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SEASONS COURT ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I. NAME AND LOCATION

The name of the corporation is SEASONS COURT ASSOCIATION hereinafter referred to as the "Association". The principal of of the Association shall be located at City of Madera, County of Madera, State of California; but meet of members and directors may be held at such places within the State of Caifornia, County of Madera, as may be designated by th Board of Directors.

ARTICLE II. DEFINITIONS

Section 2.01. "Association shall mean and refer to SEASONS COURT ASSOCIATION, it successors and assigns.

Section 2.02. "Properties" shall mean and refer to that certain real property described in the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions, and such additions thereto as may hereafter be brought within the jurisdiction of the Association.

Section 2.03. "Common Area" shall mean all real property owned by the Association for the common use and enjoyment of the Owners.

Section 2.04. "Lot" shall mean and refer to any plot of land shown upon any recorded subdivision map of the Properties with the exception of the Common Area.

Section 2.05. "Owner" shall mean and refer to the record owner, whether one or more persons or entities, of the fee simple

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title to any Lot which is a part of the Properties, including contract sellers, but excluding those having such interest mere as security for the performance of an obligation.

Section 2.06. "Declarant" shall mean and refer to BERRY & BERRY, INC., and WESTGATE BUILDING MATERIALS, INC., the successors and assigns if such successors or assigns should acqu more than one undeveloped Lot from the Declarant for the purpose of development.

Section 2.07. "Declaration" shall mean and refer to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions applicabl to the Properties recorded in the Office of the Recorder of the County of Madera, State of California, on _____19____, in Book _____at Page _____.

Section 2.08: "Member" shall mean and refer to those persons entitled to membership as provided in the Declaration. ARTICLE III. MEETINGS OF MEMBERS

Annual Meetings

Section 3.01. The first annual meeting of the Members shall be held within one (1) year from the date of incorporation of the Association, and not later than six (6) months after the closing of the sale of the first Lot in the development and with forty-five (45) days after the closing of the sale of the Lot which represents the fifty-first (51st) percentile interest authorized for sale under the first public report for the develop ment, whichever occurs first. Subsequent regular annual meeting of the Members shall be held on the same day of the same month of

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each year thereafter, at the hour of 8:00 p.m. 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.

Special Meetings

Section 3.02. Special meetings of the Members may be called at any time by a majority of a quorum of the Board of Directors, or upon written request of the Members representing at least twenty-five percent (25%) of the total voting power of the Association or by Members representing at least fifteen percent (15%) of all of the voting power residing in Members othe than the subdivider.

Notice of Meetings

Section 3.03. Written notice of each meeting of the Members 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, at least fifteen (15), but not more than thirty (30) days before such meeting to each Member entitled to vote thereat, addressed to the 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.

Quorum

Section 3.04. The presence at the meeting of Members entitled to cast, or of proxies entitled to cast fifty (50)

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percent of the votes of each class of membership shall constitut 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, the Members entitled to vote thereat shall have power to adjourn the meeting from time to time, without notice other than announcement at the meeting, until a quorum shall be present or represented. Any action authorized under Section 4.03 or 4.04 of the Declaration shall be taken at a meeting called for that purpose, written notice of which shall be sent to all Members not less than thirty (30) nor more than sixty (60) days in advance of the meetings. At the first such meeting called, the presence of members or proxies entitled to cast fifty percent (50%) of all the votes of each class of membership shall constitute a If the required quorum is not present, another meeting quorum. may be called subject to the same notice requirement, and the required quorum at the subsequent meeting shall be one-half (1/2) of the required quorum at the preceding meeting. No such subsequent meeting shall be held sooner than five (5) nor more than thirty days following the preceding meeting.

Proxies

Section 3.05. 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 this Lot.

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Section 3.06. Meetings of the Association members shall be held within the subdivision, or a meeting place as close thereto as possible. Unless unusual conditions exist, members' meetings shall not be held outside of the County of Madera.

