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## FIFTH AMENDMENT TO THE DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS AND RESERVATION OF EASEMENTS FOR CROOKED TREE ESTATES, SECTION III HOME OWNERS ASSOCIATION

This will certify that a copy of the Fifth Amendment to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions and Reservation of Easements for Crooked Tree Estates, Section III Home Owners Association has been filed in the office of the County Auditor, Warren County, Ohio, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2018.

WARREN COUNTY AUDITOR

Prepared by:

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# FIFTH AMENDMENT TO THE DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS AND RESERVATION OF EASEMENTS FOR CROOKED TREE ESTATES, SECTION III HOME OWNERS ASSOCIATION

WHEREAS, the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions and Reservation of Easements for Crooked Tree Estates, Section III ("Declaration") was recorded on September 29, 1993 at Book 906, Page 24 of the Warren County, Ohio Records; and

WHEREAS, an Amendment to the Declaration was recorded on May 18, 1995 at Book 1109, Page 29 of the Warren County, Ohio Records; and

WHEREAS, an Amendment to the Declaration was recorded on March 4, 1996 at Book 1196, Page 335 of the Warren County, Ohio Records; and

WHEREAS, a Second Amendment to the Declaration was recorded on April 9, 1996 at Book 1212, Page 17 of the Warren County, Ohio Records; and

WHEREAS, an Amendment to the Declaration was filed on March 16, 1999 at Book 1720, Page 729 of the Warren County, Ohio Records; and

WHEREAS, the Declaration and all amendments thereto are binding on the properties described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 7.4 of the Declaration provides that the Declaration may be amended at any time without the vote of the Owners by a written instrument executed by the Declarant, who is defined in the Declaration as Rex Mullen, for the purpose of eliminating or correcting any typographical or other inadvertent error in the Declaration, eliminating or resolving any ambiguity therein, making nominal changes, or clarifying Declarant's original intent, provided that no such amendment shall materially affect any Owner's interest in the Association or the Common Elements; and

WHEREAS, at the inception of Crooked Tree Estates, Declarant installed a paved walking path ("Walking Path") in two platted easement areas: (i) the Ingress Egress Easement located on Lots 132 and 133 and (ii) the Utility, Access, Landscape, and Screening Easement located on Lots 132, 129, and 128, and these Easements are set forth on the Plat of Crooked Tree Estates, Part Four, Block B, which is recorded at Plat Book 36, Page 49-51 of the Warren County, Ohio Plat Records ("Plat"); and

WHEREAS, as indicated herein, Declarant attests that he intended to expressly designate the Walking Path as a Common Area but inadvertently failed to do so in the Declaration; and

WHEREAS, in order to eliminate the inadvertent error, eliminate all ambiguity concerning the Walking Path, and clarify his original intent, Declarant wishes to amend the Declaration as follows:

**NOW THEREFORE**, in accordance with Article VII, Section 7.4 of the Declaration, Declarant hereby declares the following and amends the Declaration accordingly:

#### 1. Declarant's Affidavit:

After being duly cautioned and sworn, the undersigned, Rex Mullen, states as follows:

- A. Affiant is over the age of eighteen (18), has personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein, and is competent to testify in open court.
- B. I, Rex Mullen, the named Declarant of Crooked Tree Estates, installed the Walking Path in Crooked Tree Estates during the development period of Crooked Tree Estates and marketed it as an amenity of Crooked Tree Estates.
- C. It was my intent for the Walking Path in Crooked Tree Estates to be a Common Area that the Crooked Tree Estates Home Owners Association would administer, regulate, and maintain as an amenity of Crooked Tree Estates.
- D. In accordance with my above-described intent, I placed the Walking Path within two platted easement areas: (1) the Ingress Egress Easement located on Lots 132 and 133 and (2) the Utility, Access, Landscape, and Screening Easement located on Lots 132, 129, and 128. The Plat is recorded at Plat Book 36, Page 49-51 of the Warren County, Ohio Plat Records and is attached hereto as Exhibit "B".

