Common Elements shall be maintained by the Association.
- 12.15 Sidewalks. Sidewalks are part of the common elements and shall be maintained by the Association.
- 12.16 <u>Underground Utilities</u>. All electric, telephone, gas and other utility lines shall be installed underground to the extent possible.
- 12.17 <u>Boat Slips</u>. The following specific conditions shall not be modified during the life of the docking facility, as required by FDEP Permit No. 112383809:
 - (A) No liveaboard vessels are allowed. A liveaboard vessel is one that is occupied for any two (2) consecutive nights or seven (7) or more nights in a consecutive thirty (30) day period.
 - (B) All slips are hereby restricted to a thirty (30) inch draft.
 - (C) No more than twenty-four (24) power boat slips are permitted at this docking facility.
 - (D) Boat maintenance or repair activities requiring removal of a vessel from the water, or removal of any major portions of the vessel, including the engine, for purposes of repair or maintenance on site, are prohibited, except where removal is necessitated by emergency conditions which have resulted in or can result in the sinking of a vessel. Specifically prohibited are any discharges or release of oils or greases associated with engine and hydraulic repairs, and related metal based bottom paints associated with hull scraping, cleaning and painting. Minor repairs and boat maintenance that will not cause or contribute to the release of water pollutants, and which are performed by owners or qualified marine mechanics, are allowed.
 - (E) There shall be no fueling facilities at the docking facility, nor shall there be any fueling activities in or over the water.
 - (F) There shall be no discarding of fish remains, seafood wastes, or toxic substances into the waters at this docking facility.
 - (G) The entire shoreline riparian to the boat slips shall be preserved in perpetuity and has been so preserved by dedication of a conservation easement to the State of Florida.
 - (H) All vessels shall operated at "no wake/idle speed" at all times while in waters where the draft of the vessels provides less than a four (4) foot clearance from the bottom. All vessels shall follow routes of deep water whenever possible.
 - (I) Permanent "Caution Manatee Area" awareness and regulatory signs shall be installed and maintained (facing land) at marina/launching/docking facilities, in accordance with the site plan approved by the Bureau of Protected Species Management of the State of Florida.

- (J) Permanent Information Displays (consisting of two (2) signs "Manatee Basics for Boaters" and "West Indian Manatee Fact Sheet") signs shall be installed on land in a prominent location (facing toward shore).
- (K) Boat lifts are permitted with the approval of the Board of Directors. Installation shall be in accordance with this Section and the Boat Lift Specifications and Regulations attached hereto as Exhibit "E".
- 12.18 <u>Use of Common Elements</u>. Common hallways, stairways and other common elements shall not be obstructed, littered, defaced or misused in any manner. Balconies, terraces, lanais, porches, walkways and stairways shall be used only for the purposes intended, and they shall not be used for hanging or drying clothing, for cleaning of rugs or other household items, or for storage of bicycles or other personal property.
- 12.19 <u>Guest Occupancy</u>. No guest shall occupy a unit more than sixty (60) days in any calendar year. There is no restriction on the number of guests, whether related or unrelated to the owner, who may occupy the unit with the exception of any municipal regulations governing occupancy. Upon prior written application by the unit owner, the Board of Directors may make such limited exceptions to the foregoing restrictions as may be deemed appropriate in the discretion of the Board, for the sole purpose of avoiding undue hardship or inequity.
- 13. <u>LEASING OF UNITS</u>: In order to foster a stable residential community and prevent a motel-like atmosphere, the leasing of units by their owners shall be restricted as provided in this section. The ability of a unit owner to lease his or her unit to others is a privilege not a right. The privilege may be revoked by the Board of Directors if it is abused by the owner. All leases of units shall be in writing. A unit owner shall lease only his entire unit, and then only in accordance with this Section, after receiving the approval of the Association. The lessee must be a natural person as opposed to an artificial entity such as a corporation, partnership, trust, etc. The lessee shall not be permitted to have pets in the Unit.

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- 13.1 Procedures.
- (A) Notice by the Unit Owner. An owner intending to lease his unit shall give to the Board of Directors or its designee written notice of such intention at least 20 days prior to the first day of occupancy under the lease together with the name and address of the proposed lessee, a fully executed copy of the proposed lease, and such other information as the Board may reasonably require. The Board may require a personal interview with any lessee and his spouse, if any, as a pre-condition to approval. The applicant must sign for having received copies of the rules and regulations of the Association.
- (B) <u>Board Action</u>. After the required notice and all information or interviews requested have been provided, the Board shall have 20 days in which to approve or disapprove the proposed lease. If the Board neither approves nor disapproves within that time, its failure to act shall be deemed the equivalent of approval, and on demand the Board shall issue a written letter of approval to the lessee.
- (C) <u>Disapproval</u>. A proposed lease shall be disapproved only if a majority of the whole Board so votes, and in such case the lease shall not be made. Appropriate grounds for disapproval shall include, but not be limited to, the following:

- (1) the unit owner is delinquent in the payment of assessments at the time the application is considered;
- (2) the unit owner has a history of leasing his unit without obtaining approval, or leasing to troublesome lessees and/or refusing to control or accept responsibility for the occupancy of his unit;
- the real estate company or rental agent handling the leasing transaction on behalf of the unit owner has a history of screening lessee applicants inadequately, recommending undesirable lessees, or entering into leases without prior Association approval;
- (4) the application on its face indicates that the person seeking approval intends to conduct himself in a manner inconsistent with the covenants and restrictions applicable to the Condominium;
- (5) the prospective lessee has been convicted of a felony involving violence to persons or property, a felony involving sale or possession of a controlled substance, or a felony demonstrating dishonesty or moral turpitude;
- (6) the prospective lessee has a history of conduct which evidences disregard for the rights and property of others.
- (7) the prospective lessee evidences a strong possibility of financial irresponsibility;
- (8) the lessee, during previous occupancy, has evidenced an attitude of disregard for the Association rules;
- (9) the prospective lessee gives false or incomplete information to the Board as part of the application procedure, or the required transfer fees and/or security deposit is not paid.
- (10) the owner fails to give proper notice of his intention to lease his unit to the Board of Directors.
- (D) Failure to Give Notice or Obtain Approval. If proper notice is not given, the Board at its election may approve or disapprove the lease. Any lease entered into without approval may, at the option of the Board, be treated as a nullity, and the Board shall have the power to evict the lessee without securing consent to such eviction from the unit owner.
- (E) <u>Applications: Assessments.</u> Applications for authority to lease shall be made to the Board of Directors on such forms and include such terms as the Board may provide from time to time. The legal responsibility for paying condominium assessments may not be delegated to the lessee.
- (F) <u>Committee Approval</u>. To facilitate approval of leases proposed during times when many of its members are not in residence, the Board of Directors may by resolution delegate its approval powers to an <u>ad hoc</u> committee, which shall consist of at least three (3) unit owners, one of whom must be a Director.

- 13.2 Term of Lease and Frequency of Leasing. No unit may be leased more often than three (3) times in any calendar year, with the minimum lease term being thirty (30) days. For purposes of this restriction, the first day of occupancy under the lease shall conclusively determine in which year the lease occurs. No lease may be for a period of more than one (1) year, and no option for the lessee to extend or renew the lease for any additional period shall be permitted. However, the Board may, in its discretion, approve the same lease from year to year. No subleasing or assignment of lease rights by the lessee is allowed.
- 13.3 Exceptions. Upon written request of a unit owner, the Board of Directors may approve one additional lease of the unit within the same calendar year, but only under unusual circumstances to avoid undue hardship and inequity.
 - 13.4 Occupancy During Lease Term.
 - (A) When a unit has been leased for a period of one (1) year, the unit may be occupied by the lessee and his family, as the term "family" is defined in Section 4.8, above.
 - (B) When a unit has been leased for a period of less than one (1) year, no one but the lessee and that person's spouse, if any, and their natural or adopted children, if any, may occupy the unit during the term of the lease.
 - (C) Guests may occupy leased units only when the lessee is in residence. The total number of house guests in a leased unit is limited to two (2) persons. Frequency of guest occupants is limited as provided elsewhere herein.
- of time during the lease term, his family authorized to occupy the unit by Section 13.4 above who are already in residence may continue to occupy the unit and may have house guests subject to all the restrictions in Sections 12 and 13.4 above. If the lessee and all of the family members mentioned in the foregoing sentence are absent, no other person may occupy the unit.
- 13.6 <u>Use of Common Elements and Association Property</u>. To prevent overtaxing the facilities, a unit owner whose unit is leased may not use the recreation or parking facilities during the lease term.
- 13.7 Regulation by Association. All of the provisions of the condominium documents and the rules and regulations of the Association shall be applicable and enforceable against any person occupying a unit as a lessee or guest to the same extent as against the owner. A covenant on the part of each occupant to abide by the rules and regulations of the Association and the provisions of the condominium documents, designating the Association as the owner's agent with the authority to terminate any lease agreement and evict the tenants in the event of breach of such covenant, shall be deemed to be included in every lease agreement, whether oral or written, and whether specifically expressed in such agreement or not.
- 13.8 Fees and Deposits for the Lease of Units. Whenever herein the Board's approval is required to allow the lease of a unit, the Association may charge the owner a preset fee for processing the application, such fee not to exceed the maximum amount allowed by law. No fee may be charged for approval of a renewal or extension of a lease with the same lessee. The Association may also require any security deposits that are authorized by the Condominium Act as amended from time to time which security deposit shall protest against damage to the common elements or association property. Handling of the security deposit and claims against the security deposit shall be in accordance with the Act, as the same may

be amended from time to time.

13.9 <u>Unapproved Leases</u>. Any lease of a unit not approved pursuant to this Section 13 shall be void and unenforceable unless subsequently approved by the Board.

- 14. TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP OF UNITS: In order to maintain a community of congenial, financially responsible residents with the objectives of protecting the value of the units, inhibiting transiency, and facilitating the development of a stable, quiet community and peace of mind for all residents, the transfer of ownership of a unit shall be subject to the following provisions:
 - 14.1 Forms of Ownership:
 - (A) One Person. A unit may be owned by one natural person who has qualified and been approved as elsewhere provided herein.
 - (B) <u>Co-Ownership</u>. Co-ownership of units is permitted. If the co-owners are to be other than husband and wife, the Board shall condition its approval upon the designation by the proposed new owners of one (1) natural person as "primary occupant". The use of the unit by other persons shall be as if the primary occupant were the only actual owner. Any subsequent change in the primary occupant shall be treated as a transfer to ownership by sale or gift subject to the provisions of this Section 14. No more than one such change will be approved in any 12 month period.
 - Ownership by Corporations. Partnerships or Trusts. A unit may be owned in trust, or by a corporation, partnership or other entity which is not a natural person, if approved in the manner provided elsewhere herein. The intent of this provision is to allow flexibility in estate, financial or tax planning, and not to create circumstances in which the unit may be used as short-term transient accommodations for several individuals or families. The approval of a trust, or corporation, partnership or other entity as a unit owner shall be conditioned upon designation by the owner of not more than one (1) natural person to be the "primary occupant". The use of the unit by other persons shall be as if the primary occupant were the only actual owner. Any subsequent change in the primary occupants shall be treated as a transfer of ownership by sale or gift subject to the provisions of this Section 14. No more than one such change will be approved in any 12 month period.
 - (D) <u>Life Estate</u>. A unit may be subject to a life estate, either by operation of law or by a voluntary conveyance approved under Section 14.2 below. In that event, the life tenant shall be the only Association member from such unit, and occupancy of the unit shall be as if the life tenant was the only owner. Upon termination of the life estate, the holders of the remainder interest shall have no occupancy rights unless separately approved by the Association. The life tenant shall be liable for all assessments and charges against the unit. Any consent or approval required of association members may be given by the life tenant alone, and the consent or approval of the holders of the remainder interest shall not be required. If there is more than one life tenant, they shall be treated as co-owners for purposes of determining voting and occupancy rights under Section 14.1(B), above.
 - (E) <u>Designation of Primary Occupant</u>. If any unit owner fails to designate a primary occupant when required to do so, the Board of Directors may make the initial designation for the owner, and shall notify the owner in writing of its action.

14.2 Transfers.

(A) Sale or Gift. No unit owner may transfer a unit or any ownership interest in a unit by sale or gift (including agreement for deed) without prior written approval of the Board of Directors.

