### **CONSENT IN LIEU OF**

## THE FIRST MEETING OF THE MEMBERS

#### OF

## THE MAJESTIC PINES PIER ASSOCIATION, INC.

The undersigned, being all the members of THE MAJESTIC PINES PIER ASSOCIATION, INC. a Wisconsin non-stock corporation ("Association"), acting pursuant to Chapter 181 of the Wisconsin Statutes, hereby waive notice of meeting and consent in writing to the adoption of the following resolutions, which resolutions shall have the same force and effect as if adopted at a duly held meeting of the members of the Association held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2020:

**RESOLVED**, that the Articles of Incorporation of the Association, as prepared by counsel and filed with the Wisconsin Department of Financial Institutions be, and they hereby are, approved and ordered made a part of the records of the Association and that all actions taken by the Organizer in connection therewith be, and they hereby are, ratified, approved and confirmed in all respects.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the following individuals are appointed as Directors of the Association to serve until replacements are elected and qualified:

- 1. Greg Loos
- 2. Cory O'Donnell
- 3. Kelly O'Donnell

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the following individuals are appointed as officers of the Association to serve until replacements are elected and qualified:

- 1. Greg Loos, President
- 2. Cory O'Donnell, Vice-President
- 3. Cory O'Donnell, Secretary
- 4. Kelly O'Donnell, Treasurer

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Bylaws attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u>, be, and they hereby are, adopted as and for the Bylaws of the Association.

This Consent may be executed in two (2) or more counterparts, which when taken together shall constitute a single enforceable instrument. Facsimile or electronically scanned and emailed signatures shall be deemed originals and shall be binding upon all parties hereto.

[Signatures appear on following page]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Consent in Lieu of the First Meeting of the Members of THE MAJESTIC PINES PIER ASSOCIATION, INC., to be filed as part of the minutes of the Association as of the 19 day of February, 2020.

## **MEMBERS:**

**VESTER HAVET, LLC** 

By: Loos Custom Homes, LLC,

Sole Member

By: Greg Loos, Member

## EXHIBIT A

# **BYLAWS**

**OF** 

MAJESTIC PINES PIER ASSOCIATION, INC.

## **BYLAWS**

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## BYLAWS OF MAJESTIC PINES PIER ASSOCIATION, INC.

### Article I. Purposes

- Section 1. <u>Purposes</u>. The purposes for which this corporation (also referred to as the "Association") is organized and shall be operated are as follows:
  - (a) managing and controlling the common affairs of the pier and boat slips;
  - (b) owning, managing, controlling and maintaining any common areas of the pier and boat slips (as defined in the Declaration);
  - (c) enforcing compliance of the Boat Slip Owners with the provisions of the Declaration, these Bylaws, and any other applicable laws.
  - (d) performing other duties as set forth herein for the common benefit of the Boat Slip Owners.

### Article II. Offices

Section 1. <u>Principal Office</u>. The initial principal office of the Association shall be located at 435 Village Walk Lane, City of Johnson Creek, County of Jefferson, State of Wisconsin. The Association may have such other offices, either within or without the State of Wisconsin, as the Board of Directors may designate from time to time.

Section 2. <u>Registered Office</u>. The initial registered office shall be the same as principal office.

### Article III. Association

The Association shall have one (1) class of voting Section 1. Membership. Membership. All Members shall have one (1) vote for each Boat Slip owned. Every Boat Slip Owner, upon acquiring title to a Boat Slip under the terms of the Declaration, or upon entering into a land contract for the purchase of a Boat Slip, shall automatically become a Member of the Association and shall remain a Member thereof until such time as his ownership of such Boat Slip ceases for any reason, at which time his Membership in the Association shall automatically cease. In the event a Boat Slip is owned by more than one (1) person or entity, the person or entity who shall be entitled to vote for the Boat Slip shall be the person or entity named on a certificate executed by all of the co-owners of the Boat Slip and filed with the Secretary of the Association. So long as Declarant shall own at least one Boat Slip, Declarant shall have one (1) vote in affairs of the Association for each Boat Slip owned as Boat Slip Owner, plus two (2) votes for every vote entitled to be cast by the other Boat Slip owners. Wherever the term "Boat Slip Owner" is used in these Bylaws or the Declaration, it shall be defined to include the Declarant. In the event of an assignment of Declarant's rights under these Bylaws or the Declaration, whether for collateral purposes or otherwise, such membership rights held by Declarant shall be transferable to the assignee, provided such transfer of membership is evidenced in writing by an agreement executed by Declarant.

