

RESTRICTIONS, COVENANTS AND CONDITIONSOFTHE WATER'S EDGESECTION IV

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT the undersigned, Willard Construction of Roanoke Valley, Inc., hereinafter sometimes referred to as the owner-developer does hereby of its own free will, impose for the protection of the lots hereinafter mentioned, in order that the same be properly developed, certain restrictions, covenants and conditions which shall apply to all the lots shown on the Map of The Water's Edge, Section IV prepared by Buford T. Lumsden & Associates, Engineers & Surveyors, dated February 29, 1988, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Franklin County, Virginia, which said restrictions, covenants and conditions are to run with the land and shall be binding on all parties and all persons claiming under them for a period of thirty (30) years from the date these restrictions, covenants and conditions are recorded, and the party imposing these restrictions, covenants and conditions reserves the right to waive, modify or release the same and thirty (30) years from the date of the recordation hereof, said covenants, restrictions and conditions 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 has been recorded agreeing to change said covenants, restrictions and conditions in whole or in part, and which said restrictions, covenants and conditions are as follows, to-wit:

1) No building, fence or any other structure, including driveways, shall be erected, placed or altered on any said lot until the proposed building plans, specifications, exterior color or finish, plot plan showing the proposed location of such building, structure, drives and parking areas, landscape plan and the construction schedule shall have been submitted to the owner-developer and approved in writing by the owner-developer, its successors or assigns. Refusal or approval of plans, location or specifications may be based by the owner-developer upon any ground, including purely aesthetic considerations, which in the sole and uncontrolled discretion of the owner-developer shall seem sufficient. No alteration in the exterior appearance of any building or structure shall be made without like approval by the Company. The aforesaid plans shall be prepared by a person or firm regularly engaged in such work. In the exercise of its authority to grant or deny approval of such plans, the owner-developer, after considering the recommendation of the owner,

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shall determine the exact site of all buildings and other structures at the sole discretion of the owner-developer. The written approval of owner-developer required by this paragraph shall only be effective for a period of six (6) months from the date of said approval and unless construction is commenced within said six month period pursuant to said approval, the approval shall lapse and the lot owner will be required to resubmit a request for approval to owner-developer.

2) Not more than one single family residence shall be erected on any lot, and it shall contain a minimum of fifteen hundred (1500) square feet of livable floor space if it is a one-floor dwelling, or two thousand (2,000) square feet of livable floor space if it is a two-floor dwelling, exclusive of decks, attics, porches, garages, carports or basements whether finished or unfinished. Split-level dwelling houses shall be considered as a two-floor dwelling for the purposes of this Section. Exterior construction must be completed and closed in within nine (9) months of commencement of construction, and all construction as required by the approved plans, including landscaping, shall be completed within one (1) year of commencement of construction. No dwelling house shall be permanently or temporarily occupied until the exterior thereof has been completed and connection is made to the water system and the sewage system is installed and connection is made thereto. During construction lots must be maintained in a reasonably neat and clean condition free of construction debris and trash, and contractors and sub-contractors shall be required to provide adequate temporary portable toilets for their employees.

3) No residence shall be constructed on any lot duplicating the design of another residence already constructed or under construction within any single family residential section of The Water's Edge, nor shall the exterior appearance of any residence be substantially the same as that of another residence already constructed or under construction within any single family residential section of The Water's Edge. Whether a residence duplicates another residence or whether the exterior appearance of a residence is substantially the same as another residence shall be determined by the owner-developer in its sole discretion in exercising its approval authority under paragraph 1 of these restrictions.

4) Except in necessary construction areas and septic fields, no trees four (4) inches caliper or larger, measured twenty-four (24) inches from the ground, shall be removed from the property without the approval of the owner-developer, its successors or assigns. In necessary construction areas and septic fields, as many trees as possible shall be left standing.

5) Driveways shall be located and constructed as approved by the owner-developer as provided in paragraph 1. Corrugated metal culvert pipe shall be installed in accordance with the standards of the Virginia Department of Highways and Transportation along the edge of the street where the driveway meets the street. Driveways shall be either surfaced with asphalt black top or gravel with defined borders. Mail and newspaper boxes shall be located and constructed in accordance with plans designated by owner-developer.

