

DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND EASEMENTS

THIS DECLARATION, made as of the 18th day of October, 1995, by EDWARD L. TONEY (the "Developer").

STATEMENT OF FACTS

A. The Developer is the owner of all lots within **SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3** according to plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 49, pages 99 through 99D, inclusive of the public records of Duval County, Florida (the "Plat"). All of such lots are referred to as the "Lots".

B. In order to develop and maintain SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as a residential community and to preserve, protect and enhance the values and amenities thereof, it is necessary to declare, commit and subject each of such Lots (a "Lot") and improvements now and hereafter constructed thereon to covenants, conditions, restrictions, regulations and easements and to delegate and assign to the Association certain powers and duties of ownership, administration, management, operation, maintenance and enforcement, all as hereinafter set forth and provided.

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the premises and for other good and value considerations, the Developer, for itself and its successors and assigns, hereby (i) establishes this Declaration of Covenants, Restrictions and Easements for SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 (the "Declaration"), (ii) declares that, the properties as described on the Plat (collectively the "Property") shall be held, sold and conveyed subject to the following covenants, conditions, restrictions and regulations which will run with the title, and the grantee of any deed conveying any lot will be deemed by the acceptance of such deed to have agreed to all such covenants, conditions, restrictions and regulations and to have covenanted to observe, comply with and be bound by all such covenants, conditions, restrictions and regulations and (iii) imposes the easements referred to and described which will be perpetual in duration.

ARTICLE I

DEFINITIONS

As used in this Declaration, the following terms have the following meanings:

- 1. "Association" means the entity known as Community Association of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3, a Florida non-profit corporation. Unless otherwise specified herein, any actions required of the Association herein may be taken by its Board of Directors.
- 2. "Board" means the Board of Directors of the Association, which has been duly elected and qualified in accordance with the Articles of Incorporation and By-laws of the Association.
 - 3. "Articles" means the Articles of Incorporation of the Association, copy of which is attached.
 - 4. "Bylaws" means the Bylaws of the Association.
- 5. "Declaration" means (i) this Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements for SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 and any amendments to this Declaration; (ii) all exhibits attached to this Declaration, and any amendments to such exhibits.
 - 6. "Lot" means one of the lots as shown and numbered on the Plat.
- 7. "Developer" means **EDWARD L. TONEY**, and his successors together with their assigns, upon a specific assignment to such assignees of the rights of Developer under the Declaration in an instrument recorded in the public records of Duval County, Florida.
- 8. "Owner" means the record owner of a Lot. Owner does not include any party having an interest in a Lot merely as security for the performance of an obligation. In the event that there is a contract for deed covering any Lot, the Owner of such Lot will be the purchaser under said contract and not, the fee simple title holder.
- 9. "Plat" means the Plat of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 according to plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 49, page 99 through 99D, inclusive of the public records of Duval County, Florida.
- 10. "Institutional Mortgagee" means (a) any (i) commercial bank, (ii) savings bank, (iii) savings and loan association, (iv) life insurance company, (v) real estate investment trust, (vi) mortgage banking or lending corporation, association or trust, owning or servicing at least 100 mortgages, (vii) any federal agency, corporation or association including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, FHA, VA, FNMA and GNMA and (viii) any affiliate, subsidiary, successor or assignees of any of the foregoing, holding a mortgage on a Lot and (b) Developer if and so long as Developer holds a mortgage on a lot.
- 11. "Speculative Builder" means any persons or entities which are licensed contractors within Duval County, Florida, which are held for resale by such person or entities in the ordinary course of business.
- 12. "Stormwater Management System" means a system which is designed and constructed or implemented to control discharges which are necessitated by rainfall events, incorporating methods to (i) collect, convey, store, absorb, inhibit, treat, use or reuse, water, (ii) to prevent or reduce flooding, over drainage, environmental degradation, and water pollution or otherwise affect the quantity and quality of discharges from the system as permitted pursuant to Chapters 40C-4, 40C-40, or 40C-42 of the Florida Administrative Code.



ARTICLE II

LAND PLAN EASEMENTS AND LIMITATIONS

- 2.1 The Lots. Each of the Lots shall be developed and used solely for single-family residential use in accordance with this Declaration. No business, commercial, religious, charitable or other enterprise of any kind may be maintained upon or in connection with the use of any Lot. No residence or part thereof on any Lot may be rented separately from the rental of the entire Lot. However, the Developer and Speculative Builders, with the prior approval of the Developer, will have the right to maintain facilities on the Lots owned by the Developer for sales and promotional purposes, and for maintenance purposes.
- 2.2 Insurance. The Association shall carry and maintain insurance as may be provided or permitted in the Bylaws of the Association.
- 2.3 Conservation Easement Area. The Jurisdictional Wetlands Areas (the "Wetlands") as depicted on the Plat as the "Conservation Easement" is subject to conservation restriction. The following uses of the Wetlands are hereby prohibited and restricted without the prior written consent of the St. Johns River Water Management District ("SJRWMD", which term includes its successors):
- (a) The construction, installation or placement of signs, buildings, fences, walls, roads or any other structures and improvements on or above the ground of the Wetlands; and
- (b) The dumping or placing of soil or other substances or materials as landfill or the dumping or placing of trash, waste or unsightly or offensive materials; and
 - (c) The removal or destruction of trees, shrubs or other vegetation from the Wetlands; and
- (d) The excavation, dredging or removal of loam, peat, gravel, rock, soil, or other material substance in such a manner as to affect the surface of the Wetlands; and
 - (e) Any use which would be detrimental to the retention of the Wetlands in their natural condition.
 - (f) Acts or uses detrimental to such retention of land or water areas.

The Association, its successors and assigns and the SJRWMD will have the right to enter upon the Wetlands at all reasonable times and in a reasonable manner, to assure compliance with the aforesaid prohibitions and restrictions.

The Association, and all subsequent owners of any land upon which there is located any of the Wetlands, shall be responsible for the periodic removal of trash and other debris which may accumulate on such Wetlands.

The prohibitions and restrictions upon the Wetlands as set forth in this Section may be enforced by the SJRWMD by proceedings at law or in equity including, without limitation, actions for injunctive relief. The provisions of this Section may not be amended without prior approval from the SJRWMD.

In the event of termination, dissolution or final liquidation of the Association prior thereof, the responsibility for the operation and maintenance of the surface water management system will be transferred to and accepted by an entity which would comply with Section 40C-42.027, F.A.C. and be accepted by the SJRWMD.

Wetlands must be clearly delineated on all plats given to individual buyers or owners of Lots encumbered by the Wetlands.