- (B) <u>Devise or Inheritance</u>. If any unit owner acquires his title by devise or inheritance, his right to occupy or use the unit shall be subject to the approval of the Board of Directors under Section 14.3(A)(2) below. The approval shall not be denied to any devise or heir who was the prior owner's lawful spouse at the time of death, or was related to the owner by blood or adoption within the first degree.
- (C) Other Transfers. If any person acquires title in any manner not considered in the foregoing subsections, that person shall have no right to occupy or use the unit before being approved by the Board of Directors under the procedures outlined in Section 14.3 below.
- (D) To facilitate transfers proposed during times when many of its members are not in residence, the Board of Directors may by resolution delegate its approval powers to an <u>ad hoc</u> committee, which shall consist of at least three (3) unit owners, or to the President, Vice President or Treasurer, any of whom may be deemed a Vice President for purposes of executing a Certificate of Approval.

14.3 Procedures.

(A) Notice to Association.

- (1) Sale or Gift. An owner intending to make a sale or gift of his unit or any interest therein shall give to the Board of Directors or its designee written notice of such intention at least thirty (30) days before the intended closing date, together with the name and address of the proposed purchaser or donee, a copy of the executed sales contract, if any, and such other information as the Board may reasonably require. The Board may require a personal interview with any purchaser or donee and his spouse, if any, as a pre-condition to approval.
- (2) <u>Devise, Inheritance or Other Transfers</u>. The transferee must notify the Board of Directors of his ownership and submit a certified copy of the instrument evidencing his ownership and such other information as the Board may reasonably require. The transferee shall have no occupancy or use rights until and unless approved by the Board, but may sell or lease the unit following the procedures in this Section or Section 13.
- (3) <u>Demand</u>. With the notice required in Subsection (A)(1) above, the owner or transferee seeking approval may make a written demand that if the transfer is disapproved without good cause, the Association shall furnish an approved alternate purchaser who shall purchase the unit at the same price and upon substantially the same terms as in the disapproved sales contract, or if no contract is involved, for the fair market value of the unit determined as provided below.
- (4) <u>Failure to Give Notice</u>. If no notice is given, the Board of Directors, at its election may approve or disapprove at the time it learns of the transfer. If any owner fails

to obtain the Association's approval prior to selling an interest in a unit, such failure shall create a rebuttable presumption that the seller and the purchaser intend to violate the covenants of this Declaration, and shall constitute good cause for Association disapproval.

(B) Board Action. Within thirty (30) days after receipt of the required notice and all information or interview requested, or not later than 60 days after the notice required by paragraph (A) above is received, whichever occurs first, the Board shall approve or disapprove the transfer. If a transfer is approved, the approval shall be stated in a Certificate of Approval executed by the President or Vice-President of the Association in recordable form and delivered to the transferee. If the Board neither approves nor disapproves within the time limits as set forth above, such failure to act shall be deemed the equivalent of approval and on demand the Board shall issue a Certificate of Approval to the transferee.

(C) <u>Disapproval</u>.

- (1) With Good Cause. Approval of the Association shall be withheld for good cause only if a majority of the whole Board so votes. Only the following may be deemed to constitute good cause for disapproval:
 - (a) The person seeking approval has been convicted of a felony involving violence to persons or property, a felony involving possession or sale of a controlled substance, or a felony demonstrating dishonesty or moral turpitude;
 - (b) The person seeking approval has a record of financial irresponsibility, including without limitation prior bankruptcies, foreclosures or bad debts;
 - (c) The application on its face gives the Board reasonable cause to believe that the applicant intends to conduct himself in a manner inconsistent with the covenants and restrictions applicable to the Condominium;
 - (d) The person seeking approval has a history of disruptive behavior or disregard for the rights or property of others;
 - (e) The person seeking approval has evidenced an attitude of disregard for association rules by his conduct in this Condominium as a tenant, unit owner or occupant of a unit;
 - (f) The transfer to the persons seeking approval would result in that person owning more than two (2) units in the Condominium;
 - (g) The person seeking approval has failed to provide the information, fees or interviews required to process the application in a timely manner, or provided false information during the application process.
 - (h) The transaction, if a sale or gift, was concluded by the parties without having sought and obtained the prior approval required herein.

- Without Good Cause. The Association's approval shall not be denied unless a (2) majority of the whole Board so votes. If the Board disapproves without good cause, and if the owner or transferee has made the demand set forth in Section 14.3(A)(3), then within thirty (30) days after the Board meeting at which the disapproval took place, the Board shall deliver in writing to the owner the name of an approved purchaser(which may be the Association) who will purchase the unit at the same price, and upon substantially the same terms, as in the disapproved sales contract. If no sales contract was involved, or if the Association challenges the contract price as not being a good faith purchase price, then the purchase price shall be paid in cash, and the price to be paid shall be determined by agreement, or in the absence of agreement, shall be the fair market value determined by the arithmetic average of appraisals by two state-certified property appraisers, one selected by the owner and the other by the Association. The cost of the appraisals, and all other closing costs in cases where no sales contract is involved, shall be shared equally by the purchaser and selling owner, except that the purchaser shall pay for his own title insurance, and all costs of mortgage financing. Real property taxes and condominium assessments shall be prorated to the day of closing and the parties shall bear their own attorneys fees, if any. The closing shall take place not longer than sixty (60) days after the date of Board disapproval or thirty (30) days after determination of fair market value by appraisal, whichever occurs last. Failure or refusal to close by either party shall constitute a breach of contract and shall entitle the other party to seek specific performance or damages.
- (3) If the Board fails to deliver the name of the approved purchaser within thirty (30) days as required above, then the original proposed purchaser shall be deemed to be approved, despite the Board's former disapproval, and upon demand a Certificate of Approval shall be issued.
- 14.4 Exception. The provisions of Sections 14.2 and 14.3 are not applicable to the acquisition of title by a first mortgagee who acquires title through the mortgage, whether by foreclosure or deed in lieu of foreclosure, nor shall the Association's approval be required for the subsequent resale or lease of a unit by such mortgagee of the unit so acquired, but shall apply to the acquisition of title by any other person.
- 14.5 <u>Unapproved Transfers</u>. Any sale or transfer which is not approved, or which is disapproved pursuant to the terms of this Declaration shall be void unless subsequently approved in writing by the Board.
- 14.6 Fees and Deposits Related to the Sale of Units. Whenever herein the Board's approval is required to allow the sale or other transfer of an interest in a unit, the Association may charge the owner a preset fee for processing the application, such fee not to exceed the maximum amount allowed by law.
- 15. <u>INSURANCE</u>: In order to adequately protect the Association and its members, insurance shall be carried and kept in force at all times in accordance with the following provisions:
- 15.1 By the Unit Owner. Each unit owner is responsible for insuring his own unit, and the personal property therein, including all alterations, additions and improvements made to the unit or the common elements by the owner or his predecessors in title, all floor, wall and ceiling coverings, built-in cabinets, appliances, water heaters, air conditioning and heating equipment, and electrical fixtures if located within the unit and the unit owner is required to repair or replace such equipment. The unit owner shall also insure those items which the unit owner is obligated to insure, or which the Association may exclude from

its insurance responsibility, by virtue of the Condominium Act, as the same may be amended from time to time. Each unit owner is expected to carry homeowner's insurance, with endorsements for leakage, seepage and wind-driven rain, additions and alterations, and loss assessment protection, or recognize that he bears financial responsibility for any damage to his property or liability to others that would otherwise be covered by such insurance.

- 15.2 <u>Association Insurance: Duty and Authority to Obtain.</u> The Board of Directors shall use its best efforts to obtain and keep in force the insurance coverage which it is required to carry by law and under the condominium documents, and may obtain and keep in force any or all additional insurance coverage as it deems necessary. The name of the insured shall be the Association and the unit owners without naming them, and their mortgagees, as their interests shall appear. To the extent permitted by law, the Association may self-insure.
- 15.3 <u>Required Coverage</u>. The Association shall use its best efforts to obtain and maintain adequate insurance covering all of the buildings and the common elements as well as all association property, in amounts determined annually by the Board of Directors, such insurance to afford the following protection:
 - (A) Property. Loss or damage by fire, extended coverage (including windstorm), vandalism and malicious mischief, and other hazards covered by what is commonly known as an "All Risk" property contract.
 - (B) Flood. In amounts deemed adequate by the Board of Directors, as available through the National Flood Insurance Program.
 - (C) <u>Liability</u>. Premises and operations liability for bodily injury and property damage in such limits of protection and with such coverage as are determined by the Board of Directors, with cross liability endorsement to cover liabilities of the unit owners as a group to a unit owner.
 - (D) <u>Automobile</u>. Automobile liability for bodily injury and property damage for all owned and non-owned motor vehicles, in such limits of protection and with such coverage as may be determined by the Board of Directors.
 - (E) <u>Workers' Compensation</u>. The Association shall maintain Workers' Compensation insurance on at least a minimum premium basis.
 - (F) Directors, Officers and Committee Members' Liability (Errors and Omissions).
 - (G) Fidelity Bond/Insurance.
- 15.4 Optional Coverage. The Association may purchase and carry other such insurance coverage as the Board of Directors may determine to be in the best interest of the Association and unit owners. Some of the more common options include:
 - (A) Additional flood insurance.
 - (B) Boiler and Machinery coverage (includes breakdown on common element air conditioning units).

- (C) Broad Form Comprehensive General Liability Endorsement.
- (D) Elevator Liability & Elevator Collision.
- (E) Medical Payments.
- (F) Leakage, seepage and wind-driven rain.
- 15.5 <u>Description of Coverage</u>. A detailed summary of the coverages included in the master policies, and copies of the master policies, shall be available for inspection by unit owners or their authorized representatives upon request.
- 15.6 <u>Waiver of Subrogation</u>. If available and where applicable, the Board of Directors shall endeavor to obtain insurance policies which provide that the insurer waives its right to subrogation as to any claim against the Association unit owners, or their respective servants, agents or guests, except for any claim based upon gross negligence evidencing reckless, willful or wanton disregard for life or property.
- 15.7 <u>Insurance Proceeds</u>. All insurance policies purchased by the Association shall be for the benefit of the Association, the unit owners and their mortgagees as their interests may appear, and all proceeds shall be payable to the Association. The duty of the Association shall be to receive such proceeds as are paid, and to hold the same in trust, and disburse them for the purposes stated herein and for the benefit of the unit owners and their respective mortgages in the following shares:
 - (A) Common Elements. Proceeds on account of damage to common elements shall be held in as many individual shares as there are units, the shares of each unit owner being the same as his share in the common elements.
 - (B) <u>Units.</u> Proceeds on account of damage within the units shall be held in undivided shares based on the prorated amount of damage within each damaged unit as a percentage of the total damage within all units.
 - (C) Mortgage. If a mortgagee endorsement has been issued as to a unit, the shares of the mortgagee and the unit owner shall be as their interests appear. In no event shall any mortgagee have the right to demand application of insurance proceeds to any mortgage or mortgages which it may hold against unit or units, except to the extent that insurance proceeds exceed the actual cost of repair or restoration of the damaged building or buildings. Except as otherwise expressly provided, no mortgagee shall have any right to participate in determining whether improvements will be restored after casualty.
 - (D) <u>Deductible</u>. The policies may provide for reasonable deductibles. In the case of property insurance, the deductible shall be paid by the party who would be liable for the loss or required to pay for the repairs in the absence of insurance. If multiple parties would be responsible, the deductible shall be allocated among them in relation to the amount each party's loss bears to the total.
- 15.8 <u>Distribution of Proceeds</u>. Proceeds of insurance policies received by the Association shall be distributed to or for the benefit of the unit owners in the following manner:
 - (A) Costs of Protecting and Preserving the Property. If a person other than the person responsible for repair and reconstruction has properly advanced funds to preserve and

protect the property to prevent further damage or deterioration, the funds so advanced shall first be repaid, with interest if required.