6) No lot may be re-subdivided without the prior written approval of the owner-developer.

7) In general, no building shall be erected closer to any street or road than the minimum building set back line as shown on the recorded map of this Section, nor closer than ten (10) feet to any side or rear lot line, except that if two or more adjacent lots are used together for the construction of one dwelling, then the said ten (10) feet setback shall be measured from only the outermost lines of the combined lots. In the exercise of its authority set forth in paragraph 1 above, the owner-developer may in its sole discretion grant waivers and variances to the aforesaid requirements concerning building location.

8) All said lots shall be used for single family residential purposes only. No building shall be erected on any lot prior to the erection of the dwelling thereon. Any other building erected on any lot shall conform generally in appearance and materials to the dwelling on such lot. All garages shall be attached to the dwelling house.

9) All dwellings and buildings shall be brick, wood (other than log homes which are not permitted) or natural stone to grade, unless siding is installed within eight (8) inches of grade, in which case stucco may be used between the siding and grade provided such area is rendered invisible from adjacent streets and lots by landscaping or other appropriate methods of concealment. No concrete, block, etc., higher than eight (8) inches from grade will be accepted, regardless of visibility. In considering the request of lot owners for approval of plans for dwellings whose primary exterior consists of brick, particular attention shall be given by the owner-developer to the color of the brick and the presence of other natural materials in the exterior finish in order to achieve an overall exterior color scheme that is compatible with the natural surroundings. Log homes shall not be permitted. All roofs shall be of a suitable material approved by owner-developer pursuant to paragraph 1 above and shall carry a warranty of 25 years or more.

- 10) Each lot owner shall be required to make connection with the central water system constructed by the owner-developer within ten (10) days of the commencement of construction of the dwelling on his lot. The hookup fee shall be SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$700.00) subject to increase on account of inflation. The lot owner shall pay the amount of the hookup fee to the owner-developer at the time the final plans for the residence are submitted to the owner-developer for approval. In the event construction is not commenced, the owner-developer shall refund the said hookup fee to the lot owner upon request of the lot owner. This fee includes one (1) water meter and system line to the owner's property line. The owner shall pay the owner-developer, or assigns, for water service per gallon used with a minimum charge of SIXTEEN DOLLARS (\$16.00) per month, said monthly minimum being subject to change. Billing for water service will be on a quarterly or monthly basis.
- 11) No fence shall be constructed along any property line so as to be visible from the street, lake, or golf course without consent and approval by the owner-developer.
- 12) Each lot owner who builds a dwelling upon his lot shall provide off-street parking for at least four (4) vehicles in a driveway or other appropriate area.
- 13) The owner of any lot shall provide for any dwelling constructed on such lot a septic disposal system constructed in accordance with the specifications of state and county public health officials. Location of all septic systems shall be selected by the Franklin County Health Department.
- 14) No building of a temporary nature shall be erected or placed on any of said lots except those customarily erected in connection with building operations and, even in such cases, no such temporary building shall remain in place more than six (6) months. House trailers or mobile homes may not be parked on lots for any purpose or for any period of time. No campers, trailers, trucks, buses, inoperative automobiles or unsightly vehicles of any type or description or outbuildings may be parked, left or abandoned on said lots.
- 15) No signs including real estate sale or rental signs, except those expressly permitted by owner-developer, billboards, or advertising of any nature shall be erected, placed or maintained on any lots, nor upon any building erected thereon, except directional and informational signs erected by the owner-developer, its successors or assigns.
- 16) All fuel storage tanks, trash and garbage receptacles shall be buried in the ground or placed so as not to be visible as such from any viewpoint. Air-conditioning compressors,

heat pump equipment and all other mechanical equipment shall be screened so as not to be objectionable to the owner-developer, its successors or assigns.

17) No horses, cows, goats, pigs, fowl or pigeons shall be kept upon the premises of any lot or building thereon, nor shall there be kept upon such premises any other animal or pet which causes obnoxious odors, or is dangerous to the health or welfare of other residents in The Water's Edge, and no nuisance shall be maintained or permitted on such premises.