- 2.4 Stormwater Management System. The Association will be responsible for the maintenance, operation, and repair of the Stormwater Management System. Maintenance of the Stormwater Management System(s) means the exercise of practices which allow the systems to provide drainage, water storage, conveyance or other stormwater management capabilities as permitted by SJRWMD. The Association will be responsible for such maintenance and operation. Any repair or reconstruction of the Stormwater Management System must be as permitted, or if modified, as approved by the SJRWMD.
- 2.5 Easements. Easements are reserved for the benefit of the Developer, its successors and assigns, by specific assignment recorded in the public records of Duval County, Florida and for the public and private utility entities furnishing utilities and conveniences to the Lots for (a) fencing, drainage and utilities, including but not limited to, water, sewage, electricity, drainage, power, conveniences, and communications (b) ingress and egress for the installation, maintenance, repair and replacement of the same and (c) ingress and egress to the Wetlands for the inspection and maintenance of the Wetlands, reserved over, on and under (i) all easements as shown on the Plat and (ii) a ten (10) foot strip over the back of each lot and a seven (7) foot strip along the front and sides of each lot. Developer may release any such easement which is not shown on the Plat.

ARTICLE III

THE ASSOCIATION

- 3.1 General. The Association shall act in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Declaration, the Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws.
- 3.2 Membership. Each and every Owner (including the Developer when an Owner) of a Lot will be a member of the Association.
 - 3.3 Classes. Membership will be divided into two classes as follows:
- (1) Class A members shall be all Owners (other than the Developer, so long as Class B membership shall exist) owning Lots.

(2) The Class B member shall be the Developer or the Developer's assignee by an assignment, recorded in the public records of Duval County, Florida.

Class A memberships will be appurtenant to ownership of a Lot and may not be separated from such ownership. Class B membership will not be so appurtenant, but will remain with the Developer or its assigns as herein provided regardless of the conveyance of Lots to others. The Class B membership will terminate at the sooner of such times as: (i) the Developer so elects by written notice to the Association, or (ii) at the time that Developer and all entities controlled by Developer own none of the Lots including any additional lots which at such time are subject to this Declaration by amendment to this Declaration.

- 3.4 Voting Rights. Until such time as the Class B membership is terminated, the Class B member will have sole voting rights in the Association and the Class A members will have no voting rights except for altering or amending the Articles or Bylaws, as provided in the Articles and Bylaws. After termination of the Class B membership, each Class A member will have full voting rights on all matters to come become before the Association as provided in the Articles and Bylaws.
- 3.5 Termination of Association. At such time as the Association is dissolved, the duties and rights of the Association may be exercised by a majority of the Owners or by a person or committee of persons selected by the majority Owners to act on their behalf. Any action taken by the majority of the Owners including the appointment of a representative or committee shall be evidenced by an instrument executed by a majority of the Owners and will be effective only upon recording of such instrument in the public records of Duval County, Florida.

ARTICLE IV

APPROVAL OF ALL STRUCTURES - RIGHT OF DEVELOPER TO DESIGNATE SUBSTITUTE

- 4.1 All structures To Be Approved by Developer. The Developer reserves the exclusive power and discretion to control and approve all of the buildings, structures and other improvements on each Lot in the manner and to the extent set forth in this Declaration. No residence or other building, fence, wall driveway, dock, swimming pool or other structure or improvement, regardless of size or purpose, whether attached to or detached from the residence, may be commenced, placed, erected or allowed to remain on any Lot, nor may any additions to or exterior change or alteration be made, unless and until building plans and specifications covering same have been submitted to and approved by the Developer in writing. The building plans and specifications submitted to the Developer must show the nature, kind, shape, height, size, materials, floor plans, exterior color schemes, location and orientation on the Lot, including the location of all trees, the approximate square footage, construction schedule and other such information as the Developer may require, including plans for the grading and landscaping of the Lot showing any changes proposed to be made in the elevation or surface contours of the land. The developer will have the absolute and exclusive rights to refuse to approve any such building plans and specifications, including location and orientation on the Lot, and Lot grading and landscaping plans which are not suitable or desirable in its opinion for any reason, including purely aesthetic reasons. In passing upon such building plans and specifications and site location and grading and landscaping plans, the Developer may take into consideration the suitability and desirability of proposed construction and materials to be used. In the event Developer fails to approve or disapprove the plans, specifications, and other matters required to be approved under the terms of this paragraph within thirty (30) days after receipt thereof by Developer, the approval of the Developer of such plans and specifications will not be required; however, the Developer's failure to so approve or disapprove will not waive the Developer's right to approve or disapprove any amendments to any submitted plans or specifications or the Developer's right to approve or disapprove any other plans or specifications required to be submitted to the Developer. The Developer may require changes in the location and orientation of the structures in order to save trees. No clearing of a Lot or any part thereof may be commenced unless and until the building plans and specifications (as described in this Section 4.1) have been approved by the Developer in writing.
- 4.2 Developer May Designate Substitute. The Developer will have the sole and exclusive right at any time to transfer and assign to such persons or entities as it shall elect any and all rights, powers, privileges, authorities and reservations given to or reserved by Developer in this Declaration. If at any time after the recording of this Declaration there is no entity or person(s) entitled to exercise the right, powers, privileges, authorities and reservations given to or reserved by the Developer by this Declaration, the same will be vested in and exercised by the Board.

ARTICLE V

ARCHITECTURAL CRITERIA AND BUILDING RESTRICTIONS

- 5.1 Residential Building. No building shall be erected, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than one (1) detached single-family dwelling not to exceed two (2) stories and attached garage. Notwithstanding the foregoing buildings and structures accessory to the use of the family occupying the dwelling may be erected on the Lot upon approval by the Developer provided that any such accessory buildings do not furnish residential accommodations for an additional family.
- 5.2 Building Restriction Lines. No dwelling shall be located nearer than 20 feet to the front lot line, 7 1/2 feet to the side lot line or 15 feet to the rear lot line. If a residence is constructed on more than one lot, then the side lot restrictions shall apply only to the extreme side lot lines of the combined lots.
- 5.3 Minimum Floor Space. Each single-story dwelling located on a Lot must contain not less than 1200 square feet of livable, enclosed floor area (exclusive of garages, carports and open or screened porches, terraces or patios); and each multi-story dwelling located on a Lot must contain not less than 1200 square feet of livable, enclosed floor area (exclusive of garages, carports and open or screened porches, terraces or patios) of which 900 square feet (exclusive of garages, carports and open or screened porches, terraces or patios) must be on the first floor thereof. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Section 5.3, the Developer will have the right, from time to time, to reduce any of the above-designated number of square feet by up to 10% as to any of the Lots.