- (B) Cost of Reconstruction or Repair. If the damage for which the proceeds are paid is to be reconstructed or repaired by the Association, the remaining proceeds shall be paid to defray the costs thereof. Any proceeds remaining after defraying costs shall be distributed to the beneficial owners, remittances to unit owners and their mortgagees being paid jointly to them.
- (C) <u>Failure to Reconstruct or Repair</u>. If it is determined in the manner elsewhere provided herein that the damages for which the proceeds are paid shall not be reconstructed or repaired, the remaining proceeds shall be distributed to the beneficial owners, remittances to unit owners and their mortgagees being payable jointly to them.
- 15.9 <u>Association as Agent</u>. The Association is hereby irrevocably appointed as agent for each unit owner to adjust all claims arising under insurance policies purchased by the Association for damage or loss to the condominium property.
- 16. <u>RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR AFTER CASUALTY</u>: If any part of the condominium property is damaged by casualty, whether and how it shall be reconstructed or repaired shall be determined as follows:
- Damage to Units. Where loss or damage occurs within one or more units, any Association insurance proceeds received on account of the loss or damage shall be distributed to the owner(s) of the damaged unit(s) in shares as provided in Section 15.7 above. The owner(s) of the damaged unit(s) shall be responsible for reconstruction and repair, including any costs in excess of the insurance proceeds from the Association insurance.
- Damage to Common Elements-Less than "Very Substantial". Where loss or damage occurs to the common elements, but the loss is less than "very substantial", as hereinafter defined, it shall be mandatory for the Association to repair, restore and rebuild the damage caused by the loss, and the following procedures shall apply:
 - (A) The Board of Directors shall promptly obtain reliable and detailed estimates of the cost of repair and restoration, and shall negotiate and contract for repair and reconstruction.
 - (B) If the proceeds of insurance and available reserves are insufficient to pay for the cost of repair and reconstruction of the common elements, the Association shall promptly, upon determination of the deficiency, levy a special assessment against all unit owners in proportion to their shares in the common elements for the deficiency. Such special assessments need not be approved by the unit owners. The proceeds from the special assessment shall be added to the funds available for repair and restoration of the property.
- 16.3 "Very Substantial" Damage. As used in the Declaration, the term "very substantial" damage shall mean loss or damage whereby at least three-fourths (3/4) of the total units cannot reasonably be expected to be rendered habitable within sixty (60) days of the casualty. Should such "very substantial" damage occur then:
 - (A) The Board of Directors and the officers, or any of them, are authorized, regardless of any other provision of this Declaration, to take such action as may reasonably appear to be

necessary under emergency conditions. This authority includes actions to protect life and property, to evacuate or shore-up structures and salvage property, to engage security to protect against looting or other criminal acts, and to alter the condominium property or association property as might be reasonable under the circumstances to protect the condominium property or association property from further damage or deterioration. This authority includes the authority to expend any and all available association funds, including reserves.

- (B) The Board of Directors shall endeavor to obtain comprehensive, detailed estimates of the cost of repair and restoration.
- (C) A meeting of the members shall be held not later than sixty (60) days after the Board has obtained the estimates, to determine the opinion of the membership with reference to rebuilding or termination of the Condominium, subject to the following:
 - (1) If the insurance proceeds, reserves and other association funds available for the restoration and repairs that are the Association's responsibility are sufficient to cover the estimated cost thereof so that it is reasonably anticipated that the repairs and reconstruction can be accomplished without levying a special assessment that exceeds fifteen percent (15%) of the total annual budget for the condominium in the year in which the casualty occurred, the Condominium shall be repaired and reconstructed unless at least two-thirds (2/3rds) of the total voting interests of the Condominium vote for termination, in which case the Condominium shall be terminated.
 - If upon the advice of legal counsel and engineers, it appears unlikely that the then applicable zoning or other regulatory laws with allow reconstruction of the same number and general types of units, or if the insurance proceeds, reserves and other association funds available for restoration and repair are not sufficient to cover the estimated cost thereof, and it is reasonably anticipated that the repairs and reconstruction can be accomplished only by levying special assessments exceeding fifteen percent (15%) of the total annual budget for the Condominium in the fiscal year in which the casualty occurred, the Condominium shall be terminated, and the property removed from the provisions of the Condominium Act, unless at least two-thirds (2/3rds) of the total voting interests of the Condominium vote against termination. If the requisite number of unit owners vote against termination, the Board of Directors shall levy such assessments as are necessary, and shall proceed with the necessary repairs and restoration. The proceeds from the special assessments shall be added to the funds available for repair and reconstruction.
- (D) If any dispute shall arise as to whether "very substantial" damage has occurred, or as to the amount of special assessments required, a determination by at least two-thirds (2/3rds) of the Directors shall be conclusive, and shall be binding upon all persons.
- 16.4 <u>Application of Insurance Proceeds</u>. It shall be presumed that the first monies disbursed for repair and restoration are from insurance proceeds; if there is a balance left in the funds held by the Association after the payment of all costs of repair and restoration, such balance shall be distributed to the unit owners, except as otherwise provided in Section 15.7(C) above.
 - 16.5 Equitable Relief. In the event of damage to the common elements which renders any unit

uninhabitable, and the damage is not repaired, reconstructed, or rebuilt within a reasonable period of time, the owner of the uninhabitable unit may petition a court for equitable relief, which may include a termination of the Condominium and a partition. For the purposes of this provision, it shall be presumed that repair, reconstruction or rebuilding has occurred within a reasonable period of time if substantial work is commenced within six (6) months following the damage or destruction, and is completed within twelve (12) months thereafter. In the case of "very substantial" damage the condominium will be rebuilt. The Board shall commence and complete construction as soon as practicable under the circumstances.

16.6 <u>Plans and Specifications</u>. Any reconstruction or repairs must be substantially in accordance with the plans and specifications for the original building, or according to different plans and specifications approved by the Board or Directors, and by the owners of at least two-thirds (2/3rds) of the units, and by the Primary Institutional Mortgagee, if any. Such approvals may not be unreasonably withheld. However, no change in plans and specifications shall materially reduce the interior floor space of any unit without the consent of the unit owner and his Institutional Mortgagee, if any.

17. CONDEMNATION:

- 17.1 Deposit of Awards with Association. The taking of all or any part of the condominium property by condemnation or eminent domain shall be deemed to be a casualty to the portion taken and the awards for that taking shall be deemed to be proceeds from insurance on account of the casualty. Even though the awards may be payable to unit owners, the unit owners shall deposit the awards with the Association; and if any fail to do so, a special charge shall be made against a defaulting unit owner in the amount of his award, or the amount of that award shall be set off against any sums payable to that owner.
- 17.2 <u>Determination Whether to Continue Condominium</u>. Whether the Condominium will be continued after condemnation will be determined in the same manner provided for determining whether damaged property will be reconstructed and repaired after a casualty.
- 17.3 <u>Disbursement of Funds</u>. If the Condominium is terminated after condemnation, the proceeds of all awards and special assessments will be deemed to be condominium property and shall be owned and distributed in the manner provided for insurance proceeds when the Condominium is terminated after a casualty. If the Condominium is not terminated after condemnation, but the size of the Condominium will be reduced, the owners of condemned units, if any, will be made whole, and any property damaged by the taking will be made usable in the manner provided below. Proceeds of awards and special assessments shall be used for these purposes and shall be disbursed in the manner provided for disbursements of funds after a casualty
- 17.4 <u>Association as Agent</u>. The Association is hereby irrevocably appointed as each unit owner's attorney-in-fact for purposes of negotiating or litigating with the condemning authority for the purposes of realizing just compensation.
- 17.5 <u>Units Reduced but Habitable</u>. If the condemnation reduces the size of a unit and the remaining portion of the unit can be made habitable, the awards for the taking of a portion of that unit shall be used for the following purposes in the order stated, and the following changes shall be effected in the Condominium:
 - (A) Restoration of Unit. The unit shall be made habitable. If the cost of restoration exceeds the amount of the award, the additional funds required shall be paid by the owner of the unit.
 - (B) <u>Distribution of Surplus</u>. The balance of the award, if any, shall be distributed to the owner

- of the unit and to each mortgagee of the unit, the remittance being made payable jointly to the owner and mortgagees.
- (C) Adjustment of Shares in Common Elements. If the floor area of a unit is reduced by the taking, the number representing the share in the common elements appurtenant to the unit shall be reduced in the proportion by which the floor area of the unit is reduced by the taking, and then the shares of all unit owners in the common elements shall be restated as percentages of the total of the numbers representing their original shares as reduced by the taking.
- 17.6 <u>Unit Made Not Habitable</u>. If the condemnation is of an entire unit or reduces the size of a unit so that it cannot be made habitable, the award for the taking of the unit shall be used for the following purposes in the order stated, and the following changes shall be effected in the Condominium:
 - (A) Payment of Award. The fair market value of the unit immediately prior to the taking shall be paid to the owner of the unit and to each mortgagee of the unit, the remittance being made payable jointly to the owner and mortgagee(s).
 - (B) Addition to Common Elements. If possible and practical, the remaining portion of the unit shall become a part of the common elements and shall be placed in condition for use by some or all unit owners is a manner approved by the Board of Directors.
 - (C) Adjustment of Shares in Common Elements; Sharing Common Expenses. The shares in the common elements appurtenant to the units that continue as part of the Condominium and shares of paying common expenses shall be increased to absorb the ownership shares of the units not continuing among the reduced number of units. This shall be done by amending the ownership shares of each continuing unit in the common elements and the shares of common expenses to be a fraction of the whole, the numerator of which is the number "one" (1) and the denominator of which is the number of continuing units. The amendment must be approved by a majority of all unit owners if it is not ordered by a governmental entity, but no other consent is required.
 - (D) Assessments. If the amount of the award for the taking is not sufficient to pay the fair market value of the condemned unit to the unit owner and to condition the remaining portion of the unit for use as a part of the common elements, the additional funds required for those purposes shall be raised by special assessment against units that will continue as units after the changes in the Condominium affected by the taking. The assessments shall be made in proportion to the shares of those units in the common elements after the changes affected by the taking.

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- Arbitration. If the fair market value of a unit prior to the taking cannot be determined by agreement between the unit owner and the Association within thirty (30) days after notice by either party, the value shall be determined by appraisal in accordance with the following. The unit owner, the first mortgagee, if any, and the Association shall each appoint one certified real property appraiser, who shall appraise the unit and determine the fair market value by computing the arithmetic average of their appraisals of the unit. A judgment of specific performance upon the fair market value calculated in this way may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction. Each party shall bear the cost of his own appraiser.
- 17.7 Taking of Common Elements. Awards for the taking of common elements shall be used to

make the remaining portion of the common elements usable in a manner approved by the Board of Directors. The balance of such awards, if any, shall be distributed to the unit owners in the shares in which they own the common elements after adjustment of these shares on account of the condemnation, if any. If a unit is mortgaged, the remittance shall be paid jointly to the owner and mortgagee(s) of the unit.

- 18. TERMINATION: The Condominium may be terminated in the following manner:
- 18.1 Agreement. The Condominium may be caused to be terminated at any time be written agreement of the owners of at least three-fourths (3/4ths) of the units, and the Primary Institutional Mortgagee.
- 18.2 <u>Very Substantial Damage</u>. If the Condominium suffers "very substantial damage" to the extent defined in Section 16.3 above, and it is not decided as therein provided that the Condominium will be reconstructed or repaired, the condominium form of ownership of the property in this Condominium will be terminated.
- 18.3 Certificate of Termination. The termination of the Condominium by either of the foregoing methods shall be evidenced by a Certificate of Termination, executed by the President or Vice-President with the formalities of a deed, and certifying as to the facts effecting the termination. The certificate shall also include the name and address of a Florida financial institution with trust powers, or a licensed Florida attorney, who is designated by the Association to act as Termination Trustee, and shall be signed by the Trustee indicating willingness to serve in that capacity. Termination of the Condominium occurs when a Certificate of Termination meeting the requirements of this Section is recorded in the Public Records of Collier County, Florida The recording of that Certificate of Termination automatically divests the Association and all units owners of legal titles, and vests legal title in the Termination Trustee named in the Certificate of Termination, to all real and personal property which was formerly the Condominium property and Association property is owned by the former unit owners as tenants in common, in the same undivided shares as each owner previously owned in the common elements. Upon termination, each lien encumbering a Condominium parcel is automatically transferred to the equitable share in the Condominium property attributable to the unit encumbered by the lien, with the same priority.
- Wind-up of Association Affairs. The termination of Condominium does not, by itself, terminate the Association. The former unit owners and their successors and assigns shall continue to be members of the Association, and the members of the Board of Directors and the officers of the Association shall continue to have the powers granted in this Declaration, and in the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws, for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Association in accordance with this Section.
- 18.5 Trustee's Powers and Duties. The Termination Trustee shall hold title to the property for the benefit of the former unit owners and their successors, assigns, heirs, devisees, mortgagees and other lien holders, as their interests shall appear. If the former unit owners approve a sale of the property as provided in this Section, the Termination Trustee shall have the power and authority to convey title to the real property, and to distribute the proceeds in accordance with the provisions of this Section. The Termination Trustee shall be entitled to charge a reasonable fee for acting in such capacity, and such fee and all costs and expenses incurred by the Termination Trustee in the performance of its duties shall be paid by the Association or taken from the proceeds of the sale of the former Condominium and Association property, and shall constitute a lien on the property superior to any other lien. The Trustee shall be entitled to indemnification by the Association from any and all liabilities and costs incurred by virtue of acting as Termination Trustee unless such liabilities are the result of gross negligence or malfeasance. The Termination Trustee may rely upon the written instructions and information provided

by officers. Directors or agents of the Association, and shall not be required to inquire beyond such information and instructions.

