BYLAWS OF

CYPRESS LANDING ASSOCIATION, INC.,

GENERAL PROVISIONS.

- 1.1 <u>Identity</u>. These are the BYLAWS of CYPRESS LANDING ASSOCIATION, INC., hereinafter referred to as the "ASSOCIATION," a corporation not-for-profit formed under the laws of the State of Florida. The ASSOCIATION has been organized for the purposes stated in the ARTICLES and shall have all of the powers provided in these BYLAWS, the ARTICLES, the DECLARATION, and any statute or law of the State of Florida, or any other power incident to any of the above powers.
- 1.2 <u>Principal Office</u>. The principal office of the ASSOCIATION shall be at such place as the BOARD may determine from time to time.
 - 1.3 Fiscal Year. The fiscal year of the ASSOCIATION shall be the calendar year.
- 1.4 <u>Seal</u>. The seal of the ASSOCIATION shall have inscribed upon it the name of the ASSOCIATION, the year of its incorporation and the words "Corporation Not-for-Profit." The seal may be used by causing it, or a facsimile thereof, to be impressed, affixed or otherwise reproduced upon any instrument or document executed in the name of the ASSOCIATION.
- 1.5 Inspection of Books and Records. The books and records of the ASSOCIATION shall be open to inspection by all OWNERS or their authorized representatives, and all holders, insurers or guarantors of any first mortgage encumbering a LOT. Such records of the ASSOCIATION shall include current copies of the DECLARATION, ARTICLES and BYLAWS, and any amendments thereto, any contracts entered into by the ASSOCIATION, and the books, records and financial statements of the ASSOCIATION. The ASSOCIATION shall be required to make available to prospective purchasers of LOTS current copies of the DECLARATION, ARTICLES and BYLAWS, and the most recent annual financial statement of the ASSOCIATION. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any inspection of any books or records of the ASSOCIATION will only be permitted upon reasonable notice, during normal business hours or under reasonable circumstances, and must be for a proper purpose which is reasonably related to an interest that the person making the inspection has or may have in the ASSOCIATION.
- 1.6 <u>Definitions</u>. Unless the context otherwise requires, all terms used in these BYLAWS shall have the same meaning as are attributed to them in the ARTICLES, and the DECLARATION.

2. MEMBERSHIP IN GENERAL.

- 2.1 Qualification. Pursuant to the ARTICLES, all of the record owners of LOTS shall be members of the ASSOCIATION. Membership for each LOT shall be established upon the recording of the DECLARATION. Prior to the recording of the DECLARATION, the incorporator shall be the sole member of the ASSOCIATION, but its membership shall terminate upon the recording of the DECLARATION, unless it owns any LOT(S).
- 2.2 <u>Changes in Membership</u>. The transfer of the ownership of any LOT, either voluntarily or by operation of law, shall automatically terminate the membership of the prior owner, and the transferee or new owner shall automatically become a member of the ASSOCIATION. It shall be the responsibility of any such transferor and transferee of a LOT to notify the ASSOCIATION of any change in the ownership of any LOT, and the corresponding change in any membership, by delivering to the ASSOCIATION a copy of the deed or other instrument of conveyance which establishes a transfer of ownership. In the absence of such notification, the ASSOCIATION shall not be obligated

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to recognize any change in membership or ownership of a LOT for purposes of notice, voting, ASSESSMENTS, or for any other purpose.

2.3 Member Register. The secretary of the ASSOCIATION shall maintain a register in the office of the ASSOCIATION showing the names and addresses of the members of the ASSOCIATION. It shall be the obligation of each member of the ASSOCIATION to advise the secretary of any change of address of the member, or of the change of ownership of the member's LOT, as set forth above. Any member who mortgages his LOT shall notify the ASSOCIATION of the name and address of his mortgagee. Any member who satisfies the mortgage encumbering his LOT shall also notify the ASSOCIATION thereof, and shall file a copy of the satisfaction of mortgage with the ASSOCIATION. The names and addresses of any such mortgagee shall also be maintained in the member register.

3. MEMBERSHIP VOTING.

- 3.1 <u>Voting Rights</u>. The voting rights of the members and of DECLARANT shall be as provided in the ARTICLES.
- 3.2 <u>Majority Vote and Quorum Requirements</u>. The acts approved by a majority of the votes present in person or by proxy at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be binding upon all members and OWNERS for all purposes, except where otherwise provided by law, in the DECLARATION, in the ARTICLES, or in these BYLAWS. Unless otherwise so provided, at any regular or special meeting, the presence in person or by proxy of persons entitled to cast the votes for one-third of the LOTS shall constitute a quorum.

3.3 Determination as to Voting Rights.

- 3.3.1 In the event any LOT is owned by one person, his right to cast the vote for the LOT shall be established by the record title to his LOT.
- 3.3.2 In the event any LOT is owned by more than one person or by an entity, the vote for the LOT may be cast at any meeting by any co-owner of the LOT provided, however, that in the event a dispute arises between the co-owners as to how the vote for the LOT shall be cast, or in the event the co-owners are unable to concur in their decision upon any subject requiring a vote, they shall lose their right to cast the vote for the LOT on the matter being voted upon at that meeting, but their membership shall be counted for purposes of determining the existence of a quorum. For purposes of this paragraph, the principals or partners of any entity (other than a corporation) owning a LOT shall be deemed co-owners of the LOT, and the directors and officers of a corporation owning a LOT shall be deemed co-owners of the LOT.
- 3.3.3 Proxies. Every member entitled to vote at a meeting of the members, or to express consent or dissent without a meeting, may authorize another person or persons to act on the member's behalf by a proxy signed by such member or his attorney-in-fact. Any proxy shall be delivered to the secretary of the meeting at or prior to the time designated in the order of business for delivering proxies. Members may not vote by general proxy, but may vote by limited proxy. Limited proxies and general proxies may be used to establish a quorum. Limited proxies may also be used for votes taken to amend the ARTICLES or BYLAWS or for any matter that requires or permits a vote of the members. Any proxy shall be effective only for the specific meeting for which originally given and any lawfully adjourned meetings thereof. In no event shall any proxy be valid for a period longer than ninety (90) days after the date of the first meeting for which it was given. Every proxy shall be revocable at any time at the pleasure of the member executing it. Every proxy shall specifically set forth the name of the person voting by proxy, and the name of the person authorized to vote the proxy for him. Every proxy shall contain the date, time, and place of the meeting for which the proxy is given, and if a limited proxy, shall set forth those items which the proxy holder may vote, and the manner in which the vote is to be cast.

4. MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS.

- 4.1 Who May Attend. In the event any LOT is owned by more than one person, all co-owners of the LOT may attend any meeting of the members. In the event any LOT is owned by a corporation, any director or officer of the corporation may attend any meeting of the members. However, the vote for any LOT shall be cast in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 3 above. INSTITUTIONAL LENDERS have the right to attend all members meetings.
- 4.2 <u>Place</u>. All meetings of the members shall be held at the principal office of the ASSOCIATION or at such other place and at such time as shall be designated by the BOARD and stated in the notice of meeting.
- 4.3 Notices. Written notice stating the place, day and hour of any meeting and, in the case of a special meeting, the purpose or purposes for which the meeting is called, shall be given by first-class mail or personal delivery to each member entitled to vote at such meeting not less than 10 nor more than 60 days before the date of the meeting, either personally or by first-class mail, by or at the direction of the president, the secretary or the officer or persons calling the meeting. If mailed, such notice shall be deemed to be delivered when deposited in the United States mail addressed to the member at his address as it appears in the records of the ASSOCIATION, with postage thereon prepaid. For the purpose of determining members entitled to notice of, or to vote at, any meeting of the members of the ASSOCIATION, or in order to make a determination of the members for any other purpose, the BOARD shall be entitled to rely upon the member register as same exists ten days prior to the giving of the notice of any meeting, and the BOARD shall not be required to take into account any changes in membership occurring after that date but may, in their sole and absolute discretion, do so. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if a LOT is owned by more than one person or by an entity, only one notice shall be required to be given with respect to the LOT, which may be given to any co-owner as defined in Paragraph 3.3.2 of these BYLAWS. Notice to any member or co-owner shall be sent to the LOT of such member or co-owner, unless the LOT OWNER(S) of the LOT otherwise request.
- 4.4 <u>Waiver of Notice</u>. Whenever any notice is required to be given to any member under the provisions of the ARTICLES or these BYLAWS, or as otherwise provided by law, a waiver thereof in writing signed by the person or persons entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be equivalent to the giving of such notice. Attendance of a member at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except when the member objects at the beginning of the meeting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened.
- 4.5 <u>Annual Meeting</u>. The annual meeting for the purpose of electing directors and transacting any other business shall be held once each year at a time and place to be determined by the BOARD and as is contained in the notice of such meeting. However, so long as DECLARANT is entitled to appoint a majority of the directors of the Association, no annual meetings will be required.
- 4.6 <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special meetings of the members may be called at any time by any director, the president, or at the request, in writing, by not less than 25% of the members, or as otherwise provided by law. Such request shall state the purpose of the proposed meeting. Business transacted at all special meetings shall be confined to the subjects stated in the notice of meeting. Notice of any special meeting shall be given by the secretary, or other officer of the ASSOCIATION, to all of the members within thirty (30) days after same is duly called, and the meeting shall be held within forty-five (45) days after same is duly called.
- 4.7 Adjournments. Any meeting may be adjourned or continued by a majority vote of the members present in person or by proxy and entitled to vote, or if no member entitled to vote is present, then any officer of the ASSOCIATION may adjourn the meeting from time to time. If any meeting is adjourned or continued to another time or place, it shall not be necessary to give any

notice of the adjourned meeting, if the time and place to which the meeting is adjourned are announced at the meeting at which the adjournment is taken, and any business may be transacted at the adjourned meeting that might have been transacted at the original meeting. If the time and place to which the meeting is adjourned are announced at the meeting at which the adjournment is taken, notice of the adjourned meeting may be given to members not present at the original meeting, without giving notice to the members which were present at such meeting.

- 4.8 <u>Organization</u>. At each meeting of the members, the president, the vice president, or any person chosen by a majority of the members present, in that order, shall act as chairman of the meeting. The secretary, or in his absence or inability to act, any person appointed by the chairman of the meeting, shall act as secretary of the meeting.
- 4.9 $\underline{\text{Order of Business}}$. The order of business at the annual meetings of the members shall be:
 - 4.9.1 Determination of chairman of the meeting;
 - 4.9.2 Calling of the roll and certifying of proxies;
 - 4.9.3 Proof of notice of meeting or waiver of notice;
 - 4.9.4 Reading and disposal of any unapproved minutes;
 - 4.9.5 Reports of directors, officers or committees;
 - 4.9.6 Nomination and election of inspectors of election;
 - 4.9.7 Determination of number of directors;
 - 4.9.8 Election of directors:
 - 4.9.9 Unfinished business:
 - 4.9.10 New business; and
 - 4.9.11 Adjournment.
- 4.10 Minutes. The minutes of all meetings of the members shall be kept in a book available for inspection by the members or their authorized representatives, and the directors, upon reasonable notice, during reasonable times, for a proper purpose. The ASSOCIATION shall retain these minutes for a period of not less than seven years.
- 4.11 Actions Without a Meeting. Any action required or permitted to be taken at any annual or special meeting of the members of the ASSOCIATION, may be taken without a meeting, without prior notice, and without a vote if a consent in writing, setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by the members having not less than the minimum number of votes that would be necessary to authorize or take such action at a meeting at which all members entitled to vote thereon were present and voted. Within ten days after obtaining such authorization by written consent, notice shall be given to those members who have not consented in writing. The notice shall fairly summarize the material features of the authorized action. If a LOT is owned by more than one person or by a corporation, the consent for such LOT need only be signed by one person who would be entitled to cast the vote for the LOT as a co-owner pursuant to Paragraph 3.3.2 of these BYLAWS.