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- E. The Ingress Egress Easement, as depicted on the Plat, is located upon a driveway shared by Lots 132 and 133. The purpose of the Ingress Egress Easement across the driveway was to provide the only access point in Crooked Tree Estates to the Walking Path.
- F. The Walking Path, which is depicted in the attached Exhibit "C." attaches to and begins at the rear of the driveway shared by Lots 132 and 133. It exists wholly within the portion of the Ingress Egress Easement from the point of connection to the driveway, along the Lot line shared by Lots 132 and 133, and then within the Utility, Access, Landscape, and Screening Easement located on Lots 132, 129, and 128. Thereafter, the Walking Path extends westward into a neighboring community that I also developed, The Fairways of Crooked Tree.

- 2. Pursuant to the authority in Article VII, Section 7.4 and in accordance with the above attestations, Article I, Section 1.4 of the Declaration is hereby amended to state:
  - 1.4 "Common Area" shall mean all real property, including the improvements thereto, owned by the Association in fee or by easement for the common use and enjoyment of the Owners and specifically includes the paved walking which is contained within the following easement areas: (i) the Ingress Egress Easement located upon Lots 132 and 133, from the point of connection to the driveway shared by Lots 132 and 133, to and within (ii) the Utility, Access, Landscape, and Screening Easement located on Lots 132, 129, and 128 ("Walking Path"). These Easements are depicted on the Plat of Crooked Tree Estates, Part Four, Block B, which is recorded at Plat Book 36, Page 49-51. The portion of the Ingress Egress Easement that exists upon the driveway shared by Lots 132 and 133 is an easement in favor of the Association, its successors and assigns, and the residents of Crooked Tree Estates, for the sole purpose of accessing the Walking Path that connects to that driveway and is not part of the Walking Path itself. The Association may, but shall not be required to, maintain the portion of the shared driveway that is encumbered by the Ingress Egress Easement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Declarant of Crooked Tree Estates, Rex Mullen, has hereunto set his signature this A day of Movember, 2018.

Rex Mullen

STATE OF Florida
COUNTY OF Brevard

SS:

This Amendment was sworn to and subscribed before me by Rex Mullen, Declarant of Crooked Tree Estates, on the <u>28</u> day of <u>November</u>, 2018.

RICARDO ENRIQUE URDANETA Notary Public – State of Florida Commission # GG 159834 My Comm. Expires Nov 13, 2021

NOTARY PUBLIC

#### **EXHIBIT A**

### **Legal Description of Crooked Tree Estates**

Situated in Section 32, Town 4, Range 3, City of Mason, Warren County, Ohio and being more particularly described as follows:

All of Lots 40-90, inclusive, of Crooked Tree Estates Part Three, the plat of which is of record at Plat Book 27, Pages 69-71 of the Warren County, Ohio Plat Records.

All of Lot 91, inclusive, of Crooked Tree Estates Part Three, which is a re-plat of Lot 67, being of record at Plat Book 28, Page 56 of the Warren County, Ohio Plat Records.

All of Lots 92-121, inclusive, of Crooked Tree Estates Part Four, Block A, the plat of which is of record at Plat Book 30, Pages 26-28 of the Warren County, Ohio Plat Records.

All of Lots 122-135, inclusive, of Crooked Tree Estates Part Four, Block B, the plat of which is of record at Plat Book 36, Pages 49-51 of the Warren County, Ohio Plat Records.

Lot Number	Sidwell Number
40	12-32-202-008 ·
41	12-32-226-012 .
42	12-32-226-013
43	12-32-226-014
44	12-32-226-015
45	12-32-226-016
46	12-32-226-017 .
47	12-32-226-018
48	12-32-226-019 ·
49	12-32-226-020
50	12-32-226-021
51	12-32-226-022
52	12-32-238-001 ·
53	12-32-238-002
54	12-32-238-003
55	12-32-238-004
56	12-32-238-005
57	12-32-238-006
58	12-32-238-007
59	12-32-238-008
60	12-32-238-009
61	12-32-238-010

Lot Number	Sidwell Number	
62	12-32-238-011	
63	12-32-238-012	
64	12-32-238-013	
65	12-32-238-014	
66	12-32-238-015	
**67 re-platted to become Lot 91**		
68	12-32-238-017 -	
69	12-32-240-001 -	
70	12-32-240-002	
71	12-32-240-003	
72	12-32-240-004	
73	12-32-240-005	
74	12-32-240-006	
75	12-32-240-007	
76	12-32-240-008.	
77	12-32-216-001 .	
78	12-32-216-002	
79	12-32-216-003	
80	12-32-216-004	
81	12-32-216-005 -	
82	12-32-214-001	
83	12-32-214-002	