- Partition; Sale. Following termination, the former Condominium property and Association property may be partitioned and sold upon the application of any unit owner. If following a termination, at least seventy-five percent (75%) of the voting interests agree to accept an offer for the sale of the property, the Board of Directors shall notify the Termination Trustee, and the Trustee shall complete the sale, and upon the consummation of the sale shall be discontinued by all parties thereto. If the unit owners have not authorized a sale of the former Condominium and Association property within one (1) year after the recording of the Certificate of Termination, the Trustee may proceed to sell the property without agreement by the former unit owners. The proceeds of the sale of any of the property or assets of the Association shall be distributed by the Termination Trustee to the beneficial owners thereof, as their interests shall appear.
- New Condominium. The termination of the Condominium does not bar creation of 18.7 another Condominium including all or any portion of the same property.
- 18.8 Provisions Survive Termination. The provisions of this Section 18 are covenants running with the land, and shall survive the termination of the Condominium until all matters covered by those provisions have been completed. The Board of Directors shall continue to function in accordance with the Bylaws and Articles of Incorporation, and shall have the power to levy assessments to pay the costs and expenses of maintaining the property until it is sold. The costs of termination, the fees and expenses of the Termination Trustee, as well as post-termination costs of maintaining the former Condominium property, are common expenses, the payment of which shall be secured by a lien on the beneficial interest owned by each former unit owner, which to the maximum extent permitted by law, shall be superior to. and take priority over, all other liens

19. ENFORCEMENT:

- 19.1 Duty to Comply; Right to Sue. Each unit owner, his tenants and guests, and the Association shall be governed by and shall comply with the provisions of the Condominium Act, the condominium documents and the rules and regulations of the Association. Actions for damages or for injunctive relief, or both, for failure to comply may be brought by the Association or by a unit owner against:
 - (A) The Association:
 - (B) A unit owner;
 - (C) Anyone who occupies or is a tenant or guest in a unit; or
 - (D) Any member of the Board of Directors who willfully and knowingly fails to comply with these provisions.
- 19.2 Waiver of Rights. The failure of the Association or any member to enforce a right, provision, covenant or condition which may be granted by the condominium documents shall not constitute a waiver of the right of the Association or member to enforce such right, provision, covenant or condition in the future. A provision of the Condominium Act may not be waived by a unit owner if the waiver would adversely affect the rights of the owner or defeat the purpose of the provision, except that unit owners or Directors may waive notice of specific meetings as provided in the Bylaws.

19.3 Attorney's Fees. In any legal proceeding arising out of an alleged failure of a guest, tenant, unit owner or the Association to comply with the requirements of the Condominium Act, the condominium documents, or the Association's rules and regulations, as they may be amended from time to time, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover the costs of the proceeding and such attorneys fees as may be awarded by the court.

19.4 <u>No Election of Remedies</u>. All rights, remedies and privileges granted to the Association or unit owners under the law and the condominium documents shall be cumulative, and the exercise of any one or more shall not be deemed to constitute an election of remedies, nor shall it preclude the party from exercising any other rights, remedies, or privileges that may be available.

20. RIGHTS OF MORTGAGEES:

- 20.1 <u>Approvals</u>. Written consent of the Institutional Mortgagee of a unit shall be required for any amendment to the Declaration which would decrease the unit's share of ownership of the common elements, except as otherwise provided in Sections 17.5(C), 17.6(C) and 17.7.
- 20.2 <u>Notice of Casualty or Condemnation</u>. In the event of condemnation, eminent domain proceeding, or very substantial damage to, or destruction of any unit or any part of the common elements, the record holder of any first mortgage on an affected unit shall be entitled to notice.
- 20.3 Mortgage Foreclosure. If the mortgage of a first mortgage of record acquires title to a condominium parcel as a result of foreclosure of the mortgage, or as the result of a deed given in lieu of foreclosure, the mortgagee of title shall be liable for the share of common expenses or assessments attributable to the condominium parcel, which came due prior to the mortgagee's acquisition of title, to the fullest extent provided by the Condominium Act, as the same may be amended from time to time. Any unpaid share of common expenses for which such acquirer is exempt from liability becomes a common expense collectible from all unit owners. No acquirer of title to a condominium parcel by foreclosure, or by a deed in lieu of foreclosure, may be excused from the payment of any assessments coming due during the period of such ownership.
- 20.4 <u>Redemption</u>. If proceedings are instituted to foreclose any mortgage or lien on any unit, the Association, on behalf of one or more unit owners and with the permission of the mortgagee, may redeem the mortgage or lien for the amount due thereon and be thereby subrogated to all of the mortgagee's or lienor's rights of action, or the Association may purchase the unit at the foreclosure sale. Any mortgagee shall have an unrestricted, absolute right to accept title to the unit in settlement and satisfaction of the mortgage or to foreclose its mortgage in accordance with its terms, and to bid upon the unit at the foreclosure sale.
- 20.5 <u>Right to Inspect Books</u>. The Association shall make available to Institutional Mortgagees requesting same current copies of the condominium documents and the books, records and financial statements of the Association. "Available" shall mean ready for inspection, upon written request, during normal business hours, or under other reasonable circumstances. Photocopies shall be provided at the expense of the person requesting them.
- 20.6 <u>Financial Statement</u>. Any Institutional Mortgagee is entitled, upon written request, to a copy of the financial statement of the Association for the immediately preceding fiscal year.
- 20.7 <u>Lender's Notices</u>. Upon written request to the Association, any Institutional Mortgagee shall be entitled to timely written notice of:

- (A) Any sixty (60) day or longer delinquency in the payment of assessments or charges owed by the owner of any unit on which it holds a mortgage.
- (B) A lapse, cancellation, or material modification of any insurance policy or fidelity bond maintained by the Association.
- (C) Any proposed action that requires the consent of a specified percentage of mortgage holders.
- 21. (SECTION INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK)
- 22. <u>AMENDMENT OF DECLARATION</u>: Amendments to this Declaration shall be proposed and adopted in the following manner:
- 22.1 <u>Proposal</u>. Amendments to this Declaration may be proposed by the Board of Directors, or by written petition to the Board signed by the owners of at least one-fourth (1/4th) of the units.
- 22.2 <u>Procedure</u>. Upon any amendment or amendments to this Declaration being proposed as provided above, the proposed amendment or amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the members not later than the next annual meeting for which proper notice can still be given.
- 22.3 Vote Required. Except as otherwise provided by law, or by specific provision of the condominium documents, this Declaration may be amended if the proposed amendment is approved by at least two-thirds (2/3) of the voting interests who are present in person or by proxy, and voting at any annual or special meeting called for the purpose. Amendments may also be approved by written consent of two-thirds (2/3) of the total voting interests. In addition, the Board of Directors may amend the Condominium Documents to correct scrivener's errors or omissions, and amend and restate the Condominium Documents in order to consolidate into one document amendments previously adopted by the members or the Board. Amendments adopted by the Board shall occur at a duly noticed Board meeting (with adoption of the amendments set forth on the agenda).
- 22.4 <u>Certificate</u>; <u>Recording</u>. A copy of each adopted amendment shall be attached to a certificate that the amendment was duly adopted as an amendment to the Declaration, which certificate shall be in the form required by law and shall be executed by the President or Vice President of the Association with the formalities of a deed. The amendment shall be effective when the certificate and copy of the amendment are recorded in the Public Records of Collier County, Florida.
- 22.5 <u>Proviso</u>. No amendment may change the configuration or size of any unit in any material fashion, materially alter or modify the appurtenances to the unit, or change the proportion or percentage by which the unit owner shares the common expenses of the condominium and owns the common surplus of the condominium unless the record owner of the unit and all record owners of liens on the unit join in the execution of the amendments and unless all the record owners of all other units in the same condominium approve the amendments. This proviso does not apply to changes in ownership shares or sharing common expenses necessitated by condemnation or a taking by eminent domain as provided under Section 17 above.
 - 22.6 (Section Intentionally Left Blank)
- 23. MISCELLANEOUS:

- 23.1 <u>Severability</u>. The invalidity or unenforceability in whole or in part of any covenant or restriction or any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word or other provision of this Declaration, or any recorded exhibit to this Declaration, shall not effect the remaining portions.
- 23.2 <u>Applicable Statutes</u>. The validity, application and construction of this Declaration and its recorded exhibits shall be governed by the Laws of Florida, particularly the Florida Condominium Act, as it exists on the date hereof.
- 23.3 <u>Conflicts</u>. If there is a conflict between this Declaration and the Association's Article of Incorporation or Bylaws, the Declaration shall control. If there is a conflict between the Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws, the Articles of Incorporation shall control.
- 23.4 <u>Interpretation</u>. The Board of Directors is responsible for interpreting the provisions of this Declaration and its exhibits. Such interpretation shall be binding upon all parties unless wholly unreasonable.
- 23.5 <u>Exhibits</u>. There is hereby incorporated within this Declaration any materials contained in the exhibits hereto which, under the Condominium Act, are required to be part of the Declaration.
- 23.6 <u>Headings</u>. The heading used in the condominium documents are for reference purposes only, and do not constitute substantive matter to be considered in construing the terms and provisions of these documents.
- 23.7 <u>Singular, Plural and Gender.</u> Whenever the context so requires, the use of the plural shall include the singular and the plural, and the use of any gender shall be deemed to include all genders.

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Exhibit A

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BRIDGEWATER, A CONDOMINIUM DESCRIPTION

A parcel of land situated in the northwest quarter of Section 5, Township 48 South, Range 25 East Collier County, Florida, being described as follows:

Beginning at an intersection of the west line of said Section 5 with the southerly line of those lands recorded in O.R. Book 2012, Page 1728 of the Public Records of Collier County, Florida; said line being the southerly right of way line of Bonita Beach Road (County Road 865), run N87°23°31"E along said line for 345.25 feet to an intersection with the east line of those lands recorded in O.R. Book 1541, Pages 592 through 594 of said Public Records; thence along said east line S00°50°31"E 361.67 feet; thence S86°09'29"W 225.00 feet; thence N67°50'01"W 132.52 feet to the west line of said Section 5; thence along said west line N00°35'00"W 311.09 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

The above describes an area of approximately 2.82 acres of land.

Together with a perpetual waterway easement over and across the following described submerged lands lying in Section 5, Township 48 South Range 35 East, Collier County, Florida:

From the intersection of the west line of said Section 5, Township 48 South, Range 25 East, Collier County, Florida, with the south line of Bonita Beach Road (State Road S-865), run N89°07'30'E, 345.0 feet along said south line of said Bonita Beach Road to the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence from said POINT OF BEGINNING, continue N89°07'30'E, 40 feet, to a point on the said south line of the said Bonita Beach Road, thence S0°52'30'E, 446.75 feet, more or less, to a point on a bulkhead line lying 500 feet south of the north line of Section 5; thence S89°46'00'W, and parallel with the said north line of the said Section 5, 387.28 feet to the west line of the said Section 5; thence N0°35'00'W, along the west line of the said Section 5 112.43 feet to a point in said west line; thence S67°52'00'E, 132.52 feet; thence N86°07'30'E, 225 feet; thence N0°52'30'W, 370 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

Subject to easements, restrictions and reservations of record.

COASTAL ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS, INC. FLORIDA BUSINESS AUTHORIZATION NO. LB 2464

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Richard J. Ewing, V.P.

