## ARTICLE XIV INTEGRATED NATURE OF THE COVERED PROPERTY.

Section 1 - Supplementary Declarations. A Supplementary Declaration shall be a writing recordable form which annexes real property to the plan of this Declaration and which incorporates by reference all of the covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements and other provisions of this Declaration and shall contain such other provisions as set forth in this Declaration relating to Supplementary Declarations. Such Supplementary Declarations contemplated above may contain such complementary additions and modifications of the covenants, conditions and restrictions contained in this Declaration as may be necessary to reflect the different character, if any, of the annexed property and as are not inconsistent with the plan of this Declaration.

Section 2 - Annexation Pursuant to Approval. Upon approval in writing of the Association, pursuant to the vote or written assent of two-thirds of the voting power the Members, the Association may add real property, and to subject such property to the jurisdiction of the Association, may file or record a Supplementary Declaration. The certificate of the President and the secretary of the Association attached to any Supplementary Declaration recorded pursuant to this Section certifying that the required two-thirds (2/3) of the voting power of the Members has approved the annexation of additional area, and the recordation of such Supplementary Declaration shall be deemed conclusive proof thereof.

Section 3 - Mergers or Consolidations. Upon a merger or consolidation of the Association with another association which merger or consolidation must be approved by two-thirds (2/3) of the voting power of the Members, the Association's properties, rights and obligations may, by operation of law, be transferred to the surviving or consolidated association, or, alternatively, the properties, rights and obligations of another association may, be operation of law, be added to the properties, rights and obligations of the Association as a surviving corporation pursuant to a merger. The surviving or consolidated association may administer the covenants, conditions and restrictions established by this Declaration within the Covered Property, together with the covenants and restrictions established upon any other property as one plan.

Section 4 - Limitation Upon Annexation. Notwithstanding the foregoing Sections of this Article, no annexation of additional real property to this Declaration, unless there has been approval thereof by a majority of the voting power of the Association, shall have the effect of either overburdening the common interests of the then existing Owners, except as set forth in this Declaration or substantially increasing the Assessments of such Owners.

## ARTICLE XV RIGHTS OF LENDERS

Section 1 - Filing Notice; Notices and Approvals. A Mortgagee shall not be entitled to receive any notice which this Declaration requires the Association to deliver to mortgagees unless and until such Mortgagee, or its mortgage servicing contractor, has delivered to the Board a written notice stating that such Mortgagee is the holder of a Mortgage encumbering a Residence within the Covered Property. Such notice need not state which Residence or Residences are encumbered by such Mortgagee, but shall state whether such Mortgagee is a First Mortgagee. Wherever the approval of all or a specified percentage of Mortgagees is required pursuant to this Declaration, it shall be deemed to mean the vote or approval of all or a specified percentage only of those Mortgagees which have delivered such notice to the Board. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if any right of a Mortgagee under this Declaration is conditioned on a specific written request to the Association, in addition to having delivered the notice provided in this Section, a Mortgagee must also make such request, either in a separate writing delivered to the Association or in the notice provided above in this Section, in order to be entitled to such right. Except as provided in this Section, a Mortgagee's rights pursuant to this Declaration, including, without limitation, the priority of the lien of Mortgages over the lien of Assessments levied by the Association hereunder shall not be affected by the failure to deliver a notice to the Board. Any notice or request delivered to the Board by a Mortgagee shall remain effective without any further action by such Mortgagee for so long as the facts set forth in

such notice or request remain unchanged.

- Section 2 Priority of Mortgagee Lien. No breach of the covenants, conditions or restrictions herein contained, nor the enforcement of any lien provisions herein, shall affect, impair, defeat or render invalid the lien or charge of any Mortgage made in good faith and for value encumbering any Residence, but all of said covenants, conditions and restrictions shall be binding upon and effective against any Owner whose title is derived through foreclosure or trustee's sale, or otherwise, with respect to a Residence except as otherwise provided in this Article.
- Section 3 Curing Defaults. A Mortgagee or the immediate transferee of such Mortgagee, who acquires title by judicial foreclosure, deed in lieu of foreclosure or trustee's sale shall not be obligated to cure any breach of the provisions of this Declaration which is noncurable or of a type which is not practical or feasible to cure. The determination of the Board made in good faith as to whether a breach is noncurable or not feasible to cure shall be final and binding on all Mortgagees.
- <u>Section 4 Resale.</u> It is intended that any loan to facilitate the resale of any Residence after judicial foreclosure, deed in lieu of foreclosure or trustee's sale is a loan made in good faith and for value and entitled to all of the rights and protections afforded to other Mortgagees.