- 5.4 Garages. Unless otherwise specifically approved by the Developer, no garage, tool shed or storage room may be constructed separate and apart from the dwelling. Each dwelling must have an enclosed garage or carport for not less than two (2) and, not more than three (3) cars. No carport will be permitted unless otherwise specifically approved by the Developer as being part of a total design which contributes to the aesthetic appearance of the dwelling and the neighborhood. Without the prior written approval of the Developer, no garage may be permanently enclosed or converted to other uses without the substitution of another garage on the Lot meeting the requirements of this Declaration.
- 5.5 Driveways. All dwellings must have a paved driveway of stable and permanent construction of at least ten (10) feet in width. All driveways must be concrete construction unless otherwise specifically approved by the Developer.
 - 5.6 Recreation Facilities.
- (a) All recreation facilities constructed or erected on a Lot, including, without limitation by specification, swimming pools and any other play or recreation structures, basketball backboards, platforms, playhouses, doghouses or other structures of a similar kind or nature (collectively "Recreation Facilities") must be adequately walled, fenced or landscaped in a manner specifically approved by the Developer prior to the construction or erection of same.
- (b) No lighting of a Recreation Facility will, in any event, be permitted unless otherwise specifically approved by the Developer.
- (c) Lighting of a Recreation Facility must, in any event be designed so as to buffer the surrounding residences as reasonably practical from such Lighting.
- 5.7 Non-Interference With Easements. No structure, planting or other material may be placed or permitted to remain on a Lot which may damage or interfere with the installation and maintenance by the Association of any entry way, hedge, planting, tree, grass, fence, or other improvement or landscaping located within an area to be maintained by the Association. Any easement area located upon a Lot and all improvements upon an easement area shall be maintained by the Owner of the Lot whereon said easement area lies except for those easement areas the maintenance of which is the responsibility of a public authority, utility or the Association. Drainage easements located on and constituting part of a Lot shall be maintained by the Owner of such Lot (i) in accordance with the drainage plan for SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3, (ii) so as to conform to all requirements of the SJRWMD or its successors, and (iii) so as not to interfere in any way with drainage of Property or any portion thereof.
- 5.8 Utility Connections. Connections for all utilities, including, but not limited to, water, sewage, electricity, telephone and television must be run underground from the connecting point therefore to the building structure in such a manner as is acceptable to the respective utility authority or company and the Developer. Each dwelling constructed on a Lot shall be connected to the water and sewer disposal lines owned and operated by Clay County Water and Sewer Authority or its successors or assigns. No well shall be permitted on any Lot except a shallow water well which may only be used for use in air conditioning equipment and/or lawn watering.
- 5.9 Air conditioning Units. No window or wall air conditioning units will be permitted on any Lot. Compressors and fans for central air conditioning or heat pump systems must be located and screened by fencing, walls, or landscaping so as not to be viewable from any street.
- 5.10 Mailboxes. All mailboxes, paper boxes or other receptacles of any kind for use in the delivery of mail, newspapers, magazines or similar material shall be erected or permitted only in the location approved by the Developer and must be constructed according to a size, design and material approved by the Developer. In the event the United States Postal Service makes available delivery serviced of mail to individual dwellings located on Lots, the Developer may require that all mailboxes, paper boxes or other such receptacles previously utilized by Owners be removed and replaced by mailboxes, paper boxes and similar receptacles attached to dwellings.
- 5.11 Antennae and Aerials Satellite Dishes. No antennae or aerial may be placed upon any Lot or affixed to the exterior of any building, and no antennae or aerial placed or affixed within a building may extend or protrude beyond the exterior of such building or in any way be visible from outside the building without the prior written approval of the Developer. No satellite dishes may be placed on any Lot or affixed to the exterior of any building without the prior written approval of the Developer.
- 5.12 Clothes Drying Area. No clotheslines or facilities or apparatus for the drying of clothes outside of a dwelling shall be constructed or maintained on a Lot except within an area which shall be adequately walled, fenced or landscaped to prevent same from being visible at ground level from any street or adjoining Lot.
- 5.13 Signs. the size an design of all signs located on a Lot will be subject to the approval of the Developer. No sign of any kind shall be displayed to general view on any Lot except under any of the following circumstances.
- (a) Directional or traffic signs may be installed by the appropriate governmental authority, by Developer or by the Board and entrance or other identification sign may be installed by or with the consent of the Developer or the Board:
- (b) Developer and any Speculative Builders may display signs on Lots owned by the Developer or Speculative Builder;
- (c) One "For Sale: sign not more than 2 square feet (when measured on one side thereof) may be displayed on a Lot by the Owner or the agent for such Owner.
 - (d) A name plate and address plate in size and design approved by the Developer.

- 5.14 Temporary Structures. No structure of a temporary character, whether a trailer, tent, shack, garage, barn or any other such building, may be placed on any Lot; provided, however, a temporary storage or out-building for materials and supplies may be used in connection with and during the construction of a dwelling provided that it shall be removed immediately from the Lot upon completion of such construction.
- 5.15 Completion of Construction and Repairs. The construction of any new building or the repair of the exterior of any building damaged by fire or otherwise shall be completed with reasonable promptness.
- 5.16 Sales Office of Developer & Speculative Builders. Notwithstanding anything in this Declaration to the contrary, the Developer and Speculative Builders with the consent of the Developer may construct and maintain sales offices, together with a sign or signs relating thereto, on a Lot or Lots until such time as all of the Lots owned by the Developer and by Speculative Builders are sold.
- 5.17 Destruction or Damage to Subdivision Improvements. Lot owners will be responsible for any and all damage caused to subdivision improvements, including but not limited to curbs and gutters, water hydrants, sidewalks erected by anyone, power poles and fences, whether such damage is caused by the Lot Owner or the Lot Owner's employees, agents, invitees, guests, contractors or subcontractors.
- 5.18 Proviso. Notwithstanding anything herein otherwise provided, Developer reserves the right (i) to use any Lot owned by it for the purpose of ingress and egress to any adjoining property owned by Developer or subsequently acquired by Developer, or which Developer deems advantageous to be joined with any of the Lots and (ii) to cause any Lot to be platted as right-of-way. Developer reserves the right to impose easements for drainage and maintenance thereof on any Lot owned by it.