DIRECTORS.

5.1 Membership.

- 5.1.1 The affairs of the ASSOCIATION shall be managed by a BOARD of not less than three (3) nor more than nine (9) directors. So long as the DECLARANT is entitled to appoint any director pursuant to the ARTICLES, the number of directors will be determined, and may be changed from time to time, by the DECLARANT by written notice to the BOARD. After the DECLARANT is no longer entitled to appoint any director, the number of directors may be changed at any meeting where the members are to elect any directors (i) by the then existing BOARD, if prior to such meeting of the members the BOARD votes to change the number of directors and such change is indicated in the notice of the meeting sent to the members, or (ii) by the members at the meeting prior to the election of directors. If the number of directors on the BOARD is not changed, then the number of directors shall be the same as the number on the BOARD prior to such meeting (plus any unfilled vacancies created by the death, resignation or removal of a director). In any event there shall always be an odd number of directors.
- 5.2 <u>Election of Directors by Members</u>. Election of directors to be elected by the members of the ASSOCIATION shall be conducted in the following manner:
- 5.2.1 Within 60 days after the members other than the DECLARANT are entitled to elect any directors, as provided in the ARTICLES, or within 60 days after the DECLARANT notifies the ASSOCIATION that it waives its right to appoint one or more directors, the ASSOCIATION shall call, and give not less than 30 days nor more than 45 days notice of, a special meeting of the members to elect any directors the members are then entitled to elect, or to replace the appropriate number of directors previously appointed by the DECLARANT. Such special meeting may be called and the notice given by any member if the ASSOCIATION fails to do so. At such special meeting the members shall be required to elect any directors which they are entitled to elect, and if they fail to do so any directors appointed by DECLARANT which would have been replaced by any directors elected by the members may resign without further liability or obligation to the ASSOCIATION. In the event such a special meeting is called and held, at the meeting the members may elect not to hold the next annual meeting of the members if such next annual meeting would be less than 4 months after the date of the special meeting, and upon such election the next annual meeting of the members shall not be held.
- 5.2.2 Except as provided above, the members shall elect directors at the annual members' meetings.
- 5.2.3 Prior to any special or annual meeting at which directors are to be elected by the members, the existing BOARD may nominate a committee, which committee shall nominate one person for each director to be elected by the members, on the basis that the number of directors to serve on the BOARD will not be altered by the members at the members meeting. Nominations for additional directorships created at the meeting shall be made from the floor, and other nominations may be made from the floor.
- 5.2.4 The election of directors by the members shall be by ballot that the member personally casts (unless dispensed with by unanimous consent) and by a plurality of the votes cast, each member voting being entitled to cast his votes for each of as many nominees as there are vacancies to be filled. There shall be no cumulative voting.
- 5.3 <u>Term of Office</u>. All directors elected by the members shall hold office until the next annual meeting of the members and until their successors are duly elected, or until such director's death, resignation or removal, as hereinafter provided or as otherwise provided by statute or by the ARTICLES.

- 5.4 <u>Organizational Meeting</u>. The newly elected BOARD shall meet for the purposes of organization, the election of officers and the transaction of other business immediately after their election or within ten (10) days of same at such place and time as shall be fixed by the directors at the meeting at which they were elected, and no further notice of the organizational meeting shall be necessary.
- 5.5 <u>Regular Meetings</u>. Regular meetings of the BOARD may be held at such time and place as shall be determined, from time to time, by a majority of the directors. During the period when DECLARANT appoints a majority of the Directors, no regular meetings of the BOARD will be required.
- 5.6 <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special meetings of the BOARD may be called by any director, or by the president, at any time.
- 5.7 Notice of Meetings. Notice of each meeting of the BOARD shall be given by the secretary, or by any other officer or director, which notice shall state the day, place and hour of the meeting. Notice of such meeting shall be delivered to each director either personally or by telephone or telegraph, at least 48 hours before the time at which such meeting is to be held, or by first class mail, postage prepaid, addressed to such director at his residence, or usual place of business, at least three days before the day on which such meeting is to be held. Notice of a meeting of the BOARD need not be given to any director who signs a waiver of notice either before or after the meeting. Notice of any meeting of the BOARD shall not be required to be given to the members or posted unless otherwise required by law. Notice of any meeting in which ASSESSMENTS are to be established shall specifically contain a statement that ASSESSMENTS shall be considered and a statement of the nature of such ASSESSMENTS. Attendance of a director at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting and a waiver of any and all objections to the place of the meeting, the time of the meeting, or the manner in which it has been called or convened, except when a director states, at the beginning of the meeting, an objection to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened. Neither the business to be transacted at, nor the purpose of, any regular or special meeting of the BOARD need be specified in any notice or waiver of notice of such meeting.
- 5.8 Quorum and Manner of Acting. A majority of the directors determined in the manner provided in these BYLAWS shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business at a meeting of the BOARD. The act of the majority of the directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the BOARD, unless the act of a greater number of directors is required by statute, the DECLARATION, the ARTICLES, or by these BYLAWS. A director may join by written concurrence in any action taken at a meeting of the BOARD but such concurrence may not be used for the purposes of creating a quorum.
- 5.9 Adjourned Meetings. A majority of the directors present at a meeting, whether or not a quorum exists, may adjourn any meeting of the BOARD to another place and time. Notice of any such adjourned meeting shall be given to the directors who are not present at the time of the adjournment, and, unless the time and place of the adjourned meeting are announced at the time of the adjournment, to the other directors. At any adjourned meeting, any business that might have been transacted at the meeting as originally called may be transacted without further notice.
- 5.10 <u>Presiding Officer</u>. The presiding officer of the BOARD meetings shall be the chairman of the BOARD if such an officer is elected; and if none, the president of the ASSOCIATION shall preside. In the absence of the presiding officer, the directors shall designate one of their members to preside.
 - 5.11 Order of Business. The order of business at a BOARD meeting shall be:

