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**DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS,  
RESTRICTIONS AND EASEMENTS OF  
THE VILLAS OF WHISPERING RIDGE WEST**

(Lots 1 through 17, inclusive, Lots 22 through 27, inclusive,  
and Outlots "B" and "C", Whispering Ridge West;  
Lots 1 through 4, inclusive, Whispering Ridge West Replat One; and  
Lots 1 through 5, inclusive, and Outlot "A", Whispering Ridge West Replat Three)

THIS DECLARATION, made on the date hereinafter set forth, is made by WOODLAND HOMES, INC., a Nebraska corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "Declarant".

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

Declarant is the owner of certain real property located within Douglas County, Nebraska and described as follows:

Lots 1 through 17, inclusive, Lots 22 through 27, inclusive, and Outlots "B" and "C", Whispering Ridge West; Lots 1 through 4, inclusive, Whispering Ridge West Replat One; and Lots 1 through 5, inclusive, and Outlot "A", Whispering Ridge West Replat Three, subdivisions, as surveyed, platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska.

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Such lots are herein referred to collectively as the "Lots" and individually as each "Lot".

The Declarant desires to provide for the preservation of the values and amenities of The Villas of Whispering Ridge West, for the maintenance of the character and residential integrity of The Villas of Whispering Ridge West, and for the acquisition, construction and maintenance of Common Facilities for the use and enjoyment of the residents of The Villas of Whispering Ridge West.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Declarant hereby declares that each and all of the Lots shall be held, sold and conveyed subject to the following restrictions, covenants, conditions and easements, all of which are for the purpose of enhancing and protecting the value, desirability and attractiveness of the Lots, and the enjoyment of the residents of the Lots. These restrictions, covenants, conditions and easements shall run with such Lots and shall be binding upon all parties having or acquiring any right, title or interest in each Lot, or any part thereof, as is more fully described herein. The Lots, and each Lot is and shall be subject to all and each of the following conditions and other terms:

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ARTICLE I.  
RESTRICTIONS AND COVENANTS

1. Each Lot shall be used exclusively for single-family detached and attached residential purposes, except for such Lots or parts thereof as may hereafter be conveyed or dedicated by Declarant, or its successors or assigns, for use in connection with a Common Facility, or as a church, school, park, outlot, or for other non-profit use.

2. No residence, building, fence (other than fences constructed by the Declarant), wall, pathway, driveway, patio, patio cover enclosure, deck, rock garden, swimming pool, dog house, pool house, tennis court, flag pole, satellite receiving station or "discs", solar heating or cooling device, or other external improvement, above or below the ground (herein all referred to as any "Improvement") shall be constructed, erected, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot, nor shall any grading, excavation or tree removal for any Improvement be commenced, except for Improvements which have been approved by Declarant as follows:

A. An owner desiring to erect an Improvement shall deliver two (2) sets of construction plans, landscaping plans and plot plans to Declarant (herein collectively referred to as the "plans"). Such plans shall include a description type, quality, color (including any color change) and use of materials proposed for the exterior of such Improvement. Concurrent with submission of the plans, Owner shall notify the Declarant of the Owner's mailing address.

B. Declarant shall review such plans in relation to the type and exterior of improvements constructed, or approved for construction, on neighboring Lots and in the surrounding area, and any general scheme or plans formulated by Declarant. In this regard, Declarant intends that the Lots shall form a residential community with homes constructed of high quality materials. The decision to approve or refuse approval of a proposed Improvement shall be exercised by Declarant to promote development of the Lots and to protect the values, character and residential quality of all Lots. If Declarant determines that the proposed Improvement will not protect and enhance the integrity and character of all the Lots and neighboring Lots as a quality residential community, Declarant may refuse approval of the proposed Improvement.

C. Written Notice of any approval of a proposed Improvement shall be mailed, emailed or faxed to the owner at the address, email address or fax number specified by the owner upon submission of the plans. Such notice shall be mailed, emailed or faxed, if at all, within thirty (30) days after the date of submission of the plans. If notice of approval is not mailed, emailed or faxed within such period, the proposed Improvement shall be deemed disapproved by Declarant.