USE AND RESTRICTION COVENANTS

- 6.1 Residential Use. No business or commercial building may be erected on any Lot and no business or commercial activity may be conducted on any Lot except for a sales and marketing program of the Lots by Developer and the construction and sale by Speculative Builders of speculative homes on Lots in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Declaration.
- 6.2 Further Subdivision. Developer reserves the right to re-subdivide the Lots provided, however, no residence shall be erected upon or allowed to occupy such re-subdivided Lot if the same has an area less than that which is required by the zoning ordinance for Clay County, Florida. In the event of such re-subdivision all provisions hereof shall apply to each such re-subdivided Lot as if each re-subdivided Lot had been a Lot as shown on the Plat. Developer may replat any portion of the Property for any purposes including without limitation the conversion of Lots into roads and easements; provided however, that the provisions of this Declaration shall apply to the replatted property, each lot as shown on the replat being deemed a Lot.
- 6.3 Maintenance of Exteriors. Each Owner shall at all times maintain the exterior of all structures on his Lot and any and all fixtures attached thereto in a sightly manner. The Developer or the Board may provide repairs or maintenance upon any residence upon any residence or other improvements located upon a Lot which in the opinion of the Developer or the Board require repair or maintenance in order to preserve the beauty, quality and value of the neighborhood. The Developer or the Board as the case may be not undertake such repairs or maintenance unless and until the affected Lot Owner is provided written notice of the intent to undertake such repairs or maintenance and a minimum of 5 days to cause such repairs or maintenance to be effected. Permissible repairs and maintenance under this Section 6.3 include without limitation (i) the repair or replacement of the roof, (ii) painting, (iii) gutter downspouts, and (iv) yard cleanup and maintenance.
- 6.4 Noxious Vegetation. No Owner shall permit the growth of noxious weeds or vegetation upon his Lot or upon the land lying between the street pavement and the front lot line of his Lot. All unimproved areas of a Lot of which a dwelling is erected must be maintained in an attractive landscaped and sightly manner.
- 6.5 Litter, Trash, Garbage. No garbage, trash, refuse or rubbish may be deposited, dumped or kept on any Lot except in closed sanitary containers approved by the Developer. Such containers shall be kept in a sanitary condition in (i) an enclosed area attached to the dwelling and constructed in a manner approved by the Developer or (ii) an underground container. Such containers may be placed on the Lot for pickup at the times and in accordance with the requirements of the franchised or governmental entity providing garbage removal utility service for the Property; however, such containers shall be returned to and kept in the enclosed area or underground, as the case may be, promptly after pick up.
- 6.6 Nuisances. No Owner shall cause or permit to emanate from his Lot any unreasonable noises or odors. No owner shall commit on his Lot or permit to be maintained on his Lot any nuisance, any immoral or illegal activity or anything which may be an annoyance or a noxious or offensive activity to the neighborhood.
- 6.7 Parking of Wheeled Vehicles, Boats. Except as below provided no wheeled vehicles of any kind, boats, or any offensive objects as determined by rules enacted by the Board, may be kept or parked on any roads in the Property or parked between the road and the residential dwelling on any Lot or parked on any Lot. They may be kept only completely inside a garage attached to the residential dwelling or within the rear or side yard of any Lot provided the same are sufficiently screened so as to be obstructed from view from the roads and any other Lot. Notwithstanding the foregoing, (i) private automobiles or trucks of the occupants of a residential dwelling constructed on a Lot an those of their guests may be parked in such driveways provided they bear no commercial signs and (ii), commercial vehicles may be parked in such driveways during the times necessary for pickup and delivery service and solely for the purpose of such services. Not travel trailers, trailers or recreational vehicles shall be connected to any water well and/or septic tank or used as a place of residence by anyone on any of the Lots.
- 6.8 Garage Doors. Garage doors must be kept closed except when opened to permit persons or vehicles to enter and exit from a garage.
- 6.9 Livestock and Poultry. No animals, livestock or poultry of any kind shall be raised, bred or kept on any Lot except that dogs, cats or other household pets may be kept provided that they are not kept, bred or

maintained for any commercial purpose and that they do not cause an unreasonable nuisance or annoyance to other Owners.

- 6.10 Vehicles and Repair. No inoperative cars, trucks or trailers or other type of vehicles will be allowed to remain on or adjacent to any Lot for a period in excess of forty-eight (48) hours; however, this provision will not apply to any such vehicle which is kept within an enclosed garage.
- 6.11 Mineral Rights. The Lots are subject to all oil, gas and minerals on, in and under the above described lands and the right of the owners of oil, gas and mineral rights to explore for oil, gas, and mineral on, in and under the Lots, and to produce, drill and mine the same, provided that the Owners shall be compensated for any injury or damage to the surface of the Owners' Lots or to any improvements thereon caused by the exercise of such rights. Such rights may be exercised prior to the determination of reasonable compensation for damage caused thereby.