5.11.1 Calling of roll;

- 5.11.2 Proof of due notice of meeting;
- 5.11.3 Reading and disposal of any unapproved minutes;
- 5.11.4 Reports of officers and committees;
- 5.11.5 Election of officers:
- 5.11.6 Unfinished business:
- 5.11.7 New business; and
- 5.11.8 Adjournment.
- 5.12 Minutes of Meetings. The minutes of all meetings of the BOARD shall be kept in a book available for inspection by the members of the ASSOCIATION, or their authorized representatives, and the directors, upon reasonable notice, during reasonable times, for a proper purpose. The ASSOCIATION shall retain these minutes for a period of not less than seven years.
- 5.13 <u>Committees</u>. The BOARD may, by resolution duly adopted, appoint committees. Any committee shall have and may exercise such powers, duties and functions as may be determined by the BOARD from time to time, which may include any powers which may be exercised by the BOARD and which are not prohibited by law from being exercised by a committee.
- 5.14 <u>Resignation</u>. Any director may resign at any time by giving written notice of his resignation to another director or officer. Any such resignation shall take effect at the time specified therein or, if the time when such resignation is to become effective is not specified therein, immediately upon its receipt, and, unless otherwise specified therein, the acceptance of such resignation shall not be necessary to make it effective.
 - 5.15 Removal of Directors. Directors may be removed as follows:
- 5.15.1 Any director other than a director appointed by the DECLARANT may be removed by majority vote of the remaining directors, if such director has been absent for the last three consecutive BOARD meetings, and/or adjournments and continuances of such meetings.
- 5.15.2 Any director other than a director appointed by the DECLARANT may be removed with or without cause by the vote of a majority of the members of the ASSOCIATION at a special meeting of the members called by not less than ten percent of the members of the ASSOCIATION expressly for that purpose. The vacancy on the BOARD caused by any such removal may be filled by the members at such meeting or, if the members shall fail to fill such vacancy, by the BOARD, as in the case of any other vacancy on the BOARD.

5.16 Vacancies.

5.16.1 Vacancies in the BOARD may be filled by a majority vote of the directors then in office, though less than a quorum, or by a sole remaining director, and a director so chosen shall hold office until the next annual election and until his successor is duly elected, unless sooner displaced. If there are no directors, then a special election of the members shall be called to elect the directors. Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, the DECLARANT at all times shall have the right to appoint the maximum number of directors permitted by the ARTICLES, and any vacancies on the BOARD may be filled by the DECLARANT to the extent that the number of directors then serving on the BOARD which were appointed by the DECLARANT is less than the number of directors the DECLARANT is then entitled to appoint.

- 5.16.2 In the event the ASSOCIATION fails to fill vacancies on the BOARD sufficient to constitute a quorum in accordance with these BYLAWS, any LOT OWNER may apply to the Circuit Court of the County in which the SUBJECT PROPERTY is located for the appointment of a receiver to manage the affairs of the ASSOCIATION. At least thirty (30) days prior to applying to the Circuit Court, the LOT OWNER shall mail to the ASSOCIATION a notice describing the intended action giving the ASSOCIATION the opportunity to fill the vacancies. If during such time the ASSOCIATION fails to fill the vacancies, the LOT OWNER may proceed with the petition. If a receiver is appointed, the ASSOCIATION shall be responsible for the salary of the receiver, court costs, and attorneys' fees. The receiver shall have all powers and duties of a duly constituted member of the BOARD, and shall serve until the ASSOCIATION fills vacancies on the BOARD sufficient to constitute a quorum.
- 5.17 Directors Appointed by the DECLARANT. Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, the DECLARANT shall have the right to appoint the maximum number of directors in accordance with the privileges granted to the DECLARANT pursuant to the ARTICLES. All directors appointed by the DECLARANT shall serve at the pleasure of the DECLARANT, and the DECLARANT shall have the absolute right, at any time, and in its sole discretion, to remove any director appointed by it, and to replace such director with another person to serve on the BOARD. Replacement of any director appointed by the DECLARANT shall be made by written instrument delivered to any officer or any other director, which instrument shall specify the name of the person designated as successor director. The removal of any director and the designation of his successor by the DECLARANT shall become effective immediately upon delivery of such written instrument by the DECLARANT.
- 5.18 <u>Compensation</u>. The Directors shall not be entitled to any compensation for serving as Directors unless the members approve such compensation, provided however, the ASSOCIATION may reimburse any Director for expenses incurred on behalf of the ASSOCIATION without approval of the members.
- 5.19 <u>Powers and Duties</u>. The directors shall have the right to exercise all of the powers and duties of the ASSOCIATION, express or implied, existing under these BYLAWS, the ARTICLES, the DECLARATION, or as otherwise provided by statute or law.