ARTICLE IV. BOARD OF DIRECTORS--SELECTION--TERM OF OFFICE

Number

Section 4.01. The affairs of this Association shall be managed by a Board of nine (9) Directors, who need not be Members of the Association.

Term of Office

Section 4.02. At the first annual meeting, the Members shall elect three (3) directors for a term of one (1) year, three (3) directors for a term of two (2) years and three (3) directors for a term of three (3) years; and at each annual meeting thereafter, the Members shall elect three (3) directors for a term of three (3) years.

Removal

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Section 4.03. Unless the entire Board of Directors is removed from office by the vote of Association Members, an individual director shall not be removed prior to the expiration of his term of office if the number of votes cast against his removal is greater than the quotient arrived at by dividing the total number of votes that may be cast under cumulative voting procedures by ten (10). A director who has been elected solely

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by the votes of Members other than the Declarant may be removed from office prior to the expiration of his term only by the vote of at least a simple majority of the voting power residing in Members other than the Declarant. 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.

Compensation

Section 4.04. 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.

Action Taken Without a Meeting

Section 4.05. The directors shall have the right to take any action in the absence of a meeting which they could take at a meeting by obtaining the written approval of all the directors. Any action so approved shall have the same effect as though taken at a meeting of the directors.

ARTICLE V. NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Nomination

Section 5.01. 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

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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. Such nominations may be made from among Members or non-members.

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Section 5.02. Election to the Board of Directors shall be by secret written ballot. Every Member entitled to vote at any election of directors may cumulate his votes and give one candidate a number of votes equal to the number of directors to be elected, multiplied by the number of votes to which such members are otherwise entitled, or distribute his votes on the same principle among as many candidates as he thinks fit. The candidates receiving the highest number of votes up to the number of directors to be elected shall be deemed elected. For so long as a majority of the voting power of the Association resides in the Declarant, or for so long as there are two outstanding classes of membership in the Association, at least twenty percent (20%) of the incumbents on the Board shall be elected solely by the votes of the Owners other than the Declarant.

ARTICLE VI. MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS

Regular Meetings

Section 6.01. Regular meetings of the Board of Directors

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shall be held monthly at such place and hour as may be fixed from time to time by resolution of the Board. Should said meet. ing 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. Notice of the time and place of such meeting shall be posted at a prominent place or places within the Common Area.

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Special Meetings Section 6.02. Special meetings of the Board of Director shall be held when called by written notice by the president of the Association, or by any two directors, after not less than three (3) days' notice to each director. Such notice shall specify the time and place of the meeting and the nature of any special business to be considered and shall also be posted in a manner prescribed for notice of regular meetings.

Quorum

Section 6.03. A majority of the number of directors sha 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.

Open Sessions

Section 6.04. Regular and special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be open to all Members of the Association provided, however, that Association Members who are not on the Board may not participate in any deliberation or discussion unle expressly so authorized by the vote of a majority of a quorum of

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the Board. The Board of Directors may, with the approval of a majority of a quorum of its members, adjourn a meeting and reconvene in executive session to discuss and vote upon personne matters, litigation in which the Association is or may become involved, and orders of business of a similar nature. The natur of any and all business to be discussed in executive session sha first be announced in open session.

Place of Meetings

Section 6.05. The meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held within the subdivision at such location as is set forth in the notice.

ARTICLE VII. POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Powers

Section 7.01. The Board of Directors shall have power to

(a) Adopt and publish rules and regulations governing the use of the Common Area and facilities, and the personal conduct of the Members and their guests thereon, and to establish penalties for the infraction thereof. Prior to imposing any penalties, the accused person shall be given notice and opportun to be heard by the Board with respect to the alleged violations before a decision to impose discipline is reached.

(b) Suspend the voting rights and the right to use of the recreational facilities of a Member 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

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(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 to prescribed their duties.

(f) Enter upon any privately owned subdivision interest as necessary in connection with the construction, maintenance or emergency repair for the benefit of the Common Area or the owners in common.

Duties

Section 7.02. 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 one-fourth (1/4) of the Class A Members who are entitled to vote.