18) Camping or the use of tents for any purpose shall be prohibited on all lots at all times.

19) No open air fire shall be started or maintained on any lot except in a grill, fireplace, or other suitable enclosure or container designed for the safe housing of man-made fires for cooking.

20) No satellite dish antennae or other transmission or receiving antennae shall be installed or placed on any lot, provided, however, that the owner-developer in the exercise of its authority under paragraph 1 above may permit lot owners to install individual satellite dish or other television antennae as approved by the owner-developer. The provisions of this paragraph shall not prohibit the owner-developer from installing equipment necessary for a master antenna system, mobile radio systems or similar systems within The Water's Edge, nor from installing or permitting installation of a cable television service. It is further provided that when cable television service or a master antenna system is available to lot owners, those lot owners having exterior antenna systems shall remove same within sixty (60) days of the cable television or master antenna system becoming available to them.

21) With regard to lots abutting upon the golf course, hereinafter referred to as Golf Fairway Lots, the following are applicable:

A. "Golf Fairway Lot" is defined as any lots located adjacent to any golf course located in The Water's Edge.

B. That portion of any Golf Fairway Lot within thirty (30) feet of the lot line bordering the golf course shall be in general conformity with the overall landscaping pattern for the golf course fairway area established by the golf course architect. All individual landscaping plans must be approved by the owner-developer.

C. There is reserved to the owner-developer a "Golf Course Maintenance Easement Area" on each lot adjacent to any

golf course located in The Water's Edge. This reserved easement shall permit the owner-developer, at its election, to go onto any Golf Course Maintenance Easement Area and to perform maintenance and landscaping to include regular removal of underbrush, trees less than six (6) inches in diameter, stumps, trash or debris, planting of grass, watering, application of fertilizer, and mowing the easement area. This Golf Course Maintenance Easement Area shall be limited to the portion of such lot within thirty (30) feet of the lot lines bordering the golf course, or such lesser area as may be designated by the owner-developer.

D. Until such time as a residential dwelling is constructed on a lot, the owner-developer reserves an easement to permit and authorize golf course players and their caddies to enter upon a lot to recover a ball or play a ball, subject to the official rules of the course, without such entering and playing being deemed a trespass. After a residential dwelling is constructed, such easement shall be limited to that portion of the lot included in the Golf Course Maintenance Easement Area, and recovery of balls only, not play, shall be permitted in such easement area. Golfers or their caddies shall not be entitled to enter on any such lot with a golf cart or other vehicle and shall not spend unreasonable time on such lot. After construction of a residential dwelling on a Golf Fairway Lot, "Out of Bounds" markers may be placed on said lot at the expense of the owner-developer.

E. Owners of Golf Fairway Lots shall be obligated to refrain from any actions which would detract from the playing qualities of the golf course or the development of an attractive overall landscaping plan for the entire golf course area. Such prohibited actions shall include, but are not limited to, the maintenance of fenced or unfenced dogs or other pets on the lot under conditions interfering with play due to their loud barking, running on the fairways, picking up balls or other like interference with play.

F. Notwithstanding the provisions of this paragraph, the owner-developer hereby reserves the right to allow an owner to construct a residential dwelling or other structure over a portion of the "Golf Course Maintenance Easement Area" in those cases where it, in its uncontrolled discretion, determines that such construction will not materially lessen the beauty or playing qualities of the adjacent golf course.

22) In order to implement effective and adequate erosion control to the golf course abutting a lot or other adjoining lots or property of owner-developer and protect the purity and beauty of Smith Mountain Lake, the owner-developer, its successors and assigns, and its agents shall have the right to enter upon any lot before or after a building or structure had been constructed thereon for the purpose of performing

any grading or landscaping work or constructing and maintaining erosion prevention devices. Provided, however, that prior to exercising its right to enter upon the lots for the purpose of performing any grading or landscaping work or constructing or maintaining erosion prevention devices, the owner-developer, its successors and assigns, shall give the owner of the lot the opportunity to take any corrective action required by giving the owner of the lot notice indicating what type of corrective action is required and specifying in that notice that immediate corrective action must be taken by the owner. If the owner of the lot fails to take the corrective action specified immediately, the owner-developer, its successors or assigns, shall then exercise its right to enter upon the lot in order to take the necessary corrective action. The cost of such erosion prevention measures when performed by the owner-developer, its successors or assigns, shall be kept as low as reasonably possible and shall be paid by the owner thereof. Entrance upon a lot pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph shall not be deemed a trespass.