Professional Surveyor and Mapper

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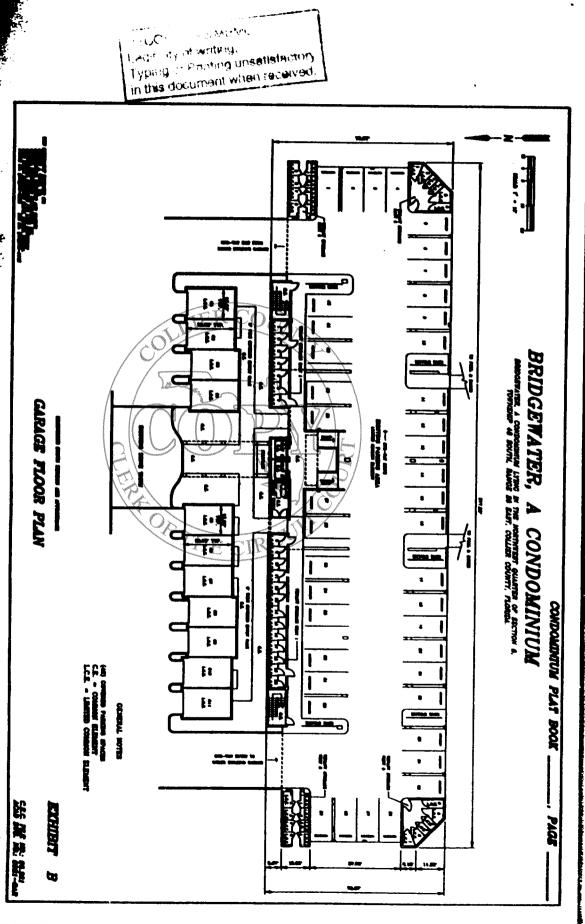
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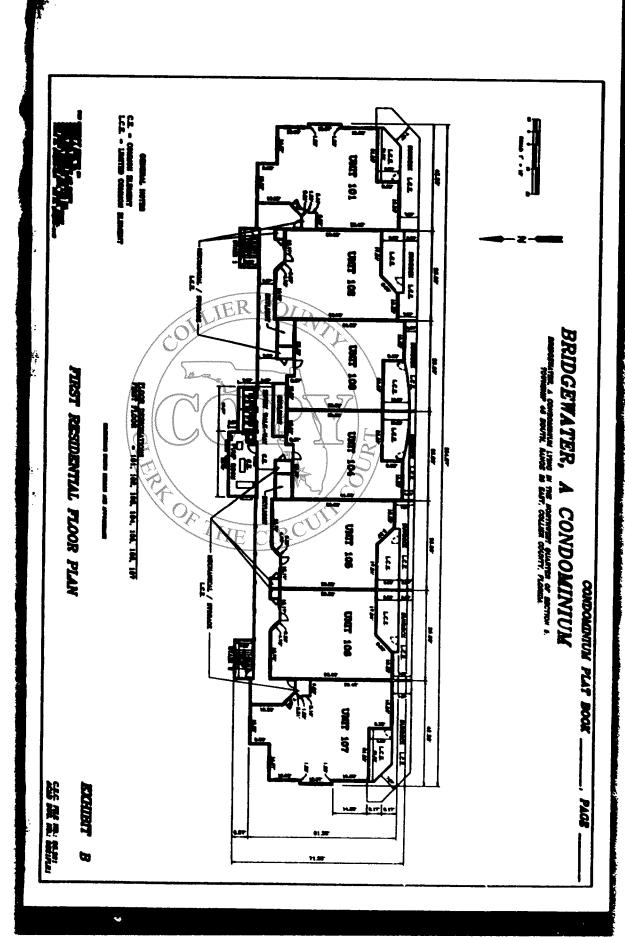
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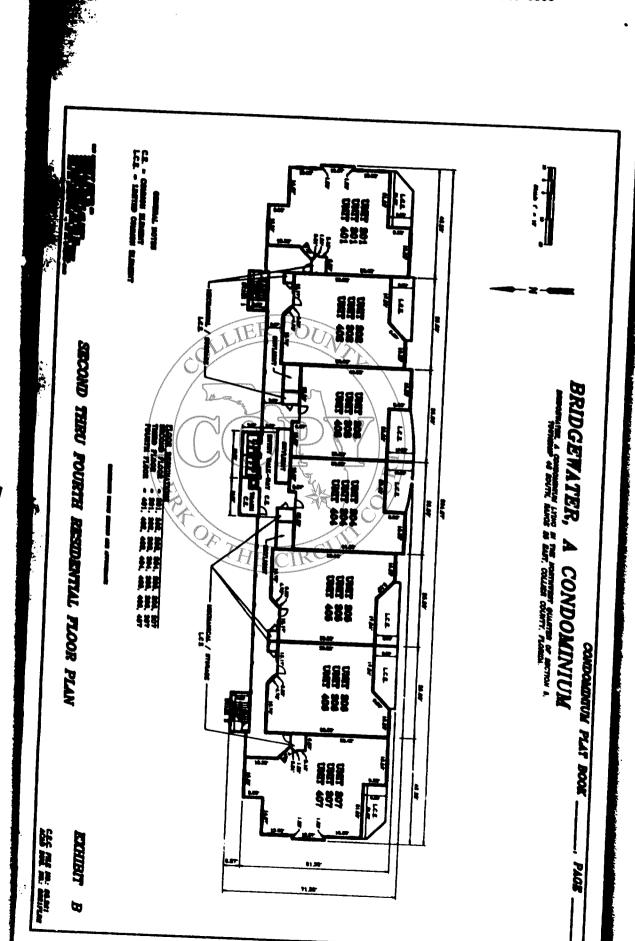
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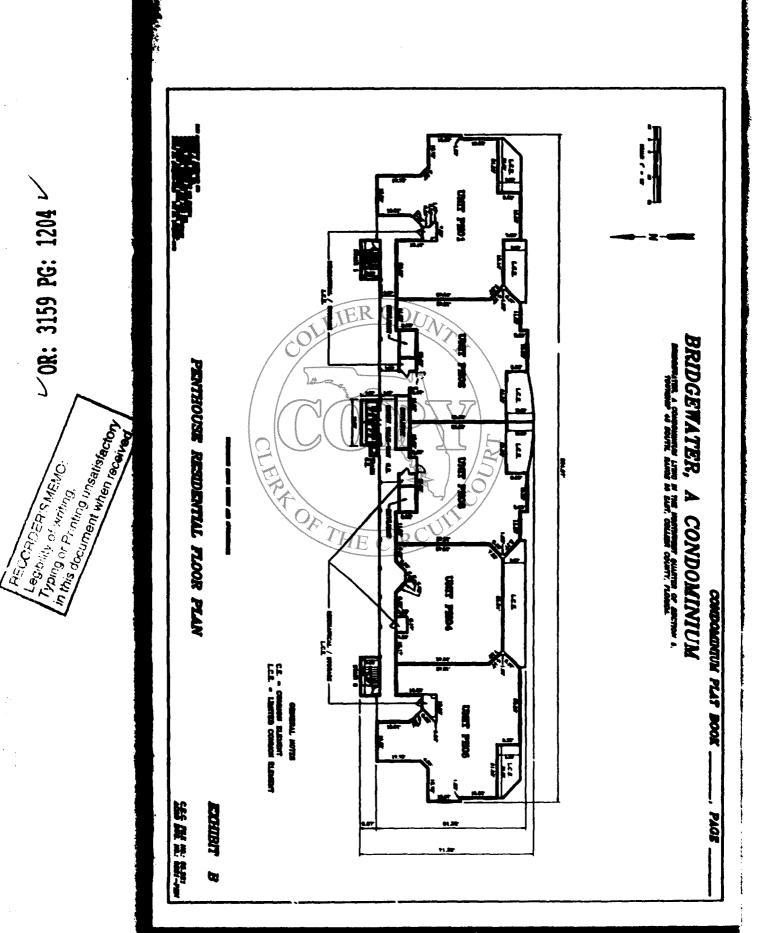


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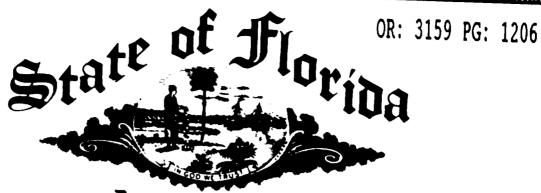


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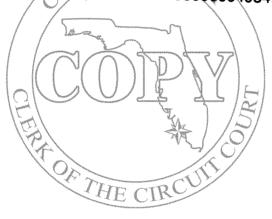
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I certify the attached is a true and correct copy of the Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation, filed on April 24, 2002, for BRIDGEWATER AT BONITA BEACH CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida corporation, as shown by the records of this office.

The document number of this corporation is N95000004954.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Florida at Tallahassee, the Capitol, this the Thirtieth day of April, 2002



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Katherine Harris
Secretary of State

NOTE: AMENDMENT OF ENTIRE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION. FOR PRESENT TEXT SEE EXISTING ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

BRIDGEWATER AT BONITA BEACH CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.

Pursuant to Section 617.0201(4), Florida Statutes, the Articles of Incorporation for Bridgewater at Bonita Beach Condominium Association, Inc., a Florida corporation not for profit, which was originally incorporated under the same name on October 17, 1995, are hereby amended and restated in their entirety. All amendments included herein have been adopted pursuant to Section 617.0201(4), Florida Statutes, and there is no discrepancy between the corporation's Articles of Incorporation as heretofore amended and the provisions of these Amended and Restated Articles other than the inclusion of amendments adopted pursuant to Section 617.0201(4) and the omission of matters of historical interest. The Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation shall henceforth be as follows:

ARTICLE!

NAME: The name of the corporation, herein called the "Association", is Bridgewater at Bonita Beach Condominium Association, Inc., and its address is 4975 Bonita Beach Road, Bonita Springs, Florida 34134.

ARTICLE II

<u>DEFINTIONS</u>: The definitions set forth in the Declaration of Condominium shall apply to the terms used in these Articles.

ARTICLE M

<u>PURPOSE AND POWERS:</u> The purpose for which the Association is organized is to provide an entity pursuant to the Florida Condominium Act for the operation of The Bridgewater, a Condominium, located in Collier County, Florida.

The Association is organized and shall exist on a non-stock basis as a corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida, and no portion of any earning of the Association shall be distributed or inure to the private benefit of any member, Director or officer. For the accomplishment of its purposes, the Association shall have all of the common law and statutory powers and duties of a corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida and of a condominium association under the Florida Condominium Act, except as expressly limited or modified by these Articles, the Declaration of Condominium, and the Bylaws; and it shall have all of the powers and duties reasonable necessary to operate the Condominium pursuant to the condominium documents as they may hereafter by amended, including but not limited to the following:

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- (A) To make and collect assessments against members of the Association to defray the costs, expenses and losses of the Association, and to use the funds in the exercise of its powers and duties.
- (B) To protect, maintain, repair, replace and operate the condominium property and association property.
- (C) To purchase insurance for the protection of the Association and its members.
- (D) To repair and reconstruct improvements after casualty, and to make further improvements of the condominium property.
- (E) To make, amend and enforce reasonable rules and regulations governing the operation of the Association and the use, maintenance, occupancy, alteration, transfer and appearance of units, common elements and limited common elements, subject to any limits set forth in the Declaration of Condominium.
- (F) To approve or disapprove the transfer, leasing and occupancy of units, as provided in the Declaration of Condominium.
- (G) To enforce the provisions of the Condominium Act, the Declaration of Condominium, these Articles, the Bylaws and any Rules and Regulations of the Association.
- (H) To contract for the management and maintenance of the condominium and the condominium property, and to delegate any powers and duties of the Association in connection therewith except such as are specifically required by law or by the Declaration of Condominium to be exercised by the Board of Directors or the membership of the Association.
- (I) To employ accountants, attorneys, architects, and other professional personnel to perform the services required for proper operation of the Condominium.
- (J) To borrow money as necessary to perform its other functions hereunder.
- (K) To grant, modify or move any easement in the manner provided in the Declaration of Condominium.

All funds and the title to all property acquired by the Association shall be held for the benefit of the members in accordance with the provisions of the Declaration of the Condominium, these Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws.

ARTICLE IV

MEMBERSHIP:

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- (A) The members of the Association shall be the record owners of a fee simple interest in one or more units in the Condominium, as further provided in the Bylaws.
- (B) The share of a member in the funds and assets of the Association cannot be assigned or transferred in any manner except as an appurtenance to his unit.
- (C) The owners of each unit, collectively, shall be entitled to one vote in Association matters. The manner of exercising voting rights shall be as set forth in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE V

TERM: The term of the Association shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE VI

BYLAWS: The Bylaws of the Association may be altered, amended, or rescinded in the manner provided therein.

ARTICLE VII

DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS:

- (A) The affairs of the Association shall be administered by a Board of Directors consisting of the number of Directors determined by the Bylaws, but in no event less that three (3) Directors
- (B) Directors of the Association shall be elected by the members in the manner determined by the Bylaws. Directors may be removed and vacancies on the Board of Directors shall be filled in the manner provided by the Bylaws.
- (C) The business of the Association shall be conducted by the officers designated in the Bylaws. The officers shall be elected each year by the Board of Directors at its first meeting after the annual meeting of the members of the Association, and they shall serve at the pleasure of the Board.