D. No Lot owner, or combination of Lot owners, or other person or persons shall have any right to any action by Declarant, or to control, direct or influence the acts of the Declarant with respect to any proposed Improvement. No responsibility, liability or obligation shall be assumed by or imposed upon Declarant by virtue of the authority granted to Declarant in this Section, or as a result of any act or failure to act by Declarant with respect to any proposed Improvement.

3. No single-family residence shall be created, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than one detached single-family dwelling which does not exceed two and one-half stories in height. No structure, building or porch shall be constructed, erected, installed or situated within twenty-five (25) feet of the front yard line, except as set forth herein. All Improvements on the Lots shall comply with all other set back requirements of the Zoning Code of the Municipal Code of the City of Omaha, Nebraska.

4. The exposed front foundation walls and any foundation walls facing any street of all main residential structures must be constructed of or faced with clay-fired brick or stone or other material approved by Declarant. All exposed side and rear concrete or concrete block foundation walls not facing a street must be covered with clay-fired brick, stone, siding or shall be painted. All driveways must be constructed of concrete, brick, paving stone, or laid stone. All foundations shall be constructed of concrete, concrete blocks, brick or stone. Fireplace chimneys shall be covered with wood or other material approved in writing by Declarant. Unless other materials are specifically approved by Declarant, the roof of all Improvements shall be covered with weatherwood heritage shingles.

5. No streamers, posters, banners, balloons, exterior illumination or other rallying devices will be allowed on any Lot in the promotion or sale of any Lot, residential structure or property unless approved in writing by the Declarant. No advertising signs, billboards, unsightly objects or nuisances shall be erected, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot except one sign per Lot consisting of not more than six (6) square feet advertising a Lot as "For Sale". No business activities of any kind whatsoever shall be conducted on any Lot including home occupations as defined in the Zoning Code of the Municipal Code of the City of Omaha, Nebraska; nor shall the premises be used in any way for any purpose which may endanger the health or unreasonably disturb the owner or owners of any Lot or any resident thereof. Provided, however, the foregoing paragraph shall not apply to the business activities, signs and billboards or the construction and maintenance of buildings, if any, by Declarant, their agents or assigns, during the construction and sale of the Lots.

6. No obnoxious or offensive activity shall be carried on upon any Lot, nor shall anything be done thereon which may be, or may become, an annoyance or nuisance to the neighborhood, including, but not limited to, odors, dust, glare, sound, lighting, smoke, vibration and radiation. Exterior lighting installed on any Lot shall either be indirect or of such a controlled focus and intensity as not to disturb the residents of adjacent Lots. Any change in color and use of materials for the exterior of any Improvement subsequent to the Declarant's initial approval shall be submitted to the Declarant or its assigns for review in accordance with Article I, Section 2 hereof.

7. Exterior television or radio antenna of any sort shall not be permitted on any Lot, except a satellite receiving dish not exceeding twenty-four (24) inches in diameter and attached directly to the residence may be permitted provided that the location and size of the proposed satellite receiving dish be first approved by the Declarant, or its assigns. No tree houses, tool sheds, doll houses, windmills, or similar structures shall be permitted on any Lot.

8. No repair of any boats, automobiles, motorcycles, trucks, campers (trailers, van-type, auto-drawn or mounted), snowmobiles, recreational vehicles (RV), other self-propelled vehicles or similar vehicles requiring a continuous time period in excess of forty-eight (48) hours shall be permitted on any Lot at any time; nor shall vehicles offensive to the neighborhood be visibly stored, parked or abandoned on any Lot. No unused building material, junk or rubbish shall be left exposed on the Lot except during actual building operations, and then only in as neat and inconspicuous a manner as possible.

9. No boat, camper, trailer, auto-drawn or mounted trailer of any kind, mobile home, truck, aircraft, camper truck or similar chattel shall be maintained or stored on any part of a Lot (other than in an enclosed structure) for more than twenty (20) days within a calendar year. No motor vehicle may be parked or stored outside on any Lot, except vehicles driven on a regular basis by the occupants of the dwelling located on such Lot. No grading or excavating equipment, tractors or semitractors/trailers shall be stored, parked, kept or maintained in any yards, driveways or streets. However, this Section 9 shall not apply to trucks, tractors or commercial vehicles which are necessary for the construction of residential dwellings during the period of construction. All residential Lots shall provide at least the minimum number of off street parking areas or spaces for private passenger vehicles required by the applicable zoning ordinances of the City of Omaha, Nebraska.