ARTICLE VII

ASSOCIATION EXPENSES, ASSESSMENTS AND LIENS

- 7.1 Creation of Lien and Personal Obligations for Assessments. All assessments in this Article ("Assessments") together with interest and costs of collection when delinquent, will be a charge on the land and will be a continuing lien upon the Lot against which the Assessments are made, and will also be the personal obligations of the person or entity who was the Owner of such Lot at the time when the Assessments were levied. Except as herein otherwise provided, each Lot will share equally in all Assessments, it being the intent hereof that, except as herein otherwise provided, the Owner of each lot will be responsible for their proportionate share of all Assessments which will be determined as follows: each Lot will be responsible for a sum equal to a fraction of the numerator of which will be the total amount of any Annual or Special Assessments and the denominator of which will be the total number of Lots (including any lots which are made subject to this Declaration from time to time by supplementary declaration) but excluding Lots which are exempt from such assessment by the terms hereof. Each Owner of a Lot, by acceptance of a deed or other transfer document therefor, whether or not it shall be so expressed in such deed or transfer document, is deemed to be covenant and agree to pay the Association the Assessments established or described in this Article. no diminution or abatement of any Assessments will be allowed by reason of any alleged failure of the Association to perform some function required of it, or any alleged negligent or wrongful acts of the Association, or their officers, agents and employees, the obligation to pay such Assessments being a separate and independent covenant by each Owner hereof. Written notice of the Annual Assessment and of Special Assessments shall be sent to the Owner of every Lot by the Association.
- 7.2 Annual General Assessments. Except as otherwise provided in this Article 7, each Lot is subject to Annual General Assessments by the Association for the improvement, maintenance and operation of the management and administration of the Association, the maintenance, operation and repair of Stormwater Management System, and the furnishing of services as set forth in this Declaration. Each such Annual General Assessment will be assessed for and will cover a calendar year (except as to the initial Annual General Assessment which will cover the period from the Commencement Date to the expiration of the calendar year in which such "Commencement Date" occurs. Except as further described in this Article, the Board by majority vote will set the Annual General Assessments in an amount sufficient to meet the Association's obligations. the initial Annual General Assessment may not exceed an amount greater than \$25 per Lot, excluding all Lots exempt from such assessments by the terms hereof. Thereafter the Board will have the right, power and authority, during any fiscal year, to increase the Annual General Assessment for the purpose of meeting its expenses and operating costs on a current basis. The Board will set the date or dates that assessments shall become due. Assessments will be collected annually provided, however, the Board may provide the collection of assessments in monthly, quarterly or semi-annually installments; provided however, that upon default in the payment of any one or more such installments, the entire balance of the assessment may be accelerated at the option of the Board and be declared due and payable in full.
- 7.3 Special Assessment. In addition to the Annual General Assessments authorized above, the Association may levy in any assessment year a Special Assessment applicable to that year and not more than the next four succeeding years for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the cost of any construction, reconstruction, repair or replacement of a capital improvement provided that any such assessment shall have the assent of majority of the votes cast either in person or by proxy at a regular meeting or special meeting called for that purpose of the Association.
- 7.4 Commencement of Annual Assessments. The Annual General Assessments provided for herein will commence on the day of conveyance (the "Commencement Date") of the first Lot to an Owner who is neither developer nor a Speculative Builder. Except as provided in Section 7.6, the initial assessment of each Lot will be collected at the time title to such first Lot is conveyed to the Owner who is neither Developer nor a Speculative Builder.
- 7.5 Termination of Assessments. Upon the dissolution of the Association, further Annual and Special Assessments shall not be permitted. Assessments levied prior to the dissolution must be paid. Distribution of the remaining assets of the Association shall be made in accordance with the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act.
- 7.6 Each Lot owned by the Developer or a Speculative Builder will be exempt from all assessments until such time as Developer or Speculative Builder has sold such Lot to a person, persons or entity other than to (i) an entity affiliated with the Developer or (ii) to a Speculative Builder. Developer, so long as it remains the sole Class B Member of the Association, agrees to exercise its rights as such so as to cause the Association to levy an Annual Assessment equal to no more than \$25.00 per non-exempt Lot during 1996 and no more than \$50.00 per non-exempt Lot during 1995. Developer agrees to be responsible for any Association expenses incurred in excess of the Association's income until the sooner of (i) the expiration of the Class B membership, or (ii) the expiration of the second full calendar year following the Commencement Date.
- 7.7 Assessments on Account of Real Property Taxes. In the event the Tax Collector assesses more than one Lot as a single parcel, the Association may but will not be obligated to pay the real property taxes for said

parcel whereupon each Lot comprising said parcel will be assessed an amount equal to a sum determined by dividing the taxes assessed upon said parcel by the number of Lots comprising said parcel. Said assessment shall be paid by the Owner of each Lot to the Association no later than 7 days after evidence of payment of said taxes is sent to each effected Owner. If said assessment is not so paid the defaulting Owner shall pay interest upon the assessed amount at the then highest lawful rate until said assessment is paid. Failure to pay said assessment will be deemed for enforcement purposes as a failure to pay any other assessment permitted by this Declaration.

- 7.8 Effect of Nonpayment of Assessment; Remedies of the Association.
- (a) Interest. Any Assessments not paid within ten (10) days after the due date shall bear interest at the highest lawful rate.
- (b) Lien. All Assessments against any Lot pursuant to this Declaration, together with such interest thereon, and cost of collection thereof (including reasonable attorney's fees, whether suit is filed or not), shall become a lien on such Lot effective upon recording a Claim of Lien against such Lot by the Association. The Association may bring an action at law against the Owner personally obligated to pay the same, foreclose the lien against the Lot, or both. Costs and reasonable attorney's fees incurred in any such action shall be awarded to the prevailing party. The lien provided for in this Section shall be in favor of the Association. The Association, acting on behalf of the Owners, shall have the power to bid for an interest in any Lot foreclosed at such foreclosure sale and to acquire and hold, lease, mortgage and convey the same.
- (c) Owner's Obligations. Each Owner, by acquisition of an interest in a Lot, hereby expressly vests in the Association the right and power to bring all actions against such Owner personally for the collection of such Assessments as a debt and to enforce the aforesaid by all methods available for the enforcement of such liens, including foreclosures, by an action brought in the name of the Association in a like manner as a mortgage lien on real property, and such Owner hereby expressly grants to the Association a power of sale in connection with such lien. No Owner may waive or otherwise escape liability for the Assessments provided for herein by abandonment of his Lot.
- (d) Subordination of the Lien to Mortgages. The lien of the Assessments provided for herein shall be inferior and subordinate to the lien of a mortgage held by an Institutional Mortgagee now or hereafter placed upon any Lot subject to assessment so long as such mortgage lien is recorded prior to any Claim of Lien filed by the Association. Sale or transfer of any Lot shall not affect the Assessments lien; however, the sale or transfer of any Lot pursuant to foreclosure of such Mortgage to an Institutional Mortgagee shall extinguish the lien of such Assessments as to payments which became due prior to such sale or transfer.
- 7.9 Certificate of Payment. The Treasurer of the Association, upon demand of any Owner liable for Assessments, shall furnish to such Owner a certificate in writing signed by such Treasurer setting forth whether such Assessments have been paid. The Association shall be entitle to make a charge for such certificate in an amount as shall be determined by the Association provided, however the amount of such charge shall not exceed such limitations therefore as may be established from time to time by Federal National Mortgage Association (FNMA), Veteran's Administration (VA) or Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