Section 2. <u>Boat Slip Owner Prohibited from Voting</u>. No Boat Slip Owner may vote at any meeting if his monthly assessment fee or any other special assessment fee is thirty (30) days past due and/or the Association has a lien against the Boat Slip for an unpaid amount due the Association, or if the Association has instituted an action to perfect a lien and the amount necessary to release such lien has not been paid at the time of such meeting, or if the amount necessary to release an instituted lien action has not been escrowed with a title insurance company authorized to do business in the State of Wisconsin.

Section 3. Proxies. Any vote may be cast pursuant to a proxy executed by the Boat Slip Owner. No proxy shall be revocable except by actual notice of revocation given to the presiding officer of the meeting by the Boat Slip Owner or by the majority in interest of the coowners. All proxies must be filed with the Secretary of the Association before the time of the meeting for which they are given. Every proxy shall state the time at which it shall terminate, the date it was executed and that it shall not be revocable without notice. In any event, except with respect to proxies in favor of a Mortgagee, no proxy shall be valid for a period in excess of one hundred eighty (180) days.

Section 4. <u>Membership Roster</u>. The Secretary of the Association shall maintain a Membership Roster which states the name and address of each person or entity entitled to cast a vote on behalf of a Boat Slip, co-owners of a Boat Slip shall provide the Association with a certificate naming the individual or entity entitled to vote on behalf of the Boat Slip. Any change in the designation of the individual or entity entitled to vote shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Association.

Section 5. <u>Annual Meetings</u>. The first annual meeting of the Association shall be held within twelve (12) months following the date of recordation of the Declaration. Unless otherwise determined by the Board of Directors, annual meetings of the Association held after the first annual meeting shall be held on the same day of the same month of each succeeding year, unless such date shall occur on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, in which event the meeting shall be held on the next succeeding Monday which is not a legal holiday. Meetings of the Association shall be held at such suitable place convenient to Boat Slip Owners as from time to time may be designated by the Board of Directors.

Section 6. <u>Special Meetings</u>. The President, the Board of Directors or the Members having at least two (2) of the votes in the Association may call a special meeting, upon written notice from the President or the Board of Directors or by written petition signed by Boat Slip Owners with not less than two (2) of the votes eligible to be cast at such time by the Boat Slip Owners. The only issues which may be addressed at a special meeting are those issues stated in the notice of such meeting.

Section 7. Notice of Meetings. The Secretary shall cause to be sent to each Boat Slip Owner written notice of the time, place and purpose or purposes of all general and special meetings of the Association. Such notice shall be given at least ten (10) days but no more than thirty (30) days in advance of the meeting. Such notice shall be sent by United States mail, first class postage prepaid. In lieu of mailing notice of a meeting in the manner provided in this Section, the Secretary may cause such notice to be personally delivered; provided however, the Secretary of the Association shall certify in writing that such notice was personally delivered to the Boat Slip Owner.

- Section 8. <u>Conduct of Meetings</u>. The minutes of all meetings shall be held in a minute book maintained for the Association by the Secretary. The then current Robert's Rules of order or any other rules of procedure acceptable to a majority of the votes of Boat Slip Owners shall govern the conduct of all meetings of the Association when not in conflict with these Bylaws or the Declaration. All votes shall be tallied by a person or persons appointed by the presiding officer of the meeting.
- Section 9. <u>Majority Required to Act</u>. Except as otherwise required by the Act, the Declaration or these Bylaws, decisions of the Association shall be made by a majority of the votes of Boat Slip Owners present, in person or by proxy, at a meeting of the Association at which a quorum is present.
- Section 10. Quorum. A quorum for the purposes of general or special meetings shall consist of ten percent (10%) of the votes entitled to vote unless otherwise required by the Declaration or these Bylaws.
- Section 11. <u>Action Without Meeting</u>. Any action by Boat Slip Owners required or permitted to be taken at a meeting may be taken without a meeting if all of the Boat Slip Owners (and Mortgagees, if required) shall consent in writing to such action. Any such unanimous written consent shall be filed with the minutes of the proceedings of the meetings of the Association.

