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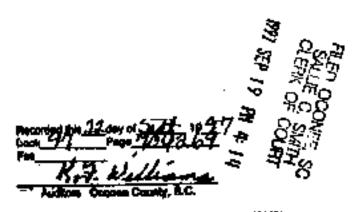
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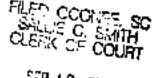
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DECLARATION OF OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS



WATERFORD

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THIS DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS ("Declaration") is made this 19th day of September 1997 by CRESCENT RESOURCES, INC., a South Carolina corporation, hereinafter referred to as "Declarant". All capitalized terms used herein shall have the meanings set forth in Article 1 or elsewhere in the Declaration.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Declarant is the developer and owner of certain property located in Oconee County, South Carolina, which is more particularly described on that certain map recorded in Map Book A519 Pages 3 - 8 in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County. Declarant desires to provide for the creation on the property shown on that map a residential community of single-family residences to be named Waterford (the "Development").

Declarant desires to insure the attractiveness of the Development, to prevent any future impairment thereof, to prevent nuisances and enhance the value and amenities of all properties within the Development. Furthermore, Declarant desires to provide for the construction, maintenance and upkeep of any Common Areas and related easements within the Development, all for the common use and benefit of all Owners (or, with respect to Common Areas dedicated to the use and benefit of certain Owners, to the exclusion of other Owners, the Owners benefiting from such Common Area), including, but not limited to, Street Lights, the Amenity Area, Parking Area, the Cabana, Pool, Entrance Monument, Boatslips, Piers and Public Roads (prior to acceptance by Oconee County Public Works Department for public maintenance) and any medians located thereon. Declarant also desires to construct and provide Private Roads over the Private Road Easements, (as herein defined), which Private Roads will be for the common use and benefit of certain, but not all, Owners.

Declarant desires to provide for a system whereby all Owners (or, with respect to Common Areas dedicated to the use and benefit of only certain Owners, to the exclusion of other Owners, the Owners benefiting from such Common Area) will pay for the maintenance and upkeep of any Common Areas in accordance with an established budget set by the Board of Directors. Declarant further desires to provide for a system whereby the Private Road Lot Owners will pay for the maintenance and upkeep of the Private Roads and Private Road Easements.

To these ends, Declarant desires to subject the real property described herein to the covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, charges and liens hereinafter set forth, each and all of which is and are for the benefit of said real property and each Owner thereof.

Declarant farther desires to create an organization to which will be delegated and assigned the powers of: (a) owning, maintaining and administering the Common Areas, except as otherwise provided in the Declaration; (b) administering and enforcing the covenants and restrictions contained herein; and (c) collecting and disbursing the assessments and charges hereinafter created in order to efficiently preserve, protect and enhance the values and amenities in the Development, to ensure specific rights, privileges and easements in the Common Areas, and to provide for the maintenance and upkeep of the Common Areas and amenities as provided in the Declaration and the Bylaws.

To that end Declarant has or will cause to be incorporated under South Carolina law, pursuant to the Articles of Incorporation attached hereto as <u>Exhibit "A"</u>, and incorporated herein by reference, WATERFORD OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., as a non-profit corporation for the purpose of exercising and performing the aforesaid functions, said corporation to be governed by the Bylaws attached hereto as <u>Exhibit "B"</u> and incorporated herein by reference.

NOW, THEREFORE, Declarant, by this Declaration, does declare that all of the property described herein is and shall be held, transferred, sold, conveyed and occupied subject to the covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, charges and liens set forth in this Declaration, which shall run with the real property described herein and be binding on all parties owning any right, title or interest in said real property or any part thereof, their heirs, successors and assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of each Owner thereof.

ARTICLE 1

DEFINITIONS

Section 1.1. "Additional Property" shall mean and refer to any additional real estate contiguous or adjacent to the Property shown on the map recorded in Map Book A519, Page 3-8 in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County, and any property located within four thousand (4,000) feet of any boundary of the property shown on the above-referenced map, all or a portion of which may be made subject to the terms of the Declaration in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.2 of the Declaration.

Section 1.2 "Amenity Area" shall mean and refer to the parcel of land labeled "Amenity Area" on the Map, together with the Cabana, Pool, Piers, Boatslips, pathways and Parking Area which shall be constructed thereon, and adjacent thereto, and made subject to the terms of the Declaration in accordance with the provisions of Article 2 and Article 3 of the Declaration for the common use and enjoyment of all Owners, except as otherwise provided in the Declaration.

<u>Section 1.3</u>. "Articles of Incorporation" shall mean and refer to the Articles of Incorporation for the Association substantially in the form attached hereto as <u>Exhibit "A"</u> and incorporated herein by reference.

- <u>Section 1.4</u>. "Association" shall mean and refer to WATERFORD OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a South Carolina non-profit corporation, its successors and assigns.
- Section 1.5. "Board of Directors" shall mean and refer to the Board of Directors of the Association, which shall be elected and shall serve pursuant to the Bylaws.
- Section 1.6. "Boatslip Lots" shall initially mean and refer to Lots 1-3, 8, 18-23, 29-40, 51-53 and 63-83, all as shown on the Map, which have the right to use an assigned Boatslip in accordance with and as more particularly set forth in Section 4.8 of this Declaration.
- <u>Section 1.7.</u> "Boatslip" or "Boatslips" shall mean and refer to the boatslips over the waters of Lake Keowee, which Boatslips are designated on the Map, together with any additional Boatslips which Declarant may cause to be constructed in accordance with the terms of <u>Section 2x2</u> of the Declaration, and which Boatslips are more particularly addressed in <u>Article 4</u> and Article 6 of this Declaration.
- <u>Section 1.8.</u> "Bylaws" shall mean and refer to the Bylaws for the Association substantially in the form attached hereto as <u>Exhibit "B"</u> and incorporated herein by reference.
- Section 1.9. "Cabana" shall mean and refer to that building which shall be constructed upon and within the Amenity Area and made subject to the terms of this Declaration in accordance with the provisions of Section 3.1 of this Declaration, for the common use and enjoyment of all of the Owners, their families, guests and invitees as more particularly addressed in Section 4.11 of this Declaration.
- Section 1.10. "Common Area" or "Common Areas" shall mean and refer to the Amenity Area, Parking Area, Cabana, Pool, Piers, pathway, Boatslips, Entrance Monument, Street Lights and Public Roads (prior to acceptance by governmental authorities for public maintenance) including medians and other improvements located thereon, together with all utilities, easements and amenities located within the Common Areas, collectively, and any other property shown or designated on the Map as "C.O.S.", "Common Open Space", "Common Area", "Entrance Monument Easement", "Common Open Area", or similar designation, and any other property designated in the Declaration as Common Areas. The Common Areas shall be owned by the Association (except as otherwise provided in this Declaration) for the common use, benefit and enjoyment of the Owners (or of only certain Owners, to the exclusion of other Owners), as designated in this Declaration. The listing and description of the components of the Common Area is illustrative of Declarant's present plans only and is not a guaranty by the Declarant or the Association that all or any part of such components will be constructed or installed by the Declarant or the Association at any future time. The Declarant reserves the right, but not the obligation, to provide additional Common Areas within the Subdivision and to designate which Owners shall be permitted to use any Common Areas as set forth in this Declaration.

- Section 1.11. "Declarant" shall mean and refer to Crescent Resources, Inc., and such of its successors and assigns to whom the rights of Declarant hereunder are transferred by written instrument recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County.
- <u>Section 1.12</u>. "Development" shall mean and refer to Waterford Subdivision, a single-family residential development proposed to be developed on the Property by Declarant.
- Section 1.13. "Entrance Monument" shall mean and refer to the twenty foot (20') easement areas (designated as "Entrance Monument Easement" on the Map) reserved and granted by Declarant in Section 8.9 of this Declaration, over a portion of Lots 1 and 83 as shown on the Map, and the stone monument and entrance sign located thereon, together with lighting, irrigation system, landscaping, an irrigation system and other improvements to be constructed on such easement area, to be used as an entry way for the Subdivision, and for the purposes set forth in Section 8.9 of this Declaration.
- <u>Section 1.14</u>. "Lot" or "Lots" shall mean and refer to the separately numbered parcels depicted on the Map, which Lots do not include the Common Areas.
- Section 1.15. "Map" shall mean and refer to: (i) the map of Waterford Subdivision recorded in Map Book A519, Page(s) 3-8, in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County, South Carolina; (ii) any maps of any portions of the Additional Property which are subjected to this Declaration; and (iii) any revisions of such map or maps recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County.
- <u>Section 1.16</u>. "Member" shall mean and refer to every person or entity who holds membership in the Association.
- Section 1.17. "Mortgage" shall mean any mortgage or deed of trust constituting a first lien on a Lot.
- <u>Section 1.18</u>. "Mortgagee" shall mean the owner and holder of a Mortgage at the time such term is being applied.
- <u>Section 1.19</u>. "Non-Boatslip Lots" shall mean and refer to those Lots in the Development which do not have, as an appurtenance thereto, the right to use a Boatslip.
- <u>Section 1.20</u>. "Owner" shall mean and refer to the record owner, whether one or more persons or entities, of fee simple title to any Lot within the Development, including the Declarant if it owns any Lot, but excluding those having such interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation.
- Section 1.21. "Parking Area" shall mean and refer to the parking lot which may be constructed over the Amenity Area for the common use, benefit and enjoyment of all Owners, their families, guests and invitees in connection with their use of the Amenity Area and for the

common use, benefit and enjoyment of the Boatslip Lot Owners, their families, guests and invitees in connection with their use of the Piers and Boatslips. The Parking Area is more particularly addressed in <u>Section 4.9</u> of this Declaration.

- Section 1.22. "Piers" shall mean and refer to the piers containing the Boatslips which may be constructed over the waters of Lake Keowee, including the Piers shown on the Map, together with any additional Piers which Declarant may cause to be constructed in accordance with the terms of Section 2.2 of this Declaration, and which Piers are more particularly addressed in Section 4.8 of this Declaration.
- <u>Section 1.23</u>. "Pier Zones" shall mean and refer to those areas shown on the Map and designated as "Pier Zone" or "PZ" with corresponding Lot numbers, where Owners of Lots adjoining the waters of Lake Keowee may construct a dock or pier in accordance with <u>Section</u> 8.21 of this Declaration.
- <u>Section 1.24</u>. "Pool" shall mean and refer to that swimming pool which will be constructed by Declarant within the Amenity Area and made subject to this Declaration for the common use, benefit and enjoyment of all Owners, their families, guests and invitees as more particularly addressed in <u>Section 4.10</u> of this Declaration.
- Section 1.25. "Private Road Easements" shall mean and refer to the non-exclusive, perpetual easements fifteen (15) feet to thirty (30) feet in width identified on the Map as "Private Road Easements," which have been established over portions of Lots 12, 13, 23-28, 45, 54-64 and 84-103 for the benefit of the Owners of Lots 11, 12, 13, 23-28, 45, 54-64 and 84-103 in the Subdivision (the "Private Road Lots"), their heirs, successors and assigns for access, ingress and egress to and from the Private Road Lots. The Private Road Easements are also reserved unto the Declarant and the Association, their successors and assigns, for access, ingress and egress to the Private Road Lots, for the installation of the Private Roads, and for the installation and maintenance of any utilities and drainage facilities.
- Section 1.26. "Private Roads" shall mean and refer to those certain private roads to be constructed within the Private Road Easements which will provide access to each of the Private Road Lots upon completion, and will be dedicated to the Owners of the Private Road Lots, all to be maintained by the Owners of the Private Road Lots as addressed in Section 8.25 of this Declaration.
- Section 1.27. "Property" shall mean and refer to the property shown on the Map, including the Lots, Common Areas, and Private Roads, together with any leasehold interest or easement which the Association has or may hereafter acquire in any property adjacent to the Development (including, but not limited to, any leases of any submerged land lying within the bed of Lake Keowee).

- <u>Section 1.28</u>. "Public Roads" shall mean and refer to all roads and cul-de-sacs in the Subdivision dedicated to the public as shown on the Map, all to be maintained by the Association until accepted for dedication and public maintenance by the Oconee County Public Works Department or other governmental entity.
- <u>Section 1.29</u>. "Street Lights" shall mean and refer to those certain street lights, which may be constructed upon and over the rights-of-way of the Public Roads, the Private Road Easements, and the Amenity Area.
- <u>Section 1.30</u>. "Subdivision" shall mean and refer to Waterford Subdivision, as the same is shown on the Map.

ARTICLE 2

PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THE DECLARATION AND WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE ASSOCIATION

<u>Section 2.1.</u> Property. The real property which is and shall be held, transferred, sold, conveyed and occupied subject to this Declaration, and which is and shall be within the jurisdiction of the Association, is located in Oconee County, South Carolina, and is the Property as defined above and as more particularly described and shown on the Map.

Section 2.2. Additions to the Property.

- (a) Declarant may cause Additional Property to be made subject to the terms and scheme of the Declaration by filing one or more Supplemental Declarations in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County, containing a description of the Additional Property and a statement by the Declarant of its intent to extend the operation and effect of the Declaration to the Additional Property. Declarant may also cause additional Common Areas and Piers and Boatslips within or adjacent to any Additional Property to be constructed and made subject to the terms and scheme of the Declaration by the filing of one or more Supplemental Declarations describing the Common Areas and number of Piers and Boatslips to be added, and a statement by Declarant of its intent to extend the operation and effect of the Declaration to the additional Common Areas and Piers and Boatslips. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the covenants and restrictions established herein as applied to, or imposed upon, the Additional Property may be altered or modified by the filing of one or more Supplemental Declarations as provided in Subparagraph (b) below.
- (b) Any Supplemental Declaration may contain complementary additions to the covenants and restrictions contained herein as may be necessary in the judgment of the Declarant to reflect the different character of the Additional Property. In no event, however, shall any Supplemental Declaration revoke, modify or add to the covenants and restrictions contained herein with respect to the Property, nor revoke, modify, change or add to the covenants and

restrictions established by previously filed Supplemental Declarations, without meeting the requirements for Amendment set forth in <u>Section 12.3</u> of this Declaration. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Declarant or the Association shall have the right, without meeting the requirements for Amendment set forth in <u>Section 12.3</u> of this Declaration to reconfigure the proposed Piers and Boatslips or any other Common Areas to reflect the actual final configuration of such areas and the "as-built" construction of such amenities.

ARTICLE 3

PROPERTY RIGHTS

- Section 3.1. Ownership of Common Areas. Declarant shall convey to the Association the Common Areas to be owned and maintained by the Association. The Declarant reserves the right to construct: (i) the Cabana, Pool, Parking Area, Boatslips, Piers and pathways upon the Amenity Area; (ii) the Entrance Monument to be located at the entrance to the Development; (iii) the Public Roads; and (iv) the Private Roads, as reflected on the Map, for the use and enjoyment of the Owners who are entitled to the use of such Common Areas as provided in this Declaration. Notwithstanding the recordation of any Map or any other action by Declarant or the Association, all Common Areas (except for the Public Roads upon acceptance by the Oconee County Public Works Department for public maintenance) and the Private Roads shall remain private property and shall not be considered as dedicated to the use and enjoyment of the public. Furthermore, the Private Road Easements over and upon portions of the Private Road Lots are for the sole benefit and use of the Owners of the Private Road Lots, as provided in Section 3.4 and Section 8.25 of this Declaration, and are not Common Area.
- <u>Section 3.2.</u> <u>Owners' Rights to Use and Enjoy Common Areas</u>. Each Owner shall have the non-exclusive easement and right to use and enjoy the Common Areas, and such right shall be appurtenant to and conveyed with title to such Owner's Lot, subject to the following:
- (a) the right of the Association to promulgate and enforce reasonable regulations governing the use of the Common Areas to insure the availability of the right to use the Common Areas to the Owners and the safety of all Owners on the Common Areas;
- (b) the right of the Association to suspend the voting rights of an Owner in the Association and the right of the Association to suspend the right to use certain or all of the Common Areas by an Owner for any period during which any assessment against his Lot remains unpaid, and for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days for any infraction of its published rules and regulations;
- (c) the right of the Declarant or the Association to grant utility, drainage and other easements across the Common Areas;
- (d) the right of the Declarant or the Association to restrict the use of certain Common Areas to certain designated Owners as shall be described in this Declaration, including, but not

limited to, the Piers and Boatslips (which are restricted and reserved to the Boatslip Lot Owners);

- (e) the provisions of <u>Section 4.6</u> and <u>Section 4.8</u> below; and
- (f) the provisions of <u>Article 8</u> of the Declaration.
- <u>Section 3.3.</u> <u>Delegation of Use.</u> Any Owner may delegate, in accordance with the Bylaws, the Owner's right of enjoyment to the Common Areas and facilities located thereon to the members of the Owner's family, guests or invitees.
- Section 3.4. Rights in the Public Roads, Private Road Easements and Private Roads. Each Private Road Lot Owner, the Declarant and the Association, their successors and assigns, shall have and are hereby granted the perpetual, exclusive right to use the Private Road Easements and Private Roads within the Private Road Easements, for the purpose of pedestrian and vehicular access, ingress, egress and regress to and from each Private Road Lot and the Common Areas, for installation and maintenance of the Private Roads, drainage facilities and other utilities to serve the Private Road Lots.

Each Owner, the Declarant and the Association shall further have and are hereby granted a perpetual, non-exclusive right, in common with the general public, to use the Public Roads for the purpose of providing access to and from each Lot and the Common Areas.

Declarant, the Association or individual Owners shall be responsible for petitioning the Oconee County Public Works Department to accept the Public Roads for public maintenance at the appropriate time. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Declarant shall have the right, but not the obligation, to maintain the Public Roads at its cost and expense prior to acceptance for public maintenance by the Oconee County Public Works Department, as described in the Declaration.

ARTICLE 4

THE ASSOCIATION

- <u>Section 4.1.</u> <u>Membership</u>. Every Owner of a Lot shall be a Member of the Association. Membership shall be appurtenant to and may not be separated from ownership of any Lot, and shall be governed by the Bylaws attached as <u>Exhibit "B"</u> hereto.
- <u>Section 4.2.</u> <u>Classes of Lots and Voting Rights.</u> The voting rights of the Membership shall be appurtenant to the ownership of Lots. There shall be two classes of Lots with respect to voting rights:
 - (a) <u>Class A Lots</u>. Class A Lots shall be all Lots except Class B Lots as defined below. Each Class A Lot shall entitle the Owner(s) of said Lot to one (1) vote

for each Class A Lot owned. When more than one person owns an interest (other than a leasehold or security interest) in any Lot, all such persons shall be Members and the voting rights appurtenant to said Lot shall be exercised as they, among themselves, determine, but in no event shall more than one (1) vote be cast with respect to any Class A Lot.

(b) <u>Class B Lots</u>. Class B Lots shall be all Lots owned by Declarant which have not been conveyed to purchasers who are not affiliated with the Declarant. The Declarant shall be entitled to four (4) votes for each Class B Lot owned by it.