10. No incinerator or trash burner shall be permitted on any Lot. No garbage or trash can or container or fuel tank shall be permitted unless completely screened from view, except for pickup purposes. No garden, lawn or maintenance equipment of any kind whatsoever shall be stored or permitted to remain outside of any dwelling or suitable storage facility, except when in actual use. No garbage, refuse, rubble or cutting shall be deposited on any street, road or Lot. No clothes line shall be permitted outside of any dwelling at any time. Produce or vegetable gardens may only be maintained in rear yards.

11. No fence shall be permitted to extend beyond the rear line of a main residential structure. No hedges or mass planted shrubs shall be permitted more than ten (10) feet in front of the front building line. Unless other materials are specifically approved in writing by Declarant, fences shall only be composed of cedarwood, wrought iron or vinyl. Cyclone type fences are specifically not permitted.

12. No swimming pool may extend more than one (1) foot above ground level; provided, however this shall not include a temporary small swimming pool not exceeding two feet (2') in height and not requiring a City of Omaha permit for the pool or a surrounding fence.

13. Construction of any Improvement shall be completed within one (1) year from the date of commencement of excavation or construction of the Improvement. No excavation dirt shall be spread across any Lot in such a fashion as to materially change the grade or contour of any Lot. The front, side and rear yards of all Lots shall be sodded.

14. A public sidewalk shall be constructed of concrete four (4) feet wide by four (4) inches thick in front of each Lot and upon each street side of each corner Lot. The sidewalk shall be placed five (5) feet back of the street curb line and shall be constructed by the owner of the Lot prior to the time of completion of the main structure and before occupancy thereof; provided, however, this provision shall vary to comply with any requirements of the City of Omaha.

15. Driveway approaches between the sidewalk and curb on each Lot shall be constructed of concrete. Should repair or replacement of such approach be necessary, the repair or replacement shall also be of concrete. No asphalt overlay of driveway approaches will be permitted.

16. No stable or other shelter for any animal, livestock, fowl or poultry shall be erected, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot; provided always that the construction plans, specifications and the location of the proposed structure have been first approved by Declarant, or its assigns, if required by this Declaration. Dog houses shall only be allowed at the rear of the residence, attached to or immediately adjacent to the residence. Dog runs or kennels shall not be permitted. No animals, livestock, agricultural-type animals, fowl, or poultry of any kind, including pot-bellied pigs, shall be raised, bred or kept on any Lot, except that dogs, cats or other household pets maintained within the residential structure may be kept, provided that they are not kept, bred or maintained for any commercial purpose and, provided, that they are kept confined to the Lot of their Owner and are not permitted to run loose outside the Lot of the Owner.

17. Any exterior air conditioning condenser unit shall be placed in the rear yard or any side yards so as not to be visible from public view. No grass, weeds or other vegetation will be grown or otherwise permitted to commence or continue, and no dangerous, diseased or otherwise objectionable shrubs or trees will be maintained on any Lot so as to constitute an actual or potential public nuisance, create a hazard or undesirable proliferation, or detract from a neat and trim appearance. Vacant Lots shall not be used for dumping of earth or any waste materials, and no vegetation on vacant Lots shall be allowed to reach a height in excess of twelve (12) inches.

18. No Residence shall be constructed on a Lot unless the entire Lot, as originally platted, is owned by one owner of such Lot, except if parts of two or more platted Lots have been combined into one Lot which is at least as wide as the narrowest Lot on the original plat, and is as large in area as the largest Lot in the original plat.

19. No structure of a temporary character, carport, detached garage, trailer, basement, tent, outbuilding or shack shall be erected upon or used on any Lot at any time, either temporarily or permanently. No structure or dwelling shall be moved from outside The Villas of Whispering Ridge West to any Lot without the written approval of Declarant.

20. All utility service lines from each Lot line to a dwelling or other Improvement shall be underground.

21. Declarant does hereby reserve unto itself the right to require the installation of siltation fences or erosion control devices and measures in such location, configurations, and designs as it may determine appropriate in its sole and absolute discretion.

