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CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT TO AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, AND

AMENDED AND RESTATED BYLAWS, AND

THE AMENDED AND RESTATED DECLARATION OF RESTRICTIONS AND COVENANTS OF CYPRESS PINES PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the following amendments to the Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation, and the Amended and Restated Bylaws, and Amended and Restated Declaration of Restrictions and Covenants of Cypress Pines Property Owners Association, Inc., were duly approved and adopted by the membership of Cypress Pines Property Owners Association, Inc., (the "Association") at the duly noticed Meeting of Members on the 28th day of February 2022. Said amendments were approved by a proper percentage of voting interests of the Association.

The Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation, Amended and Restated Bylaws, and Amended and Restated Declaration of Restrictions and Covenants, and the legal description of the Lee County, Florida real property subject to these amendments are recorded at Instrument Number 2006000101750 of the Public Records of Lee County, Florida.

Additions are underlined. Deletions are stricken through.

<u>I. Articles of Incorporation</u>: The Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of Cypress Pines Property Owners Association, Inc., was recorded with the Florida Division of Corporations on March 14, 2006.

1. Section 5.1.2 of the Articles of Incorporation is hereby added in its entirety:

5.1.2 Ownership Limits. No financial interest will own more than two (2) parcels as set forth in Section 13.6 of the Declaration.

<u>II. Bylaws:</u> The Amended and Restated Bylaws of Cypress Pines Property Owners Association, Inc., (the "Bylaws") was recorded on March 9, 2006, at instrument number 2006000101750 of the Official Records of Lee County, Florida.

1. Section 5.3(d) of the Bylaws is hereby amended as follows.

5.3(d) Elections of Directors – Nominations shall also <u>not</u> be accepted from the floor on the date of the election, so long as required by law.

2. Section 5.4(c) of the Bylaws is hereby added in its entirety to follow subsection (b) as follows:

5.4 Vacancies on the Board –

(C) Directors shall notify the Board's secretary (or another Director) if unable to attend any Board meeting. If a Director misses three Board meetings without providing notice to the Secretary or another Director, excluding emergencies approved by the Board, the Director shall be deemed to have vacated his or her seat without any further action of the Board. The Board Member will be notified in writing of dismissal and replacement of Board Member will follow the guidelines of 5.4.a.

III. Declaration: The original Declaration of Cypress Pines Property Owners Association, Inc., including the legal description of the Lee County, Florida real property subject to the Declaration, Articles and Bylaws was originally recorded in OR Book 1642, Page 2161 of the Public Records of Lee County, Florida. The Amended and Restated Declaration of Restrictions and Covenants of Cypress Pines Property Owners Association, Inc., (the "Declaration") was recorded on March 9, 2006, at instrument number 2006000101750 of the Official Records of Lee County, Florida.

1. Section 13.6 of the Declaration is hereby added in its entirety to follow Section 13.5 as follows:

13.6 Maximum Number of Parcels Owned. In order to impart a continuity of residence, limit acquisition of Parcels primarily for institutional or commercial investment purposes, inhibit transiency, avoid the deleterious effects of financial delinquency of a Owner or a large block of Parcels, and safeguard property values, no natural person or artificial entity (including, but not limited to, corporations, limited liability companies, partnerships, or trusts), or any officer, director, member, manager, shareholder general partner, limited partner, beneficiary trustee, or principal thereof, may hold a legal, equitable or contractual interest in more than two (2) Parcels within Cypress Pines (including Condominium Units) at the same time. Neither shall any artificial entity which has officers, directors, shareholders, member, managers, beneficiaries, trustees, or similar persons, in common with any other artificial entity ("affiliated persons or entities"), or individual Owner, as determined in the sole discretion of the Board, hold an interest in more than two (2) Parcels within Cypress Pines at the same time. It is the intention of this section that Owners or financially related persons or entities shall only own a maximum of two (2) Parcels, and that blocks of more than two (2) Parcels shall not be owned by individuals, families, or artificial entities or related parties for investment/rental purposes. The restrictions contained in this section do not apply to an institutional mortgagee's security interest in Parcels, nor the ability of such institutional mortgagees to acquire title through foreclosure or deed in lieu of foreclosure but shall apply to any conveyance by such institutional mortgagee after acquisition of title by foreclosure or a deed in lieu of foreclosure or otherwise. An institutional mortgagee shall mean any entity that regularly lends money for the financing of the acquisition of real property and is licensed or otherwise legally permitted to do so in the State of Florida. The restrictions contained in this section do not apply to any individual or artificial entity that acquires title to any Condominium Units that have not been issued a Certificate of Occupancy, or other similar document, from the governmental authority

other similar document, from the governmental authority having jurisdiction as of the date of the Condominium Units acquisition. The Board may enact additional rules and regulations as may be necessary or desirable, as deemed by the Board, to clarify, interpret apply or enforce this provision.

WITNESSES: (TWO)

CYPRESS PINES PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

Phil Dent, Vice President

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF 185

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State and County aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared [v] in person or [] virtual attendance, Phil Dent, as Vice President of Cypress Pines Property Owners Association, Inc., who is [1] personally known to me or [] has produced his Driver License, as identification, and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged before me that he executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State last aforesaid the Andday of Sept. 2022.