23) In order to implement effective insect, reptile and woods fire control, the owner-developer and its agents have the right to enter upon any lot on which a building or structure had not been constructed and upon which no landscaping plan had been implemented, for the purpose of mowing, removing, clearing, cutting, or pruning underbrush, weeds or other unsightly growth which in the opinion of the owner-developer detracts from the overall beauty, setting and safety for The Water's Edge. The cost of this vegetation control shall be kept as low as reasonably possible and shall be paid by the owner of the lot. The owner-developer and its agents may likewise enter upon such lot to remove any trash which has collected or to abate a threat to Smith Mountain Lake from pollution. Such entry shall not be made until thirty (30) days after the owner of the lot has been notified in writing of the need of such work and unless such owner fails to perform the work within said thirty (30) day period. The provisions in this paragraph shall not be construed as an obligation on the part of the owner-developer to mow, clear, cut or prune any lot, to provide garbage or trash removal services, or to provide water pollution control on any lot. Entrance upon lots pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph shall not be deemed a trespass.

24) In addition, the owner-developer reserves unto itself, its successors and assigns a perpetual, alienable and releasable easement and right on, over and under any lot to dispense pesticides and take other action which in the opinion of the owner-developer is necessary or desirable to control insects, vermin or destructive wild animals, to cut fire breaks and other activities which in the opinion of the owner-developer are necessary or desirable to control fires on any property, or any

improvements thereon. Entrance upon lots pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph shall not be deemed a trespass.

The rights reserved unto the owner-developer in this paragraph and in the two preceding paragraphs above shall not be unreasonably employed and shall be used only where necessary to effect the stated intents and purposes of said paragraphs.

25) Each lot owner shall be responsible for keeping all boats belonging to him or his guests parked and/or docked in a neat and orderly fashion. Storage of any boats or boat trailers shall only be permitted in the areas designated by the owner-developer for such storage. No trailers, recreational vehicles or boat trailers or other similar vehicles shall be allowed to be stored on any lots other than for temporary periods not exceeding 48 hours per period which may be required for minor maintenance or cleaning of the boat or trailer.

26) The owner of each lot shown hereon shall be responsible for the neat and orderly maintenance of such lot, shall provide for sanitary garbage disposal and shall not permit or suffer any garbage, sewage, refuse, waste, or other contaminated matter except normal surface water to be cast, drained or discharged from such lot into the waters of Smith Mountain Lake. The owner shall trim, prune and maintain the grass, trees, shrubs and plantings in a neat and orderly manner upon substantial completion of a residential dwelling house upon the lot. In the event the owner shall fail to comply with the requirements of this paragraph, the owner-developer shall, after reasonable written notice to the owner, have the right to enter upon any such lot to correct the condition causing a violation of this paragraph and the owner shall be responsible for reimbursing the owner-developer for its actual cost in correcting said condition.

27) All animals must be secured by a leash or lead, or under the control of a responsible person and obedient to that person's command at any time they are permitted outside a house or other dwelling or other enclosed area approved by the owner-developer for the maintenance and confinement of animals.

28) The owner-developer reserves unto itself and its successors and assigns, the right to erect and maintain telephone and electric light poles, underground service, conduits, equipment, sewer, gas, cable television systems, water systems and water lines or to grant to others easements of right-of-way, therefore, in the road right-of-way and on, over or under a strip of land ten (10) feet wide at any point along the road right-of-way abutting said lots. In addition to the utility and drainage easements indicated hereon, all lot lines are subject to a fifteen (15) feet drainage and utility easement, the said lot lines being the center of such easements. Open drainage easements shown on

the plat of this Section shall not be obstructed and may be altered or changed only in accordance with plans prepared by a professional engineer, architect or land surveyor and approved by the resident engineer, Virginia Department of Highways and Transportation. Whenever the owner-developer is permitted by these covenants to correct, repair, clean, preserve, clear out or do any action on any property or on the easement areas adjacent thereto, entering the property and taking such action shall not be deemed a trespass. The rights reserved under this paragraph shall include the right of ingress and egress over lots to and from said easements, the right to reasonably cut or trim trees or shrubs as may become necessary and the right to disturb the soil surface for access to underground installations. The owner-developer further reserves the right to designate and reserve other easements and rights-of-way in addition to those shown on the recorded map of this Section over and across the lots in this Section prior to the conveyance by the owner-developer of such lot or lots as may be affected by such easement or right-of-way.