ARTICLE VIII

AMENDMENTS: Amendments to these Articles shall be proposed and adopted in the following manner:

(A) Proposal. Amendments to these Articles may be proposed by a majority of the Board or by a written petition to the Board, signed by at least one-fourth (1/4th) of the voting interests of the Association.

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(B) <u>Procedure.</u> Upon any amendment to these Articles being proposed by said Board or unit owners, such proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the owners not later than the next annual meeting for which proper notice can be given.

- (C) Vote Required. Except as otherwise provided by Florida law, a proposed amendment shall be adopted if it is approved by at least two-thirds (2/3) of the voting interests present in person or by proxy and voting at any annual or special meeting called for the purpose. Amendments may also be approved by written consent two thirds (2/3) of the total voting interests. These Articles shall be deemed amended by virtue of revisions to laws, regulations and judicial decisions which control over conflicting provisions set forth herein. The Board of Directors shall have the authority to amend these Articles in order to conform the provisions thereof with such revisions to laws, regulations and judicial decisions. In addition, the Board of Directors may amend these Articles to correct scrivener's errors or omissions, and amend and restate the Articles in order to consolidate into one document amendments previously adopted by the members or the Board. Amendments adopted by the Board shall occur at a duly noticed Board meeting (with adoption of the amendments set forth on the agenda).
- (D) <u>Effective Date.</u> An amendment shall become effective upon filing with the Secretary of State and recording a Certificate of Amendment in the Public Records of Collier County, Florida, with the formalities required by the Condominium Act.

ARTICLE IX

INDEMNIFICATION: To the fullest extent permitted by Florida law, the Association shall indemnify and hold harmless every Director and every officer committee member or employee of the Association against all expenses and liabilities, including attorney fees, actually and reasonably incurred by or imposed on him in connection with any legal proceeding (or settlement or appeal of such proceeding) to which he may be a party because of his being or having been a Director or officer, committee member or employee of the Association. The foregoing right of indemnification shall not be available if a judgement or other final adjudication establishes that his actions or omissions to act were material to the cause adjudicated and involved:

- (A) Willful misconduct or a conscious disregard for the best interests of the Association, in a proceeding by or in the right of the Association to procure a judgement in its favor.
- (B) A violation of criminal law, unless the individual had no reasonable cause to believe his action was unlawful or had reasonable cause to believe his action was lawful.
- (C) A transaction from which the individual derived an improper personal benefit.
- (D) Recklessness, or an act or omission which was committed in bad faith or with malicious purpose or in a manner exhibiting wanton and willful disregard for human rights, safety or property, in an action by or in the right of someone other than the Association or a member.

In the event of a settlement, the right to indemnification shall not apply unless the Board of Directors approves such settlement as being in the best interest of the Association. The foregoing rights of indemnification shall be in addition to and not exclusive of all other rights to which an individual may be entitled.



NOTE: AMENDMENT OF ENTIRE BYLAWS. FOR PRESENT TEXT SEE EXISTING BYLAWS.

AMENDED AND RESTATED BYLAWS

OF

BRIDGEWATER AT BONITA BEACH CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.

- 1. <u>GENERAL</u>. These are the Amended and Restated Bylaws of Bridgewater at Bonita Beach Condominium Association, Inc., hereinafter the "Association", a corporation not for profit organized under the laws of Florida for the purpose of operating a condominium pursuant to the Florida Condominium Act. All prior Bylaws are hereby revoked and superseded in their entirety.
- 1.1 <u>Principal Office.</u> The principal office of the Association is at the Condominium or at such other place in Lee or Collier County, Florida as the Board of Directors shall determine.
- 1.2 <u>Seal.</u> The seal of the Association shall be inscribed with the name of the Association, the year of its organization, and the words "Florida" and "not for profit." The seal may be used by causing it, or a facsimile of it, to be impressed, affixed, reproduced or otherwise placed upon any document or writing of the corporation where a seal may be required.
- 1.3 <u>Definitions.</u> The definitions set forth in Section 4 of the Declaration of Condominium shall apply to terms used in these Bylaws

2. MEMBERS.

- Qualifications. The members of the Association shall be the record owners of legal title to the units in The Bridgewater, a Condominium. In the case of a unit subject to an agreement for deed, the purchaser in possession shall be deemed the owner of the unit for purposes of determining voting and use rights. Membership shall become effective upon the occurrence of the last to occur of the following events.
 - (A) Recording in the Public Records of a Deed or other instrument evidencing legal title to the unit in the member.
 - (B) Approval by the Board of Directors as provided for in the Declaration of Condominium.
 - (C) Delivery to the Association of a copy of the recorded deed or other instrument evidencing title.
 - (D) Delivery to the Association, if required, of a written designation of a primary occupant.
- 2.2 <u>Voting Interest.</u> The members of the Association are entitled to one (1) vote for each unit owned by them. The total number of possible votes (the "voting interests") is equal to the total number of units. The vote of a unit is not divisible. The right to vote may not be denied because of delinquent

BYLAWS EXHIBIT "D" 1 of 12 assessments. If a unit is owned by one natural person, his right to vote shall be established by the record title to the unit. If a unit is owned jointly by two or more natural persons, that unit's vote may be cast by any one of the record owners. If two or more owners of a unit do not agree among themselves how their one vote shall be cast, that vote shall not be counted for any purpose. If the owner of a unit is a corporation, partnership, trust or other entity other than a natural person, the vote of that unit shall be cast by any officer, director, partner or trustee, as the case may be.

- 2.3 Approval or Disapproval of Matters. Whenever the decision or approval of a unit owner is required upon any matter, whether or not the subject of an Association meeting, such decision may be expressed by any person authorized to cast the vote of such unit at an Association meeting as stated in Section 2.2 above, unless the joinder of all record owners is specifically required.
- 2.4 <u>Change of Membership.</u> Following written approval of the Association, as elsewhere required herein, a change of membership in the Association shall be established by the new member's membership becoming effective as provided in 2.1 above. At that time the membership of the prior owner shall be terminated automatically.
- 2.5 <u>Termination of Membership.</u> The termination of membership in the Association does not relieve or release any former member from liability or obligation incurred under or in any way connected with the Condominium during the period of his membership, nor does it impair any rights or remedies which the Association may have against any former owner or member arising out of or in any way connected with such ownership and membership and the covenants and obligations incident thereto.

3. MEMBERS' MEETINGS: VOTING.

- Annual Meeting. There shall be an annual meeting of the members in each calendar year. The annual meeting shall be held in Lee or Collier County, Florida, each year at a day, place and time designated by the Board of Directors, for the purpose of transacting any business duly authorized to be transacted by the members. During the annual meeting the ballots east in the annual election of Directors shall be counted and results announced.
- 3.2 Special Members' Meetings. Special members' meetings must be held whenever called by the President or by a majority of the Directors, and may also be called by members having at least ten percent (10%) of the voting interests. The business at any special meeting shall be limited to the items specified in the notice of meeting.
- 3.3 Notice of Meetings; Waiver of Notice. Notice of all members' meetings must state the time, date, and place of the meeting, and include an agenda for the meeting. The notice of meeting must be mailed to each member at the address which appears on the books of the Association, or may be furnished by personal delivery. The member is responsible for providing the Association with notice of any change of address. The notice of meeting must be mailed or delivered at least fourteen (14) days before the meeting. An affidavit of the officer or other person making such mailing shall be retained in the Association records as proof of mailing. If ownership of a unit is transferred after notice has been mailed, no separate notice to the new owner is required. Attendance at any meeting by a member constitutes waiver of notice by that member unless the member objects to the lack of notice at the beginning of the meeting. A member may waive notice of any meeting at any time, but only by written waiver.

- 3.4 <u>Notice of Annual Meeting: Special Requirements.</u> Notice of the annual meeting shall be posted in a conspicuous place on the condominium property for at least fourteen (14) continuous days prior to the annual meeting.
- 3.5 Quorum. A quorum at meetings of the members shall be attained by the presence, either in person or by proxy, of persons entitled to cast 1/3 of the votes of the Association.
- 3.6 <u>Vote Required.</u> The acts approved by a majority of the votes cast at a duly called meeting of the members at which a quorum has been attained shall be binding upon all unit owners for all purposes, except where a greater or different number of votes is expressly required by law or by any provision of the condominium documents.
- 3.7 Proxy Voting. To the extent lawful, any person entitled to attend and vote at a members meeting may establish his presence and cast his vote by proxy. A proxy shall be valid only for the specific meeting for which originally given and any lawful adjournment of that meeting, and no proxy is valid for a period longer than ninety (90) days after the date of the first meeting for which it was given. Every proxy shall be revocable at the pleasure of the person executing it. To be valid, a proxy must be in writing, dated, signed by the person authorized to cast the vote for the unit, specify the date, time and place of the meeting for which it is given, and the original must be delivered to the Secretary by the appointed time of the meeting or adjournment thereof. Holders of proxies need not be members. No proxy shall be valid if it names more than one person as the holder of the proxy, but the holder shall have the right, if the proxy so provides, to substitute another person to hold the proxy.
- Adjourned Meetings. Any duly called meeting of the members may be adjourned to be reconvened at a specific later time by vote of the majority of the voting interests present in person or by proxy, regardless of whether a quorum has been attained. When a meeting is adjourned it shall be necessary to give notice to all members of the time and place of its continuance regardless of whether such are announced at the meeting being adjourned. Any business which might have been conducted at the meeting as originally scheduled may instead be conducted at the continuance, provided a quorum is then present, in person or by proxy.
- 3.9 Order of Business. The order of business at members' meetings shall be substantially as follows:
 - (A) Call of the roll or determination of quorum.
 - (B) Reading or disposal of minutes of last members meeting
 - (C) Reports of Officers
 - (D) Reports of Committees
 - (E) Unfinished Business
 - (F) New Business
 - (G) Adjournment
- 3.10 <u>Minutes.</u> Minutes of all meetings of members and of the Board of Directors shall be kept in a businesslike manner and available for inspection by members or their authorized representatives and

Board members at reasonable times and for a period of seven (7) years after the meeting. Minutes must be reduced to written form within thirty (30) days after the meeting at which they were taken.

- 3.11 <u>Parliamentary Rules.</u> Roberts' Rules of Order (latest edition) shall guide the conduct of the Association meeting when not in conflict with the law, with the Declaration, or with these Bylaws. The presiding officer may appoint a Parliamentarian whose decision on questions of parliamentary procedure shall be final. Any question or point of order not raised at the meeting to which it relates shall be deemed waived.
- annual election of Directors, any action required or permitted to be taken at a meeting of the members may be taken by mail without a meeting if written consents or other instruments expressing approval of the action proposed to be taken are signed and returned by members having not less than the minimum number of votes that would be necessary to take such action at a meeting at which all of the voting interests were present and voting. If the requisite number of written consents are received by the Secretary within sixty (60) days after the earliest date which appears on any of the consent forms received, the proposed action so authorized shall be of full force and effect as if the action had been approved by vote of the members at a meeting of the members held on the sixtieth (60th) day. Within ten (10) days thereafter, the Board shall send written notice of the action taken to all members who have not consented in writing. If the vote is taken by the method described in this Section 3.12, the list of unit owners on record with the Secretary at the time of mailing the voting material shall be the list of qualified voters.
- 4. <u>BOARD OF DIRECTORS.</u> The administration of the affairs of the Association shall be by a Board of Directors. All powers and duties granted to the Association by law, as modified and explained in the Declaration, Articles of Incorporation, and these Bylaws, shall be exercised by the Board, subject to approval or consent of the unit owners only when such is specifically required.
- Mumber and Terms of Service. The number of Directors which shall constitute the whole Board of Directors shall be five (5). All Directors shall be elected for two (2) year terms. A Director's term will end at the annual election at which his successor is to be duly elected, unless he sooner resigns, or is recalled as provided in 4.5 below. Directors shall be elected by the members as described in Section 4.3 below, or in the case of a vacancy, as provided in Section 4.4 below.
- 4.2 Qualifications. Directors must be members of the Association or a spouse of a member. In the case of a unit owned by a corporation, any officer is eligible for election to the Board of Directors. If a unit is owned by a partnership, any partner is eligible to be a Director. If a unit is held in trust, the trustee, grantor or settlor of the trust, or any one of the beneficial owners residing in the unit is eligible to be elected to the Board of Directors. In addition, any person designated as the "voting representative" under Section 2.2 may serve as a Director.
- 4.3 <u>Nomination and Elections.</u> On the day of each annual meeting the members shall elect by written ballot as many Directors as there are regular terms of Directors expiring. Notice of each annual election shall be given to all owners at least sixty (60) day in advance. Any person eligible to serve as a Director who wishes to qualify as a candidate may notify the Association in writing of his desire to be a candidate at least forty (40) days prior to the annual election. Notice shall be deemed effective when

received by the Association. Any person indicating his or her desire to qualify as a candidate may also include with such notification and subject to the same forty (40) day deadline, a separate information sheet, no larger than 8 1/2 inches by 11 inches, which describes the candidate's background, education and qualifications for office, and any other information deemed relevant by the candidate. The Association shall mail or deliver a second notice of the election, together with the candidate information sheets and a ballot which shall list all candidates in alphabetical order by surname, at least fourteen (14) days in advance of the election; provided, however, that if the number of candidates does not exceed the number of vacancies, then no election shall be required. Directors shall be elected by a plurality of the votes cast. In the election of Directors, there shall be appurtenant to each unit as many votes for Directors as there are Directors to be elected, but no unit may cast more than one vote for any candidate, it being the intent hereof that voting for Directors shall be non-cumulative.