6. OFFICERS.

- 6.1 Members and Qualifications. The officers of the ASSOCIATION shall include a president, a vice president, a treasurer and a secretary, all of whom shall be elected by the directors and may be preemptively removed from office with or without cause by the directors. Any person may hold two or more offices except that the president shall not also be the secretary. The BOARD may, from time to time, elect such other officers and designate their powers and duties as the BOARD shall find to be appropriate to manage the affairs of the ASSOCIATION from time to time. Each officer shall hold office until the meeting of the BOARD following the next annual meeting of the members, or until his successor shall have been duly elected and shall have qualified, or until his death, or until he shall have resigned, or until he shall have been removed, as provided in these BYLAWS.
- 6.2 <u>Resignations</u>. Any officer may resign at any time by giving written notice of his resignation to any director or officer. Any such resignation shall take effect at the time specified therein, or if there is no time specified therein, immediately upon its receipt; and unless otherwise specified therein, the acceptance of such resignation shall not be necessary to make such resignation effective.
- 6.3 <u>Vacancies</u>. A vacancy in any office, whether arising from death, resignation, removal or any other cause may be filled for the unexpired portion of the term of the office which shall be vacant in the manner prescribed in these BYLAWS for the regular election or appointment of such office.

- 6.4 <u>The President</u>. The president shall be the chief executive officer of the ASSOCIATION. He shall have all of the powers and duties which are usually vested in the office of president of an association or corporation including, but not limited to, the power to appoint committees from among the members from time to time, as he may in his discretion deem appropriate to assist in the conduct of the affairs of the ASSOCIATION.
- 6.5 <u>The Vice President</u>. The vice president shall, in the absence or disability of the president, exercise the powers and perform the duties of the president. He shall also assist the president generally and exercise such other powers and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the directors.
- 6.6 The Secretary. The secretary shall prepare and keep the minutes of all proceedings of the directors and the members. He shall attend to the giving and serving of all notices to the members and directors and other notices required by law. He shall have custody of the seal of the ASSOCIATION and affix the same to instruments requiring a seal when duly executed. He shall keep the records of the ASSOCIATION, except those of the treasurer, and shall perform all other duties incident to the office of secretary of an association, and as may be required by the directors or the president.
- 6.7 The Treasurer. The treasurer shall have custody of all property of the ASSOCIATION, including funds, securities, and evidences of indebtedness. He shall keep books of account for the ASSOCIATION in accordance with good accounting practices, which, together with substantiating papers, shall be made available to the BOARD for examination at reasonable times. He shall submit a Treasurer's Report to the BOARD at reasonable intervals and shall perform all other duties incident to the office of treasurer. He shall collect all ASSESSMENTS and shall report to the BOARD the status of collections as requested.
- 6.8 Compensation. The officers shall not be entitled to compensation unless the BOARD specifically votes to compensate them. However, neither this provision, nor the provision that directors will not be compensated unless otherwise determined by the members, shall preclude the BOARD from employing a director or an officer as an employee of the ASSOCIATION and compensating such employee, nor shall they preclude the ASSOCIATION from contracting with a director for the management of property subject to the jurisdiction of the ASSOCIATION, or for the provision of services to the ASSOCIATION, and in either such event to pay such director a reasonable fee for such management or provision of services.

7. FINANCES AND ASSESSMENTS.

- 7.1 ASSESSMENT ROLL. The ASSOCIATION shall maintain an ASSESSMENT roll for each LOT, designating the name and current mailing address of the OWNER, the amount of each ASSESSMENT against such OWNER, the dates and amounts in which the ASSESSMENTS come due, the amounts paid upon the account of the OWNER, and the balance due.
- 7.2 <u>Depositories</u>. The funds of the ASSOCIATION shall be deposited in such banks and depositories as may be determined and approved by appropriate resolutions of the BOARD from time to time. Funds shall be withdrawn only upon checks and demands for money signed by such officers, directors or other persons as may be designated by the BOARD. Fidelity bonds as required by the DECLARATION shall be required of all signatories on any account of the ASSOCIATION.
- 7.3 <u>Depositing of Payments</u>. All sums collected by the ASSOCIATION from ASSESSMENTS may be deposited in a single fund or divided into more than one fund, as determined by the BOARD.
- 7.4 Accounting Records and Reports. The ASSOCIATION shall maintain accounting records according to good accounting practices. The records shall be open to inspection by OWNERS and

INSTITUTIONAL LENDERS or their authorized representatives, at reasonable times. The records shall include, but not be limited to, (a) a record of all receipts and expenditures, and (b) the ASSESSMENT roll of the members referred to above. The BOARD may, and upon the vote of a majority of the members shall, conduct a review of the accounts of the ASSOCIATION by a certified public accountant, and if such a review is made, a copy of the report shall be furnished to each member, or their authorized representative, within fifteen days after same is completed.

7.5 <u>Reserves</u>. The budget of the ASSOCIATION shall provide for a reserve fund for the periodic maintenance, repair and replacement of improvements to the COMMON AREAS and those other portions of the SUBJECT PROPERTY which the ASSOCIATION is obligated to maintain.

8. PARLIAMENTARY RULES.

8.1 Roberts' Rules of Order (latest edition) shall govern the conduct of the ASSOCIATION meetings when not in conflict with any DECLARATION, the ARTICLES or these BYLAWS.

9. AMENDMENTS.

Except as otherwise provided, these BYLAWS may be amended in the following manner:

- 9.1 <u>Notice</u>. Notice of the subject matter of a proposed amendment shall be included in the notice of any meeting at which a proposed amendment is to be considered.
- 9.2 <u>Initiation</u>. A resolution to amend these BYLAWS may be proposed either by any director, or by or at the direction of 25% percent or more of the members of the ASSOCIATION.