Lot Number	Sidwell Number
84	12-32-214-003
85	12-32-214-004
86	12-32-214-005
87	12-32-214-006
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97	12-32-2 <del>14-</del> 015
98	12-32- <del>214-</del> 016
99	12-32- <del>214</del> -017 -
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101	12-32 <del>-214-</del> 019
102	12-32- <del>214-</del> 020
103	12-32-276-001
104	12-32-276-002
105	12-32-276-003
106	12-32-276-004
107	12-32-276-005
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124	12-32-214-012

	Lot Number	Sidwell Number
	125	12-32-214-013
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	127	12-32-214-015
	128	12-32-216-011
	129	12-32-216-012
	130	12-32-216-013
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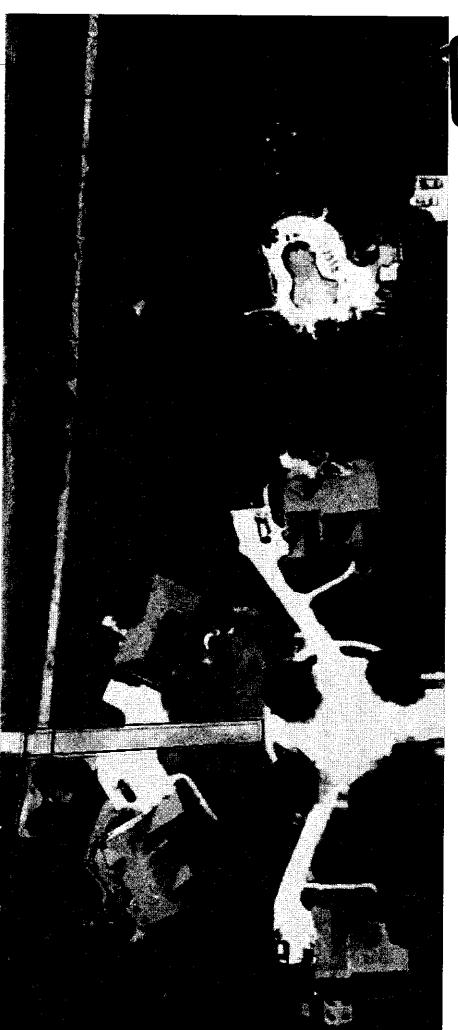
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Lots = 7.478 Ac.
R/W = 0.843 Ac. S.S.E. Sandary Sower Easement U.E. Utility Easement □ fxisting concrete 5 Proposed concrete Control of the Contro Set from Pin Building line Existing from Pin Plot of Survey
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Plot No. 77 Greph 6, Boyer, P.E. P.S. Registered Surveyor #4860 in Ohio New 12-25-214-bis plane 12-25-234-bis plane 12-25-25-25-bis plane OLD 12-32-300-014 CROOKED 20.00" 1 RNUC, INC. D.B. 1101, PG.378 12,828 12,83 13,83 14,13 15,13 16,13 17,13 18,13 1 N04'00'00" E CITY OF MASON, WARREN COUNTY, OHIO PART SECTION 32, TOWN 4, RANGE 3, NOTES: 0.468 Acree 127 Lines of Occupation, wherever they exist, generally agree with the Boundary Lines unless otherwise Additional Monuments Not set per request of Owner. All Monumentation is in Good Condition unless otherwise shown, 0.348 Acres FOUR, BLOCK N80 31 30 E 0 50 100 H 1,108 Acres V89'30'22"W 129 WANDERING Piller Will U12.12 田田田 3.0.569 18.90 38.30 METER O.SAT AUTON 501.37° BROOKSHIRE GOLF COURSE INC. 100.001 121 NB03130 E HST 178.76 **2** 0.344 Acres 405.00 123 100.00 155.00 D 」 田 田 田 N82'56'03"W 266,55" 7005 10005 97.605 N.A. CSB031'30"W 3.05.82.50S TROOKED TO T + 582 18.11.8 134 0.519 Acre N80"31"30"E 45 10"11.5 - TOO THE ESTATES TT-68.70'U.S. 20a.58,30,E WAY WAY 02-20k 80.262 ::; œ F CROCKED TREE ESTATES CROCK "A" PLOCK **(0)** 36-5 bayer bečker engineers rood folffield, oblo 45014 513-422-3149 

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