#### Article IV. Board of Directors

- Section 1. <u>General Powers</u>. The affairs of the Association shall be managed by its Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall utilize the net earnings and principal funds of the Association solely in accordance with the purposes for which the Association was organized.
- Section 2. Number: Declarant Control. The Declarant shall designate three (3) persons to the initial Board of Directors. The term of office of the Initial Directors (which have been appointed by the Declarant) shall commence upon the date of recording of the Declaration and shall continue until two (2) calendar years after the year in which Declarant no longer owns twenty-five (25%) of the Boat Slips then subject to the Declaration, or upon such earlier time as may be designated by Declarant (the "Initial Term"). During such initial term, Declarant shall have the right to appoint, remove or replace all three (3) Directors. Declarant may relinquish or reassert all or any part of the rights provided to the Board or the Association at any time or times during such initial term. Within thirty (30) days following the end of the Initial Term, a Special Meeting of the Association shall be held, the Initial Directors shall resign, and the Members of the Association shall elect not more than five (5) new Directors in accordance with these Bylaws. Upon expiration of the Initial Term, Directors shall be elected from among qualified persons nominated by Members of the Association at an Annual or Special Meeting of the Association. At no time shall the Board consist of more than five (5) Directors. Notwithstanding the foregoing, so long as Declarant owns any Boat Slips all Directors shall be selected by Declarant.
- Section 3. <u>Term of Office</u>. After the Initial Term as provided above, the term of office of Directors shall be for two (2) calendar years. If any Director shall die, resign, be unable to act or cease to be qualified to be a Director, the unexpired term of such Director shall be filled in accordance with Section 9 of this Article IV. In no event shall the vacancy of any office of Director operate to invalidate any actions of the Board taken during the period of vacancy.

- Section 4. <u>Powers and Duties</u>. The Board of Directors shall have all of the powers and duties necessary or required for the administration and implementation of the affairs of the Association. Such powers and duties shall be exercised in accordance with the provisions of the Declaration, applicable law and these Bylaws. Such powers and duties shall include, but not be limited to the powers and duties set forth in the Declaration and the following:
  - (a) To promulgate and enforce Rules and Regulations for the conduct of persons and use of the Boat Slips.
  - (b) To open bank accounts on behalf of the Association and designate the signatories required therefor.
  - (c) To initiate, prosecute and settle litigation for itself and the Association, provided that it shall make no settlement which results in a liability against the Board of Directors.
  - (d) To obtain property and casualty insurance on behalf of the Association as required by the Declaration with respect to the Boat Slips and the Common Areas and to obtain insurance in accordance with these Bylaws and to settle any claim under any such policies of insurance.
  - (e) To own, purchase or lease, hold and sell, or otherwise dispose of, on behalf of the Boat Slip Owners, items of personal property necessary to or convenient in the conduct and management of the business and affairs of the Association and in the operation of the Property, including without limitation, furniture, furnishings, fixtures, maintenance equipment, appliances and office supplies.
    - (f) To have a corporate seal, if required.
    - (g) To approve and sign checks and issue payment vouchers.
    - (h) To pay off liens against any portion of the Common Areas.
  - (i) To borrow money and enter into promissory notes on behalf of the Association when required in connection with the operation and maintenance of the Common Areas.
  - (j) If desired by the Board, to appoint a Managing Agent to carry out the day to day management duties of the Board and the Association.
- Section 5. <u>Regular Meetings</u>. The Board of Directors may provide, by resolution, the time and place, within the State of Wisconsin, for the holding of regular meetings.
- Section 6. <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by or at the request of the President or any two (2) Directors. The person or persons calling such meetings shall fix any time or place, within the State of Wisconsin, for holding any special meeting of the Board of Directors.
- Section 7. <u>Removal of Members of the Board of Directors</u>. The Declarant may by written notice to the Board of Directors remove any Director appointed to the Board of Directors

by Declarant and appoint a successor Director. Any Director, except for a Director appointed by the Declarant, may be removed from office either with or without cause, by the affirmative vote of seventy-five percent (75%) of eligible votes to be cast taken at a special meeting of Directors called for that purpose.