ARTICLE II.  
VILLAS ASSOCIATION

1. The Association. Declarant shall cause the incorporation of THE VILLAS OF WHISPERING RIDGE WEST HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, a Nebraska not for profit corporation (hereinafter referred to as the "Villas Association") solely for the real property described as follows:

Lots 1 through 17, inclusive, Lots 22 through 27, inclusive, and Outlots "B" and "C", Whispering Ridge West; Lots 1 through 4, inclusive, Whispering Ridge West Replat One; and Lots 1 through 5, inclusive, and Outlot "A", Whispering Ridge West Replat Three, subdivisions, as surveyed, platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska.

The Villas Association has as its purpose the promotion of the health, safety, recreation, welfare and enjoyment of the residents of the Lots, including:

A. The acquisition, construction, landscaping, improvement, equipment, maintenance, operation, repair, upkeep and replacement of Common Facilities, if any, for the general use, benefit and enjoyment of the Members and the maintenance and repair of the improvements to the Lots as set forth herein. Common Facilities may include recreational facilities such as swimming pools, tennis courts, health facilities, playgrounds and parks; dedicated and nondedicated roads, paths, ways and green areas; and signs, fencing and entrances for The Villas of Whispering Ridge West. Common Facilities may be situated on property owned or leased by the Villas Association, or on dedicated property or property subject to easements accepted by and benefiting the Villas Association.

B. The promulgation, enactment, amendment and enforcement of rules and regulations relating to the use and enjoyment of any Common Facilities, provided always that such rules and regulations are uniformly applicable to all Members. The rules and regulations may regulate, limit and restrict use of the Common Facilities to Members, their families, their guests, and/or by other persons, who pay a fee or other charge in connection with the use or enjoyment of the Common Facility.

C. The exercise, promotion, enhancement and protection of the privileges and interests of the residents of The Villas of Whispering Ridge West; and the protection and maintenance of the residential character of The Villas of Whispering Ridge West.

2. Membership and Voting. The "Owner" of each Lot shall be a Member of the Villas Association. For purposes of this Declaration, the term "Owner" of a Lot means and refers to the record owner, whether one or more persons or entities, of fee simple title to a Lot, but excluding however those parties having any interest in any of such Lot merely as security for the performance of an obligation (such as a contract seller, the trustee or beneficiary of a deed of trust, or a mortgagee). The purchaser of a Lot under a land contract or similar instrument shall be considered to be the "Owner" of the Lot for purposes of this Declaration. Membership shall be appurtenant to ownership of each Lot, and may not be separated from ownership of each Lot.

The Villas Association shall have two (2) classes of voting members, Class A Members and Class B Members, defined as follows:

CLASS A: Class A Members shall be all Owners, with the exception of Declarant or its assigns. Each Class A Member shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each Lot owned. When there shall be more than one person or entity holding an interest in any Lot, all such persons or entities or both, shall be Members; provided however that the vote for such Lot shall be exercised as such persons or entities or both, shall determine, but in no event shall more than one vote be cast with respect to any one Lot. It is understood that the Owner of each respective Lot created as a result of a Lot Split shall be entitled to one (1) vote.

CLASS B: The Class B Member shall be Declarant, or its assigns, which shall be entitled to four (4) votes for each Lot owned. For purposes herein, Declarant shall be considered the Owner of a Lot notwithstanding the existence of any contract for sale or purchase agreement, with such ownership status continuing in all events until title is transferred by Declarant through the execution, delivery and recordation of a Warranty Deed. A Class B membership shall terminate and be converted into a Class A membership upon the occurrence of the date on which the total votes outstanding in the Class A membership shall equal or exceed the total votes outstanding in the Class B membership.

The Class A and Class B Members may be sometimes collectively referred to as "Members".

3. Purposes and Responsibilities. The Villas Association shall have the powers conferred upon not for profit corporations by the Nebraska Nonprofit Corporation Act, and all powers and duties necessary and appropriate to accomplish the Purposes and administer the affairs of the Villas Association. The powers and duties to be exercised by the Board of Directors, and upon authorization of the Board of Directors by the Officers, may include but shall not be limited to the following:

A. Grounds and lawn care and maintenance, snow removal and trash collection as generally described in Sections 13, 14, 15, and 16 of this Article.