<u>Section 4.3</u>. <u>Relinquishment of Control</u>. The Class B membership shall cease and be converted to Class A membership on the happening of one of the following events, whichever occurs earlier:

- when the number of votes in the Class A membership held by Owners occupying full-time homes in the Subdivision equals the total number of votes outstanding in the Class B membership and the Declarant surrenders its right to annex any Additional Property to the Property pursuant to the Declaration and the Bylaws; or
- (b) upon the expiration of five (5) full years after the registration of the Declaration; or
- (c) Declarant, in its sole discretion, elects to convert the Class B Lots to Class A Lots. Any such election, to be effective, must be in writing and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County, South Carolina.

Section 4.4. Availability of Documents. The Association shall maintain current copies of the Declaration, the Bylaws and other rules concerning the Development as well as its own books, records and financial statements which shall be available for inspection by all Owners, Mortgagees and insurers and guarantors of Mortgages that are secured by Lots. All such documents shall be available upon reasonable notice and during normal business hours. In addition, any Mortgagee may, at its own expense, have an audited statement prepared with respect to the finances of the Association.

Section 4.5. Management Contracts. The Association is authorized and empowered to engage the services of any person, firm or corporation to act as managing agent of the Association at a compensation level to be established by the Board of Directors and to perform all of the powers and duties of the Association. Provided, however, that the term of any such agreement with a managing agent shall not exceed one (1) year and shall only be renewed by agreement of the parties for successive one (1) year terms. Any such contract shall be terminable by the Association with or without cause upon ninety (90) days prior written notice to the manager without payment of a termination fee.

Maintenance. The Common Areas, together with all utilities, easements Section 4.6. and amenities located within the Common Areas and not otherwise maintained by public entities or utilities, shall be maintained by the Declarant until January 1, 1998, at which time the Association shall activate the collection of the initial Annual Assessment from each Owner for such maintenance of the Common Areas, with the exception of the maintenance of the Boatslips and Piers which shall be maintained by the Association from the proceeds of the Boatslip Assessment (in accordance with Article 6 of the Declaration). Maintenance of the Private Roads shall be performed by Declarant until January 1, 1998, and thereafter maintenance of the Private Roads shall be the sole responsibility of the Private Road Lot Owners (enforceable by any Private Road Lot Owner). Provided, however, in accordance with Section 12.1 of this Declaration, Declarant hereby reserves the right and easement, but not the obligation, to go upon any portion of the Common Areas and Private Roads at any time in order to repair and maintain such Common Areas and Private Roads where needed, in Declarant's sole discretion, to bring such Common Areas and Private Roads within the standards required by Declarant (including the Public Roads prior to acceptance for public maintenance by the Oconee County Public Works Department or other governmental authority). Should Declarant so go upon the Common Areas or Private Roads to perform maintenance and repairs for such purpose, the Association hereby agrees to reimburse Declarant in full for the cost of such maintenance and repairs to the Common Areas, upon receipt of a statement for such cost from Declarant. Furthermore, should the Declarant perform maintenance and repairs to the Private Roads, each Private Road Lot Owner shall be obligated to the Declarant for his or her share of all related costs of such maintenance and repairs incurred by Declarant.

The Common Areas and Private Roads shall be maintained as more particularly described below:

- (a) Maintenance of the Entrance Monument shall include maintenance, repair, replacement and reconstruction, when necessary, of the stone monument or monuments, signage, irrigation, planters and lighting located thereon and providing and paying for landscaping, and for utility charges for irrigation and lighting of the stone monument or monuments and signage located thereon (if any).
- (b) Maintenance of the Piers and Boatslips shall include the maintenance, repair, replacement and reconstruction, when necessary, of the Piers and Boatslips, including all structures, water lines, lighting and other fixtures, wire, railings, pathways and other facilities located thereon, and providing and paying for utility charges and all rent and other payments to Duke Energy Corporation (or any successor manager of Lake Keowee under authority granted by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ["FERC"]).
- (c) All Common Areas (and all improvements located thereon) shall be clean and free from debris and maintained in an orderly condition, together with the landscaping thereon (if any) in accordance with the highest standards for private parks, including any removal, repair, reconstruction and replacement of any landscaping, utilities, or improvements located thereon.

- (d) Maintenance of the Amenity Area shall include the maintenance, cleaning, repair, replacement and reconstruction of the landscaping, lighting, irrigation system, pathways, pavement and other improvements, and providing and paying for irrigation and utility charges (if any).
- (e) Maintenance of the Cabana shall include all interior and exterior maintenance (including, where necessary, cleaning, repair, replacement and reconstruction) of the Cabana building, sidewalks, walkways, landscaping and other facilities appurtenant to the Cabana, and the payment of all utility charges therefor.
- (f) Maintenance of the Pool shall include the maintenance, cleaning, repair, replacement and reconstruction, where necessary, of the Pool, including all drainage, lighting, fencing, paving and other facilities appurtenant thereto, and the payment of all utility charges therefor.
- (g) Except as provided in the Declaration, the Public Roads shall be maintained by the Association prior to acceptance by the applicable public authority for such maintenance, provided that the Declarant, in its sole discretion, has the right, but not the obligation, to reimburse the Association for maintenance cost until the Public Roads are accepted for maintenance by the Oconee County Public Works Department or other governmental entity. Such maintenance shall include repair, replacement and reconstruction, when necessary. Maintenance of the Public Roads shall conform to the standard of maintenance (if one is ascertainable) which would be required by the Oconee County Public Works Department or other governmental entity before it would accept such Public Roads for maintenance.
- (h) The Private Roads located within the Private Road Easements which will serve the Private Road Lots shall be maintained by the Private Road Lot Owners. Such maintenance shall include cleaning, maintaining, repairing, reconstructing and replacing (if destroyed), when necessary, the Private Roads, and such maintenance practices shall conform to the same standards of maintenance which would be required by the Oconee County Public Works Department or other governmental entity for that of public roads, as more particularly set forth in Section 8.25 of the Declaration.
- (i) Maintenance of the Parking Area shall include repair, maintenance, replacement and reconstruction, when necessary, of the pavement, irrigation and landscaping (if any) and the payment of the costs of lighting and irrigation (if any).
- (j) Except for the Entrance Monument Easement areas, the Association shall not be responsible for the maintenance of any Lot or any portion of any Lot or the operation and maintenance of any improvements within the boundaries thereof. The Owners of such Lots shall be responsible for same.

- Section 4.7. Reserve Fund. The Association shall establish and maintain an adequate reserve fund (the "Reserve Fund") for the periodic maintenance, repair, reconstruction and replacement of the Common Areas and any improvements located on such Common Areas (including, but not limited to the Public Roads prior to acceptance for public maintenance) which the Association is obligated to maintain in order to fund unanticipated expenses of the Association or to acquire equipment or services deemed necessary or desirable by the Board of Directors. Such reserve fund shall be collected and maintained out of the Annual Assessment and Boatslip Assessment, as hereinafter defined, and as set forth in Section 5.2(g) and Section
- Section 4.8. Piers and Boatslips. Subject to and contingent upon the approval of FERC, Duke Energy Corporation and any other regulatory body having jurisdiction, Declarant shall have the exclusive right to construct some or all of the Piers and Boatslips (including all improvements located thereon), in the approximate locations shown on the Map, as well as any additional Piers and Boatslips which may be added to the Development in the future pursuant to the provisions of this Declaration. Declarant shall not construct more Boatslips than are approved by Duke Energy Corporation pursuant to Declarant's boatslip permit request for the Subdivision.
- (a) Following the construction of one or more Piers and Boatslips as set forth above, Boatslips shall be leased to the Owners of certain Lots and transferred among Owners as follows:
- (i) Pursuant to that certain boatslip lease form provided by Declarant (the "Boatslip Lease"), Declarant shall lease one (1) Boatslip to the Owner of each Boatslip Lot. Each Boatslip Lease shall be appurtenant to and may not be separated from the ownership of the applicable Boatslip Lot, except as provided below.
- The Lot as to which a Boatslip Lease is entered into shall thereafter be a Boatslip Lot subject to the provisions of subparagraph 8(a)(iii) below. Once entered into between Declarant and the Boatslip Lot Owner, the relevant Boatslip Lease shall not be separated from ownership of the Boatslip Lot to which it is appurtenant, but, rather, shall run with the title to such Boatslip Lot unless and until such Boatslip Lease is assigned by the Boatslip Lot Owner to another Lot Owner in accordance with subparagraph 8(a)(iii). In this regard, provided the applicable Boatslip Lease has not been previously assigned in accordance with subparagraph 8(a)(iii), any conveyance by a Boatslip Lot Owner of its ownership interest in a Boatslip Lot shall automatically assign to the transferee of such ownership interest all rights and duties of said Boatslip Lot Owner under the Boatslip Lease; provided, however, in such event, the Boatslip Lot Owner and the transferee of the Boatslip Lot Owner's ownership interest in the Boatslip Lot shall immediately execute and record an instrument in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County sufficient to provide record evidence of the assignment of the Boatslip Lease (a filed copy of which instrument shall be provided to the Association following recordation). Any deed of trust, mortgage or other encumbrance of a Boatslip Lot shall also encumber the Boatslip appurtenant thereto, even if not expressly included therein. Provided, however, no mortgagee, trustee or other person claiming by, through or under any instrument creating any such

encumbrance shall by virtue thereof acquire any greater rights in the relevant Boatslip than the Boatslip Lot Owner may have under the Boatslip Lease at the time of such encumbrance; and provided further, such deed of trust, mortgage or other instrument of encumbrance, and the indebtedness secured thereby, shall at all times be and remain subordinate and subject to all of the terms and conditions of the Boatslip Lease and to all of the rights of Declarant (as lessor) thereunder. Any successor to a Boatslip Lot Owner's interest in a Boatslip Lease, whether such interest is acquired by sale, assignment, foreclosure, deed in lieu of foreclosure, power of sale, execution or otherwise, shall take such interest subject to all of the terms, covenants, conditions, duties and obligations of such Boatslip Lot Owner under the Boatslip Lease, shall be deemed to have attorned to Declarant or the Association (as lessor) and shall execute an attornment agreement upon the request of Declarant or the Association (as lessor).

- (iii) Any Boatslip Lease may be assigned by the relevant Boatslip Lot Owner only to another Lot Owner. Upon such assignment, the Boatslip Lot Owner and the assignee of such Boatslip Lot Owner's interest in the Boatslip Lease shall immediately execute and record an instrument in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County (a filed copy of which shall be provided to the Association) sufficient to provide record evidence of such assignment. Following such assignment, the assignor's Lot shall automatically cease to be a Boatslip Lot and the assignee's Lot shall thereafter be a Boatslip Lot (until further assignment of said assignee's lease rights), in which case the relevant Boatslip Lease shall then run with the title to such Boatslip Lot as set forth in subparagraph 8(a)(ii). No Boatslip Lease shall be separated from the ownership of any Lot and assigned to anyone or any entity other than another Owner in accordance with this subparagraph 8(a)(iii) and as provided otherwise in the Declaration.
- (b) Declarant shall have the right to use Boatslips not leased to another Owner and shall have the obligation to pay Boatslip Assessments, Supplemental Boatslip Assessments and Special Boatslip Assessments on any Boatslips constructed by Declarant and not leased to another Owner. At Declarant's option, Declarant shall be entitled to assign all rights and duties of Declarant under any Boatslip Lease and/or the Duke Lease (as defined in Section 8.21) to any person or entity, including, without limitation, the Association, whereupon Declarant shall have no further rights, duties, obligations or liabilities thereunder.
- (c) In the event that a Pier contains a Boatslip which has not been leased as an appurtenance to a Boatslip Lot, said Boatslip may be retained by Declarant and the Association for the common use and enjoyment only of the Owners of Boatslip Lots, their families, guests and invitees, for the purpose of temporarily docking boats, and may not be leased or otherwise transferred by Declarant to, or used by, any other party or the public. No boat or other recreational vehicle shall be permitted to remain overnight in any unleased Boatslip.
- (d) The Board of Directors, pursuant to the Bylaws attached hereto as <u>Exhibit "B"</u>. shall adopt rules and regulations governing the use of the Piers and Boatslips and the personal conduct thereon of the Members owning Boatslip Lots and their families, guests and invitees. Should Members owning Boatslip Lots desire to amend such rules and regulations, then a

meeting of the Members owning Boatslip Lots may be called and held, in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Bylaws, for the purpose of voting to amend such rules and regulations. If such a meeting is duly called and held, the Boatslip Lot Owners may direct the Board of Directors to make such amendments to the rules and regulations governing the use of the Piers and Boatslips, including additions to and deletions of portions of such rules and regulations, as are approved by a vote of the Members owning Boatslip Lots, in accordance with Article 3 of the Bylaws, and as are permitted under the Duke Lease.

- (e) The Piers may only be used by Owners of Boatslip Lots, their families, guests or invitees. Each Boatslip may only be used by the Owner(s) of the Boatslip Lot to which such Boatslip is appurtenant, their families, guests or invitees.
- Section 4.9. Parking Area. Declarant shall construct, and the Association shall maintain, repair and, if destroyed, replace, as a common expense of the Association, the paved Parking Area upon and over a portion of the Amenity Area. The Parking Area shall be constructed and maintained in order to provide parking for the Owners, and may be used by Declarant, its successors and assigns and the Owners, their families, guests and invitees, in connection with their use of the Amenity Area and/or Piers and Boatslips. Accordingly, the maintenance, repair and replacement costs of the Parking Area shall be assessed against all Owners as set forth in Article 5 of this Declaration.
- Section 4.10. Pool. Declarant shall construct, and the Association shall maintain, repair and, if destroyed, replace, as a common expense of the Association the Pool upon and over a portion of the Amenity Area. The Pool shall be constructed and maintained for the common use and benefit of the Owners and may be used only by Declarant, its successors and assigns and the Owners, their families, guests and invitees.
- <u>Section 4.11</u>. <u>Cabana</u>. Declarant shall construct, and the Association shall maintain, repair and, if destroyed, replace, as a common expense of the Association, the Cabana upon and over a portion of the Amenity Area. The Cabana shall be constructed and maintained for the common use and benefit of the Owners and may be used only by Declarant, its successors and assigns and the Owners, their families, guests and invitees.
- <u>Section 4.12.</u> <u>Amenity Area.</u> The Amenity Area, as reflected on the Map, shall be provided by Declarant, and maintained and repaired by the Association as a common expense, for the common use of the Owners, their families, guests and invitees (except as to the Piers and Boatslips), to provide access to the Parking Area, Cabana and Pool, and to provide access for the Boatslip Lot Owners, their families, guests and invitees, to the Piers and Boatslips located thereon or adjacent thereto.
- Section 4.13. Private Roads. Declarant shall have the exclusive right to construct the Private Roads within the Private Road Easements, in the approximate location shown on the Map, as well as any additional Private Roads which may be added to the Development in the future pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.2 of the Declaration. The Private Roads and the

Private Road Easements shall be maintained and repaired by the Private Road Lot Owners as more particularly set forth in <u>Section 8.25</u>. No structures, planting or other materials shall be placed or permitted to remain which may damage or interfere with the installation and maintenance of the Private Roads or other utilities or drainage facilities located therein.

ARTICLE 5

COVENANT FOR ANNUAL AND SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Section 5.1. Creation of the Lien and Personal Obligation for Annual. Supplemental Annual. Special and Special Individual Assessments. Declarant, for each Lot owned within the Property, hereby covenants, and each Owner of any Lot by acceptance of a deed therefor, whether or not it shall be so expressed in such deed, is deemed to covenant and agree to pay to the Association the Annual Assessments, Supplemental Annual Assessments, Special Assessments and Special Individual Assessments, as hereinafter defined, and established and collected as hereinafter provided. Any such assessment or charge, together with interest, costs, and reasonable attorneys' fees, shall be a charge and a continuing lien upon the Lot against which each such assessment or charge is made. Each such assessment or charge, together with interest, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, shall also be the personal obligation of the Owner of such Lot at the time when the assessment fell due. The personal obligation for delinquent assessments or charges shall not pass to an Owner's successors in title unless expressly assumed by them.

<u>Section 5.2.</u> <u>Purpose of the Annual Assessment.</u> The assessment to be levied annually by the Association against each Lot ("Annual Assessment") shall be used as follows:

- (a) to repair, maintain, reconstruct (when necessary), keep clean and free from debris, the Common Areas (excluding the Piers and Boatslips) and any amenities and improvements located thereon, including, but not limited to, the Entrance Monuments, Cabana, Pool, Parking Area, Amenity Area, Public Roads (prior to acceptance by local governmental authorities), and any improvements associated therewith, and to maintain the landscaping thereon in accordance with the highest standards for private parks, including any necessary removal or replacement of landscaping, as more particularly set forth in Section 4.6 of the Declaration;
- (b) to maintain and repair or caused to be maintained the Public Roads to the standards of the maintenance (if one is ascertainable) which would be required by the Oconee County Public Works Department or other governmental entity before it would accept such Public Roads for maintenance, as more particularly set forth in Section 4.6:
- (c) to pay all costs associated with the lease of the Street Lights, including but not limited to, monthly lease payments and utility costs;

- (d) to pay all ad valorem taxes levied against the Common Areas and any other property owned by the Association (other than the Piers and Boatslips and any improvements located thereon, and any other property owned in connection therewith);
- (e) to pay the premiums on all insurance carried by the Association pursuant hereto or pursuant to the Bylaws, except for such insurance carried specifically in connection with the Piers and Boatslips and any improvements located thereon;
- (f) to pay all legal, accounting and other professional fees incurred by the Association in carrying out its duties as set forth herein or in the Bylaws, except for such fees incurred specifically in connection with the Piers and Boatslips; and
- (g) to maintain contingency reserves as to the amounts described in subsections (a) and (b) above for the purposes set forth in Section 4.7 hereof in amounts as determined by the Board of Directors.

Section 5.3. Payment of Annual Assessment; Due Dates. The Annual Assessment provided for herein shall commence as to each Lot on January 1, 1998. The Annual Assessment for the calendar year beginning January 1, 1998, shall be Four Hundred Seventy Dollars (\$470.00) per Lot, which amount shall be due and payable in advance no later than January 31 of the year in which such Annual Assessment is due, and pro-rated on a calendar year basis. The Annual Assessment for each and every year beginning January 1 thereafter shall be in an amount as set by the Board of Directors, in accordance with Section 5.4 and shall be due and payable in one (1) annual installment, such installment being due and payable no later than January 31 of each such year. The Board of Directors shall fix the amount of the Annual Assessment as to each Lot for any calendar year at least thirty (30) days prior to January 1 of such calendar year, and the Association shall send written notice of the amount of the Annual Assessment, as well as the amount of the installment due, to each Owner on or before January 1 of such calendar year. The failure of the Association to send, or of an Owner to receive, such notice shall not relieve any Owner of its obligation to pay the Annual Assessment. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Board of Directors may alter the dates of the fiscal year for setting the Annual Assessment and may increase or decrease the frequency of collection of Annual Assessment installments in any reasonable manner.