29) In the event of a violation or breach of any of the restrictions contained herein by any lot owner, or agent of such owner, the owners of lots in this Section or any of them, jointly or severally, shall have the right to proceed at law or in equity to compel a compliance to the terms hereof or to prevent the violation or breach in any event. In addition to the foregoing, the owner-developer shall have the right to proceed at law or in equity to compel a compliance to the terms hereof or to prevent the violation or breach in any event. In addition to the foregoing, the owner-developer shall have the right, whenever there shall have been built on any lot any structure which is in violation of these restrictions, to enter upon such lot where such violation exists and summarily abate or remove the same at the expense of the owner, if after thirty (30) days written notice of such violation it shall not have been corrected by the owner. Any such entry and abatement or removal shall not be deemed a trespass. The failure to enforce any rights, reservations, restrictions, or conditions contained in this Declaration, regardless of how long such failure shall continue, shall not constitute a waiver of or a bar to such right to enforce.

30) Invalidation of any one of these covenants by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions hereof, which shall remain in full force and effect.

31) Nothing herein is to be construed to prevent the owner-developer, its heirs or assigns, from placing further restrictions or easements on any lot in the said subdivision which shall not theretofore have been conveyed from it.

The owner-developer reserves the right to assign in whole or in part to an appropriate home owner's association or other

similar entity that may be formed by the owners of lots in The Water's Edge its rights reserved in these covenants to grant approvals or disapprovals, to establish rules and regulations, and all other rights reserved herein by the owner-developer, including but not limited to, the right to approve or disapprove plans, specifications, color, finish, plot plan and construction schedules. Following the assignment of such rights, such entity shall assume all of the owner-developer's obligations which are incident thereto and the owner-developer shall have no further obligation or liability with respect thereto.

The assignment of such right or rights by the owner-developer to said entity shall be made by written instrument which shall be recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Franklin County, Virginia.

32) The owner-developer owns other property adjoining this Section and reserves unto itself, its successors and assigns, the right to develop said area as it shall determine in its sole discretion, whether for single family residential use, multi-family residential use or any other uses reasonably compatible with The Water's Edge development. It is expressly hereby set forth that the covenants, conditions and restrictions contained herein shall be applicable only to Section IV of The Water's Edge and shall in no way be applicable to any other property of the owner-developer adjoining said section or located in the same proximity.

33) The owner-developer reserves unto itself the right to publish and enforce rules and regulations concerning the use of property located within The Water's Edge development, including any areas abutting same located below the 800 foot contour line whether or not flooded by the waters of Smith Mountain Lake. The use of the said land below the 800 foot contour line and the waters of Smith Mountain Lake shall be at the user's risk and in accordance with all applicable rules, regulations, laws, restrictions and conditions of record or otherwise published by any entity or government agency or body properly exercising ownership or jurisdiction as to said area. None of the lots in The Water's Edge, Section IV, or any part of the said lots abut the waters of Smith Mountain Lake, or the 800 foot contour line, or are located below the 800 foot contour line.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness the following signature of Willard Construction of Roanoke Valley, Inc. signed by its President, this 24th day of March, 1988.

WILLARD CONSTRUCTION OF
ROANOKE VALLEY, INC.

By: 
Ronald L. Willard, President

STATE OF VIRGINIA
CITY OF ROANOKE, TO-WIT:

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by
RONALD L. WILLARD, President of WILLARD CONSTRUCTION OF ROANOKE
VALLEY, INC., on behalf of said corporation, this 24th day
of March, 1988.

Betty P. Cunningham
Notary Public

My commission expires:

Nov. 17, 1989