B. The development, operation and administration of Common Facilities, if any, and the enforcement of the rules and regulations relating to the Common Facilities.

C. The fixing, levying, collecting, abatement, and enforcement of all charges, dues, or assessments made pursuant to the terms of this Declaration.

D. The expenditure, commitment and payment of Villas Association funds to accomplish the purposes of the Villas Association.

E. The exercise of all of the powers and privileges, and the performance of all of the duties and obligations of the Villas Association as set forth in this Declaration, as the same may be amended from time to time.

F. The acquisition by purchase or otherwise, holding, or disposition of any right, title or interest in real or personal property, wherever located, in connection with the affairs of the Villas Association.

G. The deposit, investment and reinvestment of Villas Association funds in bank accounts, securities, money market funds or accounts, mutual funds, pooled funds, certificates of deposit or the like.

H. The employment of professionals and consultants to advise and assist the Officers and Board of Directors of the Villas Association in the performance of their duties and responsibilities for the Villas Association.

I. General administration and management of the Villas Association and execution of such documents and doing and performance of such acts as may be necessary or appropriate to accomplish such administration or management.

J. The doing and performing of such acts, and the execution of such instruments and documents, as may be necessary or appropriate to accomplish the purposes of the Villas Association.

4. Creation of the Lien and Personal Obligation of Assessments. Declarant hereby covenants for each assessable Lot and for each Owner of any assessable Lot, by acceptance of a deed therefore or by entering into a contract for the purchase thereof, whether or not it shall be so expressed in such deed or in such contract, that it is, and shall be, deemed to covenant and agree to pay to the Villas Association:

- (1) Special assessments for capital improvements, and
- (2) Monthly assessments for exterior maintenance and other operational expenses with respect to each assessable Lot as deemed necessary by the Villas Association, and

as such assessments shall be established and collected as hereinafter provided. The special assessments and monthly assessments together with interest, costs and reasonable attorney's fees, shall be a charge on the land and shall be a continuing lien upon the property against which each such assessment shall be made. Each such assessment, together with interest, costs and reasonable attorney's fees, shall also be the personal obligation of the person, persons, or entity who, or which, was the Owner of the property at the time when the assessment became due. The personal obligation for delinquent assessments shall not pass to such Owner's successors in title, unless expressly assumed by them.

5. Purpose or Assessments. The assessments levied upon the Villas Association shall be used exclusively to promote the health, safety, recreation and welfare of the residents in the Properties and for exterior maintenance, and other matters as more fully set out in Article III herein. Assessments shall be levied solely against an assessable Lot. Assessable Lot shall mean and refer to any Improved Lot which the Board of Directors of the Villas Association determines is entitled to the benefits for which assessments are levied by the Villas Association as provided in this instrument. An Improved Lot shall mean and refer to any Lot upon which shall be erected a dwelling the construction of which shall be at least eighty percent (80%) constructed according to the plans and specifications for construction of said dwelling.

6. Monthly Assessments. The Board of Directors shall have the authority to levy and assess from time to time against any assessable Lot any monthly maintenance assessment for the purpose of meeting the requirements of this Article III for exterior maintenance, which assessments may not be equal for each lot or dwelling.

7. Special Assessment for Capital Improvements. The Villas Association may levy special assessments from time to time against a Lot for the purpose of meeting the requirements of this Article III herein for the costs of any construction, reconstruction, repair or replacement of any capital improvements on such Lot, including fixtures and personal property related thereto, provided that any such assessment shall have the consent of two-thirds (2/3) of the votes of each Lot, who shall vote in person or by proxy at a meeting duly called for such purpose.

8. Notice and Quorum for Any Action Authorized Under this Article. Written notice of any meeting called for the purpose of taking any action authorized under this Article III shall be sent to all Members not less than ten (10) days or more than fifty (50) days in advance of such meeting. At the first such meeting called, the presence of Members, in person or by proxy, entitled to cast sixty percent (60%) of all the votes entitled to be cast by each Lot shall constitute a quorum. If the required quorum is not present, another meeting may be called subject to the same notice requirement, and the required quorum, at such subsequent meeting shall be ten percent (10%) of all the votes entitled to be cast. Any such subsequent meeting shall be held within sixty (60) days following the preceding meeting.