- Section 8. <u>Incapacity or Death of a Director</u>. If a Director shall be incapacitated to the extent he or she is unable to perform his or her duties as a Director or if a Director dies during his or her term as a Director, then a new Director shall be chosen as provided for in Section 9 of this Article.
- Section 9. <u>Vacancies</u>. Except for Directors appointed by Declarant, any vacancy occurring in the Board of Directors may be filled until the next succeeding annual election by the affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors then in office, although less than a quorum of the Board of Directors.
- Section 10. Notice of Meeting. Notice of a regular meeting shall be given at least ten (10) business days prior to the date thereof and notice of any special meeting shall be given at least three (3) days prior to the time thereof. Notices may be given orally or by written notice delivered personally, mailed by United States Mail or by Federal Express or some other similar form of commercial delivery system or sent by electronic mail or facsimile machine to each Director at his or her last known address, or by telegram. If mailed, a notice shall be deemed to be delivered when deposited in the United States Mail or when deposited with a Federal Express agent or some other agent of a similar form of commercial delivery system so addressed with postage thereon prepaid. Whenever any notice is required to be given to any Directors of the Association under the provisions of these Bylaws or under the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation or under the provisions of any statute, a waiver thereof in writing, signed at any time, whether before or after the time of meeting, by the Director entitled to such notice, shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of such notice. The attendance of a Director at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting except where a Director attends a meeting and objects thereafter to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened. Neither the business to be transacted at, nor the purpose of, any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors need be specified in the notice or waiver of notice of such meeting.
- Section 11. <u>Telephone Meetings</u>. The Board of Directors may conduct its meetings by means of a conference telephone or similar communication equipment if all persons participating in such meeting can hear and talk to each other at the same time. Such participation shall constitute presence in person at any such meeting.
- Section 12. Quorum. A majority of the Directors then in office shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the Board of Directors, but though less than a quorum is present at a meeting a majority of the Directors present may adjourn the meeting from time to time without further notice.
- Section 13. <u>Manner of Acting</u>. The act of the majority of the Directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the Board of Directors, unless the act of a greater number is required by these Bylaws or by law.
- Section 14. <u>Compensation</u>. The Board of Directors, by affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors then in office, and irrespective of any personal interest of any of its Members or

the fact that they may also be Officers, may establish reasonable compensation of all Directors for services rendered to the Association as Directors or otherwise, or may delegate such authority to an appropriate committee.

- Section 15. Presumption of Assent. A Director of the Association who is present at a meeting of the Board of Directors or a committee thereof at which action on any corporate matter is taken shall be presumed to have assented to the action taken unless his dissent shall be entered in the minutes of the meeting or unless he shall file his written dissent to such action with the person acting as the secretary of the meeting before the adjournment thereof or shall forward such dissent by registered mail to the Secretary of the Association within twenty-four (24) hours after the adjournment of the meeting. Such right to dissent shall not apply to a Director who voted in favor of such action.
- Section 16. <u>Informal Action</u>. Any action required or permitted to be taken at any meeting of the Board of Directors or any committee thereof may be taken without a meeting if a consent in writing setting forth the action so taken shall be signed by a majority of the Directors or Members of such committee.
- Section 17. <u>Committees</u>. The Board of Directors may appoint and dismiss committees made up of Boat Slip Owners (other than the Architectural Control Committee) as the Board of Directors from time to time deems desirable to assist in the administration or operation or affairs of the Association.
- Section 18. Architectural Control Committee. At all times the Association shall have an Architectural Control Committee. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the rights, duties and obligations as set forth in the Declaration. The members of the Architectural Control Committee shall be appointed by Declarant. Upon the sale of the last Boat Slip owned by Declarant, or at such earlier time designated by Declarant, the Architectural Control Committee shall be made up of three (3) Boat Slip Owners. Such Boat Slip Owners may be, but need not be, Directors.

#### Article V. Officers

- Section 1. <u>Principal Officers</u>. The principal officers of the Association shall be a President, one (1) or more Vice Presidents, a Secretary and a Treasurer, each of whom shall be elected by the Board of Directors. Such other officers and assistant officers as may be deemed necessary shall be elected by the Board of Directors. Any two (2) or more offices may be held by the same person, except the offices of President and Secretary and President and Vice President.
- Section 2. <u>Election and Terms of Office</u>. The Officers shall be elected by the Board of Directors at its annual meeting. If the election of Officers shall not be held at such meeting, such election shall be held as soon thereafter as conveniently may be. Each Officer shall hold office until the next annual meeting of the Board of Directors or until his successor is duly elected and qualified unless sooner terminated by his death, resignation or removal.
- Section 3. Removal. Any Officer or agent elected or appointed by the Board of Directors may be removed by the Board of Directors whenever in its judgment the best interest of the Association will be served thereby, but such removal shall be without prejudice to the

contract rights, if any, of the person so removed. Election or appointment shall not of itself create contract rights.