7.10 Budget.

- (a) Fiscal Year. The fiscal year of the Association shall consist of the twelve month period commencing on January 1 of each year and terminating on December 31 of that year.
- (b) Initial Budget. Developer shall determine the Association budget for the fiscal year in which a Lot is first conveyed to an Owner who is not developer or a Speculative Builder to whom the rights of the Declarant have been assigned as to such Lot.
- (c) Preparation and Approval of Annual Budget. Commencing with December 1 of the year in which a Lot is first conveyed to an Owner who is not Developer or a Speculative Builder to whom the rights of the Developer have been assigned as to such Lot and each year thereafter, on or before December 1, the Board shall adopt a budget for the coming year containing an estimate of the total amount which they consider necessary to pay the cost of all expenses to be incurred by the Association to carry out its responsibilities and obligations including, without limitation, the cost of wages, materials, insurance premiums, services, supplies and other expenses needed to render the services specified hereunder. Such budget shall also include such reasonable amounts as the Board considers necessary to provide working capital and to provide for a general operating reserve and reserves for contingencies and replacements. The Board shall send each of its members a copy of the budget, in a reasonably itemized form which sets forth the amount of the assessments payable by each Member, on or before December 20 preceding the fiscal year to which the budget applies. Each budget shall constitute the basis for determining each Owner's General Assessment as provided herein; provided, however, that the budget for an fiscal year subsequent to the first full fiscal year may not exceed 125 percent of the budget for the preceding year without the approval of a majority of the votes of the Members voting in person or by proxy at a regular meeting or special meeting of the Association called for that purpose.
- (d) Reserves. The Board may build up and maintain a reserve for working capital and contingencies, and a reserve for replacements which shall be collected as part of the Annual General Assessments as provided herein. Extraordinary expenditures not originally included in the annual budget which may become necessary during the year shall be charged first against the appropriate reserves. Reserves accumulated for one purpose may not be expended for any other purpose unless approved by a majority of the Members of the Association, or, in the event of emergency, if directed by the Board. If the reserves are inadequate for any reason, including nonpayment, of any Owner's assessment, a further assessment may be levied in accordance with the provisions of Section 7.3 of this Article. The further assessment may be payable in a lump sum or in installments as the Board may determine.
- (e) Effect of Failure to Prepare or Adopt Budget. The failure or delay of the Board to prepare or adopt the annual budget or adjusted budget for any fiscal year shall not constitute a waiver or release in any manner of any Owner's obligation to pay his assessment as herein provided, whenever the same shall be determined. In the absence of an annual budget or adjusted budget, each Owner shall continue to pay the assessment at the then

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existing rate established for the previous fiscal period in the manner such payment was previously due until notified otherwise

ARTICLE VIII

GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 8.1 Incorporation of the Land Use Documents. Any and all deeds conveying a Lot shall be conclusively presumed to have incorporated therein all of the terms and conditions of this Declaration.
- 8.2 Release from Minor Violations. Where a building has been extended on a Lot or the construction thereof substantially advanced, in such manner that the same constitutes a violation or violations of the covenants as set forth in Paragraphs 5.2, 5.3, 5.4 or 5.5 either the Developer or the Board may and each of them shall have the right at any time to release such Lot from such Paragraph or Paragraphs as are violated, provided, however, that neither the Developer or the Board shall release a violation or violations of such Paragraph except as to violations that the party releasing the same shall determine to be minor.
- 8.3 Disputes. In the event there is any dispute as to whether the use of the Property complies with the covenants and restrictions contained in this Declaration, such dispute shall be referred to the Board, and the determination rendered by the Board with respect to such dispute shall be final and binding on all parties thereto.
- 8.4 Enforcement. The covenants and restrictions contained in this Declaration may be enforced by Developer, the Association, any Owner or Owners, and any Institutional Mortgagee in any judicial proceeding seeking any remedy recognizable at law or in equity, including an action or suit seeking damages, injunction, specific performance or any other form of relief, against any person, firm or entity violating or attempting to violate any covenant or restriction herein. The failure by any party to enforce any covenant or restriction contained herein shall in no event be deemed a waiver of such covenant or restriction or of the right of such party to thereafter enforce such covenant or restriction. The prevailing party in any such litigation shall be entitled to reasonable attorneys' fees and court costs at all trial and appellate levels. The SJRWMD will have the right to enforce, by a proceeding at law or in equity, the provisions contained in this Declaration which relate to the maintenance, operation and repair of the Stormwater Management System.
- 8.5 Assignment. The Developer shall have the right to assign any of its rights pursuant hereto as to any of the Lots sold by the Developer as such Lots shall be designated in such assignment provided specific reference is made in such assignment to this Section 8.5.
- 8.6 Notices to Owners. Any notice or other communication required or permitted to be given or delivered under this Declaration to any Owner shall be deemed properly given and delivered upon the mailing thereof by United States mail, postage prepaid, to the last known address of the person whose name appears as the Owner on the records of the Association at the time of such mailing.
- 8.7 Notices to Association. Any notice or other communication required or permitted to be given or delivered under this Declaration to the Association shall be deemed properly given and delivered upon the delivery thereof or upon mailing thereof by certified United States mail, postage prepaid to the Board or the Developer at 5175 Blanding Boulevard, Jacksonville, Florida 32210, or at such other address as the Board may hereafter designate by Notice to Owners in the manner provided in Section 8.6.

8.8 Amendment.

- (a) Subject to the provisions of Section 8.9 Developer specifically reserves the absolute and unconditional right, so long as it owns any of the Property, to amend this Declaration without the consent or joinder of any party to (I) conform to the requirements of the SJRWMD, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, FNMA, VA, HUD or any other generally recognized institution involved in the purchase and sale of home loan mortgages or (ii) to conform to the requirements of Institutional Mortgagee lender(s) or title insurance company(s) or (iii) to perfect, clarify or make internally consistent the provision herein;
- (b) Subject to the provisions of Section 8.9 Developer reserves the right to amend this Declaration in any other manner without the joinder of any party until the termination of Class B membership so long as (i) the voting power of existing Members is not diluted thereby, (ii) the assessments of existing Owners are not increased except as may be expressly provided for herein, and (iii) no Owner's right to the use and enjoyment of his Lot is materially altered thereby.
- (c) Subject to the provisions of Section 8.9 this Declaration may be amended at a duly called meeting of the Association whereat a quorum is present if the amendment resolution is adopted by a majority of all Class A members and the Class B member, if any. An amendment so adopted shall be effective upon the recordation in the public records of Clay County of a copy of the amendment resolution, signed by the President of the Association and certified by the Secretary of the Association.
- (d) So long as there remains a Class B Membership, the Developer may without the consent of any party, except as may be required by any governmental entity with jurisdiction over the Property or portion thereof from time to time, bring within the scheme of this Declaration any of the lands described on the attached exhibit as Additional Property. Developer will also have the right from time to time to bring within the scheme of this Declaration land in addition to the Additional Property provided that (i) such additional land is contiguous to the Property, (ii) the addition of such property will not alter the common scheme for development provided in this Declaration, and (iii) the additional properties and the Owners of the same will upon their addition to the Property be subject to all assessments assessed by the Association. Said addition of lands to the Property may be made by supplementary declaration and will be effective upon the recording of the same in the current public records of Clay County, Florida.
- (e) Any amendment to the Declaration which would alter the Stormwater Management System, including the water management portions of the Common Areas, must have the prior approval of the SJRWMD.