Section 5.4. Maximum Annual Assessment.

(a) For years following the first year of the Annual Assessment and thereafter, the Board of Directors, by a vote in accordance with the Bylaws, without a vote of the Members, may increase the Annual Assessment each year by a maximum amount equal to the previous year's Annual Assessment times the greater of (i) ten percent (10%), or (ii) the annual percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index, All Urban Consumers, United States, All Items (1982-84 = 100) (hereinafter "CPI") issued by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics for the

most recent 12-month period for which the CPI is available. If the CPI is discontinued, then there shall be used the index most similar to the CPI which is published by the United States Government indicating changes in the cost of living. If the Annual Assessment is not increased by the maximum amount permitted under the terms of this provision, the difference between any actual increase which is made and the maximum increase permitted for that year shall be computed and the Annual Assessment may be increased by that amount in a future year, in addition to the maximum increase permitted under the terms of the preceding sentence for such future year, by a vote of the Board of Directors, without a vote of the Members.

- (b) From and after the first year of the Annual Assessment, the maximum annual assessment may be increased above the maximum amount set forth in subparagraph (a) of this Section 5.4 by a vote of no less than two-thirds (2/3) of the eligible Members who are voting in person or by proxy, at the annual meeting or at a meeting duly called for this purpose, in accordance with the Bylaws.
- (c) The Board of Directors may fix the Annual Assessment at an amount not in excess of the maximum set forth in subparagraph (a) of this Section 5.4 (the "Maximum Annual Assessment"). If the Board of Directors shall levy less than the Maximum Annual Assessment for any calendar year and thereafter, during such calendar year, determine that the important and essential functions of the Association cannot be funded by such lesser assessment, the Board of Directors may, without a vote of the Members, but in accordance with the Bylaws, levy a supplemental Annual Assessment ("Supplemental Annual Assessment"). In no event shall the sum of the Annual Assessment and Supplemental Annual Assessment for any year exceed the applicable Maximum Annual Assessment for such year other than as set forth in Section 7.3 hereof.
- Section 5.5. Special Assessment for Capital Improvements. In addition to the Annual Assessment authorized above, the Association may levy, in any assessment year, a special assessment ("Special Assessment") applicable to that year only for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the cost of (i) the construction of any Common Area improvements which are not originally constructed by Declarant; or (ii) the reconstruction, repair or replacement of Common Areas, including but not limited to, the Amenity Area, Public Roads (prior to acceptance for public maintenance by governmental authorities), Pool, Cabana, Parking Area, Street Lights or Entrance Monuments and any additional Common Areas which may be constructed (but excluding any Boatslips and Piers) including all improvements located thereon, and including fixtures and personal property related thereto. Provided, however, that any such assessment must be approved by a vote of no less than two-thirds (2/3) of the votes of each class of Members who are voting in person or by proxy at a meeting duly called for this purpose.

Special Individual Assessment. In addition to the Annual Assessments, Supplemental Annual Assessments and Special Assessments authorized above, the Board of Directors shall have the power to levy a special assessment applicable to any particular Lot Owner ("Special Individual Assessment"): (i) for the purpose of paving for the cost of any construction, reconstruction, repair or replacement of any damaged component of the Common Areas, including, but not limited to, the Amenity Area, Public Roads (prior to their acceptance for public maintenance), Pool, Entrance Monument, Street Lights, Boatslips, Piers, Cabana or Parking Area, including all improvements located thereon, whether occasioned by any act or omission of such Owner(s), members of such Owner's family, or such Owner's agents, guests, employees or invitees and not the result of ordinary wear and tear; or (ii) for payment of fines, penalties or other charges imposed against any particular Owner relative to such Owner's failure to comply with the terms and provisions of this Declaration, the Bylaws or any rules or regulations promulgated by the Association or the Declarant pursuant to this Declaration or the Bylaws. Provided, however, that Declarant shall not be obligated to pay any Special Individual Assessment except with Declarant's prior written approval. The due date of any Special Individual Assessment levied pursuant to this <u>Section 5.6</u> shall be fixed in the Board of Directors resolution authorizing such Special Individual Assessment. Upon the establishment of a Special Individual Assessment, the Board shall send written notice of the amount and due date of such Special Individual Assessment to the affected Owner(s) at least thirty (30) days prior to the date such Special Individual Assessment is due.

Section 5.7. Assessment Rate.

- (a) Subject to the exception set forth in subsection (b) below, the Annual, Supplemental Annual, and Special Assessments must be fixed at a uniform rate for all Lots.
- (b) Annual, Supplemental Annual, and Special Assessments for each Lot owned by Declarant and unoccupied as a residence shall be one-third (1/3) of the Annual, Supplemental Annual, and Special Assessments for each other Lot in the Subdivision not owned by Declarant.

ARTICLE 6

COVENANT FOR BOATSLIP, SUPPLEMENTAL BOATSLIP, AND SPECIAL BOATSLIP ASSESSMENTS

Section 6.1. Creation of the Lien and Personal Obligation for Boatslip. Supplemental Boatslip, and Special Boatslip Assessments. Declarant, for each Boatslip Lot owned within the Property, hereby covenants, and each Owner of any Boatslip Lot by acceptance of a deed therefor, whether or not it shall be so expressed in such deed, or by entering into a Boatslip Lease (or an assignment thereof) for a Boatslip as an appurtenance to such Owner's Lot as more particularly set forth in Section 4.8 of this Declaration, is deemed to covenant and agree to pay to the Association, in addition to the Annual, Supplemental Annual, Special and Special Individual Assessments provided for herein, the Boatslip, Supplemental Boatslip, and Special Boatslip Assessments, as hereinafter defined, for maintenance and repair costs of the Piers and Boatslips (including all improvements thereon) established and collected as hereinafter provided. Any such assessment or charge, together with interest, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, shall be a charge and a continuing lien upon the Boatslip Lot against which each such assessment or charge is made and upon the right to use the Pier and the Boatslip appurtenant to such Boatslip Lot. Each such assessment or charge, together with interest, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, shall also be the personal obligation of the Owner of such Boatslip Lot at the time when the assessment falls due. The personal obligation for delinquent assessments or charges shall not pass to a Boatslip Lot Owner's successors in title unless expressly assumed by them, provided such assessments or charges, together with interest, costs and reasonable attorney's fees, shall, as set forth above, be a continuing lien upon the Boatslip Lot against which such assessments or charges are made.

<u>Section 6.2.</u> <u>Purpose of the Boatslip Assessment</u>. The assessment to be levied annually by the Association against each Boatslip Lot ("Boatslip Assessment") shall be used as follows:

- (a) to clean, maintain, repair and reconstruct, when necessary, the Piers and Boatslips, including all lighting and other fixtures, wires, railings and other facilities located thereon (if any), all as more particularly set forth in Section 4.6 of this Declaration;
- (b) to provide and pay for lighting of, and water service to, the Piers and Boatslips (if any) to the extent necessary for the safety and enjoyment of the users thereof;
- (c) to pay all ad valorem taxes levied against the Piers and Boatslips and any other property owned by the Association in connection therewith;
- (d) to pay all lease payments, if applicable, to Duke Energy Corporation for the lease of the lake bed on which the Piers and Boatslips are located;

- (e) to pay the premiums on all insurance carried by the Association in connection with the Piers and Boatslips (including all improvements located thereon) pursuant to this Declaration or the Bylaws;
- (f) to pay all legal, accounting and other professional fees incurred by the Association in carrying out its duties as set forth herein or in the Bylaws in connection with the Piers and Boatslips (including all improvements located thereon); and
- (g) to maintain contingency reserves as to the amounts described in subsections (a) and (b) above for the purposes set forth in <u>Section 4.7</u> hereof in amounts as determined by the Board of Directors.

Section 6.3. Payment of Boatslip Assessment; Due Dates. The Boatslip Assessment provided for herein shall be payable annually, in advance, and shall commence as to each Boatslip Lot (to which a completed Boatslip is appurtenant), and shall be due and payable thirty (30) days following the lease of a completed Boatslip to a Boatslip Lot Owner as set forth in Section 4.8 of the Declaration (such assessment shall be prorated from the date of such lease through the remainder of the calendar year for which such assessment is due). Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Boatslip Assessment shall be due prior to January 1, 1998. The initial Boatslip Assessment applicable to all Boatslip Lots (if assessed on or before January 1, 1998) shall be Two Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars (\$275.00) per Boatslip Lot owned. The Boatslip Assessment for each and every year thereafter shall be due and payable no later than January 31 of such year. The Boatslip Assessment for each and every year thereafter shall be in an amount set by the Board of Directors, in accordance with Section 6.4. and shall be due and payable no later than January 31 of each such year. The Board of Directors shall fix the amount of the Boatslip Assessment as to each Boatslip Lot for any year at least thirty (30) days prior to January 1 of such year, and the Association shall send written notice of the amount of the Boatslip Assessment to each Boatslip Lot Owner on or before January 1 of such year. Failure of the Association to send, or of a Boatslip Lot Owner to receive, the notice described in this Section 6.3 shall not relieve any Boatslip Lot Owner of its obligation to pay such Boatslip Assessment. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Board of Directors may alter the dates of the fiscal year for setting the Boatslip Assessment, and may increase or decrease the frequency of the collection of the Boatslip Assessment (or installments thereof) in any reasonable manner.

Section 6.4. Maximum Boats lip Assessment.

- (a) For years following the first year of the Boatslip Assessment and thereafter, the Board of Directors, by a vote in accordance with the Bylaws, without a vote of the Members, may increase the Boatslip Assessment each year by a maximum amount equal to the previous year's Boatslip Assessment times the greater of: (i) ten percent (10%); or (ii) the annual percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index, All Urban Consumers, United States, All Items (1982-84 = 100) (hereinafter "CPI") issued by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics for the most recent 12-month period for which the CPI is available. If the CPI is discontinued, then there shall be used the index most similar to the CPI which is published by the United States Government indicating changes in the cost of living. If the Boatslip Assessment is not increased by the maximum amount permitted under the terms of this provision, the difference between any actual increase which is made and the maximum increase permitted for that year shall be computed and the Boatslip Assessment may be increased by that amount in a future year, in addition to the maximum increase permitted under the terms of the preceding sentence for such future year, by a vote of the Board of Directors, without a vote of the Members.
- (b) From and after the first year of the Boatslip Assessment, the Boatslip Assessment may be increased without limitation if such increase is approved by Declarant (so long as Declarant owns any part of the Property) and by a majority of the votes appurtenant to the Boatslip Lots.
- (c) The Board of Directors may fix the Boatslip Assessment at an amount not in excess of the maximum set forth in subparagraph (a) of this Section 6.4 (the "Maximum Boatslip Assessment"). If the Board of Directors shall levy less than the Maximum Boatslip Assessment for any calendar year and thereafter, during such year, determine that the important and essential functions of the Association as to the Piers and Boatslips (and all improvements located thereon) cannot be funded by such lesser assessment, the Board of Directors may, by a vote in accordance with the Bylaws, levy a supplemental Boatslip Assessment ("Supplemental Boatslip Assessment"). In no event shall the sum of the Boatslip Assessment and Supplemental Boatslip Assessment for any year exceed the applicable Maximum Boatslip Assessment for such year other than as set forth in Section 7.3 hereof.
- Section 6.5. Special Assessment for Boatslip Improvements. In addition to the Boatslip Assessment authorized above, the Association may levy, in any assessment year, a special Boatslip Assessment ("Special Boatslip Assessment") applicable to that year only for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the cost of any reconstruction, repair or replacement of the Piers and Boatslips, and any capital improvement located thereon, including lighting, water lines and other fixtures, poles, wires, railings and other facilities located thereon and personal property related thereto. Provided, however, that (i) any such Special Boatslip Assessment must be approved by Declarant (so long as Declarant owns any part of the Property) and by a vote of a majority of the votes appurtenant to the Boatslip Lots; and (ii) any such Special Boatslip Assessment may be levied only against the Owners of Boatslip Lots.

Section 6.6. Assessment Rate.

- (a) Except as set forth in subsection (b) below, Boatslip, Supplemental Boatslip, and Special Boatslip Assessments must be fixed at a uniform rate for all Boatslip Lots.
- (b) Boatslip, Supplemental Boatslip, and Special Boatslip Assessments for each Boatslip Lot owned by Declarant shall be one-third (1/3) of the Boatslip, Supplemental Boatslip, and Special Boatslip Assessments for each other Boatslip Lot in the Subdivision not owned by Declarant.

ARTICLE 7

GENERAL ASSESSMENT PROVISIONS

- Section 7.1. Certificate Regarding Assessments. The Association shall, upon demand, and for a reasonable charge, furnish a certificate signed by an officer of the Association setting forth whether the assessments on a specified Lot have been paid. A properly executed certificate of the Association as to the status of assessments on a Lot is binding upon the Association as of the date of its issuance.
- Effect of Nonpayment of Assessments; Remedies of the Association. Any Section 7.2. Annual Assessment, Special Assessment, Special Individual Assessment, Supplemental Annual Assessment, Boatslip Assessment, Special Boatslip Assessment or Supplemental Boatslip Assessment (or installment thereof) not paid by its due date as set forth in Section 5.3 and Section 6.3 hereof, or any other assessment not paid by its due date, shall bear interest from such due date at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per annum or the highest rate then permitted by law, whichever is less. In addition to such interest charge, the delinquent Owner shall also pay such late charge as may have been theretofore established by the Board of Directors to defray the costs arising because of late payment. The Association may bring an action at law against the delinquent Owner or foreclose the lien against the Lot and the right to use the Common Areas and/or the right to use Piers and Boatslips, if applicable, and interest, late payment charges, costs and reasonable attorney's fees related to such action or foreclosure shall be added to the amount of such assessment. No Owner may waive or otherwise escape liability for the assessments provided for herein by not using the Common Areas and/or his Boatslip, if applicable, or by abandoning his Lot.
- Section 7.3. Subordination of the Lien to Mortgages. The lien of the assessments provided for in Articles 5 and 6 of this Declaration shall be subordinate to the lien of any first Mortgage on a Lot or any mortgage or deed of trust to the Declarant. Sale or transfer of any Lot shall not affect the assessment lien. The sale or transfer of any Lot pursuant to mortgage foreclosure, or any proceeding in lieu thereof, however, shall extinguish the lien of such assessments as to payments which became due prior to such sale or transfer. Provided, however, that the Board of Directors may in its sole discretion determine such unpaid assessments to be an Annual Assessment, Special Assessment, Supplemental Annual Assessment, Boatslip

Assessment, Special Boatslip Assessment or Supplemental Boatslip Assessment, as applicable, collectable pro rata from all Owners (or from all Boatslip Lot Owners if a Boatslip Assessment, Supplemental Boatslip Assessment or Special Boatslip Assessment), including the foreclosure sale purchaser. Such pro rata portions are payable by all Owners (or all Boatslip Lot Owners if a Boatslip Assessment, Supplemental Boatslip Assessment or Special Boatslip Assessment), notwithstanding the fact that such pro rata portions may cause the Annual Assessment, Special Assessment, Special Individual Assessment, Supplemental Annual Assessment, Boatslip Assessment, Special Boatslip Assessment, or Supplemental Boatslip Assessment (as applicable), to be in excess of the Maximum Annual Assessment or Maximum Boatslip Assessment permitted hereunder. No sale or transfer shall relieve the purchaser of such Lot from liability for any assessments thereafter becoming due or from the lien thereof, but the lien provided for herein shall continue to be subordinate to the lien of any mortgage or deed of trust as above provided.

ARTICLE 8

RESTRICTIONS

Section 8.1. <u>Land Use, Building Type and Residential Restrictions.</u> All Lots in the Subdivision shall be known and described as residential lots and shall be used only for private residential and recreational purposes. No structure shall be erected, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than for use as a single family residential dwelling, unless otherwise provided herein, and only one single-family residential dwelling not exceeding 2V2 stories in height above ground shall be erected or permitted to remain upon any Lot. No log cabin (or structure resembling a log cabin, or having the architectural characteristics of a log cabin), mobile home, modular home or shell home may be erected or permitted to remain on any Lot. A private garage (not exceeding three (3) car capacity), outbuildings, fixed piers and floating boat dock facilities incidental to the residential use of the Lot are expressly permitted upon the condition that they are not rented, leased nor otherwise used for remuneration, subject to the other covenants and restrictions contained herein. No detached garage or outbuildings, or boat (including a houseboat, whether existing on a Lot or docked at a fixed pier or floating boat dock which is appurtenant to any Property in the Subdivision), shall at any time be used as a residence. No enclosed boathouses or two level piers are permitted. Docks, piers and boathouses shall be subject to approval by Duke Energy Corporation and/or any governmental entity having jurisdiction at the time such improvements are made. Any ownership or leasing arrangement for a Lot having the characteristics of a vacation time sharing ownership plan, a vacation time sharing lease plan or shared ownership is hereby prohibited.

<u>Section 8.2</u>. <u>Dwelling Size</u>. The square footage requirements hereinafter set forth refer to enclosed heated floor area and are exclusive of the area in unfinished basements, unheated porches of any type, attached or detached garages, carports and unheated storage areas, decks or patios.

No dwelling erected upon any Lot shall contain less than 2,100 square feet, with not less than 1,800 square feet on the main floor.

Section 8.3. Building Construction and Quality. All buildings and outbuildings erected upon any Lot shall be constructed of new material of good grade, quality and appearance and shall be constructed in a proper, workmanlike manner. No single-family residential dwelling with a sales price of less than One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) (in terms of 1997 dollar value), exclusive of the Lot, shall be permitted on any Lot unless otherwise approved in advance, in writing, by the Declarant or the Board of Directors. No building shall be erected unless it is completely underpinned with a solid brick or brick, stone or stucco covered block foundation. The exterior surface of any building shall not be of vinyl siding, asbestos shingle siding, imitation brick or stoneroll siding, or exposed concrete or cement blocks. The exterior surface of any garage, outbuilding or appurtenant structure or building erected on or located on any Lot shall be architecturally compatible with, and of material and construction comparable in cost and design to, the exterior surface of the dwelling located on said Lot. All buildings shall have roofs (with the exception of dormers, porches, bay windows and other minor architectural details) of not less than 6 in 12 pitch and not less than 12 inch overhang, covered with slate, cedar shakes, tile or fiberglass shingles. Tin or rolled roofing material is not permitted.

<u>Section 8.4.</u> <u>Temporary Structures; Structure Materials.</u> No residence or building of a temporary nature shall be erected or allowed to remain on any Lot, and no metal, fiberglass, plastic, vinyl or canvas tent, barn, carport, garage, utility building, storage building, or other metal, fiberglass, plastic, vinyl or canvas structure shall be placed or erected on any Lot or attached to any residence. Provided, however, that nothing herein shall prohibit Declarant from erecting or moving temporary buildings onto the Lots owned by Declarant, to be used for storage or for construction or sales offices.