- Section 4. <u>Vacancies</u>. A vacancy in any principal office shall be filed by the Board of Directors for the unexpired portion of the term.
- Section 5. President. The President shall be the Principal Executive Officer of the Association and, subject to the control of the Association, shall in general supervise and control all of the business and affairs of the Association. He shall, when present, preside at all meetings of the Association. He may sign, with the Secretary or any other Officer of the Association authorized by the Board of Directors, any deeds, mortgages, bonds, contracts, or other instruments which the Board of Directors has authorized to be executed, except in cases where the signing and execution thereof shall be expressly delegated by the Board of Directors or by these Bylaws or some other law to be otherwise signed or executed. In general, the President shall perform all duties incident to the office of President and such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors from time to time.
- Section 6. <u>Vice President</u>. In the absence of the President or in the event of his death or inability to act, the Vice President or if there shall be more than one (1), the Vice Presidents in the order determined by the Board of Directors, shall perform the duties of the President, and when so acting, shall have all the powers of and be subject to all the restrictions upon the President. The Vice President or Vice Presidents, as the case may be, shall perform such other duties and have such other powers as the Board of Directors may from time to time prescribe.
- Section 7. <u>Secretary</u>. The Secretary shall: (a) keep any minutes of the Board of Directors meetings in one (1) or more books provided for that purpose; (b) see that all notices are duly given; (c) be custodian of the corporate books and records of the Association; (d) count all votes at any meeting of the Association; and (e) in general, perform all duties incident to the office of Secretary and such other duties as from time to time may be assigned to him by the President or by the Board of Directors.
- Section 8. <u>Treasurer</u>. If required by the Board of Directors, the Treasurer shall at the expense of the Association obtain a bond for the faithful discharge of his duties in such sum and with such surety or sureties as the Board of Directors shall determine. He shall: (a) have charge and custody of and be responsible for all funds and securities of the Association; (b) receive and give receipts for monies due and payable to the Association from any source whatsoever; (c) deposit all monies in the name of the Association in such banks, trust companies or other depositories as shall be selected in accordance with the provisions of these Bylaws; and (d) in general, perform all of the duties as from time to time may be assigned to him by the President or by the Board of Directors.
- Section 9. <u>Salaries</u>. Officers shall ordinarily serve without compensation, but in unusual circumstances the Board of Directors may approve salaries for the Officers. No officer shall be prevented from receiving any salary by reason of the fact that he is also a Director of the Association.
- Section 10. <u>Qualifications</u>. All Officers shall be Boat Slip Owners, except for the Officers selected by the Board of Directors when controlled by Directors designated by the Declarant.

- Section 1. <u>Definitions Relating to Indemnification</u>. For the purposes of this Article VI, the following terms shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this Section:
  - (a) "Director" or "Officer" shall mean any of the following:
  - (i) a natural person who is or was a Director or Officer of the Association;
  - (ii) a natural person who, while a Director or Officer of the Association, is or was serving at the Association's request as a Director, Officer, partner, trustee, member of any governing or decision-making committee, employee or agent of another corporation or foreign corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise;
  - (iii) a natural person who, while a Director or Officer of the Association, is or was serving an employee benefit plan because his or her duties to the Association also imposed duties on, or otherwise involved services by, the person to the plan or to participants in or beneficiaries of the plan; and
  - (iv) unless the context requires otherwise, the estate or personal representative of a Director or Officer.
  - (b) "Expenses" shall include fees, costs, charges, disbursements, attorney fees and any other expenses incurred in connection with a proceeding.
  - (c) "Liability" shall include the obligation to pay a judgment, settlement, penalty, assessment, forfeiture or fine, including any excise tax assessed with respect to an employee benefit plan, and reasonable expenses.
  - (d) "Party" shall mean a natural person who was or is, or who is threatened to be made, a named defendant or respondent in a proceeding.
  - (e) "Proceeding" shall mean any threatened, pending or completed civil, criminal, administrative or investigative action, suit, arbitration or other proceeding, whether formal or informal, which involves foreign, federal, state or local law and which is brought by or in the right of the Association or by any other person.

### Section 2. Mandatory Indemnification.

- (a) The Association shall indemnify a Director or Officer, to the extent he or she has been successful on the merits or otherwise in the defense of a Proceeding, for all reasonable Expenses incurred in the Proceeding if the Director or Officer was a Party because he is a Director or Officer of the Association.
- (b) In cases not included under subparagraph (a), above, the Association shall indemnify a Director or Officer against Liability incurred by the Director or Officer in a Proceeding to which the Director or Officer was a Party because he is a Director or Officer of the Association, unless Liability was incurred because the Director or Officer

breached or failed to perform a duty he owes to the Association and the breach or failure to perform constitutes any of the following:

- (i) a willful failure to deal fairly with the Association or its Members in connection with a matter in which the Director or Officer has a material conflict of interest;
- (ii) a violation of criminal law, unless the Director or Officer had reasonable cause to believe his conduct was lawful or no reasonable cause to believe his conduct was unlawful;
- (iii) a transaction from which the Director or Officer derived an improper personal profit; or

## (iv) willful misconduct.

Determination of whether indemnification is required under this subparagraph (b) shall be made under the provisions of Article VI Section 3 hereof. The termination of a proceeding by judgment, order, settlement or conviction, or upon a plea of no contest or an equivalent plea shall not, by itself, create a presumption that indemnification of the Director or Officer is not required under this subparagraph (b).