- 4.4 <u>Vacancies on the Board.</u> If the office of any Director becomes vacant for any reason, a majority of the remaining Directors, though less than a quorum, shall promptly choose a successor to fill the remaining unexpired term. If for any reason there shall arise circumstances in which no Directors are serving and the entire Board is vacant, the members shall elect successors by written ballot in the same manner as provided generally for regular annual elections, except that the election need not take place on the date of the annual meeting.
- 4.5 Removal of Directors. Any or all Directors may be removed with or without cause by a majority vote of the entire membership, either by a written petition, or at any meeting called for that purpose, in the manner required by Florida law.
- 4.6 Organizational Meeting. The organizational meeting of a new Board of Directors shall be held within ten (10) days after the election. The organizational meeting may occur immediately following the election, in which case notice of the organizational meeting may be provided by the existing Board.
- 4.7 Other Meetings: Meetings of the Board may be held at such time and place in Lee or Collier Counties, Florida, as shall be determined from time to time by the President or a majority of the Directors. Notice of meetings shall be given to each Director, personally or by mail, telephone or telegram at least two (2) days prior to the day named for such meeting.
- Notice to Owners. All meetings of the Board of Directors shall be open to members and notices of all Board meeting (including an agenda) shall be posted conspicuously on the condominium property for at least forty-eight (48) continuous hours in advance of each Board meeting, except in an emergency. Any item not included on the agenda may be taken up on an emergency basis by at least a majority plus one of the members of the Board. Such emergency action shall be noticed and ratified at the next regular meeting of the Board. Notice of any Board meeting at which a non-emergency special assessment or amendment to rules regarding unit use will be considered shall conform to the requirements set forth in Section 6.6 below. Notice of any Board meeting at which a budget will be adopted or amended shall conform to the requirements of Section 6.2 below. The rights of owners to attend Board meetings includes the right to speak on designated agenda items, subject to the rules of the Association as to the manner of doing so. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Condominium Documents, meetings of the Board or a committee with the Association's attorney with respect to proposed or pending litigation, when the meeting is held for the purpose of seeking or rendering legal advice, shall not be governed by the provisions of Section 4.8 of these Bylaws.

4.9 <u>Waiver of Notice.</u> Any Director may waive notice of a meeting before or after the meeting, and such waiver shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of notice. If all Directors are present at a meeting, no notice to Directors shall be required.

- 4.10 Quorum of Directors. A quorum at a Board meeting shall exist when at least a majority of all Directors are present at a duly called meeting. Directors may participate in any meeting of the Board, by a conference telephone call or similar communicative arrangement whereby all persons present can hear and speak to all other persons. Participation by such means shall be deemed equivalent to presence in person at a meeting. Directors may not vote or participate by proxy at Board meetings.
- 4.11 <u>Vote Required.</u> The acts approved by a majority of those Directors present and voting at a meeting at which a quorum exists shall constitute the acts of the Board of Directors, except when approval by a greater number of Directors is required by the condominium documents or by applicable statutes. A director who is present at a meeting of the Board shall be deemed to have voted in favor of any action taken, unless he voted against such action or abstained from voting because of an asserted conflict of interest. The vote or abstention of each Director present on each issue voted upon shall be recorded in the minutes. Action required or permitted by Florida law or the Condominium Documents to be taken at a Board meeting may be taken without a meeting if all Directors sign written consents describing the action taken. Action taken without a meeting is effective when the last written consent is obtained, unless the written consent specifies a different effective date.
- 4.12 Adjourned Meetings. The majority of the Directors present at any meeting of the Board, regardless of whether a quorum exists, may adjourn the meeting to be reconvened at a specific time and date. At any reconvened meeting, provided a quorum is present, any business may be transacted that might have been transacted at the meeting as originally called.
- 4.13 The Presiding Officer. The President of the Association, or in his absence, the Vice-President, shall be the presiding officer at all meetings of the Board of Directors. If neither is present, the presiding officer shall be selected by majority vote of the Directors present.
- 4.14 <u>Compensation of Directors and Officers.</u> Neither Directors nor officers shall receive compensation for their services as such. Directors and officers may be reimbursed for all actual and proper out-of-pocket expenses relating to the proper discharge of their respective duties.
- 4.15 <u>Committees</u>. The Board of Directors may appoint from time to time such standing or temporary committees as the Board deem necessary and convenient for the efficient and effective operation of the Condominium. Any such committee shall have the powers and duties assigned to it in the resolution creating the committee. A committee which advises the Board on the budget, or a committee which has authority to take action on behalf of the Board, shall be subject to the provisions of Section 4.8 of these Bylaws. All other committees shall not be subject to Section 4.8 of these Bylaws.
- 4.16 <u>Emergency Powers</u>. In the event of an "emergency" as defined in Section 4.16(G) below, the Board of Directors may exercise the emergency powers described in this Section, and any other emergency powers authorized by Sections 617.0207, and 617.0303, Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time.

(A) The Board may name as assistant officers persons who are not Directors, which assistant officers shall have the same authority as the executive officers to whom they are assistant during the period of the emergency, to accommodate the incapacity of any officer of the Association.

- (B) The Board may relocate the principal office or designate alternative principal offices or authorize the officers to do so.
- (C) During any emergency the Board may hold meeting with notice given only to those Directors with whom it is practicable to communicate, and the notice may be given in any practicable manner, including publication or radio. The D irector or Directors in attendance at such a meeting shall constitute a quorum.
- (D) Corporate action taken in good faith during an emergency under this Section to further the ordinary affairs of the Association shall bind the Association; and shall have the rebuttable presumption of being reasonable and necessary.
- (E) Any officer, director, or employee of the Association acting with a reasonable belief that his or her actions are lawful in accordance with these emergency Bylaws shall incur no liability for doing so, except in the case of willful misconduct.
- (F) These emergency Bylaws shall supersede any inconsistent or contrary provisions of the Bylaws during the period of the emergency.
- (G) For purposes of this Section only, an "emergency" exists only during a period of time that the condominium, or the immediate geographic area in which the condominium is located, is subjected to:
- (1) a state of emergency declared by local civil or law enforcement authorities;
- (2) a hurricane warning HE CIR
- (3) a partial or complete evacuation order;
- (4) federal or state "disaster area" status; or
- (5) a catastrophic occurrence, whether natural or manmade, which seriously damages or threatens to seriously damage the physical existence of the condominium, such as an earthquake, tidal wave, fire, hurricane, tornado, war, civil unrest, or act of terrorism.

An "emergency" also exists for purposes of this Section during the time when a quorum of the Board cannot readily be assembled because of the occurrence of a catastrophic event, such as a hurricane, earthquake, act of war or terrorism, or other similar event. A determination by any two (2) Directors, or by the President, that an emergency exists shall have presumptive validity.

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5. OFFICERS.

- 5.1 Officers and Elections. The executive officers of the Association shall be a President, and a Vice-President, who must be Directors, a Treasurer and a Secretary, all of whom shall be elected annually by the Board of Directors. Any officer may be removed with or without cause by vote of a majority of all Directors at any meeting. Any person may hold two or more offices. The Board may, from time to time, appoint such other officers, and designate their powers and duties, as the Board shall find to be required to manage the affairs of the Association. If the Board so determines, there may be more than one Vice-President.
- 5.2 President. The President shall be the chief executive officer of the Association; he shall preside at all meetings of the members and Directors, shall be ex-officio a member of all standing committees, shall have general and active management of the business of the Association, and shall see that all orders and resolutions of the Board are carried into effect. He shall execute bonds, mortgages and other contracts requiring seal of the Association, except where such are permitted by law to be otherwise signed and executed, and the power to execute is delegated by the Board of Directors to some other officer or agent of the Association.
- 5.3 <u>Vice-Presidents</u>. The Vice-Presidents in the order of their seniority shall, in the absence or disability of the President, perform the duties and exercise the powers of the President; and they shall perform such other duties as the Board of Directors shall assign.
- 5.4 Secretary. The Secretary shall attend all meetings of the Board of Directors and all meetings of the members and shall cause all votes and the minutes of all proceedings to be recorded in a book or books to be kept for the purpose, and shall perform like duties for the standing committees when required. He shall give, or cause to be given, notice of all meetings of the members and of the Board of Directors, and shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board or the President. He shall keep in safe custody the seal of the Association and, when authorized by the Board, affix the same to any instrument requiring it. The Secretary shall be responsible for the proper recording of all duly adopted amendments to the condominium documents. Any of the foregoing duties may be performed by an Assistant Secretary, if one has been designated.
- 5.5 Treasurer. The Treasurer shall be responsible for Association funds and securities, the keeping of full and accurate amounts of receipts and disbursements in books belonging to the Association, and the deposit of all monies and other valuable effects in the name and to the credit of the Association in such depositories as may be designated by the Board of Directors. He shall oversee the disbursement of the funds of the Association, keeping proper vouchers for such disbursements, and shall render to the President and Directors, at the meetings of the Board, or whenever they may require it, an accounting of all transactions and of the financial condition of the Association. Any of the foregoing duties may be performed by an Assistant Treasurer, if any has been designated.
- 6. <u>FISCAL MATTERS</u>. The provisions for fiscal management of the Association set forth in the Declaration of Condominium shall be supplemented by the following provisions:

6.1 <u>Depository</u>. The Association shall maintain its funds in such insured financial institutions authorized to do business in the State of Florida as shall be designated from time to time by the Board. Withdrawal of monies from such accounts shall be only by such persons as are authorized by the Board. The Board may invest Association funds in interest-bearing accounts, money market funds, certificates of deposit, U.S. Government securities, and other similar investment vehicles.

- 6.2 <u>Budget</u>. The Board of Directors shall adopt a budget of common expenses and limited common expenses for each fiscal year. A copy of the proposed budget and a notice stating the time, date and place of the meeting of the Board at which the budget will be adopted shall be mailed to the owner of each unit not less than fourteen (14) days prior to that meeting. The proposed budget shall be detailed and shall show the amounts budgeted by income and expense classifications.
- 6.3 Statutory Reserves and Limited Common Reserves for Capital Expenditures and Deferred Maintenance. In addition to annual operating expenses, the proposed budget must include reserve and limited common reserve accounts for capital expenditures and deferred maintenance as required by law. These accounts shall include, but are not limited to, roof replacement, building painting, and pavement resurfacing. They shall also include any other planned or foreseeable capital expenditure or deferred maintenance item with a current estimated cost of \$10,000 or more. The amount to be reserved shall be computed by a formula based upon estimated life and replacement cost of each item. These reserves shall be funded unless the members subsequently determine by majority vote of those present in person or by proxy at a duly called meeting to fund no reserves or less than adequate reserves for a fiscal year. The limited common reserves shall be funded unless the members obligated to pay the limited common reserves subsequently determine by majority vote of those present in person or by proxy at a duly called meeting to fund no reserves or less than adequate reserves for a fiscal year. A vote to waive or reduce reserves, if any is taken, may be taken only after the proposed budget has been mailed to the unit owners as required in 6.2 above. Reserves funded under this paragraph, and all interest earned on such reserves, shall not be commingled with operating funds (unless combined for investment purposes), and shall be used only for the purposes for which they were reserved, unless their use for other purposes is permitted by law or is approved in advance by a majority vote of the members obligated to pay the reserves at a members' meeting called for that purpose. Operating and reserve funds may be invested in combined accounts, but such funds shall be accounted for separately, and the combined account balance may not, at any time, be less than the amount identified as reserve funds in the combined account, or the minimum amount required by law. Operating and reserve funds may be combined in the quarterly assessment paid by unit owners, provided that the operating and reserve funds are segregated within 30 days after receipt (unless combined for investment purposes).
- 6.4 Other Reserves. In addition to the statutory reserves provided in Section 6.3 above, or in place of them if the members so vote, the Board may establish one or more "contingency reserves" as defined in Rule 61B-22.001(4), Florida Administrative Code, as the same may be amended from time to time. The purpose of these contingency reserves is to provide financial stability and to avoid the need for special assessments on a frequent basis. The amounts proposed to be so reserved shall be shown in the proposed annual budget as a line item in the operating portion of the budget. These funds may be spent for any purpose approved by the Board.
- 6.5 <u>Assessments</u>. Regular annual assessments based on the adopted budget shall be paid either monthly, or quarterly, as determined by the Board. Failure to send or receive notice of assessments shall not

excuse the obligation to pay. If an annual budget has not been adopted at the time the first installment for a fiscal year is due, it shall be presumed that the amount of such installment is the same as the last installment and shall be continued at such rate until a budget is adopted and pro rata assessments are calculated, at which time any overage or shortage shall be added or subtracted from each unit's next due installment.