- 8.9 Consents. This Declaration contains provisions concerning various rights, priorities, remedies and interest of the Institutional Mortgagees. Such provisions are to be construed as covenants for the protection of the institutional Mortgagees on which they may rely in making loans secured by mortgages on the Lots. Accordingly, no amendment or modification of this Declaration impairing such rights, priorities, remedies or interest of an Institutional Mortgagee shall be adopted without the prior written consent of all Institutional Mortgagees holding liens on eighty percent (80%) or more of the Lots encumbered by Mortgages to Institutional Mortgagees. Any such consent requested by Developer of such Institutional Mortgagees shall be given prompt consideration and shall not be unreasonably withheld. This Section shall not apply or be construed as a limitation upon those rights of Developer, the Association or the Owners under this Declaration to make amendments which do not adversely affect the Institutional Mortgagees.
- 8.10 Legal Fees. Any and all legal fees, including but not limited to attorney's fees and court costs, including any appeals, which may be incurred by the Association in the lawful enforcement of any of the provisions of this Declaration, regardless of whether such unsuccessful party to the action, and if an Owner, shall be a lien against such Owner's Lot in favor of the Association.
- 8.11 Action Without Meeting. Any action required to be taken hereunder by vote or assent of the Members may be taken in the absence of a meeting by obtaining the written approval of the requisite number of Members required to constitute a quorum. Any action so approved shall have the same effect as though taken at a meeting of the Members, and such approval shall be duly filed in the minute book of the Association.
- 8.12 Law to Govern. This Declaration shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.
- 8.13 Captions. Captions inserted throughout this Declaration are intended only as a matter of convenience and for reference only and in no way shall such captions or headings define, limit or in any way affect any of the terms or provisions of this Declaration.
- 8.14 Context. Whenever the context so requires, any pronoun used herein may be deemed to mean the corresponding masculine, feminine or neuter form thereof, and the singular form of any noun or pronoun herein maybe deemed to mean the corresponding plural form thereof and vice versa.
- 8.15 Severability. The event any one of the provision of this Declaration shall be deemed invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, said judicial determination shall in no way affect any of the other provisions hereof, which shall remain in full force and effect. Without limitation of the foregoing, the invalidation of any of the covenants or restrictions or terms and conditions of this Declaration or a reduction in the term of the same by reason of the legal rule against perpetuities shall in no way affect any other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect for such period of time as may be permitted by law.
- 8.16 Term. This Declaration (but excluding the easements herein created which are perpetual) and the terms, provisions, conditions, covenants, restrictions, reservations, regulations, burdens and liens contained herein, including without limitation, the provisions for assessment of Lots, shall run with and bind the Property and insure to the benefit of Developer, the Association, Owners and their respective legal representatives, heirs, successors and assigns for a term of ninety (90) years from the date hereof, after which time this Declaration shall be automatically renewed and extended for successive periods of ten (10) years each unless at least (1) year prior to the termination of such ninety-year time or to each such ten-year extension, as the case may be there is recorded in the Public Records of Duval County, Florida, an instrument agreeing to terminate this Declaration signed by twothirds (2/3) of all Owners and two-thirds (2/3) of all Institutional Mortgagees, upon which event this Declaration shall be terminated upon the expiration of the ninety-year term or the ten-year extension during which such instrument was recorded, as the case may be.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Developer has caused this Declaration to be executed the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

Howard

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STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF DUVAL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 25th day of ctover by EDWARD L. TONEY, the President of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3, a Florida corporation, on behalf of the corporation.

> Notary Public J. Howard Sheffield

J. HOWARD SHEFFIELD Notary Public, State of Florida My Comm. Expires Sept. 30, 1998 No. CC 405416 Bonded thru Official Notary Service

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THIS AMENDMENT is made this ____ day of July, 1999 by Edward IRECTRALES \$ 9.00 ("Developer").

RECITALS

- Developer recorded that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, A. Restrictions and Easements in Official Records Volume 8218, Page 788, hereinafter referred to as the "Declarations."
- Pursuant to the terms of Article VIII of the Declaration, Developer is authorized B. to amend the Declaration so long as it retains its Class B membership in Springtree Village Unit 3 and Developer, as of the date hereof, does retain that Class B membership.
- Developer desires to amend the Declaration in the manner set forth below, C. intending that the amendments apply to all property which is now or in the future subject to the Declaration, including, without limitation:
 - I. Springtree Village Unit 3
 - Springtree Village Unit 4 II.
 - Springtree Village Unit 5 III.
 - Springtree Village Unit 6 IV.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises Developer hereby amends the Declaration as follows:

- The properties known as Springtree Village Units 4, 5, and 6, which are further 1. described in Exhibit "A", are hereby annexed and brought under the control and scheme of this Declaration.
- Article II, paragraph 2.6 is added in its entirety following paragraph 2.5: 2.

"The Association and Developer (while it remains Class B member of the Association) shall have a perpetual non-exclusive easement over all areas of the surface water or stormwater management system for access to operate, maintain or repair the system. By this easement, the Association shall have the right to enter upon any portion of any lot which is part of the surface water or stormwater management system, at a reasonable time and in a reasonable

manner, to operate, maintain or repair the surface water or stormwater management system as required by the St. Johns River Water Management District permit. Additionally, the Association shall have a perpetual non-exclusive easement for drainage over the entire surface water or stormwater management system. No person shall alter the drainage flow of the surface water or stormwater management system, including buffer areas or swales, without the prior written approval of the St. Johns River Water Management District."

EXCEPT as amended herein, all terms and conditions of the Declaration as originally adopted and as amended and supplemented remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Developer has executed this amendment as of the date first set forth above.

Print Name: Thorona M. Smilk

EDWARD L. FONEY, Developer

Print Name: OCRISRIE

STATE OF FLORIDA

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COUNTY OF DUVAL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on this day of July, 1999, by EDWARD L. TONEY, the President of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3, a Florida corporation, on behalf of the corporation.

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SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND EASEMENTS OF SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3

THIS AMENDMENT is made this 21St day of June, 2001, by Edward L. Toney ("Developer").