## Section 5 - Relationship with Assessment Liens.

- (a) The lien provided for in the Article hereof entitled "Nonpayment of Assessments" for the payment of Assessments shall be subordinate to the lien of any Mortgage which was recorded prior to the data any such Assessment becomes due.
- (b) If any Residence subject to a monetary lien created by any provision hereof shall be subject to the lien of a Mortgage: (1) the foreclosure of any lien created by anything set forth in this Declaration shall not operate to affect or impair the lien of such Mortgage; and (2) the foreclosure of the lien of said Mortgage, the acceptance of a deed in lieu of foreclosure of the Mortgage or sale under a power of sale included in such Mortgage (such events being hereinafter referred to as "Events of Foreclosure") shall not operate to affect or impair the lien hereof, except that any persons who obtain an interest through any of the Events of Foreclosure, and their successors in interest, shall take title free of the lien hereof or any personal obligation for said charges as shall have accrued up to the time of any of the Events of Foreclosure, but subject to the lien hereof for all said charges that shall accrue subsequent to the Events of Foreclosure.
- (c) Any Mortgagee who obtains title to a Residence by reason of any of the Events of Foreclosure, or any purchaser at a private or judicial foreclosure sale, shall take title to such Residence free of any lien or claim for unpaid Assessments against such Residence which accrue prior to the time such Mortgagee or purchaser takes title to such Residence, except for liens or claims for a share of such Assessments resulting from a pro rata reallocation of such Assessments to all Residences within the Covered Property.
- (d) Nothing in this Section shall be construed to release any owner from his obligations to pay for any Assessment levied pursuant to this Declaration.
- Section 6 Seventy-Five Percent (75%) Vote of Institutional Mortgagees. Except upon the prior written approval of at least seventy-five percent (75%) of Institutional Mortgagees, based on one (1) vote for each First Mortgage held, or 75% of the voting power of the Members, neither the Association nor the Members shall be entitled to do any of the following:
- (a) Dissolve the Association or abandon or terminate the maintenance of the Community Facilities by the Association; or
- (b) Effectuate any decision to terminate professional management and assume self-management of the Covered Property;
  - (c) Abandon, partition, sell, alienate, subdivide, release, transfer, hypothecate or otherwise

encumber the Community Facilities; provided, however, the granting of easements for public utilities or other public purposes consistent with the intended use of the Community Facilities shall not require such approval.

- <u>Section 7 Other Rights of Institutional Mortgagees.</u> Any Institutional Mortgagee or its mortgage servicing contractor, shall, upon written request to the Association, be entitled co:
  - (a) Inspect the books and records of the Association during normal business hours,
- (b) Receive the annual audited financial statement of the Association ninety (90) days following the end of the Association's fiscal year;
- (c) Receive written notice of all annual and special meetings of the Members or of the Board, and Institutional Mortgagees shall further be entitled to designate a representative to attend all such meetings in order to, among other things, draw attention to violations of this Declaration which have not been corrected or made the subject of remedial action by the Association; provided, however, nothing contained in this Section shall give an Institutional Mortgagee the right to call a meeting of the Board or of the Members for any purpose or to vote at any such meeting; and
- (d) Receive written notification from the association of any default in the performance of the obligations imposed by this Declaration by the Owner whose Residence is encumbered by such Institutional Mortgagee's Mortgage, which default has not been cured within sixty (60) days of a request therefore by the Association: provided, however, the Association shall only be obligated to provide such notice to Institutional Mortgagees who have delivered a written request therefore to the Association specifying the Residence or Residences to which such request relates.
- <u>Section 8 Mortgagees Furnishing Information.</u> Mortgagees are hereby authorized to furnish information to the Board concerning the status of any Mortgage.
- <u>Section 9 Conflicts.</u> In the event of any conflict between any of the provisions of this Article and any of the other revisions of this Declaration, the provisions of this Article shall control.
- Section 10 Payment of Taxes or Premiums by Institutional Mortgagees. Institutional Mortgagees may, jointly or singly, pay taxes or other charges which are in default and which may or have become a charge against the Community Facilities, unless such taxes or charges are separately assessed against the Owners, in which case the rights of Institutional Mortgagees shall be governed by the provisions of their Mortgages. Institutional Mortgagees may, jointly or singly, also pay overdue premiums on hazard insurance policies, or secure new hazard insurance coverage on the lapse of a policy, for the Community Facilities and Institutional Mortgagees making such payments shall be owed immediate reimbursement therefore from the Association. Entitlement to such reimbursement shall be reflected in an agreement in favor of any Institutional Mortgagee which requests the same to be executed by the Association.

## ARTICLE XVI PARTY WALLS

- Section 1 Definition of Party Wall. Each wall which is built as a part of the original construction of the Lots and Dwellings upon the Covered Property and placed on the dividing line between the Lots shall constitute a party wall, and, to that extent not inconsistent with the provisions of this Article, the general rules of law regarding party walls and liability for property damage due to negligence or willful acts or omissions shall apply thereto. A party wall shall be considered to adjoin and abut against the property line dividing the Lots from the bottom of the foundation over the full length and height of any structure or wall.
- Section 2 Use of Party Wall. Owners whose Lots are separated by a party wall shall equally have the right to use such party wall, except that each shall have the right to the exclusive use of the surface of the wall on his side. Neither such Owner shall use any portion of such party wall so as to interfere with the use and enjoyment of the other Owner.