9.3 Adoption of Amendments.

- 9.3.1 A resolution for the adoption of the proposed amendment shall be adopted by not less than a majority of the votes of the entire membership of the ASSOCIATION.
- 9.3.2 Notwithstanding the foregoing, these BYLAWS may be amended solely by the BOARD, upon the unanimous vote of the directors and without the vote or approval of the members, if the purpose of such amendment is solely to conform these BYLAWS to the provisions of any applicable statute of the State of Florida, including any amendment to any statute hereafter adopted.
- 9.3.3 Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, so long as the DECLARANT is entitled to appoint a majority of the directors, the DECLARANT shall have the right to unilaterally amend these BYLAWS without the joinder or approval of the BOARD or any member, and so long as the DECLARANT owns any LOT, no amendment to these BYLAWS shall be effective without the written approval of the DECLARANT.
- 9.4 No amendment shall make any changes in the qualification for membership nor in the voting rights or property rights of members without approval by all of the members and the joinder of all record owners of mortgages upon the LOTS. No amendment shall be made that is in conflict with the DECLARATION or the ARTICLES. Prior to the closing of the sale of all LOTS, no amendment shall make any changes which would in any way affect any of the rights, privileges, powers or options herein provided in favor of, or reserved to, the DECLARANT, unless the DECLARANT shall join in the execution of the amendment, including, but not limited to, any right of the DECLARANT to appoint directors.
- 9.5 No amendment to these BYLAWS shall be made which discriminates against any OWNER(S), or affects less than all of the OWNERS without the written approval of all of the OWNERS so discriminated against or affected.

9.6 Execution and Recording. No modification of, or amendment to, the BYLAWS shall be valid until recorded in the public records of the county in which the SUBJECT PROPERTY is located.

10. MISCELLANEOUS.

- 10.1 <u>Tenses and Genders</u>. The use of any gender or of any tense in these BYLAWS shall refer to all genders or to all tenses, wherever the context so requires.
- 10.2 <u>Partial Invalidity</u>. Should any of the provisions hereof be void or become unenforceable at law or in equity, the remaining provisions shall, nevertheless, be and remain in full force and effect.
- 10.3 <u>Conflicts</u>. In the event of any conflict, the DECLARATION, the ARTICLES, and these BYLAWS, shall govern, in that order.
- 10.4 <u>Captions</u>. Captions are inserted herein only as a matter of convenience and for reference, and in no way are intended to or shall define, limit or describe the scope of these BYLAWS or the intent of any provisions hereof.
- 10.5 Waiver of Objections. The failure of the BOARD or any officers of the ASSOCIATION to comply with any terms and provisions of the DECLARATION, the ARTICLES, or these BYLAWS which relate to time limitations shall not, in and of itself, invalidate the act done or performed. Any such failure shall be waived if it is not objected to by a member of the ASSOCIATION within ten (10) days after the member is notified, or becomes aware, of the failure. Furthermore, if such failure occurs at a general or special meeting, the failure shall be waived as to all members who received notice of the meeting or appeared and failed to object to such failure at the meeting.



SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT **ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE** STANDARD GENERAL PERMIT NO. 36-04498-P DATE ISSUED: March 4, 2003

Form #0941 08/95

PERMITTEE: QUINTON B MCNEW TRUST

5571 HALIFAX AVENUE FORT MYERS, FL 33912 QUINTON B MCNEW TRUST 5571 HALIFAX AVENUE FORT MYERS, FL 33912

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: This application is a request for an Environmental Resource Permit authorizing construction and operation of a surface water management system serving 33.73 acres of a residential development known as WINKLER 39 with discharge into Heritage Palms SWM system.

PROJECT LOCATION:

LEE COUNTY.

SEC 4 TWP 45S RGE 25E

PERMIT DURATION:

See Special Condition No:1. See attached Rule 40E-4.321, Florida Administrative

This is to notify you of the District's agency action concerning Notice of Intent for Permit Application No. 921101-12, dated November 1, 2002. This action is taken pursuant to Rule 40E-1.693 and Chapter 40E-40 , Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

Based on the Information provided, District rules have been adhered to and an Environmental Pesource General Permit is in effect for this

- Not receiving a filed request for a Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, administrative hearing.
- the attached 19 General Conditions (See Pages: 2 4 of 5).
- the attached 14 Special Conditions (See Pages : 5 5 of 5) and 3.
- 4. The attached 6 Exhibit(s).

Should you object to these conditions, please refer to the attached "Notice of Rights" which addresses the procedures to be followed if you desire a public hearing or other review of the proposed agency action. Please contact this office if you have any questions concerning this matter. If we do not hear from you in accordance with the "Notice of Rights," we will assume that you concur with the District's action.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a "Notice of Rights" has been mailed to the Permittee (and the persons listed in the attached distribution list) no jater than 5:00 p.m. on this 4th day of March, 2003, in accordance with Section 120.60(3) Florida Statutes.

Carla N. Palmer, P.E.

Director

Lower West Coast Service Center

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Exhibit "D"

NOTICE OF RIGHTS

Section 120.589(1), Fig. Stat. (1999), requires that "each notice shall inform the recipient of any administrative hearing or judicial review that is available under this section, s. 120.57, or s. 120.68; shall indicate the procedure which must be followed to obtain the hearing or judicial review, and shall state the time limits which apply." Please note that this Notice of appropriate remedy. You may wish to consult an attorney regarding your legal rights.