Section 8.5. Building Setback Lines. No building on any Lot (including any stoops, porches, or decks) shall be erected or permitted to remain within the front street right-of-way or side abutting right-of-way (for a corner Lot) building setback lines as noted on the Map. Notwithstanding any rear setback restrictions noted on the Map, no building, including stoops, porches or decks (whether attached or unattached) shall be erected or permitted to remain nearer than fifty (50) feet to the rear (waterside) lot line of any Lot adjoining the waters of Lake Keowee. For purposes of this restriction, the waterside lot line shall mean the contour line of Lake Keowee as noted on the Map. Boathouses, piers and dock facilities are exempt from the rear setback restrictions provided they comply with the provisions set forth in Section 8.21. The foregoing notwithstanding, gazebos or similar minor aesthetic improvements may encroach within the rear setback, including the fifty (50) foot waterside setback, provided that they: (i) are single story; (ii) contain less than one hundred fifty (150) square feet; and (iii) are not enclosed by walls or other surfaces unless such surfaces meet the openness test established for perimeter fencing in Section 8.10. Similarly, front, side or rear entryways which: (i) are connected to the residence; and (ii) are not covered or enclosed in any manner, may encroach within the front, side, rear, or fifty-foot waterside setback.

In the event any zoning or subdivision ordinance, floodway regulations or other ordinance, law or regulation applicable to a Lot shall prescribe greater setbacks, then all

buildings erected during the pendency of that zoning or subdivision ordinance, floodway regulations or other ordinance, law or regulation shall conform to said requirements. No masonry mailboxes or other structures or improvements may be constructed or placed within the right-ofway of any of the Public Roads (so as to prevent such Public Roads from being accepted for maintenance by the Oconee County Public Works Department or other applicable governmental entity). Declarant hereby reserves the right and easement, benefiting Declarant and the Association and burdening the Property, to go upon any Lot or other portion of the Property in order to remove any mailboxes or other structures or improvements constructed within the rightof-way of any Public Road which will prevent such Public Road from being accepted for maintenance by the Oconee County Public Works Department or other applicable governmental entity. Should Declarant or the Association exercise its easement rights pursuant to the terms of this Section 8.5. the Owner of the nonconforming Lot shall reimburse Declarant or the Association (as applicable) within five (5) business days following the submission of an invoice for any costs or expenses incurred by Declarant or the Association. The exercise or nonexercise of the easement rights contained in this Section 8.5 shall be subject to the discretion of the Declarant and the Association and neither Declarant nor the Association shall have the obligation to exercise such rights.

The Association shall have the authority but not the obligation, in its sole discretion, to assess penalties against an Owner who fails to abide by the terms of this <u>Section 8.5</u>. The penalties authorized by this <u>Section 8.5</u> as well as the expenses to be reimbursed Declarant or the Association shall be considered a Special Individual Assessment against the respective Owner's Lot, entitling the Association to the assessment collection remedies specified in <u>Article 7</u> of the Declaration.

Section 8.6. Minor Setback Violations. In the event of the unintentional violation of any of the building setback covenants set forth above, in the amount of ten percent (10%) or less of the setback covenant in question, Declarant reserves the right, which right shall be vested in and may be exercised by the Association after Declarant's Class B Membership in the Association has converted to Class A Membership, but is not obligated, to waive in writing such violation of the setback covenants upon agreement of the Owner of the Lot upon which the violation occurs and the Owner of any Lot adjoining the violated setback, provided that such change is not in violation of any zoning or subdivision ordinance or other applicable law or regulation, or, if in violation, provided that a variance or other similar approval has been received from the appropriate governmental authority.

Section 8.7. Combination or Subdivision of Lots. Except as otherwise set forth herein, no Lot shall be subdivided by sale or otherwise so as to reduce the Lot area shown on the Map. However, a Lot Owner may combine with a portion or all of another contiguous Lot so long as the parcel or parcels which result from such combination do not violate any applicable zoning ordinance or other applicable law or regulation. In the event that two or more Lots are completely combined so as to create one parcel, the resulting parcel shall be considered as one Lot for the purposes of this Article 8. but shall continue to be considered as two Lots for all other purposes (including voting and assessments). Furthermore, the Owner of any Lot which

combines with all or a portion of a contiguous Lot shall be solely responsible for any costs which may result from such combination, including the costs of relocating any existing easements. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Declarant reserves the right to change the boundaries or dimensions of any Lots still owned by Declarant as may be needed to meet septic system requirements or for any other reason and any Lot or Lots which result from such change by Declarant shall not be subject to any additional assessment.

Utility Easements. Declarant hereby reserves easements for the installation Section 8.8. and maintenance of utilities (i.e., electricity, sewer, water, gas, telephone, cable t.v., etc.) and drainage facilities over the front and rear ten (10) feet of each Lot (with the exception of the Lots along the waters of Lake Keowee, which will not have a ten [10] foot easement over the rear of each such Lot [i.e., waterside]) and five (5) feet in width along each side lot line of each Lot. Additional drainage easements and utility easements are reserved as more particularly shown and delineated on the Map and in other recorded easement documents. Within such easements, no structure, planting or other materials shall be placed or permitted to remain which may damage or interfere with the installation and maintenance of utilities or which may interfere with drainage and the flow of water within the easement areas. The Owner of each Lot shall maintain that portion of the Lot lying within the easement areas as defined herein and shall maintain any improvements located thereon, except those improvements installed and maintained by a public authority or utility company. Declarant reserves the right to create and impose additional easements over any unsold Lot or Lots for road drainage, utility and entry signage installation purposes by the recording of appropriate instruments, and such easements shall not be construed to invalidate any of these covenants.

<u>Section 8.9.</u> <u>Entrance Monument Easement.</u> Declarant hereby grants, establishes and reserves, for the benefit of Declarant and the Association, and their successors and assigns, non-exclusive perpetual easements (the "Entrance Monument Easements") for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the Entrance Monuments for the Subdivision over the portions of the Subdivision identified as "Entrance Monument Easement" on the Map (the "Easement Tracts").

Declarant or the Association shall have the right to enter, landscape and maintain the Easement Tracts as an entryway to the Subdivision. Further, Declarant or the Association may erect and maintain one or more stone monuments, with an entrance sign thereon (collectively, the "Entrance Sign") bearing the name of the Subdivision and Declarant, which Entrance Signs may be built to the applicable governmental standards for signs; and may erect and maintain lighting for the Entrance Sign, planters and other improvements typically used for an entryway (the Easement Tract, the Entrance Sign, lighting, landscaping, irrigation and other improvements to be constructed on the Easement Tract are herein collectively referred to as the "Entrance Monument").

Section 8.10. Fences and Wails. Fences and walls may be constructed of wood, brick or stone. Chain link or other metal fencing is not permitted, except that 2" x 4" metal mesh may be used with split rail fencing to contain animals or children within rear or sideyards only. Perimeter fencing shall not have more than fifty percent (50%) of any of its surface closed as viewed from a point on a line of sight perpendicular to the line of the fence. A wall constructed of brick or stone and used in lieu of a fence is exempt from the openness test. No fences or walls greater than six (6) feet in height are permitted.

No fence or wall facing the street shall be erected on a Lot nearer the street right of way line than the front face of the dwelling located on such Lot, except for split-rail fencing or fencing not higher than 30" in height. In the case of a corner Lot, no sideyard fence or wall shall be erected nearer the street right of way line than the side of the dwelling located on such Lot, except for split-rail fencing or fencing no higher than 30" in height. Provided, however, that the restrictions described in this <u>Section 8.10</u> shall not apply to any improvements originally installed by Declarant on any Common Area.

Section 8.11. Signs. No signs of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any Common Area. No signs of any kind may be displayed to the public view on any Lot with the following exceptions which may not exceed five (5) square feet in size: (a) one sign (on the Lot only) advertising the Property for sale or rent; (b) one sign (on the Lot only) used by a builder to advertise the Lot during the construction and sales period; and (c) temporary political signs. These restrictions shall never apply to permanent Entrance Monuments, or to temporary entry signs or advertising by Declarant, or "for sale" signs installed by Declarant or its agents prior to the sellout of the Subdivision.

Section 8.12. Antennas; Satellite Dishes or Discs. No radio or television transmission or reception towers, antenna, satellite dishes or discs shall be erected or maintained on any Lot, except that one (1) dish or disc not exceeding one (1) meter in diameter or diagonal measurement for receiving direct broadcast satellite service ("DBS") or multi-point distribution services ("MDS") may be erected and maintained on each Lot. No roof-mounted antenna, dishes or discs shall be permitted on any Lot if adequate broadcast reception can be obtained without mounting such equipment on the roof of the house; provided, however, that if such roof-mounted equipment is required, no antenna or related structures may be mounted on masts exceeding twelve (12) feet in height above the highest roof line ridge of the house. Any dish, disc, or antenna (with associated mast) shall be reasonably camouflaged and screened from view from Lake Keowee and the Private and Public Roads, and shall not be located in the area between the street right-of-way line and the minimum building setback lines applicable to the Lot.

Section 8.13. Lot Maintenance: Trash Disposal. Each Owner shall keep his Lot in a clean and orderly condition and shall keep the improvements thereon in a suitable state of painting and repair, promptly repairing any damage thereto by fire or other casualty. No clothesline may be erected or maintained on any Lot. No Lot shall be used in whole or in part for storage of trash of any character whatsoever and no trash, rubbish, stored materials or similar unsightly items shall be allowed to remain on any Lot outside of an enclosed structure, except

when temporarily placed in closed, sanitary containers pending collection by trash collection authorities or companies.

Section 8.14. Off-Road Parking: Off-Water Boat Storage. Each Lot Owner shall provide a concrete or asphalt driveway prior to the occupancy of any dwelling constructed on the Lot which provides space for parking two automobiles off the Public Roads and the Private Roads. Lots with property lines which abut Road S-37-38 are restricted from constructing a driveway which will provide direct access from such Lot to Road S-37-38. Lots 1 and 83 are further restricted from constructing a driveway across any portion of the 20' Entrance Monument area shown on the Map. No truck or commercial vehicle in excess of one-ton load capacity or any vehicle under repair, wrecked or junked motor vehicle shall be parked upon or permitted to remain on any Lot, the Amenity Area, the Parking Area or any other Common Area. No boat or boat trailer may be parked, left or stored on the Amenity Area. No trailer, motor home, recreational vehicle, camper or boat shall be used as a residence, either permanently or temporarily, or be parked upon or be permitted to remain on any Lot for a period exceeding 24 hours unless it is parked off the Public Roads and Private Roads and not within the front or side yard setbacks of the Lot. All trucks, trailers, campers, boats, motor homes and recreational vehicles must have a current license plate affixed and must be parked in an enclosed garage. All other automobiles must have a current license plate affixed and must be parked in a carport, enclosed garage, or on a concrete or asphalt driveway. Trailers of any type and boats on trailers shall be kept inside an enclosed structure and not within the fifty (50') foot waterfront setback.

<u>Section 8.15.</u> <u>Sewage Disposal.</u> Every dwelling unit erected on any Lot shall be served by an approved septic system for the disposal of sewage, or connected to a private or public sewage disposal system. All septic systems or other private sewage disposal systems shall be approved by, and constructed and maintained in accordance with all the regulations and requirements of all governmental authorities and regulatory agencies having jurisdiction. Declarant does not make any representations regarding the future availability of municipal sewer service.

Section 8.16. Nuisances. No noxious or offensive trade or activity shall be carried on or upon any Lot or in any residential dwelling or outbuilding, nor shall anything be done thereon which may be or become an annoyance or nuisance to the neighborhood. No substance, thing or material shall be kept upon any Lot that will emit foul or obnoxious odors, or that will cause any noise that will or might disturb the peace and quiet of the occupants of surrounding property. No animals, livestock, or poultry of any kind shall be raised, bred, or kept on any Lot or in any residential dwelling or outbuilding with the exception of dogs, cats, or other household pets which may be kept or maintained provided they are not kept, bred, or maintained for commercial purposes. The number of household pets kept or maintained, per Lot, shall not exceed three (3) in number except for newborn offspring of such household pets which are under nine (9) months in age.

<u>Section 8.17.</u> <u>Diligent Construction</u>. All construction, landscaping or other work which has been commenced on any Lot must be continued with reasonable diligence to completion and

no partially completed houses or other improvements shall be permitted to exist on any Lot or Common Area, except during such reasonable time period as is necessary for completion. The exterior of all houses and other structures must be completed within one (1) year from the date of commencement of construction, except where such completion is impossible due to strikes, fires, national emergency or natural calamities. No construction materials of any kind may be stored within forty-five (45) feet of any Public Road or Private Road curbs on any Lot. Any damage to any Public Roads, Private Roads, curb or sidewalk or any part of any Common Area or any utility system caused by an Owner or any builder shall be repaired by such responsible party. If such responsible party fails to repair such damage, Declarant or the Association may make or provide for such repairs, and the responsible Owner shall immediately reimburse the repairing party for its out of pocket expenses in making such repairs. The Owner of each Lot and any builders shall at all times keep contiguous public and private areas free from any dirt, mud, garbage, trash or other debris which is occasioned by construction of improvements on the Lots, Public Roads, Private Roads and any Common Areas. Declarant or the Association may provide for the cleaning of public and private areas due to the activities of the responsible party and may assess the responsible party a reasonable charge not to exceed the actual cost for such cleaning. All Owners and builders shall, consistent with standard construction practices: (i) keep all portions of the Lots, Public Roads, Private Roads and the Common Areas free of unsightly construction debris; and (ii) shall at all times during construction either provide dumpsters for the containment of garbage, trash or other debris which is occasioned by construction of improvements on a Lot or Common Areas, or take other measures consistent with standard construction practices necessary to keep the Lot, Public Roads, Private Roads and all Common Areas free of such garbage, trash, or other debris. Each Owner and any Owner's builder shall be responsible for erosion control protection during any earth-disturbing operation, as described and defined in the "Erosion Control Practices" on Exhibit "C" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

Section 8.18. Community Water System: No Private Individual Wells. Declarant shall cause to be constructed a water system in order to provide water supplies necessary to serve the Subdivision (the "Water System"). All water mains, pipes and other equipment necessary for the operation and maintenance of the Water System shall be located within the utility easements described in Section 8.8 (the "Utility Easements"), or within the Private Roads and Public Roads rights-of-way. Upon its completion, the Water System and all mains, pipes and equipment and other personal property which is part thereof, shall become the property of Seneca Light and Water (the "Utility Company"), a utility company duly licensed and operated under the authority granted by the South Carolina Utilities Commission. The Utility Company shall have the right to utilize the Utility Easements granted in Section 8.8 to the extent necessary to operate and maintain the Water System. The Water System shall be the sole provider of water supplies to the Subdivision, and no well may be dug or constructed on any Lot for the purpose of providing domestic water supply.

Section 8.19. Removal of Trees and Other Vegetation. All trees, shrubs and ground cover within the fifty (50) foot waterfront setback shown on the Map are considered to be "protected" vegetation in that cutting and clearing generally is not permitted therein without the

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prior written consent of Declarant or the Board of Directors. The practical exceptions to this rule are that dead or diseased trees may be removed and poisonous plants may be removed, underbrush may be selectively cleared, understory may be thinned to provide better views, individual trees may be limbed up, and grass or ground covers may be planted.

"Mature trees" inside the fifty (50) foot waterfront setback as shown on the Map may not be cut down or otherwise removed without the specific written approval of the Declarant or the Association. "Mature trees" for purposes of the Declaration shall mean all evergreen or deciduous trees with a caliper of six (6) inches or greater.

Furthermore, in the event that trees, shrubs or ground cover are completely removed (as opposed to thinned) in connection with the improvement of any Lot, such cleared portions of the Lot shall be covered with grass or shall be landscaped with plants, shrubs, trees, mulch, wood chips, pine needles and/or similar landscaping improvements.

Declarant hereby reserves the right and easement benefiting Declarant and the Association to go upon any Lot or other portion of the Property to replant or order the replanting of any trees, shrubs or other vegetation removed within the Subdivision in violation of the terms of this Section 8.19. Should Declarant or the Association exercise its easement rights pursuant to the terms of this Section 8.19, the Owner of the nonconforming Lot shall reimburse Declarant or the Association (as applicable) within five (5) business days following the submission of an invoice for any costs or expenses incurred by Declarant or the Association. The exercise or nonexercise of the easement rights contained in this Section 8.19 shall be subject to the discretion of the Declarant and the Association and neither Declarant, nor the Association shall have the obligation to exercise such rights.

Declarant and/or the Association shall have the authority but not the obligation, in their sole discretion, to assess penalties against an Owner who cuts, damages, or removes any trees, shrubs or other vegetation on any part of the Common Areas, its Lot or any other Lot or Common Area, contrary to the above provisions.

The penalties authorized by this <u>Section 8.19</u> as well as all related expenses to be reimbursed, shall be considered a Special Individual Assessment against the respective Owner's Lot, entitling the Association to the assessment collection remedies specified in <u>Article 7</u> of this Declaration.

<u>Section 8.20</u>. <u>Marine Toilets</u>. No water craft equipped with a marine toilet having a fixed or portable holding tank, or a through hull or overboard discharge toilet, shall be permitted at any waterfront Lot Owners' docks or piers, the Piers or Boatslips, as shown on the Map, or such additional Piers and Boatslips as are added pursuant to a Supplemental Declaration as set forth in <u>Section 2.2</u>.

<u>Section 8.21</u>. <u>Docks, Piers and Boat Houses</u>. Duke Energy Corporation controls access to, use of, and water levels in Lake Keowee. Any Owner, the Declarant and the Association

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must receive permission from Duke Energy Corporation (or a successor manager of Lake Keowee under authority from FERC) prior to placing or constructing any pier, structure or other improvement within or upon, or conducting any activity altering the topography of, the hydroelectric project surrounding and encompassing the waters of Lake Keowee. Declarant makes no oral, express or implied representation or commitment as to the likelihood of any Owner obtaining such permission, nor as to the continued existence, purity, depth or levels of water in Lake Keowee, and Declarant shall have no liability with respect to these matters. Construction of any such improvements is also subject to the recorded restrictions and easements affecting the Lot.

Subject to the foregoing and to the other provisions of this Declaration, the Owner of any Lot adjoining the waters of Lake Keowee may construct one (1) pier, provided that such Lot is not located in an area where the narrowness of a cove precludes construction of a dock or pier as determined by Duke Energy Corporation and/or any governmental entity having jurisdiction at the time such improvements are to be constructed. Any waterfront improvement shall have a low profile and open design to minimize obstruction of neighbors' views. Enclosed single-level or multi-level docks or boat houses will not be allowed either on the water or within the fifty (50) foot waterfront setback. Roof-covered docks are allowed provided that such docks are one level, do not exceed more than twenty-five (25) feet in height and are not enclosed. Two-level docks are not permitted.