RECITALS

- A. Developer recorded that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements in Official Records Volume 8218, Page 788, hereinafter referred to as the "Declarations."
- B. Pursuant to the terms of Article VIII of the Declaration, Developer is authorized to amend the Declaration so long as it retains its Class B membership in Springtree Village Unit 3 and Developer, as of the date hereof, does retain that Class B membership.
- C. Developer desires to amend the Declaration in the manner set forth below, intending that the amendments apply to all property which is now or in the future subject to the Declaration, including, without limitation:
 - I. Springtree Village Unit 3
 - II. Springtree Village Unit 4
 - III. Springtree Village Unit 5
 - IV. Springtree Village Unit 6

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises Developer hereby amends the Declaration as follows:

- 1. Article V, paragraph 5.8 <u>Utility Connections</u>. Shall be amended to reflect "Jacksonville Electric Authority or its successors or assigns" and to delete "Clay County Water and Sewer Authority or its successors and assigns."
- 2. Article V, paragraph 6.2 <u>Use and Restrictive Covenants</u>. Further Subdivision; reference to Clay County, Florida shall be changed to Duval County, Florida.
- 3. Article VIII, paragraph 8.8(c) and 8.8 (d); references to Clay County, Florida shall be changed to Duval County, Florida.

EXCEPT as amended herein, all terms and conditions of the Declaration as originally adopted and as amended and supplemented remain in full force and effect.



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first set forth above.	7	
Print Name: Scott B. Box		EDWARD L. TONEY, Developer
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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on this Olday of June, 2001, by EDWARD L. TONEY, the President of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3, a Florida corporation, on behalf of the corporation.

Notary Public

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THIRD AMENDMENT TO THE DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND EASEMENTS OF SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT THREE

THIS AMENDMENT is made this 15th day of January, 2004, by EDWARD L. TONEY ("Developer").

RECITALS:

- Developer recorded that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 8218, Page 788, and as amended in that certain Amendment to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 9855, Page 130, and as amended in that certain Second Amendment to Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 10053, Page 1691, all in the current public records of Duval County, Florida, and hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Declarations."
- Pursuant to the terms of Article VIII of the Declarations, Developer is authorized to amend the Declarations, so long as it retains its Class B membership in SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3, and Developer, as of the date hereof, retains that Class B membership.
- Developer desires to amend the Declarations in the manner set forth below, intending that the amendments apply to all property which is now or in the future subject to the Declarations, including, without limitation:
 - SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3
 - SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 4 11.
 - SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 5 III.
 - SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 6

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of these premises, the Developer hereby amends the Declarations as follows:

Article I, paragraph 9 "Plat"; in addition to defining the "Plat of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3," the Declaration shall be amended to reflect and to include the following:

"SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 4 according to plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 53, Pages 94 through 94E, inclusive, of the current public records of Duval County, Florida; and

SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 5 according to plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 56, Pages 31, 31A through 31D, inclusive, of the current public records of Duval County, Florida."

EXCEPT as amended herein all terms and conditions of the Declarations as originally adopted and as amended and supplemented remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Developer has executed this amendment as of the date first set

forth above.

Boatright (in Name:

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DUVAL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on this 15th day of January, 2004, by ed his driver's license as EDWARD L. TONEY, Developer, who is personally known to me or ha Scott R Boatright

My Commission DD139514 identification.

Expires September 14, 2006 Notary Public



AMENDMENT TO THE DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND EASEMENTS OF SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3

THIS AMENDMENT is made on this ______ day of August, 2004, by CHC ENTERPRISES, a Florida general partnership, Successor in interest to EDWARD L. TONEY ("Developer").

RECITALS:

- A. Developer recorded that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 8218, Page 788, and as amended in that certain Amendment to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 9855, Page 130, and as amended in that certain Second Amendment to Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 10053, Page 1691, all in the current public records of Duval County, Florida, and hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Declarations."
- B. Edward L. Toney, the original Developer, assigned all his right, title and interest in and to the subject property and his Developer's Rights under the above cited Declaration to CHC Enterprises, a Florida general partnership.
- C. Pursuant to the terms of Article VIII, Paragraph 8.8 of the Declaration, Developer is authorized to amend the Declaration so long as it retains its Class B membership in the Development and Declaration, as of the date hereof, does retain that Class B membership.
- D. Developer desires to amend the Declaration in the manner set forth below, intending that the amendments apply to all property which is now or in the future subject to the Declaration.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, Developer hereby amends the Declaration as follows:

1. Article VI, ARCHITECTURAL CRITERIA AND BUILDING RESTRICTIONS, is amended to add paragraph "5.18. Fences. No fence shall be installed which restricts or prohibits ingress and egress as granted by easements herein. No fence or wall shall be erected, placed or altered on any lot nearer to any street than the rear of the house or the side of the house in the case of a corner lot unless approved by the Developer and in no event shall any fence exceed a maximum height of six (6) feet or be lower that a minimum height of five (5) feet unless approved by Developer. All fences shall be constructed and maintained to present a pleasing appearance as to quality of workmanship and materials, harmony of external design with existing structures and as to location with respect to topography and finished grade elevation. It shall be within the sole and exclusive purview of the Developer to make the determination as to whether or not a fence is pleasing in appearance as provided herein. Developer reserves the right to release areas such as sewer lift stations, playgrounds, etc., from the above fence restrictions."

EXCEPT as amended herein, all terms and conditions of the Declaration as originally adopted and as amended and supplemented remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Developer has executed this amendment as of the date first set forth above.

CHC ENTERPRISES, a Florida general

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AMENDMENT TO THE DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND EASEMENTS OF SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT THREE

THIS AMENDMENT is made this // day of February, 2009, by CONQUEST CONSULTANT AND DEVELOPMENT CORP., INC., a Florida corporation, Successor in interest to EDWARD L. TONEY ("Developer") and DEWEY WALKER, President, on behalf of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE OF JACKSONVILLE OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation ("Association").

RECITALS:

- A. Developer recorded that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 8218, Page 788, and as amended in that certain Amendment to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 9855, Page 130, and as amended in that certain Second Amendment to Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 10053, Page 1691, and as amended in that certain Third Amendment to Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3 as recorded in Official Records Book 11586, Page 1495, and as amended in that certain Amendment to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3, as recorded in Official Records Book 12060, Page 868, all in the current public records of Duval County, Florida, and hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Declarations."
- B. Developer and Association desire to amend the Declarations in the manner set forth below, intending that the amendments apply to all property which is now or in the future subject to the Declarations, including, without limitation:
 - I. SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3
 - II. SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 4
 - III. SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 5
 - IV. SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 6
 - V. SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 6A

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of these premises, the Developer and the Association hereby amends the Declarations as follows:

1. Article I, paragraph 9 "Plat"; in addition to defining the "Plat of SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 3," the Declaration shall be amended to reflect and to include the following:

SPRINGTREE VILLAGE UNIT 6A, according to plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 64, Pages 180, 181, 182, and 183, of the public records of Duval County, Florida; and

EXCEPT as amended herein all terms and conditions of the Declarations as originally adopted and as amended and supplemented remain in full force and effect.

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