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**DECLARATION OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS  
(AFFORDABLE HOUSING)**

This Declaration of Restrictive Covenants, made this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_, hereinafter referred to as "OWNER," and \_\_\_\_\_ as MORTGAGEE (if property described in Exhibit "A" is encumbered by a mortgage).

WHEREAS, OWNER is the fee title owner of that certain real property known as the \_\_\_\_\_ ("Plat"), located in Broward County, Florida, and legally described in Exhibit "A," attached hereto and incorporated herein (the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, OWNER hereby covenants that OWNER is lawfully seized of said Property in fee simple; that the Property is free and clear of all encumbrances that are inconsistent with the terms of this Declaration and all mortgagees have been joined or subordinated; that OWNER has good right and lawful authority to make this Declaration; and that OWNER agrees to fully warrant and defend this Declaration against the claims of all persons whomsoever; and

WHEREAS, OWNER intends to build affordable housing units on the Property and has applied to BROWARD COUNTY for the waiver of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_/100 (\$\_\_\_\_\_) in impact and/or administrative fees related to the Plat; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 5-184 of the Broward County Land Development Code, a condition of waiving the impact and/or administrative fees for affordable housing is that OWNER must reasonably ensure that affordable housing units are rented or sold to persons meeting the income limitations defined in Section 5-201 of the Broward County Code of Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, OWNER, in fulfillment of that obligation hereby places certain restrictions on the use of the Property; NOW, THEREFORE:

1. The recitals set forth above are true and correct and are incorporated into these restrictive covenants.

2. OWNER hereby declares that the Property shall be held, maintained, transferred, sold, conveyed, and owned subject to the following designations and restrictive covenants:

OWNER hereby agrees that \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_/100 Dollars (\$\_\_\_\_\_) in impact and/or administrative fees have been waived for the Plat for the construction of:

\_\_\_\_\_ very low income units  
\_\_\_\_\_ low income units

within the Plat. OWNER shall ensure that the aforementioned units shall be sold and rented to persons meeting the applicable income limitations, as defined in Section 5-201 of the Broward County Code of Ordinances.

3. This Declaration of Restrictive Covenants shall be recorded in the Public Records of Broward County, Florida, shall become effective upon recordation, and shall run with the Property at the specified income level(s) for a period of at least:

- Twenty (20) years for rental housing, or  
 Ten (10) years for owner-occupied housing.

4. BROWARD COUNTY, at the request of OWNER or its successor, shall cause a release to be recorded in the Official Records of Broward County, Florida upon payment of all applicable impact fees at the rate in effect at the time of the request for the release of the restrictive covenant prior to the above referenced time periods.

5. BROWARD COUNTY, through its Board of County Commissioners, its successors and assigns, is the beneficiary of these restrictive covenants and as such, BROWARD COUNTY may enforce these restrictive covenants by an action at law or in equity against any person or persons, entity or entities, violating or attempting to violate the terms of these restrictions. Additionally, BROWARD COUNTY may institute foreclosure proceedings against the Property for the amount of fees that OWNER is bound to repay.

6. Any failure of BROWARD COUNTY to enforce these restrictive covenants shall not be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter.

7. Invalidation of any one of these restrictive covenants by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any other conditions which remain in full force and effect.

8. (a) If there is a mortgage against the Property described in Exhibit "A," MORTGAGEE hereby agrees that the Mortgage it holds from OWNER recorded in Official Records Book \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_, of the Public Records of Broward County, Florida, all of which encumber the Property described herein shall be and are subordinate to the restrictive covenants set forth above, restricting the use of the real Property for the time periods set forth above.
- (b) In the event of a foreclosure whereby MORTGAGEE takes title to the Property, MORTGAGEE may request the release of the restrictive covenant restricting the Property included in Exhibit "A." The County Administrator is authorized to execute a release of the restrictive covenant upon payment of all applicable impact fees at the rate in effect at the time of the request for the release of the restrictive covenant.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, OWNER and MORTGAGEE have executed this Declaration of Restrictive Covenants and Subordination as follows:

**OWNER-INDIVIDUAL**

Witnesses:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)  
Print name:\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Owner (Individual)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)  
Print name:\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)  
Print name:\_\_\_\_\_  
Print address:\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT - INDIVIDUAL**

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) SS.  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_ who is

personally known to me, or  
 produced identification. Type of identification produced \_\_\_\_\_.

NOTARY PUBLIC:

(Seal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name:

My commission expires:



**OWNER-CORPORATION/PARTNERSHIP**

Witnesses (if partnership):

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Owner (corporation/partnership)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)  
Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)  
Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)  
Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

ATTEST (if corporation):

(CORPORATE SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Secretary Signature)  
Print Name of Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT - CORPORATION/PARTNERSHIP**

STATE OF                    )  
  ) SS.  
COUNTY OF                )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_, as \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ corporation/partnership, on behalf of the corporation/ partnership. He or she is:  
 personally known to me, or  
 produced identification. Type of identification produced \_\_\_\_\_.

NOTARY PUBLIC:

(Seal)

My commission expires:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name:



**MORTGAGEE-INDIVIDUAL**

Mortgagee, being the holder of a mortgage relating to the parcel(s) described in Exhibit "A" hereby consents and joins in for the purpose of agreeing that its mortgage shall be subordinated to the foregoing Declaration.

Witnesses:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)  
Print name:\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Mortgagee (Individual)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)  
Print name:\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)  
Print name:\_\_\_\_\_  
Print address:\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT - INDIVIDUAL**

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) SS.  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

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 personally known to me, or  
 produced identification. Type of identification produced\_\_\_\_\_.

NOTARY PUBLIC:

(Seal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name:

My commission expires:



**MORTGAGEE-CORPORATION/PARTNERSHIP**

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Witnesses (if partnership):

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Mortgagee (corporation/partnership)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

By \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature)

Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

ATTEST (if corporation):

\_\_\_\_\_  
(CORPORATE SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Secretary Signature)

Print Name of Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT - CORPORATION/PARTNERSHIP**

STATE OF                            )  
   ) SS.  
COUNTY OF                         )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_, as \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ corporation/partnership, on behalf of the corporation/ partnership. He or she is:

- personally known to me, or
- produced identification. Type of identification produced \_\_\_\_\_.

NOTARY PUBLIC:

(Seal)

My commission expires:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name:



**EXHIBIT "A"**  
**LEGAL DESCRIPTION**