The placement, construction, or use of the Piers, Boatslips, and of any other pier, dock, boatslip structures or other improvements within or upon, or the conducting of any activity altering the topography of, the hydroelectric project surrounding and encompassing the waters of Lake Keowee, is and shall be subject to each of the following:

- (i) easements, restrictions, rules and regulations for construction and use promulgated by the Association;
- (ii) all laws, statutes, ordinances and regulations of all Federal, State and local governmental bodies having jurisdiction thereof, including without limitation FERC;
- (iii) rules and regulations, privileges and easements affecting the Property and the waters and submerged land of Lake Keowee established by Duke Energy Corporation, its successors and assigns. (Duke Energy Corporation is the manager of Lake Keowee under authority granted by FERC; its current management plan runs through August 31, 2016. As manager of Lake Keowee, Duke Energy Corporation controls access to, and the use and level of, the waters of Lake Keowee. All Owners, the Association, the Declarant and any builders must receive permission from Duke Energy Corporation [or a successor manager of Lake Keowee, under authority from FERC] prior to any alterations therein,

- including the construction and continued use and maintenance of any dock, pier, or boatslip [including the Piers and Boatslips]); and
- (iv) the terms and provisions of that certain Lease Agreement between Duke Energy Corporation, as lessor, and Declarant, as lessee (the "Duke Lease", a copy of which is attached to the Boatslip Lease form). Declarant must enter into the Duke Lease, which will be assigned to the Association, for the lake bed area where the Piers and Boatslips will be located. The Duke Lease will require payment of annual rent to Duke Energy Corporation, which rent can be increased by ten percent (10.0%) per annum compounded annually through the term of the lease. The rent is included in the Boatslip Assessment. Duke Energy Corporation may: (i) terminate the Duke Lease if the terms of the Duke Lease or other agreement are not complied with (including payment of the rent); (ii) decline to renew the Duke Lease after August 31, 2016; (iii) change the amount of the rent after August 31, 2016; and (iv) terminate the Duke Lease if FERC or any other governmental agency directs it to do so.

No Owner of any Lot which adjoins the waters of Lake Keowee shall construct a pier of any kind, boat mooring or any other structure outside the Pier Zone designated on the Map applicable to such Lot.

- Section 8.22. <u>Boat Ramps</u>. No boat ramps of any kind shall be permitted on any Lot, and no boat shall be placed in (or removed from) the waters of Lake Keowee from any Lot, provided however, small watercraft such as canoes, dinghies, and jet skis may be launched from any Lot if launched without a ramp. All other watercraft shall be launched at a public boat ramp outside the Subdivision.
- Section 8.23 Rights of Duke Energy Corporation. Duke Energy Corporation has certain privileges and easements affecting the Development which include the right, privilege and easement of backing, ponding, raising, flooding or diverting the waters of Lake Keowee and its tributaries upon and over the Development, as more specifically described in the Deed from Duke Energy Corporation to the Declarant.
- <u>Section 8.24</u> <u>Non-waiver</u>. No delay or failure on the part of an aggrieved party to invoke an available remedy in respect to a violation of any provision contained herein or referred to herein shall be held to be a waiver by that party of any right available to the party upon the recurrence or continuance of said violation or the occurrence of a different violation.
- <u>Section 8.25</u> <u>Maintenance of the Private Roads.</u> The Private Roads shall be maintained and periodically repaired, as needed, by the Owners of the Private Road Lots. The Private Road Lot Owners shall meet from time to time to agree upon service work to be performed on the

Private Roads. Any Private Road Lot Owner may call a meeting by mailing written notice to each Private Road Lot Owner's residence at least thirty (30) days prior to the meeting which notice specifies that a vote may be taken regarding maintenance and repair of each of the Private Roads. Failure to notify every Private Road Lot Owner of the meeting in the manner prescribed above shall invalidate any vote taken at such meeting unless all Private Road Lot Owners attended the meeting in person or by proxy. A validly called meeting may be conducted by telephone or other convenient method. There shall be one vote appurtenant to each Private Road Lot owned and any repair or maintenance of the Private Roads which is approved by a majority of the votes cast, in person or by proxy, at a validly called meeting shall be considered "Approved Maintenance." The cost of all Approved Maintenance shall be divided equally among the Private Road Lot Owners in proportion to the number of Lots which each of the Private Road Lot Owners own.

Each Private Road Lot Owner shall be obligated for its share of the cost of all Approved Maintenance, the payment of which is enforceable by any Private Road Lot Owner. A lien is hereby established on the Private Road Lots for the purpose of enforcing the obligations of any Private Road Lot Owner who fails to pay that Private Road Lot Owner's share of the cost of the Approved Maintenance of such Private Road(s). If a Private Road Lot Owner fails to pay his or her share of the costs of the Approved Maintenance, the defaulting Private Road Lot Owner shall pay interest accruing thereon at the lower of: (i) eighteen percent (18%) per annum or; (ii) the maximum rate allowed by law. Additionally, if any Private Road Lot Owner is required to employ an attorney to collect the obligations hereunder from a defaulting Private Road Lot Owner, such Private Road Lot Owner shall be reimbursed by the defaulting Private Road Lot Owner for all reasonable attorney's fees and court costs incurred with respect thereto.

Except as otherwise expressly set forth herein, the Private Roads may only be used by Owners of Private Road Lots, their families, guests or invitees.

ARTICLE 9

INSURANCE

- Section 9.1. <u>Board of Directors</u>. The Board of Directors shall obtain and maintain at all times insurance of the type and kind and in no less than the amounts set forth below:
- (a) <u>Fire and Casualty</u>. All improvements and all fixtures included in any Common Areas, including but not limited to, the Piers, Boatslips, Entrance Monuments, Cabana, Pool, Public Roads (prior to acceptance for maintenance by a governmental authority) and medians located thereon, Amenity Area and Parking Area, and all personal property and supplies belonging to the Association, shall be insured in an amount equal to 100% of the current replacement cost up to the amount specified in the insurance policy (exclusive of land, foundation, excavation and other normally excluded items) as determined annually by the Board

of Directors with the assistance of the insurance company providing coverage. The Board of Directors shall, at least annually, review the insurance coverage required herein and determine 100% of the current replacement cost of such improvements and fixtures and personal property and supplies. Such coverage shall provide protection against loss or damage by fire, windstorm, vandalism and malicious damage and all perils covered by a standard "all risk" insurance policy. All such policies shall provide that adjustment of loss shall be approved by the Board of Directors and the insurance company. In addition to the provisions and endorsements set forth in Sections 9.3 and 9.4. the fire and casualty insurance described herein shall contain the following provisions:

- (i) a waiver of subrogation by the insurer as to any claims against the Association, any officer, director, agent or employee of the Association, the Owners and their employees, agents, tenants and invitees; and
- (ii) a provision that the coverage will not be prejudiced by act or neglect of one or more Owners when said act or neglect is not within the control of the Association or by any failure of the Association to comply with any warranty or condition regarding any portion of the Property over which the Association has no control

The property and public liability insurance policy shall not contain (and the insurance shall not be placed with companies whose charters or bylaws contain) provisions whereby: (1) contributions or assessments may be made against the Association, the Owners or the Mortgagees; (2) loss payments are contingent upon action by the carriers, directors, policy holders or Members; and (3) there are limiting clauses (other than insurance conditions) which could prevent Owners or Mortgagees from collecting the proceeds.

Public Liability. The Board of Directors shall also be required to obtain (b) and maintain, to the extent obtainable, public liability insurance in such limits as the Board of Directors may, from time to time, determine to be customary for projects similar in construction, location and use to any Common Areas, and customary for the activities and obligations of property owners' associations for projects similar to the Development, covering each member of the Board of Directors, the managing agent, if any, and each Owner with respect to his liability arising out of the ownership, maintenance, or repair of the Common Areas and out of the activities of the Association; provided, however, that in no event shall the amounts of such public liability insurance ever be less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence against liability for bodily injury, including death resulting therefrom, and damage to property, including loss of use thereof, occurring upon, in or about, or arising from or relating to, the Property or any portion thereof. Such insurance shall include endorsements covering cross liability claims of one insured against another, including the liability of the Owners as a group to a single Owner. The Board of Directors shall review such limits annually. Until the first meeting of the Board of Directors following the initial meeting of the Owners, such public liability insurance shall be in amounts of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence for claims for bodily injury and property damage.

- (c) <u>Fidelity Coverage</u>. The Board of Directors shall also be required to obtain fidelity coverage against dishonest acts on the part of all persons, whether officers, directors, trustees, employees, agents or independent contractors, responsible for handling funds belonging to or administered by the Association, in an amount determined by the Board of Directors in its discretion. An appropriate endorsement to the policy to cover any persons who serve without compensation shall be added if the policy would not otherwise cover volunteers.
- (d) Other.. Such other insurance coverage's, including flood insurance and worker's compensation, as the Board of Directors shall determine from time to time desirable.
- <u>Section 9.2.</u>. <u>Premium Expense</u>. Premiums upon insurance policies purchased by the Board of Directors shall be paid by the Board of Directors and charged as a common expense to be collected from the Owners pursuant to <u>Articles 5 and 6</u> hereof.
- <u>Section 9.3.</u> <u>Special Endorsements.</u> The Board of Directors shall make diligent effort to secure insurance policies that will provide for the following:
- (a) recognition of any insurance trust agreement entered into by the Association;
- (b) coverage that may not be cancelled or substantially modified (including cancellation for nonpayment of premium) without at least forty-five (45) days prior written notice to the named insured, any insurance trustee and all Mortgagees; and
- (c) coverage that cannot be cancelled, invalidated or suspended on account of the conduct of any officer or employee of the Board of Directors without prior demand in writing that the Board of Directors cure the defect and the allowance of a reasonable time thereafter within which the defect may be cured by the Association, any Owner or any Mortgagee.
- Section 9.4. General Guidelines. All insurance policies purchased by the Board of Directors shall be with a company or companies licensed to do business in the State of South Carolina and holding a rating of "A-10" or better by the current issue of Best's Insurance Reports. All insurance policies shall be written for the benefit of the Association and shall be issued in the name of, and provide that all proceeds thereof shall be payable to, the Association. Notwithstanding any of the foregoing provisions and requirements relating to insurance, there may be named as an insured, on behalf of the Association, the Association's authorized representative, who shall have exclusive authority to negotiate losses under any policy providing such insurance.
- Section 9.5. Owner's Personal Property. The Association or the Declarant shall not be liable in any manner for the safekeeping or conditions of any boat or other personal property belonging to or used by any Owner or his family, guests or invitees, located on or used at the Common Areas. Further, neither the Association, nor the Declarant shall be responsible or liable for any damage or loss to, or of, any personal property of any Owner, his family, guests

or invitees located on or used at the Common Areas. Each Owner shall be solely responsible for all such boats and other personal property and for any damage thereto or loss thereof, and shall be responsible for die purchase, at such Owner's sole cost and expense, of any liability insurance or other insurance for damage to or loss of such property. Every Boatslip Lot Owner is required to submit to the Association a Certificate of Insurance showing proof of boat liability insurance coverage at the time of initiating the use of the Piers and Boatslips.

ARTICLE 10

RIGHTS OF MORTGAGEES

- <u>Section 10.1</u>. <u>Approval of Mortgagees</u>. Unless at least seventy-five percent (75%) of the Mortgagees holding Mortgages on Lots located within the Development then subject to the full application of the Declaration have given their prior written approval, the Association shall not:
- (a) except as otherwise specifically provided herein, by act or omission seek to abandon, partition, subdivide, encumber, sell or transfer any real estate or improvements thereon which are owned, directly or indirectly, by the Association (the granting of easements for utilities or other purposes and the transfer of Boatslips pursuant to the terms of the Declaration shall not be deemed a transfer within the meaning of this clause);
- (b) except as otherwise specifically provided herein, change the method of determining the obligations, assessments, dues or other charges which may be levied against an Owner;
- (c) fail to maintain fire and extended coverage insurance on insurable improvements in any Common Areas in the Subdivision (with the exception of Public Roads) on a current replacement cost basis in an amount not less than 100% of the insurable value as set forth in Article 9; or
- (d) use the proceeds of any hazard insurance policy covering losses to any part of any Common Area for other than the repair, replacement or reconstruction of the damaged Common Areas or other common amenities.

Section 10.2. Additional Rights. Any Mortgagee shall have the following rights, to wit:

- (a) to be furnished at least one copy of the annual financial statement and report of the Association, such annual statement and report to be furnished within ninety (90) days following the end of each fiscal year;
- (b) to be given notice by the Association of the call of any meeting of the Association's membership, and to designate a representative to attend all such meetings;

- (c) to be given prompt written notice of default under the Declaration, the Bylaws or any rules and regulations promulgated by the Association by any Owner owning a Lot encumbered by a Mortgage held by the Mortgagee, such notice to be sent to the principal office of such Mortgagee or the place which it may designate in writing;
- (d) to be given prompt written notice of any casualty loss to the Common Areas, or loss by eminent domain or other taking of (i) the Common Areas or (ii) any Lot encumbered by a Mortgage held by the Mortgagee;
- (e) to be given prompt written notice of any lapse, cancellation or material modification of any insurance policy or fidelity bond maintained by the Association;
- (f) to be given prompt written notice of any eminent domain or condemnation proceeding affecting the Property; and
- (g) to be given prompt written notice of any action which requires the consent of all or any portion of the Mortgagees as specified herein.

Whenever any Mortgagee desires the provisions of this Section to be applicable to it, it shall serve or cause to be served written notice of such fact upon the Association by certified mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the Association and sent to its address stated herein, identifying the Lot or Lots upon which any such Mortgagee holds any Mortgage or identifying any Lot owned by it, together with sufficient pertinent facts to identify any Mortgage which may be held by it and which notice shall designate the place to which notices are to be given by the Association to such Mortgagee.

- <u>Section 10.3</u>. <u>Books and Records</u>. Any Mortgagee will have the right to examine the books and records of the Association during any reasonable business hours.
- Section 10.4. Payment of Taxes and Insurance Premiums. The Mortgagees may, jointly or singly, pay taxes or other charges which are in default and which may or have become a charge or lien against the Common Areas and may pay overdue premiums on hazard insurance policies or secure new hazard insurance coverage upon the lapse of a policy for property owned by the Association and the persons, firms or corporations making such payments shall be owed immediate reimbursement therefor from the Association.

CONDEMNATION

Section 11.1. Partial Taking Without Direct Effect on Lots. If part of the Property shall be taken or condemned by any authority having the power of eminent domain, such that no Lot is taken, all compensation and damages for and on account of the taking of the Common Areas, exclusive of compensation for consequential damages to certain affected Lots, shall be paid to the Board of Directors in trust for all Owners and their Mortgagees according to the loss or damages to their respective interests in such Common Areas; provided, however, that all compensation and damages for and on account of the taking of the Piers or Boatslips shall be held in trust for all applicable Owners of Boatslip Lots and their Mortgagees according to the loss or damages to their respective interests in such Piers and Boatslips. The Association, acting through the Board of Directors, shall have the right to act on behalf of the Owners with respect to the negotiation and litigation of the issues with respect to the taking and compensation affecting the Common Areas, without limitation on the right of the Owners to represent their own interests. Each Owner, by his acceptance of a deed to a Lot, hereby appoints the Association as his attorney-in-fact to negotiate, litigate or settle on his behalf all claims arising from the condemnation of the Common Areas. Such proceeds shall be used to restore the Common Areas with the excess, if any, to be retained by the Association and applied to future operating expenses by the Board of Directors, in its sole discretion. Nothing herein is to prevent Owners whose Lots are specifically affected by the taking or condemnation from joining in the condemnation proceedings and petitioning on their own behalf for consequential damages relating to loss of value of the affected Lots, or improvements, fixtures or personal property thereon, exclusive of damages relating to the Common Areas. In the event that the condemnation award does not allocate consequential damages to specific Owners, but by its terms includes an award for reduction in value of Lots without such allocation, the award shall be divided between affected Owners and the Association, as their interests may appear, by the Board of Directors in its sole discretion.

Section 11.2. Partial or Total Taking Directly Affecting Lots. If part or all of the Property shall be taken or condemned by any authority having the power of eminent domain, such that any Lot or a part thereof (including specific easements assigned to any Lot) is taken, the Association shall have the right to act on behalf of the Owners with respect to Common Area as provided in Section 11.1 and the proceeds shall be payable as outlined therein. The Owners directly affected by such taking shall represent and negotiate for themselves with respect to the damages affecting their respective Lots. All compensation and damages for and on account of the taking of any one or more of the Lots, or improvements, fixtures or personal property thereon, shall be paid to the Owners of the affected Lots and their Mortgagees, as their interests may appear. If all of the Property shall be taken such that the Association no longer has reason to exist and shall thereafter be dissolved and/or liquidated, all compensation and damages for and on account of the taking of the Common Areas shall be distributed with the other assets of the Association in accordance with the Articles of Incorporation.

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<u>Section 11.3</u>. <u>Notice to Mortgag</u>ees. A notice of any eminent domain or condemnation proceeding shall be sent to all Mortgagees who have served written notice upon the Association in accordance with Section 10.2 hereof.

ARTICLE 12

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 12.1. Enforcement. Declarant, being the developer of other subdivisions in the area of the Subdivision, wishes to maintain a high standard in the appearance and quality of the Subdivision. Though damages would be difficult to measure, the failure of the Owners or the Association to abide by the terms, covenants and restrictions contained in the Declaration would result in irreparable damage to Declarant and its reputation. Accordingly, Declarant, during the term of the Declaration as set forth in Section 12.4. as well as the Association or any Owner or Owners, shall have the right, but not the obligation, to enforce all restrictions, conditions, covenants, reservations, liens and charges now or hereafter imposed by the provisions of the Declaration by proceeding at law or in equity against any person or persons violating or attempting to violate any such restriction, condition, covenant, reservation, lien or charge, either to restrain violation thereof or to recover damages therefor. Each Owner and the Declarant shall have all appropriate remedies at law or in equity to enforce the provisions of the Declaration and the Bylaws and any duly authorized rules and regulations governing the Development against the Association.

In addition, the Association and the Owners hereby covenant and agree that they shall exercise their power of enforcement hereunder in order to maintain a first class subdivision in appearance and quality, and that they shall, upon the request of Declarant, enforce any restriction, condition, covenant or reservation contained in the Declaration deemed by Declarant, in its sole discretion, to have been violated, using all remedies available to them at law or in equity. Failure by Declarant, the Association or by any Owner to enforce any covenant or restriction herein contained shall in no event be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter. The Declarant hereby reserves the right and easement, but not the obligation, to go upon any portion of the Common Areas and Private Road Easements at any time in order to repair and maintain such Common Areas and Private Road Easements where needed, in Declarant's sole discretion, to bring such Common Areas and Private Road Easements within the standards required by Declarant. Should Declarant go upon the Common Areas and Private Road Easements to perform maintenance and/or repairs for such purpose, the Association hereby agrees to reimburse Declarant in full for the cost of such maintenance and/or repairs, upon receipt of a statement for such cost from Declarant, for maintenance and/or repair of the Common Areas, and the Private Road Lot Owners agree to reimburse Declarant in full for such maintenance and/or repairs of the Private Road Easements, upon receipt of a statement of such costs by Declarant.