- (c) A Director or Officer who seeks indemnification under this Section shall make a written request to the Association.
- (d) Indemnification under this Section is not required if the Director or Officer has previously received indemnification or allowance of the same Expenses from any person, including the Association, in connection with the same Proceeding.
- Section 3. Determination of Right to Indemnification. Unless provided otherwise by a written agreement between the Director or Officer and the Association, determination of whether indemnification is required under subsection (b) of Article VI Section 2 shall be made by one (1) of the following methods: (i) by a majority vote of a quorum of the Board of Directors consisting of the Directors who are not at the time parties to the Proceedings or, if a quorum of disinterested Directors cannot be obtained, by a majority vote of a committee duly appointed by the Board of Directors (which appointment by the Board may be made by Directors who are parties to the Proceeding) consisting solely of two (2) or more Directors who are not at the time parties to the Proceedings; (ii) by a panel of three (3) arbitrators consisting of (a) one (1) arbitrator selected by a quorum of the Board of Directors or its committee constituted as required under (i), above, or, if unable to obtain such a quorum or committee, by a majority vote of the full Board of Directors, including directors who are parties to the Proceedings, (b) one (1) arbitrator selected by the Director or Officer seeking indemnification, and, one (1) arbitrator selected by the other two (2) arbitrators; (iii) by a court of competent jurisdiction; or (iv) by any other method provided for under Article VI Section 5.
- Section 4. <u>Allowance of Expenses as Incurred</u>. Upon written request by a Director or Officer who is a Party to a Proceeding, the Association may pay or reimburse his reasonable Expenses as incurred if the Director or Officer provides the Association with all of the following:

- (a) a written affirmation of his good faith belief that he or she has not breached or failed to perform his duties to the Association; and
- (b) a written undertaking, executed personally or on his behalf, to repay the allowance, and, if required by the Association, to pay reasonable interest on the allowance to the extent that it is ultimately determined under Article VI Section 3 hereof that indemnification under Article VI Section 2 is not required and that indemnification is not ordered by a court under Article VI Section 6. The undertaking under this Subparagraph shall be an unlimited general obligation of the Director or Officer and may be accepted without reference to his ability to repay the allowance. The undertaking may be secured or unsecured.
- Section 5. <u>Additional Rights to Indemnification and Allowance of Expense</u>. Except as provided in this Article VI Section 5, the provisions of Article VI Section 2 and Article VI Section 4 hereof do not preclude any additional right to indemnification or allowance of Expenses that a Director or Officer may have under any of the following:
  - (a) the written agreement between the Director or Officer and the Association; or
    - (b) a resolution of the Board of Directors.

Regardless of the existence of an additional right to indemnification or allowance of Expenses, the Association shall not indemnify a Director or Officer or permit a Director or Officer to retain any allowance of Expenses unless it is determined by or on behalf of the Association that the Director or Officer did not breach or fail to perform a duty he owes to the Association which constitutes conduct under Article VI Section 2(b)(i)-(iv). A Director or Officer who is a Party to the same or related Proceeding for which indemnification or an allowance of Expenses is sought may not participate in a determination under this Subparagraph. None of the provisions contained in this Article VI shall affect the Association's power to pay or reimburse Expenses incurred by a Director or Officer in any of the following circumstances:

- (a) as a witness in a Proceeding to which he is not a Party; or
- (b) as a plaintiff or petitioner in a Proceeding because he or she is or was an employee, agent, Director or Officer of the Association.
- Section 6. <u>Court ordered Indemnification</u>. Except as provided otherwise by written agreement between the Director or Officer and the Association, a Director or Officer who is a Party to a Proceeding may apply for indemnification to the court conducting the Proceeding or to another court of competent jurisdiction. Application shall be made for an initial determination by the court under the provisions of Article VI Section 3(ii) or for review by the court of an adverse determination under Article VI Section 3(i), (ii) or (iv).
- Section 7. <u>Contract</u>. The assumption by a person of a term of office as a Director or Officer of the Association or, at the request of the Association, as a Director or Officer of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, and the continuance in office or service of those persons who are any such Directors or Officers as of the adoption of this Article VI, shall constitute a contract between such person and the Association entitling him during such term of office or service to all of the rights and privileges of indemnification

afforded by this Article VI as in effect as of the date of his assumption or continuance in such term of office or service, but such contract shall not prevent, and shall be subject to modification by, amendment of this Article VI at any time prior to receipt by the Association of actual notice of a claim giving rise to any such person's entitlement to indemnification hereunder.