9. Rate of Assessment. The monthly assessments shall be paid pro rata by the Owners of all assessable Lots based upon the total number of assessable Lots; provided, however, the Board of Directors of the Villas Association may equitably adjust such prorations if it determines that certain assessable Lots on which all of the improvements are not yet completed do not receive all of the benefits for which such assessments are levied. The monthly assessments may be collected on a monthly or other periodic basis by the Villas Association. The Board of Directors of the Villas Association shall fix the amount of the monthly or other periodic assessments against each assessable Lot. Written notice of the assessment shall be sent to every Owner subject thereto. The dates payments are due shall be established by the Board of Directors. The special assessments for capital improvements shall only be assessed against the assessable Lot for which the costs of such construction, reconstruction, repair or replacement of any capital improvements occurs. The Villas Association shall, upon demand, and for a reasonable charge, furnish a certificate signed by an officer of the Villas Association, setting forth whether or not all assessments on a specified assessable Lot have been paid. A properly executed certificate of the Villas Association as to the status of assessments, on a particular assessable Lot shall be binding upon the Villas Association as of the date of its issue by the Villas Association.

10. Effect of Nonpayment of Assessment; Remedies of the Villas Association. Any assessment not paid within thirty (30) days after the due date shall be deemed delinquent and shall bear interest at the maximum legal rate allowable by law in the State of Nebraska, which at the time of the execution of these Declarations, is sixteen (16) percent per annum. Should any assessment remain unpaid more than sixty (60) days after the due date, the Villas Association may declare the entire unpaid portion of said assessment for said year to be immediately due and payable and thereafter delinquent. The Villas Association may bring an action at law against the Owner personally obligated to pay the same, or may foreclose the lien of such assessment against the property through proceedings in any Court having jurisdiction of actions for the enforcement of such liens. No Owner may waive or otherwise escape liability for the assessments provided herein by abandonment or title transfer of such Owner's Lot.

11. Subordination of the Lien to Mortgages. The lien on the assessments provided for herein shall be subordinate to the lien of any first mortgage, first deed of trust, or other initial purchase money security device, and the holder of any first mortgage, first deed of trust, or other initial purchase money security device, on any Lot may rely on this provision without the necessity of the execution of any further subordination agreement by the Villas Association. Sale or transfer of any Lot shall not affect the status or priority of the lien for assessments made as provided herein. The Villas Association, if authorized by its Board of Directors, may release the lien of any delinquent assessments on any Lot as to which the first mortgage, first deed of trust or initial purchase money security device thereon is in default, if such Board of Directors determines that such lien has no value to the Villas Association. No mortgagee shall be required to collect any assessments due. The Villas Association shall have the sole responsibility to collect all assessments due.

12. Abatement of Dues and Assessments. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Declaration, the Board of Directors may abate all or part of the dues or assessments due in respect of any Lot, and shall abate all dues and assessments due in respect of any Lot during the period such Lot is owned by Declarant.

13. Monthly Assessments. Monthly assessments may be assessed for, but not limited to, the following:

A. Care and maintenance of trees and shrubs, lawns, and other exterior landscaping improvements as originally installed by Declarant or builder, except such improvements as may be within the confines of any fenced in area on any assessable Lot or installed by or at the direction of the Owner, which improvements shall be the responsibility of the Owner. The Owner understands that the original landscape as installed by Declarant or builder is warranted for a period of one year from the time of planting. The Owner is responsible for replacement of all dead landscaping improvements after the one year warranty period expires and the Owner agrees to allow the Villas Association to replace such dead landscape improvements at the expense of the Owner of record at the time of replacement and the Owner shall reimburse the Villas Association on demand.

B. Snow removal from drives, front walks and stoops only as to be determined by the guidelines set forth by the Board of Directors.

C. Trash removal, unless provided by local governmental authorities.

D. The Villas Association shall have no duty to repair, replace or maintain any exterior concrete surfaces, including walks, driveways, patios, foundations, doors, windows, and decks.