<u>Section 12.2</u>. <u>Severability</u>. Invalidation of any one of these covenants or restrictions by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 12,3. Amendment. The covenants, conditions and restrictions of the Declaration may be amended at any time and from time to time by an agreement signed by Owners holding a majority of votes appurtenant to the Lots which are then subject to the Declaration; provided, however, that such amendment must be consented to by Declarant so long as Declarant is the Owner of any Lot in the Development or of any Additional Property. It is further provided that any amendment affecting the Piers and Boatslips and any improvements located thereon must be approved by a vote of a majority of the votes appurtenant to the Boatslip Lots and must be consented to by Declarant so long as Declarant is the Owner of any Lot in the Development. Any such amendment shall not become effective until the instrument evidencing such change has been filed of record. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the consent of a majority of the Owners of Lots, plus the written consent of the Declarant shall be required to contract the land in the Development, to withdraw any portion of the Property from the requirements of the Declaration, or to restrict or revoke Declarant's right of enforcement as provided for in Section 12.1 of the Declaration.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, no such consent shall be required for any addition or amendment which Declarant is authorized to make under other Sections of the Declaration, including without limitation Section 2.2. Section 3.2(d) and Section 5.3.

Notwithstanding anything in this <u>Section 12.3</u> to the contrary, Declarant may, at Declarant's option, amend the Declaration without obtaining the consent or approval of any other person or entity if such amendment is necessary to cause the Declaration to comply with the requirements of FHA, VA, the Federal National Mortgage Association or other similar agency. Declarant, without obtaining the approval of any other person or entity, may also make amendments or modifications hereto which are correctional in nature only and do not involve a change which materially adversely affects the rights, duties or obligations specified herein.

Section 12.4. Term. The covenants and restrictions of the Declaration are to run with the land (unless otherwise specified herein) and shall be binding upon all parties and all persons claiming under them for a period of twenty-five (25) years from the date the Declaration is recorded; after which time said covenants and restrictions shall be automatically extended for successive periods of ten (10) years unless an instrument signed by a majority of the then Owners of the Lots, plus Declarant, has been recorded, agreeing to terminate said covenants and restrictions in whole or in part. Provided, however, that the residential use restrictions set forth in Article 8 of this Declaration shall run with the land and shall be binding upon all parties and all persons claiming under them in perpetuity.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Declarant has caused this instrument to be executed by its officers thereunto duly authorized and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, all the day and year first above written.

WITNESSES:

CRESCENT RESOURCES, INC.

a South Carotina Comporation

First Witness

President

By:

LODUL (OANTURED) ATTEST:

Secretary

[CORPORATE SEAL]

STATE OF North Carolina

COUNTY OF Mecklenburg

Personally appeared before me, <u>Leslie A. Lancaster</u> (First Witness), and made oath that he/she saw the within named Crescent Resources, Inc. by <u>Stephen H. Schreiner</u> its <u>Vice</u> President and <u>James M. Short Jr</u> its Secretary Sign, Seal, and as the Corporate Act and Deed, deliver the within written instrument; and that to/she with <u>Coleen D</u>. - <u>Girdwood</u> (Second Witness) witnessed the execution thereof and saw the corporate seal thereto affixed.

Sworn to before me this 29

day of August A.D. 199

Notary Public for North Carolina

My Commission Expires 6-19-1999

[SEAL]

SALLIE C. SMITH CLERK OF COURT

FOR WATERFORD ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA **SECRETARY OF STATE** JIM MILES NONPROFIT CORPORATION ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

1.	The name of the nonprofit corporation is Waterford Owners Association, Inc.

2.	The initial registered office of the nonprofit corporation is c/o ERA Central Real Estate, 51
	Mountain View Drive, Seneca, South Carolina 29678

The name of the registered agent of the nonprofit corporation at that office is Stephen M.

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3.	Check (a), (b), or (c) whichever is applicable. Check only one box.		
	a. [] The nonprofit corporation is a public benefit corporation.		
	b. [] The nonprofit corporation is a religious corporation.		
	c. [X] The nonprofit corporation is a mutual benefit corporation.		
4.	Check (a) or (b), whichever is applicable:		
	a. [X] This corporation will have members.		
	b. [] This corporation will not have members.		
5.	The address of the principal office of the nonprofit corporation is 400 North Tryon Stree		
	Suite 1300, Charlotte, Necklenburg County, North Carolina 28201-1003		

- If this nonprofit corporation is either a public benefit or religious corporation (box "a" or "b" of 13 is checked) and intends to operate within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, complete "a" and "b" below.

If this nonprofit corporation is a public benefit or religious corporation and does not intend to operate within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, complete "c" below.

a.	[] The purposes for which the corporation is organized are exclusively religious,
	charitable, scientific, literary, and educational within the meaning of Section
	501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of
	any future United States Internal Revenue law. Notwithstanding any other provision
	of these articles, this corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be
	carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section
	501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of
	any future United States Internal Revenue law.

b.	[] Upon dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more
	exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue
	Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be
	distributed to the federal government or to a state or local government for a public
	purpose. Any such asset not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the court of
	common pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then
	located exclusively for such purposes, or to such organization or organizations as
	said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such
	purposes.

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c.		Upon dissolution of the corporation consistent of the corporation shall be distributed to:	with law, the remaining assets
7.	(a) or	corporation It a mutual benefit corporation (box "c" of 1 (b), whichever is applicable, to describe how the [remain	
	will b	be distributed upon dissolution of the corporation.	
	a.	[X] Upon dissolution of the mutual benefit corporation holds itself out as benefiting or serving.	pers, to those persons to whom
	b.	[] Upon dissolution of the mutual benefit corporation consistent with law, shall be distributed to	
8.	incorp	optional provisions which the nonprofit corporation elect poration are as follows (See { 33-31-202(c) of the 19' cable comments thereto, and the instructions to this form):	
9.	The nai	me and address (with zip code) of each incorporator is as	follows (only one is required):
	Name	•	
	Kenn Natio 100 N	P. Evans, Esq. edy Covington Lobdell & Hickman, LLP onsBank Corporate Center, Suite 4200 North Tryon Street lotte, North Carolina 28203-4006	
10.		original director of the nonprofit corporation must sign tors are named in these articles:	n the articles but only if the Signature of director
	(only	if named in articles)	Signature of director
	(only	if named in articles)	
	(only	if named in articles)	Signature of director
11.	Each	incorporator must sign the articles.	
	Signa	ature of incorporator	
	Signa	ature of incorporator	
	Signa	ature of incorporator	

FILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Two copies of this form, the original and either a duplicate original or a conformed copy, must be filed.
- 2. If space in this form is insufficient, please attach additional sheets containing a reference to the appropriate paragraph in this form, or prepare this using a computer disk which will allow for expansion of space on the form.
- 3. This form must be accompanied by the Filing fee of \$25.00 payable to the Secretary of State.

Form Approved by South Carolina Secretary of State Jim Miles November 1994

EXHIBIT "B" TO DECLARATION FOR WATERFORD BYLAWS BYLAWS OF WATERFORD OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

ARTICLE 1

NAME AND LOCATION

- <u>Section 1.1</u>. <u>Name</u>. The name of the corporation is WATERFORD OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., hereinafter referred to as the "Association."
- <u>Section 1.2.</u> <u>Location</u>. The principal office of the Association shall be located in either Oconee County, South Carolina or Mecklenburg County, North Carolina. The registered office of the Association may be, but need not be, identical with the principal office.
- <u>Section 1.3.</u> <u>Purpose.</u> The purpose for which the Association is organized is to further social activities of Owners of Lots in Waterford Subdivision located in Oconee County and in connection therewith to provide services to such property owners, manage and maintain the Common Areas and administer and enforce all covenants and restrictions dealing with the Property located in Waterford and any other purposes allowed by law.

ARTICLE 2

DEFINITIONS

All capitalized terms when used in these Bylaws, or any amendment hereto (unless the context shall otherwise require or unless otherwise specified herein or therein) shall have the meanings set forth in that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Waterford executed by Crescent Resources, Inc., and duly recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County, South Carolina, as the same may be supplemented and amended from time to time (the "Declaration").

ARTICLE 3

MEETINGS OF MEMBERS

<u>Section 3.1.</u> <u>Annual Meetings</u>. The first annual meeting of the Members shall be held in May, 1998, or on such other date as determined by a vote of the Board of Directors, and each subsequent regular annual meeting of the Members shall be held in May each year thereafter. If

the day for the annual meeting of the Members is a legal holiday, the meeting will be held at the same hour on the first day following which is not a legal holiday.

- Section 3.2. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Members may be called at any time by the President or by the Board of Directors, or upon written request of the Members who are entitled to vote one-fourth (1/4) of all of the votes appurtenant to the Lots.
- Section 3.3. Meetings of Boatslip Lot Owners. Meetings of the Members owning Boatslip Lots may be called at any time by the President or by the Board of Directors, or upon written request of the Members who are entitled to vote one-fourth (1/4) of all of the votes appurtenant to the Boatslip Lots, for the purpose of discussing and voting on matters affecting the Piers and Boatslips. Such meetings may be held at the annual meeting of the Members or at a special meeting of the Members owning Boatslip Lots.
- <u>Section 3.4.</u> <u>Place of Meetings.</u> All meetings of the Members and the Members owning Boatslip Lots shall be held at such place, within Mecklenburg County, North Carolina or Oconee County, South Carolina, as shall be determined by the Board of Directors of the Association.
- Section 3.5. Notice of Meetings. Written notice of each meeting of the Members and Members owning Boatslip Lots shall be given by, or at the direction of, the Secretary or person authorized to call the meeting, by mailing a copy of such notice, postage prepaid, not less than thirty (30) days nor more than sixty (60) days before the date of such meeting to each Member entitled to vote thereat, addressed to each applicable Member's address last appearing on the books of the Association, or supplied by such Member to the Association for the purpose of notice. Such notice shall specify the place, day and hour of the meeting, and, in the case of a special meeting, the purpose of the meeting.
- <u>Section 3.6.</u> <u>Classes of Lots and Voting Rights</u>. The voting rights of the Membership shall be appurtenant to the ownership of Lots. There shall be two classes of Lots with respect to voting rights.
 - (a) <u>Class A Lots</u>. Class A Lots shall be all Lots except Class B Lots as defined below. Each Class A Lot shall entitle the Owner(s) of said Lot to one (1) vote for each Class A Lot owned. When more than one person owns an interest (other than a leasehold or security interest) in any Lot, all such persons shall be Members and the voting rights appurtenant to said Lot shall be exercised as they, among themselves, determine, but in no event shall more than one (1) vote be cast with respect to any Class A Lot.
 - (b) <u>Class B Lots</u>. Class B Lots shall be all Lots owned by Declarant which have not been conveyed to purchasers who are not affiliated with the Declarant. Declarant shall be entitled to four (4) votes for each Class B Lot owned by it.

- Section 3.7. Relinquishment of Control. The Class B membership shall cease and be converted to Class A membership on the happening of either of the following events, whichever occurs earlier:
 - (a) when the number of votes in the Class A membership held by Owners occupying full-time homes in the Subdivision equals the total number of votes outstanding in the Class B membership, and the Declarant surrenders its right to annex any Additional Property to the Property pursuant to these Bylaws; or
 - (b) upon the expiration of five (5) full years after the registration of the Declaration; or
 - (c) Declarant, in its sole discretion, elects to convert the Class B Lots to Class A Lots. Any such election, to be effective, must be in writing and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County, South Carolina.
- Section 3.8. Quorum. The presence at the meeting of Members entitled to cast, or of proxies entitled to cast, one third (1/3) of the votes appurtenant to the Lots (or to the Boatslip Lots, if a meeting of the Members owning Boatslip Lots) shall constitute a quorum for any action except as otherwise provided in the Articles of Incorporation, the Declaration, or these Bylaws. If, however, such quorum shall not be present or represented at any meeting, subsequent meetings may be called, subject to the same notice requirement, until the required quorum is present. No such subsequent meeting shall be held more than sixty (60) days following the preceding meeting.
- <u>Section 3.9.</u> <u>Proxies.</u> At all meetings of Members, each Member may vote in person or by proxy. All proxies shall be in writing and filed with the Secretary. Every proxy shall be revocable and shall automatically cease upon conveyance by the Member of his Lot.
- Section 3.10. Action by Members. Except as provided otherwise in the Articles of Incorporation, the Declaration or these Bylaws, any act or decision approved by a vote of no less than two-thirds (2/3) of all votes present at a duly held meeting of the Members at which a quorum is present shall be regarded as the act of the Members.
- Section 3.11. Action by Members Owning Boatslip Lots. Except as otherwise provided in the Articles of Incorporation, the Declaration or the Bylaws, any act or decision approved by a vote of no less than two-thirds (2/3) of all votes present at a duly held meeting of the Members owning Boatslip Lots at which a quorum is present shall be regarded as the act of such Members.

Section 3.12. Waiver of Notice. Any Member may, at any time, waive notice of any meeting of the Members or Members owning Boatslip Lots in writing and such waiver shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of such notice. Attendance by a Member at any meeting of the Members or Members owning Boatslip Lots shall constitute a waiver of notice by him of the time and place thereof except where a Member attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting was not lawfully called. If all the Members are present at any meeting of the Members, or if all the Members owning Boatslip Lots are present at a meeting of such Members, no notice shall be required and any business may be transacted at such meeting.

<u>Section 3.13.</u> <u>Informal Action by Members</u>. Any action which may be taken at a meeting of the Members or Members owning Boatslip Lots may be taken without a meeting if a consent in writing, setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by all of the persons who would be entitled to vote upon such action at a meeting and filed with the Secretary of the Association to be kept in the Association's minute book.

ARTICLE 4

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

<u>Section 4.1.</u> Number. The business and affairs of the Association shall be managed by a Board of three directors, who need not be Members of the Association. At the first annual meeting of the Members following relinquishment of Declarant control pursuant to <u>Section 3.7</u> of the Bylaws, a Board of three directors shall be elected as described in <u>Section 4.5</u>.

<u>Section 4.2</u>. <u>Initial Directors</u>. The initial directors shall be selected by the Declarant. Such initial directors shall serve at the election of the Declarant from the date upon which the Declaration is recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County until such time as their successors are duly elected and qualified.

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The names of the persons who shall serve on the initial Board of Directors from the date upon which the Declaration is recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County until such time as their successors are duly elected and qualified are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Stephen M. Schreiner	400 South Tryon Street, Suite 1300, Charlotte, N. C. 28201
Leslie A. Lancaster	400 South Tryon Street, Suite 1300 Charlotte, N. C. 28201
Steve Coleman	400 South Tryon Street, Suite 1300 Charlotte, N. C. 28201

Section 4.3. Nomination. Nomination for election to the Board of Directors shall be made from the floor at the first meeting of the Members. After the first election of directors, nomination for election to the Board of Directors shall be made by a Nominating Committee. Nominations may also be made from the floor at the annual meeting. The Nominating Committee shall consist of a Chairman, who shall be a member of the Board of Directors, and two or more Members of the Association. The Nominating Committee shall be appointed by the Board of Directors prior to each annual meeting of the Members, to serve from the close of such annual meeting until the close of the next annual meeting and such appointment shall be announced at each annual meeting. The Nominating Committee shall make as many nominations for election to the Board of Directors as it shall in its discretion determine, but not less than the number of vacancies that are to be filled.

<u>Section 4.4.</u> <u>Election.</u> Except as provided in <u>Section 4.6.</u> Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Members by written ballot. At such election, the Members or their proxies may cast, in respect to each vacancy, as many votes as they are entitled to exercise under the provisions of the Declaration. The persons receiving the largest number of votes shall be elected. Cumulative voting is not permitted.

Section 4.5. Term of Office. Each director shall hold office for the term for which he was elected, or until his death, resignation, retirement, removal, disqualification or until his successor is elected and qualified. At the first annual meeting of the Members following the relinquishment of Declarant control as set forth in Section 3.7 of the Bylaws, the Members shall elect one (1) Member of the Board of Directors for a term of three (3) years, who shall be the person receiving the largest number of votes, and one (1) Member of the Board of Directors for a term of two (2) years, who shall be the person receiving the second largest number of votes, and one (1) Member of the Board of Directors for a term of one (1) year, who shall be the person receiving the third largest number of votes. Following the first annual election after the

relinquishment of Declarant control, at all annual elections thereafter, a director shall be elected by the Members to succeed that director whose term then expires. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the election of a director to succeed himself.

- Section 4.6. Removal. Any director may be removed from the Board, with or without cause, by a majority vote of the Members of the Association. In the event of death, resignation or removal of a director, his successor shall be selected by the remaining members of the Board and shall serve for the unexpired term of his predecessor. The Members may elect a director at any time to fill any vacancy not filled by the directors.
- <u>Section 4.7</u>. <u>Compensation</u>. No director shall receive compensation for any service he may render to the Association. However, any director may be reimbursed for his actual expenses incurred in the performance of his duties.

ARTICLE 5

MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS

- Section 5.1. Regular Meetings. Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held on a regular basis as often as the Board sees fit, but no less often than annually, on such days and at such place and hour as may be fixed from time to time by resolution of the Board. Should said meeting fall upon a legal holiday, then that meeting shall be held at the same time on the next day which is not a legal holiday.
- <u>Section 5.2</u>. <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held when called by the President of the Association, or by any two directors, after not less than three (3) days notice to each director.
- Section 5.3. Quorum. A majority of the number of directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Every act or decision done or made by a majority of the directors present at a duly held meeting at which a quorum is present shall be regarded as the act of the Board.
- <u>Section 5.4.</u> <u>Informal Action by Directors.</u> Action taken by a majority of the directors without a meeting is nevertheless Board action if written consent to the action in question is signed by all of the directors and filed with the minutes of the proceedings of the Board, whether done before or after the action so taken.
- <u>Section 5.5.</u> <u>Section 5.5.</u> <u>Chairman.</u> A Chairman of the Board of Directors shall be elected by the directors and shall preside over all Board meetings until the President of the Association is elected. Thereafter, the President shall serve as Chairman. In the event there is a vacancy in the office of the Presidency, a Chairman shall be elected by the Board of Directors and serve until a new President is elected.

Section 5.6. Liability of the Board. The members of the Board of Directors shall not be liable to the Owners for any mistake of judgment, negligence, or otherwise except for their own individual willful misconduct or bad faith. The Owners shall indemnify and hold harmless each of the members of the Board against all contractual liability to others arising out of contracts made by the Board on behalf of the Association unless any such contract shall have been made in bad faith or contrary to the provisions of the Declaration or these Bylaws. It is intended that the members of the Board of Directors shall have no personal liability with respect to any contract made by them on behalf of the Association, except to the extent that they are Owner(s).