Section 8. <u>Insurance</u>. The Association shall have the power to purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a Director or Officer of the Association, or is or was serving at the request of the Association as a Director or Officer of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against any liability asserted against him and incurred by him in any such capacity or arising out of his status as such, whether the Association would have the power to indemnify him against such liability under the provisions of this Article VI or Chapter 181 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

Section 9. <u>Effect of Invalidity</u>. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Article VI shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Article VI or of these Bylaws.

#### Article VII. Assessments

- Section 1. <u>Fiscal Year</u>. The fiscal year of the Association shall commence on January 1 of each year (except that the first fiscal year shall commence upon the recording of the Declaration) and terminate on December 31 of such year unless otherwise determined by the Board of Directors.
- Section 2. <u>Preparation of Budget</u>. The Declarant shall prepare a budget for the first fiscal year of the Association, which is attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u>. Each year thereafter, the Board of Directors shall adopt a budget at least thirty (30) days before the beginning of the new fiscal year. The annual budget shall provide for an "operating fund" and at the discretion of the Board of Directors, a "reserve and replacement fund." Promptly upon completion of the budget, the Board of Directors shall send to each Boat Slip Owner a copy of such budget and a statement setting forth the obligation of each Boat Slip Owner pursuant to the provisions of this Article VII to pay his General Assessment based upon such budget.
- Section 3. Operating Fund. The operating fund shall be used for the payment of costs incurred or anticipated to be incurred by the Association in performing its duties and discharging its obligations under the Declaration, the Bylaws, or applicable law, including but not limited to those set forth in Section 5.11 of the Declaration.
- Section 4. Reserve and Replacement Fund. The Reserve and Replacement Fund shall be used for future expenses and extraordinary expenses of the Association. Such expenses may include, but not be limited to, lake maintenance or dredging, repair or replacement of monuments or capital improvements to Common Areas. These funds may be kept in the same bank account as the Operating Funds, but must be accounted for separately in the general ledger maintained by the Association.
- Section 5. General Assessments. Each Boat Slip shall receive a notice of annual Assessment promptly after the final budget is prepared. The final budget will show the amount assessed to the particular Boat Slip, how that amount was determined and that one-twelfth (1/12th) of the amount of the Assessment is due on the first day of each month of the year unless otherwise determined by the Board of Directors. The amount due on the first day of each month

shall be paid by the Boat Slip Owner to the Association or the Managing Agent. Within ninety (90) days after the end of each fiscal year, the Board of Directors shall supply to all Boat Slip Owners an itemized accounting of the expenses incurred and paid by the Association for such fiscal year, together with a tabulation of the amounts collected pursuant to the budget adopted by the Board of Directors for such fiscal year.

Section 7. Special Assessments. The Board of Directors, upon the majority vote of all the Directors, may at any time assess a Special Assessment which shall be used to pay any deficiency in the operating fund, reserve replacement fund, or operating reserve fund. The Board of Directors shall also have the right to make any other Special Assessment as provided herein or in the Declaration upon the majority vote of all the Directors. Upon the determination of the amount of the Special Assessment, the Board of Directors shall give notice to each Boat Slip Owner of the amount assessed to each Boat Slip, the date when payment of the amount is due and the reason for the Special Assessment.

Section 8. Penalty and Default in Payment. If any payment for any Assessment is not received by the Association within fifteen (15) days after the date such payment is due, a late payment penalty equal to Twelve Percent (12%) of the entire Assessment shall be assessed against the Boat Slip. In addition, the Board of Directors shall have the right and duty to attempt to recover such Assessments, together with interest thereon, and the expenses of the proceedings, including attorneys' fees, in an action brought against such Boat Slip Owner, and/or by foreclosure of the lien on such Boat Slip granted by Section 779.70, Wis. Stats. The Association or the Board of Directors, acting on behalf of all Boat Slip Owners, shall have power to purchase such Boat Slip at the foreclosure sale and to acquire, hold, lease, mortgage, convey, vote the votes appurtenant to, or otherwise deal with the same after such purchase. A suit to recover a money judgment for unpaid Assessments shall be maintainable without foreclosing or waiving the lien securing the same. The Board of Directors shall also have the right to prohibit such Boat Slip Owner from voting at a meeting of the Association or serving on the Board of Directors, if the Association has recorded a statement of lien on such Boat Slip and the amount necessary to release the lien has not been paid at the time of the meeting.