(b) Supervise all officers, agents, and employees of this

Association, and to see that their duties are properly performe

(c) As more fully provided in the Declaration, to:

 Fix the amount of the annual assessment against each Lot at least thirty (30) days in advance of each annual assessment period;

(2) Send written notice of each assessment to every
Owner subject thereto at least thirty (30) days in
advance of each annual assessment period;
(3) Foreclose the lien against any property for

(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; and

(4) 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.

(d) Cause financial statement for the Association to be prepared and to be distributed to Members of the Association, as follows:

> (1) A pro forma operating statement (budget) for each fiscal year shall be distributed not less than

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sixty (60) days before the beginning of the fiscal year;

(2)A balance sheet as of an accounting date which is the last day of the month closest in time to six (6) months from the date of closing of the first sale of a Lot in the subdivision and an operating statement for the period from the date of the first closing to the said accounting date, shall be distributed within sixty (60) days after the accounting date. This operating statement shall include a schedule of assessments received and receivable indentified by the number of the Lot and the name of the entity assessed; and A balance sheet as of the last day of the Assoc (3)ation's fiscal year and an operating statement for said fiscal year shall be distributed within ninety (90) days after the close of the fiscal year; and (4) In any fiscal year in which the gross income of the Association exceeds \$75,000 an external audit by an independent public accountant shall be made. (e) Procure and contract for the Association, casualty,

liability and other insurance on behalf of the Association.

(f) Cause all officers or employees having fiscal responsibilities to be bonded, as it may deem appropriate:

(g) Cause the Common Area to be maintained.(h) Pay the taxes and assessments which are, or could

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(i) Contract for goods or services for the Common Area, facilities and interests or for the Association, subject to the limitations set forth below.

(j) Delegate its powers to committees, officers or employees of the Association as expressly authorized by the covenants, conditions and restrictions, the articles of incorpora tion or these bylaws.

> Limitations on Powers and Duties of the Board of Directors

Section 7.03. The Board of Directors of the Association - shall be prohibited from taking any of the following actions, except with the vote or written assent of a majority of the voting power of the Association, other than Declarant:

(a) Entering into a contract with a third person wherein the third person will furnish goods or services for the Common Area or the owners' Association for a term longer than one year with the following exceptions:

> (1) A management contract, the terms of which have been approved by the Federal Housing Administration or Veterans Administration.

(2) A contract with a public utility company if the rates charged for the materials or services are regulated by the Public Utilities Commission provided, however, that the term of the contract shall not exceed the shortest term for which the supplier will

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contract at the regulated rate.

(3) Prepaid casualty and/or liability insurance policies of not to exceed three years duration provided that the policy permits for short rate cancellation by the insured.

(b) Incurring aggregate expenditures for capital improments to the common area in any fiscal year in excess of 5% of the budgeted gross expenses of the Association for that fiscal year.

(c) Selling during any fiscal year property of the Association having an aggregate fair market value greater than
 5% of the budgeted gross expenses of the Association for that fiscal year.

(d) Paying compensation to members of the governing body or to officers of the Association for services performed in the conduct of the Association's business provided, however, that the governing body may cause a member or officer to be reimbursed for expenses incurred in carrying on the business of the Association.

ARTICLE VIII. OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Enumeration of Officers

Section 8.01. The officers of this Association shall be a President and Vice-President, who shall at all times be member of the Board of Directors, a Secretary, and a Treasurer, and suc other officers as the Board may from time to time by resolution

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Election of Officers

Section 8.02. The election of officers shall take place at the first meeting of the Board of Directors following each annual meeting of the Members.

Term

Section 8.03. The officers of this Association shall be elected annually by the Board and each shall hold office for one (1) year unless he shall sooner resign, or shall be removed, or otherwise disqualified to serve.

Special Appointments

Section 8.04. The Board may elect such other officers a the affairs of the Association may require, each of whom shall hold office for such period, have such authority, and perform su duties as the Board may, from time to time, determine.