E. Reserves for replacements, repairs and maintenance as determined by the Board of Directors.

14. Special Assessments. Special assessments may be assessed for, but not limited to, the following:

A. Maintain, repair, and replace roofs.

B. Maintain, repair, including painting, of all exterior walls, with the exception that the Villas Association shall not assume the duty to repair or replace any glass surfaces, including, but



not limited to, window glass and door glass. The Villas Association shall not assume the duty to repair or replace any doors, door openers, and cooling units for air conditions systems.

C. Maintain, repair and replace gutters.

15. Access. The Villas Association, its officers, employees and agents, contractors and repairmen designated by the Villas Association, shall have the right to go on any Lot for the purpose of performing the duties of the Villas Association hereunder, and the Villas Association is hereby granted a specific easement for such purposes.

ARTICLE III.  
EASEMENTS

1. A perpetual license and easement is hereby reserved in favor of and granted to Omaha Public Power District, CenturyLink, and any company which has been granted a franchise to provide a cable television system within the Lots, Metropolitan Utilities Company, and Sanitary and Improvement District No. 549 of Douglas County, Nebraska, their successors and assigns, to erect and operate, maintain, repair and renew buried or underground sewers, water and gas mains and cables, lines or conduits and other electric and telephone utility facilities for the carrying and transmission of electric current for light, heat and power and for all telephone and telegraph and message service and for the transmission of signals and sounds of all kinds including signals provided by a cable television system and the reception on, over, through, under and across a five (5) foot wide strip of land abutting the front and the side boundary lines of the Lots; an eight (8) foot wide strip of land abutting the rear boundary lines of all interior Lots and all exterior lots that are adjacent to presently platted and recorded Lots; and a sixteen (16) foot wide strip of land abutting the rear boundary lines of all exterior Lots that are not adjacent to presently platted and recorded Lots. The term exterior Lots is herein defined as those Lots forming the outer perimeter of the Lots. The sixteen (16) foot wide easement will be reduced to an eight (8) foot wide strip when such adjacent land is surveyed, platted and recorded.

2. A perpetual easement is further reserved for the Metropolitan Utilities District of Omaha, their successors and assigns to erect, install, operate, maintain, repair and renew pipelines, hydrants and other related facilities, and to extend thereon pipes, hydrants and other related facilities and to extend therein pipes for the transmission of gas and water on, through, under and across a five (5) foot wide strip of land abutting all cul-de-sac streets; this license being granted for the use and benefit of all present and future owners of these Lots; provided, however, that such licenses and easements are granted upon the specific conditions that if any of such utility companies fail to construct such facilities along any of such Lot lines within thirty-six (36) months of date hereof, or if any such facilities are constructed but are thereafter removed without replacement within sixty (60) days after their removal, then such easement shall automatically terminate and become void as to such unused or abandoned easementways. No permanent buildings, trees, retaining walls or loose rock walls shall be placed in the easementways but same may be used for gardens, shrubs, landscaping and other purposes that do not then or later interfere with the aforementioned uses or rights granted herein.

3. In the event that ninety percent (90%) of all Lots within the subdivision are not improved within five (5) years after the date on which CenturyLink files notice that it has completed installation of telephone lines to the Lots in the subdivision (herein the "Subdivision Improvement Date"), then CenturyLink may impose a connection charge on each unimproved Lot in the amount of Four Hundred Fifty and no/100 Dollars (\$450.00). A Lot shall be considered as unimproved if construction of a permanent structure has not commenced on a Lot. Construction shall be considered as having commenced if a footing inspection has been requested on the Lot in question by officials of the City or other appropriate governmental authority.

Should such charge be implemented by CenturyLink and remain unpaid, then such charge may draw interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum commencing after the expiration of sixty (60) days from the time all of the following events shall have occurred: (1) the Subdivision Improvement Date, and (2) CenturyLink sends each owner of record a written statement or billing for Four Hundred Fifty and no/100 Dollars (\$450.00) for each unimproved Lot.

4. Other easements are provided for in: (a) the final plat of Whispering Ridge West which was filed in the office of the Register of Deeds of Douglas County, Nebraska on February 25, 2008 in the Deeds Records of Douglas County, Nebraska, as Instrument No. 2008017854; (b) the final plat of Whispering Ridge West Replat One which was filed in the office of the Register of Deeds of Douglas County, Nebraska on March 28, 2008 in the Deeds Records of Douglas County, Nebraska, as Instrument No. 2008029734; and (c) the final plat of Whispering Ridge West Replat Three which was filed in the office of the Register of Deeds of Douglas County, Nebraska, on March 30, 2012 in the Deeds Records of Douglas County Nebraska, as Instrument No. 2012030135.