ARTICLE 6

POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

<u>Section 6.1</u>. <u>Powers</u>. The Board of Directors shall have power to:

- (a) adopt and publish rules and regulations governing the use of the Common Areas and facilities, including but not limited to the Amenity Area, the Street Lights, Entrance Monuments, Piers, Boatslips, Public Roads (prior to acceptance by a governmental agency), Cabana, Pool and Parking Area and the personal conduct of the Members and their guests thereon, and to establish penalties for the infraction thereof;
- (b) suspend the voting rights and right to use of the recreational facilities of a Member, including the rights to use the Amenity Area, Piers and Boatslips (and all improvements thereon) during any period in which such Member shall be in default in the payment of any assessment levied by the Association. Such rights may also be suspended after notice and hearing, for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days for infraction of published rules and regulations;
- (c) exercise for the Association all powers, duties and authority vested in or delegated to this Association and not reserved to the membership by other provisions of these Bylaws, the Articles of Incorporation or the Declaration;
- (d) declare the office of a member of the Board of Directors to be vacant in the event such member shall be absent from three (3) consecutive regular meetings of the Board of Directors;
- (e) employ a manager, an independent contractor, or such other employees as they deem necessary, and prescribe their duties;
 - (f) employ attorneys to represent the Association when deemed necessary;

- (g) grant easements for the installation and maintenance of sewer or water lines and other utilities or drainage facilities upon, over, under and across the Common Areas without the assent of the membership when such easements are requisite for the convenient use and enjoyment of the Property;
- (h) appoint and remove at pleasure all officers, agents and employees of the Association, prescribe their duties, fix their compensation and require of them such security or fidelity bond as it may deem expedient;
- (i) do anything necessary or desirable, including, but not limited to, establishing any rules or regulations which the Association deems necessary to carry out the purposes of the Association as set forth herein or as permitted by law;
- (j) enforce the provisions of the Declaration and any one or more Amendments or Supplementary Declarations and any rules or regulations made hereunder or thereunder and to enjoin and/or, at its discretion, seek damages or other relief for violation of such provisions or rules and/or by Special Individual Assessment against any Owner for violation of such provisions, rules or regulations pursuant to the provisions of the Declaration; and
 - (k) to levy assessments as more particularly set forth in the Declaration.

<u>Section 6.2.</u> <u>Duties.</u> It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to:

- (a) cause to be kept a complete record of all its acts and corporate affairs and to present a statement thereof to the Members at the annual meeting of the Members, or at any special meeting when such statement is requested in writing by Members entitled to at least one-third (1/3) of the votes appurtenant to the Lots;
- (b) supervise all officers, agents and employees of the Association, and to see that their duties are properly performed;
 - (c) as more fully provided in the Declaration:
 - (1) fix the amount of the Annual Assessment, Supplemental Assessment, Special Assessment, Special Individual Assessment, Annual Boatslip Assessment, Supplemental Boatslip Assessment and Special Boatslip Assessment;
 - (2) send written notice of each assessment to every Owner subject thereto before its due date; and
 - (3) foreclose the lien against any property for which assessments are not paid within thirty (30) days after due date or to bring an action at law against the owner personally obligated to pay the same;

- (d) issue, or to cause an appropriate officer to issue, upon demand by any person, a certificate setting forth whether or not any assessment has been paid, (A reasonable charge may be made by the Board for the issuance of these certificates. If a certificate states an assessment has been paid, such certificate shall be conclusive evidence of such payment.);
- (e) procure and maintain adequate liability insurance covering the Association and the directors and officers thereof and adequate hazard insurance on the property owned by the Association, and to divide appropriate portions of such related costs between the applicable assessments described in the Declaration;
- (f) cause all officers or employees having fiscal responsibilities to be bonded, as it may deem appropriate; and
- (g) cause the Common Areas to be maintained, and if damaged, to replace or repair such Common Areas (and any improvements located thereon) as they see fit.

OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

- <u>Section 7.1.</u> <u>Officers.</u> The officers of the Association shall be a President and Vice-President, who shall at all times be members of the Board of Directors, a Secretary, and a Treasurer, and such other officers as the Board may elect from time to time by resolution create.
- <u>Section 1.2</u>. <u>Election of Officers</u>. The election of officers shall take place at the first meeting of the Board of Directors following each annual meeting of the Members.
- <u>Section 7.3</u>. <u>Term.</u> Each officer of the Association shall be elected annually by the Board and each shall hold office for one (1) year or until his death, resignation, retirement, removal, disqualification, or his successor is elected and qualifies.
- <u>Section 7.4.</u> <u>Special Appointments.</u> The Board may elect such other officers as the affairs of the Association may require, each of whom shall hold office for such period, have such authority and perform such duties as the Board may, from time to time, determine.
- Section 7.5. Resignation and Removal. Any officer may be removed from office with or without cause by the Board. Any officer may resign at any time by giving written notice to the Board, the President or the Secretary. Such resignation shall take effect on the date of receipt of such notice or at any later time specified therein, and unless otherwise specified therein, the acceptance of such resignation shall not be necessary to make it effective.

- <u>Section 7.6.</u> <u>Vacancies.</u> A vacancy in any office may be filled by appointment by the Board. The officer appointed to such vacancy shall serve for the remainder of the term of the officer he replaces.
- <u>Section 7.7.</u> <u>Multiple Offices.</u> The offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be held by the same person. No person shall simultaneously hold more than one of any of the other offices except in the case of special offices created pursuant to <u>Section 7.4</u>.
- <u>Section 7.8.</u> <u>Compensation</u>. No officer shall receive any compensation from the Association for acting as such.
 - Section 7.9. Duties. The duties of the officers are as follows:

President

(a) The President shall be the principal executive officer of the Association, and subject to the control of the Board, shall supervise and control the management of the Association. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Directors; shall see that orders and resolutions of the Board are carried out; shall sign all leases, mortgages, deeds and other written instruments and shall co-sign all checks and promissory notes.

Vice-President

(b) The Vice-President shall act in the place and stead of the President in the event of his absence, inability or refusal to act, and shall exercise and discharge such other duties as may be required of him by the Board.

Secretary

(c) The Secretary shall record the votes and keep the minutes of all meetings and proceedings of the Board and of the Members, shall keep the corporate seal of the Association and affix it on all papers requiring said seal, shall serve notice of meetings of the Board and of the Members, shall keep appropriate current records showing the members of the Association together with their addresses, and shall perform such other duties as required by the Board.

Treasurer

(d) The Treasurer shall receive and deposit in appropriate bank accounts all monies of the Association and shall disburse such funds as directed by resolution of the Board of Directors, shall sign all checks and promissory notes of the Association, shall keep proper books of account, and shall prepare an annual budget and a statement of income and expenditures to be presented to the membership at its regular annual meeting, and deliver a copy of each to the Members.

COMMITTEES

The Association shall appoint a Nominating Committee, as provided in these Bylaws. In addition, the Board of Directors shall appoint other committees as deemed appropriate in carrying out its purpose.

ARTICLE 9

BOOKS AND RECORDS

The books, records and papers of the Association shall at all times, during reasonable business hours, be subject to inspection by any Member. The Declaration, the Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws of the Association shall be available for inspection by any member at the principal office of the Association, where copies may be purchased at reasonable cost.

ARTICLE 10

ASSESSMENTS

As more fully provided in the Declaration, each Member is obligated to pay to the Association the Annual Assessment, Supplemental Annual Assessment, Special Assessment and Special Individual Assessment, and each Owner of a Boatslip Lot is obligated to pay to the Association the Boatslip Assessment, Supplemental Boatslip Assessment and Special Boatslip Assessment, as defined in the Declaration. Any assessments (including but not limited to Special Individual Assessments) which are not paid when due shall be delinquent. If an assessment is not paid by its due date, as set forth in the Declaration, the assessment shall bear interest from such due date at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per annum or the highest rate then permitted by law, whichever is less, plus such late charge as may be established by the Board, and the Association may bring an action at law against the Member personally obligated to pay the same. The late charges, costs of collection and reasonable attorneys' fees related to any such action shall be added to the amount of such assessment, all in accordance with the provisions of the Declaration. No Member may waive or otherwise escape liability for the assessments provided for herein by non-use of the Property.

ARTICLE 11

CORPORATE SEAL

The Association shall have a seal in circular form having within its circumference the words WATERFORD OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. -1997- S.C.

AMENDMENTS

Section 12.1. These Bylaws may be amended, at a regular or special meeting of the Members, by a vote of at least two-thirds (2/3) of all votes present at a duly held meeting of the Members at which a quorum is present in person or by proxy, except that the Federal Housing Administration or the Veterans Administration shall have the right to veto amendments while there is a Class B membership.

Notwithstanding anything in this <u>Section 12.1</u> to the contrary, the Class B Member may at its option amend these Bylaws without obtaining the consent or approval of any other person or entity if such amendment is necessary to cause these Bylaws to comply with the requirements of the FHA, VA, Federal National Mortgage Association or similar agency.

<u>Section 12.2.</u> In the case of any conflict between the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws, the Articles shall control; and in the case of any conflict between the Declaration and these Bylaws, the Declaration shall control.

ARTICLE 13

MISCELLANEOUS

The fiscal year of the Association shall be the calendar year and shall begin on the first (1st) day of January and end on the thirty first (31st) day of December of every year, except that the first fiscal year shall begin on the date of incorporation.

INDEMNIFICATION OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

The Association shall indemnify any director or officer or former director or officer of the Association or any person who may have served at the request of the Association as a director or officer of another corporation, whether for profit or not for profit, against expenses (including attorneys' fees) or liabilities actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection with the defense of or as a consequence of any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding (whether civil or criminal) in which he is made a party or was (or is threatened to be made) a party by reason of being or having been such director or officer, except in relation to matters as to which he shall be adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding to be liable for gross negligence or willful misconduct in the performance of a duty.

The indemnification provided herein shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those indemnified may be entitled under any statute, bylaw, agreement, vote of Members or disinterested directors or otherwise, both as to action in his official capacity and as to action in another capacity while holding such office, and shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee or agent and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of such a person.

The Association may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Association, or is or was serving at the request of the Association as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against any liability asserted against him and incurred by him in such capacity, or arising out of his status as such, whether or not the Association would have the power to indemnify him against such liability.

The Association's indemnity 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 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, shall be reduced by any amounts such person may collect as indemnification (i) under any policy of insurance purchased and maintained on his behalf by the Association or (ii) from such other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise.

Nothing contained in this <u>Article 14</u>. or elsewhere in these Bylaws, shall operate to indemnify any director or officer if such indemnification is for any reason contrary to any applicable State or Federal law.

EXHIBIT C

TO DECLARATION FOR

EROSION CONTROL (Page 1 of 4)

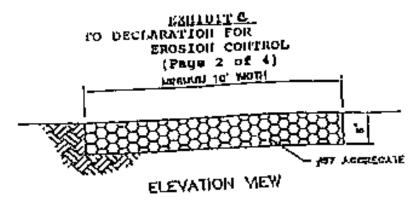
Each owner and Approved Builder shall, be responsible for causing the following minimum erosion control practices to be implemented and maintained throughout the course of all earth disturbing operations until the time of final seeding:

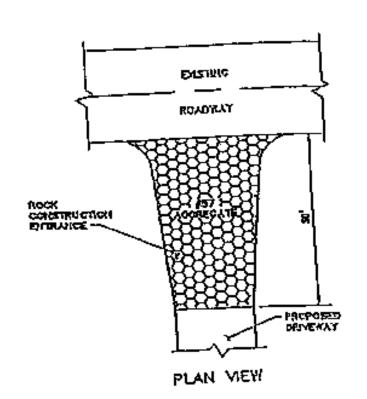
a. Roadway and Homesite Construction Entrance

Prior to the start of any earth-disturbing operation, stone construction entrance shall be installed on the building site (the "Construction Entrance"). The Construction Entrance shall (i) if possible, be installed in the same location as the proposed driveway so as to minimize the amount of disturbed area; (ii extend a minimum of 50 feet from an existing roadway; and (iii) b installed, preserved and replaced, if necessary, in accordance wit the standards more particularly set forth on page 2 of this Exhibit

b. Silt Control Devices

Prior to the start of any earth-disturbing operation, diversion ditch and rock check dam shall be constructed and maintained on the building site (collectively "Silt Control Devices"). The Silt Control Devices shall be located at the boundary of the estimated disturbed area as set forth more particularly on page 3 of this <u>Exhibit</u> and shall be constructed preserved and replaced, if necessary, in accordance with the standards set forth on page 4 of this <u>Exhibit</u>.



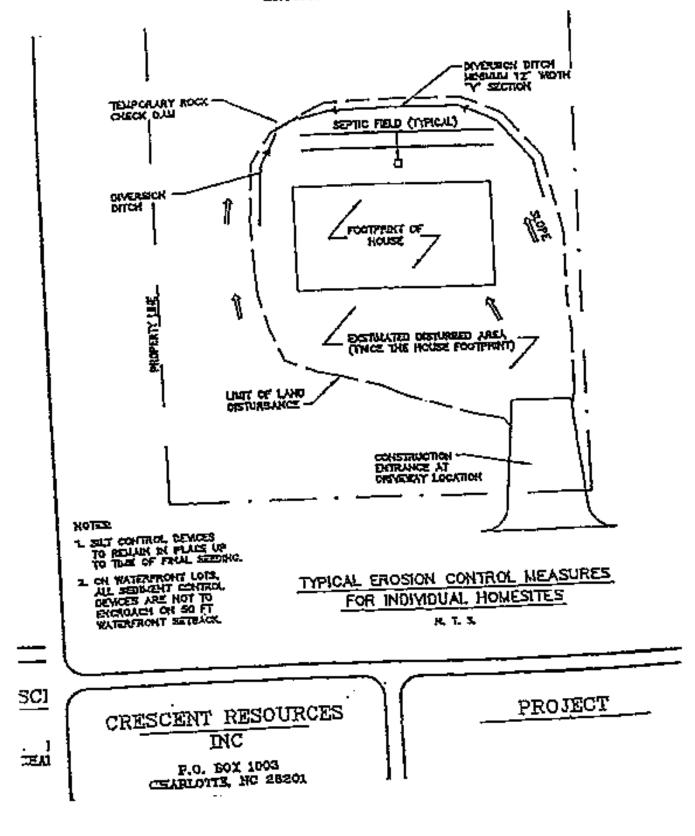


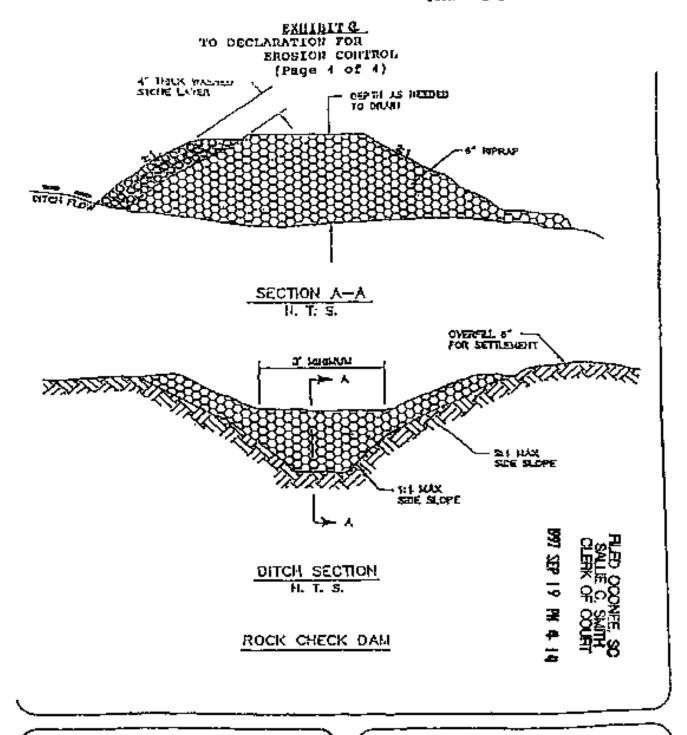
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EXHIBIT "C" TO DECLARATION FOR WATERFORD EROSION CONTROL PRACTICES





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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF OCONEE

AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS - WATERFORD SUBDIVISION

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THIS AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS - WATERFORD SUBDIVISION ("Amendment") is made this <u>31</u> day of <u>December</u>, 1997, by CRESCENT RESOURCES, INC., a South Carolina corporation ("Declarant").

Declarant is the Declarant under that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions - Waterford Subdivision dated September 19, 1997 and recorded in Book 936, Page 0002, of the Oconee County Clerk of Court (the "Declaration"). (Terms spelled with initial capital letters in this Amendment shall have the meanings given to them in the Declaration.)

The property subject to and affected by the Declaration is more particularly described in the Declaration and shown on the certain map of Waterford Subdivision recorded in Map Book A519, Page 3-B, of the Oconee County Clerk of Court.

Section 12.3 of the Declaration provides that the Declaration may be amended from time to time by an agreement signed by a majority of the Owners whose Lots are then subject thereto. Declarant is the Owner of a majority of the Lots which are, as of the date hereof, subject to the Declaration.

Declarant wishes to amend the Declaration to revise certain provisions thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Declarant does hereby amend the Declaration as follows:

1. Section 8.20 of the Declaration is hereby amended to add the following phrase after the phrase "any waterfront Lot Owners' docks or piers":

"(unless otherwise approved in writing by Declarant)"

2. Except as expressly amended hereby, the Declaration shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

DRAWN BY AND MAIL TO:

Barbara A. Sherman, Esq. Kennedy, Covington, Lobdell & Hickman, L.L.P. First Union Center 113 East Main Street Post Office Box 11429 Rock Hill, South Carolina 29731-1429

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Declarant has caused this Amendment to be executed by its officers thereunto duly authorized and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, all the day, month and year first above written.

ATTEST:	CRESCENT RESOURCES, INC. a
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	Witness Vivian N. Meber
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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF Mecklenburg

This 31 day of <u>December</u>, 1997, before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally came, who, being duly sworn, says that he is <u>Vice</u> President of CRESCENT RESOURCES, INC., a South Carolina corporation, and that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument in writing is the corporate seal of the corporation, and that he signed and sealed said instrument on behalf of said corporation by its authority duly given. And the said asst. Secretary acknowledged said instrument to be the act and deed of said corporation.

WITNESS my hand and notarial seal the day and year first above written.

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CORRECTIVE AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION

OF

COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

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WATERFORD

THIS CORRECTIVE AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS -WATERFORD (this "Corrective Amendment") Is made and entered Into this 29th day of September , 1997 by CRESCENT RESOURCES, INC., a South Carolina corporation ("Declarant").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, by that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions - Waterford, dated September 19, 1997 and recorded in Book 936 at Page 1 in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County (as amended and supplemented from time to time, the "Declaration"), Declarant subjected certain real property located in Oconee County, South Carolina, to the protective covenants, conditions and restrictions set forth in the Declaration;

WHEREAS, all defined terms used in this Corrective Amendment, as indicated by the initial capitalization thereof, shall, unless otherwise specifically defined herein, be deemed to have the same meaning as assigned to such terms in the Declaration;

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 12.3 of the Declaration, Declarant desires to amend certain terms and provisions of the Declaration, as more specifically provided below.