Section 9. <u>Books and Accounts</u>. The Treasurer shall keep the books and accounts of the Association in accordance with generally accepted accounting practices. The books and accounts of the Association shall be available for examination by the Boat Slip Owners and contract purchasers, and/or their duly authorized agents or attorneys, and to the holder of any Mortgage, and/or its duly authorized agents or attorneys, during normal business hours.

## Article VIII. Rules And Regulations

Section 1. <u>Rules and Regulations</u>. In addition to any Rules and Regulations initially promulgated by the Declarant, the Board of Directors may enact Rules and Regulations for the use, repair and maintenance of Common Areas and of Boat Slips, provided, that such Rules and Regulations are not contrary to or inconsistent with the Declaration or applicable law. Copies of and changes to the Rules and Regulations shall be furnished by the Board of Directors to each Boat Slip Owner prior to the time when the same shall become effective.

Section 2. <u>Enforcement</u>. The Rules and Regulations in effect from time to time shall be enforced by such means as the Association deems necessary and appropriate, including recourse to civil authorities, court action if necessary, and monetary fines of not less than \$25.00 per day per violation, nor more than \$100.00 per day per violation.

#### Article IX. Insurance

- Section 1. <u>Directors and Officers Liability</u>. The Board may obtain and maintain, in a reasonable amount, Directors' and Officers' Liability Insurance coverage to protect against wrongful and dishonest acts on the part of the officers, Directors, employees and other agents of the Association, including the Managing Agent, who either handle or are responsible for handling the funds held or administered by the Association.
- Section 2. <u>Commercial General Liability and Other Insurance</u>. The Board may obtain and maintain, in a reasonable amount as determined by the Board, Commercial General Liability Insurance coverage on the Common Areas or such other insurance coverages as may be deemed reasonable and necessary by the Board from time to time.

### Article X. Compliance and Default

- Section 1. <u>Boat Slip Owners</u>. All Boat Slip Owners shall be governed by and shall comply with the provisions of the Declaration, these Bylaws and the Rules and Regulations, as any of the same may be amended from time to time. A default by a Boat Slip Owner shall entitle the Association or an aggrieved Boat Slip Owner to the relief as provided in this Article X.
- Section 2. <u>Fines</u>. The Board of Directors may establish and assess fines against Boat Slip Owners for every violation of the Declaration, these Bylaws and the Rules and Regulations by the Boat Slip Owner, his family members, guests, invitees, employees and/or agents. If a Boat Slip Owner requests in writing a hearing before the fine is imposed, the imposition of the fine shall be suspended until hearing before the Board of Directors is held. Fines are Special Assessments and shall be collectible as such. In any proceeding arising out of any alleged violation by a Boat Slip Owner, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover the costs of the proceeding, and such reasonable attorneys' fees as may be determined by the court.
- Section 3. <u>Waiver</u>. No restriction, condition, obligation or provision contained in these Bylaws shall be deemed to have been abrogated or waived by reason of any failure to enforce the same, irrespective of the number of violations or breaches thereof which may occur.

#### Article XI. Amendments

- Section 1. <u>Amendments</u>. These Bylaws may be altered, amended or repealed and new Bylaws adopted by the Members, at a meeting called for such purpose, by an affirmative vote of Members to which at least seventy-five (75%) of the votes in the Association appertain. The amendment shall be effective when it is duly adopted and notice of such amendment is delivered to the Boat Slip Owners.
- Section 2. <u>Notices</u>. All notices required under these Bylaws shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given upon delivery if delivered personally or upon mailing if sent by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, or otherwise as the Act may require or permit at the following:
  - (a) if to the Boat Slip Owner, at the address shown on the Membership Roster; and

(b) if to the Association or its Managing Agent, at the registered office of the Association.

#### Article XII. Miscellaneous

- Section 1. <u>Invalidity</u>. The invalidity or unenforceability of any portion of these Bylaws shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of these Bylaws.
- Section 2. <u>Captions</u>. The captions and headings of various paragraphs and sections of these Bylaws are for convenience only and are not to be construed as defining or limiting the scope or intent of the provisions thereof.
- Section 3. <u>Internal Revenue Code</u>. Notwithstanding anything herein contained to the contrary, no action shall be required or permitted to be taken under these Bylaws or by the officers or Directors of this Association which would not be permitted to be taken by an organization described in Section 528 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- Section 4. <u>Number and Gender</u>. Whenever used herein, the singular number shall include the plural, the plural the singular and use of any gender shall include all genders.
- Section 5. <u>Defined Terms</u>. Terms defined in the Declaration shall have the same meaning herein unless the context clearly indicates to the contrary.

## **EXHIBIT A**

# **Initial Budget**

[Insert Initial Budget]