ARTICLE IV.  
GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Except for the authority and powers specifically granted to the Declarant, the Declarant or any owner of a Lot named herein shall have the right to enforce by a proceeding at law or in equity, all reservations, restrictions, conditions and covenants now or hereinafter imposed by the provisions of this Declaration either to prevent or restrain any violation or to recover damages or other dues of such violation. Failure by the Declarant 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.

2. The covenants and restrictions of this Declaration shall run with and bind the land in perpetuity. This Declaration may be amended by Declarant or any person, firm, corporation, partnership, or entity designated in writing by Declarant, in any manner which they may determine in their full and absolute discretion for a period of five (5) years from the date hereof. Thereafter, this Declaration may be amended by an instrument signed by the owners of not less than seventy-five percent (75%) of the Lots covered by this Declaration.

3. Declarant, or its successors or assigns, may terminate their status as a Declarant under this Declaration, at any time, by filing a Notice of Termination of Status as Declarant. Upon such filing, Association may appoint itself or another entity, association or individual to serve as Declarant, and such appointee shall thereafter serve as Declarant with the same authority and powers as the original Declarant.

4. Invalidation of any covenant by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions hereof, which shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Declarant has caused these presents to be executed this 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2013.

DECLARANT:

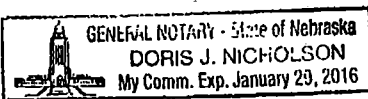
WOODLAND HOMES, INC., a Nebraska corporation

By *Gerald L. Torczon*  
Gerald L. Torczon, President

STATE OF NEBRASKA    )  
  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF SARPY     )

On this 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2013, before me, a Notary Public, personally came GERALD L. TORCZON, President of WOODLAND HOMES, INC., a Nebraska corporation, to me personally known to be the identical person whose name is affixed to the above and foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his voluntary act and deed and the voluntary act and deed of said corporation.

*Doris J. Nicholson*  
Notary Public

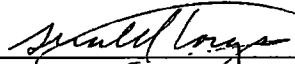


CONSENT

The undersigned, RICHLAND HOMES, LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company, hereby consents to the recording of the foregoing Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements with the Register of Deeds of Douglas County, Nebraska.

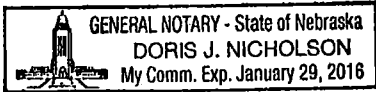
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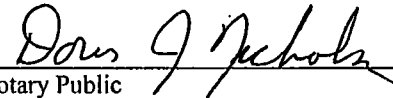
RICHLAND HOMES, LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company

By:   
Gerald L. Torczon, Manager

STATE OF NEBRASKA     )  
  ) ss.:  
COUNTY OF SARPY     )

On this 1st day of November, 2013, before me, a Notary Public, personally came GERALD L. TORCZON, Manager of RICHLAND HOMES, LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company, to me personally known to be the identical person whose name is affixed to the above and foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his voluntary act and deed and the voluntary act and deed of said limited liability company.




  
Notary Public

CONSENT

The undersigned, LANNIE L. WEAK and SHARON K. WEAK, husband and wife, hereby consent to the recording of the foregoing Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements with the Register of Deeds of Douglas County, Nebraska.

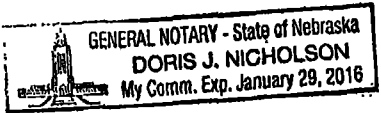
Dated this 30th day of November, 2013.

  
LANNIE L. WEAK

  
SHARON K. WEAK

STATE OF NEBRASKA     )  
                                  ) ss.:  
COUNTY OF DOUGLAS    )

On this 30<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2013, before me, a Notary Public, personally came LANNIE L. WEAK and SHARON K. WEAK, husband and wife, to me personally known to be the identical persons whose names are affixed to the above and foregoing instrument, and they acknowledged the same to be their voluntary act and deed.



Doris J. Nicholson  
Notary Public