DRAWN BY AND MAIL TO:
Kennedy Covington Lobdell & Hickman. L.L.P. (BAS)
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NOW, THEREFORE, Declarant hereby further supplements and amends the Declaration as follows:

<u>Article 1, Section 1.25</u> of the Declaration is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following language:

"Private Road Easements" shall mean and refer to the non-exclusive, perpetual easements fifteen (15) feet to thirty (30) feet in width identified on the Map as "Private Road Easement", which have been established over portions of Lots 11, 12, 13, 23-28,45,52-64 and 84-103 in the Subdivision for the benefit of the Owners of Lots 11, 12,13,23-28,45,52-64 and 84-103 (the "Private Road Lots"), their heirs, successors and assigns, for access, ingress and egress to and from the Private Road Lots. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Owners of Lots fronting both a Private Road and a Public Road shall have the option to use the Public Road exclusively, in which case the Owner shall not be considered a Private Road Lot Owner for purposes of this Declaration, and shall not be responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of such Private Road The Private Road Easements are also reserved unto the Declarant and the Association, their successors and assigns, for access, ingress and egress to the Private Road Lots, for the installation of the Private Roads, and for the installation and maintenance of any utilities and drainage facilities.

Except as expressly supplemented and amended herein, the Declaration shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Declarant has caused this Corrective Amendment to be executed by its officers thereunto duly authorized and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, all the day and year first above written.

[CORPORATE SEAL]

ATTEST:

Secretary

CRESCENT RESOURCES, INC., a South Carolina corporation

President

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF OCONEE

AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION OF COVENANTS CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS WATERFORD

THIS AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION OF COVENANTS CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS - WATERFORD (the "Amendment") is made and entered into as of this 16th day of September, 2002 by CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC, a Georgia limited liability company (the "Declarant").

WHEREAS, Declarant is the Declarant under that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions - Waterford dated September 19, 1997, and recorded in Book 936, Page 01 in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County, as modified by Corrective Amendment to Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions - Waterford, dated September 29, 1997, and recorded in Book 938, Page 036 in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County (as amended, the "Declaration") (all capitalized terms not otherwise defined in this Amendment shall have the same meaning as in the Declaration);

WHEREAS, Section 12.3 of the Declaration provides that the Declaration may be amended at any time by an agreement signed by Owners holding a majority of votes appurtenant to the Lots which are then subject to the Declaration; and

WHEREAS, Declarant currently holds a majority of votes appurtenant to the Lots which are currently subject to the Declaration; and

WHEREAS, the Declarant desires to amend and clarify certain provisions of the Declaration, as set forth below.

NOW, THEREFORE, Declarant, in consideration of the foregoing recitals, does hereby declare as follows:

- 1. Defined Terms. All capitalized terms used herein, unless otherwise defined herein, shall have the meanings set forth in the Declaration.
- 2. Relinquishment of Control. Section 4.3(V) of the Declaration is hereby deleted in its entirety and is restated as follows:
 - (b) on September 19, 2003; or
- 3. Effect of Amendment. The Declaration is hereby modified to the extent set forth herein, but only to the extent set forth herein. All provisions of the Declaration not modified by this Amendment remain in full force and effect in accordance with their original terms as set forth in the Declaration.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Declarant has caused this Amendment to be executed as of the day and year first above written.

WITNESSES:

CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC,

a Georgia limited liability company

By:

President

NORTH CAROLINA, Mecklenburg COUNTY

I, <u>Kay H. Arnette</u> a Notary Public of the County and State aforesaid, certify that Stephen M. Schreiner personally came before me this day and acknowledged that s/he is Sr.Vice President of CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC, a Georgia limited liability company, and that by authority duly given and as the act of the limited liability company, he/she, as Sr.Vice President, executed the foregoing instrument on behalf of the company

Witness my hand and official seal, this 16th day of September 2002.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 06-28-04

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA) AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION
OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND
COUNTY OF OCONEE) RESTRICTIONS FOR WATERFORD

WHEREAS, Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions for Waterford were recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County on September 19, 1997 in Deed Book 936, at page 1, records of Oconee County, South Carolina.

WHEREAS, Article 1, Section 1.15 the definition of "map" is in part "...any revisions of such map or maps recorded in the office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County."; and

WHEREAS, Waterford Subdivision consists of eighty four (84) lots of which eighteen (18) are owned by Crescent Resources, LLC (f/k/a) Crescent Resources, Inc.); and

WHEREAS, Article 12, Section 12.3 states that the Covenants and Restrictions may be amended by an agreement signed by the owners holding a majority of the votes appurtenant to the lots, which are subject to the Declaration and that such Amendment must be consented to by the Declarant; and

WHEREAS, under Article 4, Section 4.2(b), Crescent Resources, LLC (f/k/a Crescent Resources, Inc.) has seventy two (72) votes; and

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WHEREAS, the owner of Lot 49, Ronald G. Leppig, has requested an amendment covering the front setback requirement of Lot 49, Waterford only as follows:

Article VIII, Section 8.5, Lot 49, Waterford, only, be amended by whereby the front setback shall be 30 feet rather than the 50 feet front setback as stated on the Map and specified in this Section.

NOW, THEREFORE, Know All Men By These Presents that we, the undersigned, being the majority of the owners of Lots of Waterford do hereby agree and consent to and by these presents amend the Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Waterford as follows:

Article VIII, Section 8.5, Lot 49, Waterford, only, shall be amended by whereby the front setback shall be 30 feet rather than the 50 feet front setback as stated on the Map and specified in this Section.

All other terms of said Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 23 day of April, 2002.

WITNESSES .

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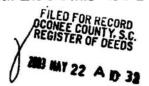
Owner of Lot

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STATE OF SOUTH

CAROLINA COUNTY OF OCONEE



SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

WATERFORD SUBDIVISION

THIS SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS - WATERFORD (this "Supplemental Declaration") is made and entered into this <u>10th</u> day of <u>March</u>, 2003, by CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC, a Georgia limited liability company ("Declarant").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, by that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions -Waterford (the "Declaration") recorded in Book 936 at Page 1 in the Office of me Clerk of Court of Oconee County, Declarant subjected certain real property located in Oconee County, South Carolina, to the Declaration;

WHEREAS, by that certain Corrective Amendment to Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Waterford recorded in Book 938 at Page 36 in the Office of the Clerk of Court of Oconee County, South Carolina, Declarant amended certain terms of the Declaration;

WHEREAS, by that certain Amendment to Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Waterford recorded in Book 1240 at Page 34S in the Office of the Clerk of Court of Oconee County, South Carolina, Declarant amended certain terms of the Declaration;

WHEREAS, in accordance with Article 2. Section 22(a) of the Declaration. Declarant may cause Additional Property to be made subject to the terms and scheme of the Declaration by filing a supplemental declaration in the Office of the Oconee County Clerk of Court; and

WHEREAS, Article 2. Section 2.2(b) of the Declaration provides that any supplemental declaration may contain complementary additions to the covenants and restrictions as may be necessary in the judgment of the Declarant to reflect the different character of the Additional Property;

WHEREAS, Declarant desires to supplement the Declaration to cause that portion of the Additional Property described on the map of Waterford - Phase II recorded in Plat Book A941 at Page 940 of the Oconee County Public Registry (the "Phase II Property Map") (such portion of the Additional Property being hereinafter referred to as the "Phase II Property"), to be made subject to the terms and scheme of the Declaration;

WHEREAS, Declarant pursuant to Article 12. Section 12,3 of the Declaration, has the right to amend the Declaration; and

NOW, THEREFORE, Declarant, by this Supplemental Declaration, does declare that all of the Phase II Property as shown on the Phase II Property Map described herein, are and shall be held, transferred, sold, conveyed and occupied subject to the Declaration and the covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, charges and liens set forth therein and in this Supplemental Declaration, all of

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which shall run with the title to the Phase II Property, and be binding upon all parties owning any right, title or interest in and to the Phase II Property, or any part thereof, their heirs, successors and assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of each owner thereof, subject to the following additional terms and conditions:

ARTICLE 1 DEFINITIONS

The following definitions in Article I of the Declaration are hereby supplemented and/or amended as follows:

- <u>Section 1</u>. "Boatslip Lots" shall include Lots 66 through 78 as shown on the Phase II Property Map.
- <u>Section. 2</u>. "Common Area(s)" shall include any and all property specifically shown and designated on the Phase II Property Map as "COS."
- <u>Section 3</u>. "Entrance Monument" shall include the easement area (designed as "Sign Easement" on the Phase II Properly Map) over a portion of Lot 78 as shown on the Phase II Property Map.
- Section. 4. "Lot" or "Lots" includes the numbered parcels depicted on the Phase II Property Map as Lots 66 through 78 (Note: Lot 66 was shown on the map previously recorded in Map Book A519 at Page 3-B in the records of the Oconee County Clerk of Court. Lot 66 has been reconfigured as shown on the Phase II Property Map).
- <u>Section 5.</u> "Map" shall include the Phase II Property Map recorded in Book <u>A941</u>, Page <u>940</u>, of the Oconee County Clerk of Court. Section 6. "Property" shall include the Phase II Property.

ARTICLE 2

ANNUAL ASSESSMENTS AND BOATSLIP ASSESSMENTS

<u>Article 5, Section 5.3</u> and <u>Article 6. Section 6.3</u> of the Declaration which provide me initial due dates for the Annual Assessments and Boatslip Assessments, are hereby supplemented as follows:

The initial Annual Assessment and annual Boatslip Assessment shall commence as to each Lot located within the Phase II Property on Jury 1, 2003. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Boatslip Assessments shall not commence as to any Boatslip Lot located within the Phase II Property until Declarant has completed the Boatslip to be leased to the Owner of such Boatslip Lot, but not prior to Jury 1,2003.

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ARTICLE 3

GENERAL TERMS

All capitalized terms not otherwise defined in this Supplemental Declaration shall have the same meaning as in the Declaration. All covenants, conditions, restrictions, and easements established by and contained in the Declaration shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect, as hereby amended and modified.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Declarant has executed this Supplemental Declaration and Amendment the day and year first above written.

CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC, a Georgia limited liability company

By: Senier Vice - President

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF MECKLENBURG

I, <u>Kay H. Arnette</u>, a Notary public County and State aforesaid, certify that <u>H. Thomas Webb III</u> personally came before me this day and acknowledged mat s/he is Sr. Vice President of CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC, a Georgia limited liability company, and that he/she, as Sr. Vice President, being authorized to do so, executed the foregoing instrument on behalf of the limited liability company.

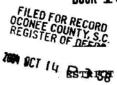
Witness my hand and official seal, this 10th day of March, 2003.

Notary Public

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA) AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION
OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND
COUNTY OF OCONEE) RESTRICTIONS FOR WATERFORD

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WHEREAS, Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions for Waterford were recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County on September 19, 1997 in Deed Book 936, at page 1, records of Oconee County, South Carolina and Amendments thereto; and

WHEREAS, Article 12, Section 12.3 provides the declaration may be amended by a majority of the owners whose lots are then subject thereto; and

WHEREAS, Waterford Subdivision consists of ninety eight (98) lots; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned owners hold the majority of the votes subsequent to the restrictive covenants as hereinabove cited; and

WHEREAS, the majority of the owners feel these amendments are in the best interest of the subdivision.

NOW, THEREFORE, Know All Men By These Presents that we, the undersigned, being the majority of the owners of Lots of Waterford do hereby agree and consent to and by these presents amend the Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Waterford as follows:

Article 1, Section 1.2, Section 1.10, Article 3, Article 4, Section 4.12, Article 5, Section 5.2 and 5.5 are amended to

include the Tennis Court as part of the Amenity Area and Common Area.

- Article 1. Section 1.29. "Street Lights" be amended to include the special street light at the corner of State Route 130 and Katelyn Lane for which the Duke Power contract cost will be shared on a 1/3 Waterford and 2/3 Waterford Pointe Community basis.
- Article 4. Section 4.5 Term of Office shall be amended as follows: The Owners shall elect five (5) members to the Board of Directors. The Board will then select one to be the President and one as Vice President to serve concurrent one-year terms. The Board shall consist of staggered terms of one, two and three years. Annual elections by the Owners shall take place to replace those Board Members whose terms have expired.
- Article 8, Section 8.1 shall be amended by adding the following: No Lot and no Improvements may be used for hotel or other transient residential purposes. Each lease relating to any Lot or any Improvements thereon (or any part of either thereto) must be for a term of at least six (6) months, must be in writing, and must provide that the tenant is obligated to observe and perform all of the terms and provisions hereof applicable to such Lot and/or Improvements.
- Article 8, Section 8.25, Maintenance of the Private Roads is amended as follows: "Private Road Lot Owner" for the purposes of this Section shall be defined as each group of Lot Owners (Article 1, Section 1.25) on a Private Road and not the Private Roads in Waterford as a whole. Thus, there would be the "Clearlake Pointe" Private Road Lot Owners, the "Stoneridge Court" Private Road Lot Owners, etc.
- Article 1. Section 1.2 and Article 3, Section 3.4 Delete reference in these sections to Mecklenburg, North Carolina.
- Article 1. Section 1.3 is amended to read as follows: Purpose: The purpose for which the Association is organized is to provide services to property owners, manage and maintain the Common Areas, and administer and enforce all covenants and restrictions dealing with the Property located in Waterford. The Board of Directors may directly or indirectly through other neighborhood organizations, sponsor and provide direction and/or guidance for social activities and any other purposes allowed by law at its discretion.

All other terms of said Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this $8 \, \text{th}$ day of May, 2004.

WITNESSES:

Kingledy Mefrokin	Octor & Brazy
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witness \$2	Owner of Let _15, Waterford
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witness 22	Owner of Lot 19, Waterford
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COUNTY OF OCONEE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC, a Georgia limited liability company, (hereinafter called "Grantor") for and in consideration of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars to it in hand paid at or before the sealing of these presents by WATERFORD OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a South Carolina non-profit corporation (hereinafter called "Grantee," whether one or more persons or entities) with an address of Post Office Box 10, Newry, South Carolina 29665, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained, sold and released and by these presents does grant, bargain, sell and release unto die said Grantee, Grantee's successors and assigns forever, all of that certain real property situated in Oconee County, South Carolina, more particularly described as follows:

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BEING ALL OF THE COMMON AREAS IDENTIFIED AS "COS", ALL AMENITY AREAS, AND ALL RELATED IMPROVEMENTS LOCATED THEREON AS SHOWN ON THE PLATS OF WATERFORD, TOWNSHIP OF SENECA, OCONEE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA, BY CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK A519, AT PAGES 3-8 AND IN PLAT BOOK A941, AT PAGES 9-10, RECORDS OF OCONEE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA.

SUCH COMMON AREAS AS SHOWN AS CROSS HATCHED AREAS ON EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO AND INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE.

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DERIVATION: BEING A PORTION OF LAND CONVEYED TO SOUTH CAROLINA LAND & TIMBER CORPORATION FROM RUTH B. DILLARD AND RECORDED ON OCTOBER 27, 1964 IN DEED BOOK 9-L, AT PAGE 159 AND ALSO A PORTION OF LAND FROM RALPH PHILLIPS ET AL RECORDED ON NOVEMBER 30,1963 IN DEED BOOK 9-D, AT PAGE 308, RECORDS OF OCONEE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA.

TOGETHER WITH all and singular, the rights, members, hereditaments and appurtenances to the said Premises belonging or in any way incident or appertaining, including but not limited to all improvements of any nature located on the said Premises and all easements and rights-of-way appurtenant thereto.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, all and singular, the Premises before mentioned unto the said Grantee, Grantee's successors and assigns forever, except that this conveyance is made subject to the following easements, reservations, conditions and restrictions which shall run with the land and be binding upon Grantee, Grantee's successors and assigns. Nothing herein shall be held to impose any restriction on any land of Grantor not hereby conveyed:

i. All easements, restrictions, conditions and covenants of record, including, but not limited to those easements, conditions and covenants contained in that document entitled "Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions -Waterford," recorded in Book 936 at Page 1-63, together with amendments and supplements thereto, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Oconee County, and as has been and may hereafter be amended, re-stated, re-recorded, or supplemented, from time to time.

Grantee's Name and Address: Waterford Owners Association, Inc. Post Office Box 10 Newry, South Carolina 29665 Attn: Tom Almus

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- ii. By its acceptance and recordation of this Deed, Grantee acknowledges for itself and its successors and assigns as follows: Duke Energy Corporation has certain privileges and easements affecting the Premises hereby conveyed, which include the right, privilege and easement of backing, ponding, raising, flooding or diverting the waters of Lake Keowee and its tributaries upon and over the Premises, as more specifically described in instruments recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County.
- Duke Energy Corporation controls access to, use of and water levels in Lake Keowee. Grantee must receive a permit from Duke Energy Corporation (or a successor manager of Lake Keowee under authority from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission) prior to placing or constructing any pier, structure or other improvement within or upon, or conducting any activity altering the topography of, the hydroelectric project surrounding and encompassing the waters of Lake Keowee. Grantor makes no oral, express or implied representation or commitment as to the likelihood of Grantee obtaining such a permit, nor as to the continued existence, purity, depth or levels of water in Lake Keowee, and Grantor shall have no liability with respect to these matters. Construction of any such improvements is also subject to the recorded restrictions and easements affecting the Premises hereby conveyed.
- iv. Sewer, water, electric, gas, telephone, drainage, cable television and other easements and matters shown on the recorded plats) of the Property or as otherwise would be disclosed by a current, accurate physical survey of the Property.
- v. Matters of zoning and the line of the 2005 ad valorem taxes,
- vi. The easement reserved in favor of Grantor as described below.

And Grantor hereby binds Grantor, and Grantor's successors and assigns to warrant and defend all and singular the said Premises unto the said Grantee, and Grantee's heirs, successors and assigns, against the Grantor and Grantor's successors and assigns, and Grantor does further covenant that Grantor has not done or suffered anything whereby the said Premises have been encumbered in any way whatsoever by the said Grantor.

Grantor does hereby reserve the right and easement of ingress, egress, and regress over and across such Premises to provide access to any unleased "Boatslips" (as defined in the Declaration) and to provide any necessary access to any adjoining property owned by Grantor or any affiliate of Grantor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC has caused this instrument to be executed and delivered by and through its duly authorized officers on this 25^-day of January, 2005.

WITNESSES:

CRESCENT RESOURCES, LLC

Kevin H. Lambert, its Vice-President

Second Witness

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COUNTY OF MECKLENBURG

PERSONALLY APPEARED before me the above named witness who made oath that s/he saw the within named Grantor sign, seal, by and through Kevin H. Lambert, its Vice-President, as and for the act and deed of the Grantor, deliver the within written Title to Real Estate, and that s/he with the other witness who signed above witnessed the execution thereof.

Sworn to before me this 25th day of <u>January</u>, 2005.

[Seal]

Notary Public for North Carolina
My commission expires: 06-28-09

First Witness

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