- 6.6 Special Assessments. Special assessments may be imposed by the Board of Directors when necessary to meet unusual, unexpected, unbudgeted, or non-recurring expenses. Special assessments are due on the day specified in the resolution of the Board approving such assessments. Written notice of any Board meeting at which a non-emergency special assessment will be considered, must be mailed to all unit owners at least fourteen (14) days in advance, which notice shall state that assessments will be considered and the nature of any such assessments. The notice to owners that any special assessment has been levied must contain a statement of the purpose(s) of the assessment, and the funds collected must be spent for the stated purpose(s). If any funds remain upon completion of the purpose(s) such excess funds may, at the discretion of the Board, either be returned to the unit owners or applied as a credit towards future assessments.
- 6.7 <u>Fidelity Bonds</u>. The Association shall obtain and maintain adequate insurance or fidelity bonding of all persons who control or disburse Association funds. The insurance policy or fidelity bond must cover the maximum funds that will be in the custody of the Association or its management agent at any one time, or the maximum amount required by law. The term "persons who control or disburse Association funds", includes, but is not limited to those individuals authorized to sign checks and the President, Secretary and Treasurer of the Association. The Association shall bear the cost of bonding. The premiums on such insurance or bonds shall be a common expense.
- 6.8 Financial Statements. Within 90 days after the end of the fiscal year, the Association shall prepare and complete, or cause to be prepared and completed by a third party, a financial report for the preceding fiscal year. Within 21 days after the financial report is completed or received by the Association from the third party, the Association shall mail to each unit owner at the address last furnished to the Association by the unit owner, or hand deliver to each unit owner, a copy of the financial report or a notice that a copy of the financial report will be mailed or hand delivered to the unit owner, without charge, upon receipt of a written request from the unit owner.
- 6.9 Fiscal Year. The fiscal year shall be the calendar year, unless modified by the Board of Directors in accordance with IRS regulations.
- 7. RULES AND REGULATIONS: USE RESTRICTIONS. The Board of Directors may, from time to time, adopt and amend administrative rules and regulations governing the operation of the Association and the use, occupancy, alteration, maintenance, transfer and appearance of units, common elements and limited common elements, subject to any limits contained in the Declaration of Condominium. Copies of such rules and regulations shall be furnished to each unit owner. Any rule or regulation created and imposed by the Board must be reasonably related to the promotion of health, happiness and peace of mind of the unit owners and uniformly applied and enforced. Rules regarding unit use shall be adopted by the Board of Directors as set forth in Section 4.8 hereof.
- 8. <u>COMPLIANCE AND DEFAULT: REMEDIES</u>. In addition to the remedies provided elsewhere in the condominium documents, the following provisions shall apply:

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8.1 Fines. The Board of Directors may levy reasonable fines against units whose owners commit violations of the Condominium Act, the provisions of the condominium documents or Association rules and regulations, or condone such violations by their family members, guests or lessees. A fine may be levied on the basis of each day of a continuing violation, with a single notice and opportunity for hearing. The fines shall be in an amount deemed necessary by the Board to deter future violations, but in no event shall any fine exceed the maximum amounts allowed by law (Currently \$100 per violation, \$1,000 maximum for a continuing violation.) The procedure for imposing such fines shall be as follows:

- (A) The party against whom the fine is sought to be levied shall be afforded an opportunity for hearing before a committee of other unit owners after reasonable notice of not less than fourteen (14) days, and the notice shall include:
 - (1) A statement of the date, time and place of the hearing;
 - (2) A statement of the provisions of the Declaration, Bylaws or rules which have allegedly been violated; and,
 - (3) A short and plain statement of the matters asserted by the Association; and,
 - (4) The possible amounts of any proposed fine.
- (B) The party against whom the fine may be levied shall have a reasonable opportunity to respond, to present evidence, and to provide written and oral argument on all issues involved, and shall have an opportunity at the hearing to review, challenge, and respond to any material considered by the Association. The hearing shall be conducted before a panel of three (3) unit owners appointed by the Board, none of whom may then be serving as Directors, or be related by blood, adoption or marriage to or employed by a Director. If the committee by majority vote does not agree with the fine, it shall not be levied. The unit owner shall be the party ultimately responsible for payment of a fine, regardless of whether the fine relates to conduct by a tenant, family member, invitee or guest.
- 8.2 <u>Mandatory Non-Binding Arbitration</u>. In the event of any "dispute" in Section 718.1255 Florida Statutes, between a unit owner and the Association, the parties must submit the dispute to mandatory non-binding arbitration under the rules of the Division of Florida Land Sales, Condominiums, and Mobile Homes prior to filing suit over the disputed matters. Nothing herein shall be construed to require arbitration of disputes related to the levy or collection of fees or assessments.
- 8.3 Availability of Remedies. Each member, for himself, his heirs, successors and assigns, agrees to the foregoing provisions relating to default and abatement of violations regardless of the harshness of the remedy utilized by the Association and regardless of the availability of other legal remedies. It is the intent of all members to give the Association methods and procedures which will enable it to operate on a businesslike basis, to collect those monies due it and to preserve the majority's right to enjoy the condominium property free from unreasonable restraint and annoyance.
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- 10. <u>AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS</u>. Amendments to these Bylaws shall be proposed and adopted in the following manner:
- 10.1 <u>Proposal</u>. Amendments to these Bylaws may be proposed by the Board of Directors or by written petition to the Board signed by the owners of at least one-fourth (1/4) of the units.
- 10.2 <u>Procedure</u>. Upon any amendment or amendments to these Bylaws being proposed by said Board or unit owners, such proposed amendment or amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the owners not later than the next annual meeting for which proper notice can still be given.
- 10.3 Vote Required. Except as otherwise provided by law, or by specific provision of the condominium documents, a proposed amendment to these Bylaws shall be adopted if it is approved by at least two-thirds (2/3) of the voting interests present in person or by proxy and voting at any annual or special meeting called for the purpose, provided that notice of the proposed amendment has been given to the members in accordance with law. Amendments may also be approved by written consent of two-thirds (2/3) of the total voting interests. These Bylaws shall be deemed amended by virtue of revisions to laws, regulations and judicial decisions which control over conflicting provisions set forth herein. The Board of Directors shall have the authority to amend these Bylaws in order to conform the provisions thereof with such revisions to laws, regulations and judicial decisions. In addition, the Board of Directors may amend these Bylaws to correct scrivener's errors or omissions, and amend and restate the Bylaws in order to consolidate into one document amendments previously adopted by the members or the Board. Amendments adopted by the Board shall occur at a duly noticed Board meeting (with adoption of the amendments set forth on the agenda).
- 10.4. Certificate: Recording. A copy of each adopted amendment shall be attached to a certificate that the amendment was duly adopted as an amendment to the Bylaws, which certificate shall be in the form required by law and shall be executed by the President or Vice-President with the formalities of a deed. The amendment shall be effective when the certificate and copy of the amendment are recorded in the Public Records of Collier County, Florida.

11. MISCELLANEOUS.

- 11.1 Gender. Whenever the masculine or singular form of a pronoun is used in these Bylaws, it shall be construed to mean the masculine, feminine or neuter; singular or plural, as the context requires.
- 11.2 <u>Severability</u>. Should any portion hereof be void or become unenforceable, the remaining provisions of the instrument shall remain in full force and effect.
- 11.3 <u>Conflict</u>. If any irreconcilable conflict should exist, or hereafter arise, with respect to the interpretation of these Bylaws and the Declaration of Condominium or Articles of Incorporation, the provisions of the Declaration and of the Articles of Incorporation shall prevail over the provisions of these Bylaws.

BRIDGEWATER AT BONITA BEACH CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.

BOAT LIFT SPECIFICATIONS AND REGULATIONS

These specifications/regulations and the ultimate installation of any boatlift are subject to FDEP permit 112383809 and applicable Florida Statutes/Administrative Codes. In the event of substantive differences which would cause said structure to materially change in appearance and/or operation as determined by the Board, permission to erect such structure could be denied. (As provided in Declaration of Condominium at Section 12.17)

Permission by the Board to erect such boatlifts as described below does in no way waive necessary and mandatory permits (environmentally, mechanical, electrical, etc.) normally associated with this or any new construction. Nor does compliance with the following eliminate the need for the owner to seek and receive written approval by the Board prior to any construction. Any commitments, deposits, promises or other obligations by the owner prior to approval of the Board are solely the responsibility of the owner.

BOAT LIFTS to be installed:

- 1. Shall not protrude beyond the existing dock, beyond the ends of the dock, nor protrude over into the common area at the front of the boat slip.
- 2. Under no conditions are the docks (common property elements) to be altered or cut into.
- 3. The bottom surface of the beam used to hoist the boat cradle must be 6' 0" above the finger pier.
- 4. At least two weeks prior to any work being done, a complete plan and set of specifications must be presented to the Board. These must be approved by the Board in writing prior to any work being done.
- 5. The owner of the lift must provide the Management Company with a certificate of insurance for the boatlift showing the Bridgewater as named insured.
- 6. The Board must approve the installing contractor. All contractors must file proof of the appropriate license, liability, compensation insurance, and other requisite materials with the Association Management Company. Approval of a contractor is based upon commonly used methods for verifications of the proper documentation, insurance, and the ability to perform the work within specifications. Such approval is not intended as any endorsement of a specific vendor, nor does the Board or the Association assume any liability for the work being done or fix damage to the owner's property of other common areas. That will be the liability of the owner contracting the work being done. Such owner will be totally responsible.
- 7. Copies of all permits, license and other documents appropriate for the construction of a boatlift, which are enforceable at the time of construction, shall be filed with the Association Management Company.
- 8. To assure uniform appearance:
 - a) All additional pilings shall be at uniform height to provide the beams at a 7' 0" height.

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- b) All wood structures shall be covered with materials identical with that currently used to cover existing pilings. Metal pilings will be coated or painted with an appropriate white coating.
- 9. Owner shall maintain the boatlift in good repair mechanically and cosmetically.
- 10. In the event a lift, in an adjacent slip, separated by pilings, is to be installed, the following is required:
 - a) The second owner to install has the right to install his or her lift on the centerline between the two fingers. This must be accomplished by stacking the second lift to the centerline pilings.
 - b) The second owner must reimburse the first owner for one of the two new pilings provided he or she uses one or two of the pilings the first owner installed. (The amount paid will be current market value for one piling installed.)
- 11. Completed installation must be inspected by the Dock Committee. Such approval is then submitted and ratified by the Board. In the event the Dock Committee cannot, for whatever reason, inspect and approve the completed installation, a forum of the Board can provide such inspection and approval.
- 12. Approval by the Dock Committee, and subsequent ratification by the Board does not carry any implication of the quality of construction, nor is there any stated or implied approval of the safety and viability of installation for the purpose intended. Board approval is not a sanction that the equipment is of any particular quality nor that the workmanship is of the necessary skill, and such approval does not state or imply any liability on the part of the Board or the Condominium Association. Further, Committee approval and Board ratification does not carry or imply any guarantee or warranty of satisfactory completion by the contractor.