Resignation and Removal

Section 8.05. 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 dat 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.

Vacancies

Section 8.06. A vacancy in any office may be filled by appointment by the Board. The officer appointed to such vacancy

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shall serve for the remainder of the term of the officer he replaces.

Multiple Offices

Section 8.07. The offices of Secretary and Treasurer map 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 Section 8.04 of this Article.

Duties

Section 8.08. The duties of the officers are as follows: President

(a) 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 cosign 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 dutie 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; keep the corporate seal, if any, of the Association and affix it on all papers requiring said seal; serve notice of meetings of the Board and of the Members; keep appropriate curren

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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 appropri bank accounts all moneys 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; keep proper books of account; cause an annual audit of the Àssociation books to be made by a public accountant at the compltion of each fiscal year; and shall prepare the financial statements required by these Bylaws, and deliver a copy of each to the Members.

ARTICLE IX. COMMITTEES

The Association shall when so empowered appoint an Architectural Control Committee, as provided in the Declaration, and 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 X. BOOKS AND RECORDS

Records Subject to Inspection

Section 10.01. The membership register, books of account and minutes of the meetings of members of the governing body, and committees of the governing body shall be made available for inspection and copying by any member of the Association, or his duly appointed representative at any reasonable time and for a

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1 purpose reasonably related to his interest as a member at the 2 office of the Association, or at such other place within the sul division as the Board of Directors shall prescribe. 3 Reasonable Rules 4 Section 10.02. The Board of Directors shall establish 5 reasonable rules with respect to: 6 Notice to be given to the custodian of the recc 7 (a)by the member desiring to make the inspection. 8 Hours and days of the week when such an inspect (b) 9 may be made. 10 Payment of the cost of reproducing copies of (c)11 documents required by a member. 12. Inspection by Directors 13 Section 10.03. Every Director shall have the absolute r 14 at any reasonable time to inspect all books, records and documen 15 of the Association and the physical properties owned or controll 16 by the Association. The right of inspection by a Director inclu-17 the right to make extracts and copies of documents. 18 ASSESSMENTS 19 ARTICLE XI. As more fully provided in the Declaration, each Member 20 is obligated to pay to the Association annual and special assess-21 ments which are secured by a continuing lien upon the property .22 against which the assessment is made. Any assessments which are 23 not paid when due shall be delinquent. If the assessment is not 24 paid within thirty (30) days after the due date, the assessment 25 shall bear interest from the date of delinquency at the rate of 26

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ten (10) percent per annum, and the Association may bring an action at law against the Owner personally obligated to pay the same or foreclose the lien against the property, and interest, costs, and reasonable attorney's fees of any such action shall be added to the amount of such assessment. No Owner may waive or otherwise escape liability for the assessments provided for herein by nonuse of the Common Area or abandonment of his Lot.

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ARTICLE XII. CORPORATE SEAL

The Association shall have a seal in circular form having within its circumference the words: SEASONS COURT ASSOCIATION, a Nonprofit Corporation, State of California.

ARTICLE XIII. AMENDMENTS

Section 13.01. These Bylaws may be amended, at a regular or special meeting of the Members, by the affirmative vote (in person or by proxy) or written consent of Members representing a majority of a quorum of the Association which shall include a majority of the votes of Members other than Declarant, or where the two-class voting structure is still in effect, shall include a majority of each class of Members. Notwithstanding the above, the percentage of voting power necessary to amend a specific clause or provision shall not be less than the prescribed percentage or affirmative votes required for action to be taken under that clause. The Federal Housing Administration or the Veterans Administration shall have the right to veto amendments while there is a Class B membership.

Section 13.02. In the case of any conflict between the

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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 XIV. MISCELLANEOUS

The fiscal year of the Association shall begin on the first day of January and end on the thirty-first day of December of every year, except that the first fiscal year shall begin on the date of incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, being all of the directors of the SEASONS COURT ASSOCIATION, have hereunto set our hands this

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	5	That the foregoing Bylaws constitute the original Bylaws
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