Petition for Administrative Proceedings

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- 1. A person whose substantial interests are affected by the South Florida Water Management District's (SFVMD) action has the right to request an administrative hearing on that action. The affected person may request either a formal or an informal hearing, as set forth below. A point of entry into administrative proceedings is governed by Rules 28-106.111 and 40E-1.511, Fla. Admin. Code, (also published as an exception to the Uniform Rules of Procedure as Rule 40E-0.109), as set forth below. Petitions are deemed filed upon receipt of the original documents by the SFWMD Clerk.
- a. Formal Administrative Hearing: If a genuine issue(s) of material fact is in dispute, the affected person seeking a formal hearing on a SFWMD decision which does or may determine their substantial interests shall file a petition for hearing pursuant to Sections 120.569 and 120.57(1), Fla. Stat. or for mediation pursuant to Section 120.573, Fla. Stat. within 21 days, except as provided in subsections c. and d. below, of either written notice through mail or posting or publication of notice that the SFWMD has or intends to take final agency action. Petitions must substantially compty with the requirements of Rule 28-106.201(2), Fla. Admin. Code, a copy of the which is attached to this Notice of Rights.
- b. Informal Administrative Hearing: If there are no issues of material fact in dispute, the affected person seeking an informal hearing on a SFVVMD decision which does or may determine their substantial interests shall file a petition for hearing pursuant to Sections 120.569 and 120.57(2). Fla. Stat. or for mediation pursuant to Section 120.573, Fla. Stat. within 21 days, except as provided in subsections c. and d. below, of either written notice through mell or posting or publication of notice that the SFVVMD has or intends to take final agency action. Petitions must substantially comply with the requirements of Rule 28-106.301(2), Fla. Admin. Code, a copy of the which is attached to this Notice of Rights.
- C. Administrative Complaint and Order.

 If a Respondent objects to a SFWMD Administrative Complaint and Order, pursuant to Section 373.119, Fla. Stat. (1997), the person named in the Administrative Complaint and Order may file a petition for a hearing no later than 14 days after the date such order is served. Petitions must substantially comply with the requirements of either subsoction a. or b. above

- d. State Lands Environmental Resource Permit: Pursuant to Section 373.427, Fla. Stat., and Rule 40E-1.511(3), Fla. Admin. Code (also published as an exception to the Uniform Rules of Procedure as Rule 40E-0.109(2)(c)), a petition objecting to the SFWMD's agency action regarding consolidated applications for Environmental Resource Permits and Use of Sovereign Submerged Lands (SLERPs), must be filed within 14 days of the notice of consolidated intent to grant or deny the SLERP. Petitions must substantially comply with the requirements of either subsection a. or b. above.
- e <u>Emergency Authorization and Order</u>
 A person whose substantial interests are affected by a SFWMD Emergency Authorization and Order, has a right to file a petition under Sections 120.569, 120.57(1), and 120.57(2), Fla. Stat., as provided in subsections a and b. above. However, the person, or the agent of the person responsible for causing or contributing to the emergency conditions shall take whatever action necessary to cause immediate compliance with the terms of the Emergency Authorization and Order.
- f. Order for Emergency Action: A person whose substantial interests are affected by a SFWMD Order for Emergency Action has a right to fite a petition pursuant to Rules 28-107.005 and 40E-1.611, Fla. Admin. Code, copies of which are attached to this Notice of Rights. and Section 373.119(3), Fla. Stat., for a hearing on the Order. Any subsequent agency action or proposed agency action to initiate a formal revocation proceeding shall be separately noticed pursuant to section g. below.
- Annulment, and Withdrawal: If the SFVVMD issues an administrative complaint to suspend, revoke, annul, or withdraw a permit, the permittee may request a hearing to be conducted in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Fla. Stat., within 21 days of either written notice through mail or posting or publication of notice that the SFWMD has or intends to take final agency action. Petitions must substantially comply with the requirements of Rule 28-107.004(3), Fla. Admin. Code, a copy of the which is attached to this Notice of Rights.
- 2. Because the administrative hearing process is designed to formulate final agency action, the filing of a petition means that the SFWMD's final action may be different from the position taken by it previously Persons whose substantial interests may be affected by

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any such final decision of the SFWMD shall have, pursuant to Rule 40E-1.511(2), Fla. Admin. Code (also published as an exception to the Uniform Rules of Procedure as Rule 40E-0.109(2)(c)), an additional 21 days from the date of receipt of notice of said decision to request an administrative hearing. However, the scope of the administrative hearing shall be limited to the substantial deviation.

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- 3. Pursuant to Rule 40E-1.511(4). Fla. Admin. Code, substantially affected persons entitled to a hearing pursuant to Section 120.57(1), Fla. Stat., may waive their right to such a hearing and request an informal hearing before the Governing Board pursuant to Section 120.57(2). Fla. Stat., which may be granted at the option of the Governing Board.
- 4. Pursuant to Rule 28-106.111(3), Fla. Admin. Code, persons may file with the SFWMD a request for extension of time for filing a petition. The SFWMD, for good cause shown, may grant the extension. The request for extension must contain a certificate that the petitioner has consulted with all other parties, if any, concerning the extension and that the SFWMD and all other parties agree to the extension.

CIRCUIT COURT

- 5. Pursuant to Section 373.617, Fla. Stat., any substantially affected person who claims that final agency action of the SFVMD relating to permit decisions constitutes an unconstitutional taking of property without just compensation may seek judicial review of the action in circuit court by filing a civil action in the circuit court in the judicial circuit in which the affected property is located within 90 days of the rendering of the SFVMD's final agency action.
- 6. Pursuant to Section 403.412, Fla. Stat., any citizen of Florida may bring an action for injunctive relief against the SFVMD to compel the SFVMD to enforce the laws of Chapter 373, Fla. Stat., and Title 40E, Fla. Admin. Code. The complaining party must file with the SFVMD Clerk a verified complaint setting forth the facts upon which the complaining party is affected. If the SFVMD does not take appropriate action on the complaint within 30 days of receipt, the complaining party may then file a civil suit for injunctive relief in the 15° Judicial Circuit in and for Palm Beach County or circuit court in the county where the cause of action allegedly occurred.
- 7. Pursuant to Section 373.433, Fla. Stat., a private citizen of Florida may file suit in circuit court to require the abalement of any stormwater management system, dam, impoundment, reservoir, appurtenant work or works that violate the provisions of Chapter 373, Fla. Stat.

DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL

8. Pursuant to Section 120.68, Fla. Stat., a party who is adversely affected by final SFVMD action may seek judicial review of the SFWMD's final decision by filing a notice of appeal pursuant to Florida Rule of Appellate Procedure 9.110 in the Fourth District Court of Appeal or in the appellate district where a party resides and filing a second copy of the notice with the SFWMD Clerk within 30 days of rendering of the final SFWMD action.

LAND AND WATER ADJUDICATORY COMMISSION

9. A party to a "proceeding below" may seek review by the Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission (FLAWAC) of SFWMD's final agency action to determine if such action is consistent with the provisions and purposes of Chapter 373, Fla. Stat. Pursuant to Section 373.114, Fla. Stat., and Rules 42-2.013 and 42-2.0132. Fla. Admin. Code, a request for review of (a) an order or rule of the SFWMD must be filed with FLAWAC within 20 days after rendition of the order or adoption of the rule sought to be reviewed; (b) an order of the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) requiring amendment or repeal of a SFWMD rule must be filed with FLAWAC within 30 days of rendition of the DEP's order, and (c) a SFWMD order entered pursuant to a formal administrative hearing under Section 120.57(1), Fla. Stat., must be filed no later than 20 days after rendition of the SFWMD's final order. Simultaneous with filing, a copy of the request for review must be served on the DEP Secretary, any person named in the SFWMD or DEP final order, and all parties to the proceeding below. A copy of Rule 42-2.013, Fla. Admin Code is attached to this Notice of Rights.

PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS PROTECTION ACT

10. A property owner who alleges a specific action of the SFWMD has inordinately burdened an existing use of the real property, or a vested right to a specific use of the real property, may file a claim in the circuit court where the real property is located within 1 year of the SFWMD action pursuant to the procedures set forth in Subsection 70.001(4)(a), Fla. Stat.

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development order (as that term is defined in Section 70.51(2)(a). Fla. Stat. to include permits) or SFWMD enforcement action is unreasonable, or unfainty burdens the use of the real property, may file a request for relief with the SFWMD within 30 days of receipt of the SFWMD's order or notice of agency action pursuant to the procedures set forth in Subsections 70.51(4) and (8), Fla. Stat.

MEDIATION

or may be, affected by the SPWMD's action may choose mediation as an alternative remedy under Section 120.573. Fla. Stat. Pursuant to Rule 28-106.111(2), Fia. Admin. Code, the petition for mediation shall be filed within 21 days of either written notice through mail or posting or

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publication of notice that the SFWMD has or intends to take final agency action. Choosing mediation will not affect the right to an administrative hearing if mediation does not result in settlement.

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Pursuant to Rule 28-106.402, Fig. Admin. Code, the contents of the petition for mediation shall contain the following information:

- (1) the name, address, and telephone number of the person requesting mediation and that person's representative, if any:
- a statement of the preliminary agency (2) action:
- an explanation of how the person's substantial interests will be affected by the agency determination; and
- a statement of relief sought. As provided in Section 120.573, Fig. Stat. (1997), the timely agreement of all the parties to mediate will toll the time limitations imposed by Sections 120,569 and 120,57, Fia. Stat., for requesting and holding an administrative hearing. Unless otherwise agreed by the parties, the mediation must be concluded within 60 days of the execution of the agreement. If mediation results in settlement of the dispute, the SFWMD must enter a final order incorporating the agreement of the parties. Persons whose substantial interest will be affected by such a modified agency decision have a right to petition for hearing within 21 days of receipt of the final order in accordance with the requirements of Sections 120,569 and 120.57, Fla. Stat., and SFWMD Rule 28-106.201(2), Fla. Admin. Code. If mediation terminates without settlement of the dispute, the SFWMD shall notify all parties in writing that the administrative hearing process under Sections 120.559 and 120.57. Fla. Stat., remain available for disposition of the dispute, and the notice will specify the deadlines that then will apply for challenging the agency action.

VARIANCES AND WAIVERS

- A person who is subject to regulation pursuant to a SFVVMD rule and believes the application of that rule will create a substantial hardship or will violate principles of fairness (as those terms are defined in Subsection 120.542(2), Fig. Stat.) and can demonstrate that the purpose of the underlying statute will be or has been achieved by other means, may file a petition with the SFWIMD Clerk requesting a variance from or waiver of the SFVVMD rule. Applying for a variance or waiver does not substitute or extend the time for filing a petition for an administrative hearing or exercising any other right that a person may have concerning the SPVVMD's action. Pursuant to Rule 28-104.002(2), Fla. Admin. Code, the petition must include the following information:
- the caption shall read: Petition for (Variance from) or (Waiver of) Rule (Citation)
- The name, address, telephone number and any facsimile number of the petitioner;

- The name, address telephone number and any facsimile number of the attorney or qualified representative of the petitioner, (if any);
 - the applicable rule or portion of the rule,
- the citation to the statue the rule is (e) implementing:
 - **(f)** the type of action requested;
- the specific facts that demonstrate a substantial hardship or violation of principals of fairness that would justify a waiver or variance for the petitioner,
- the reason why the variance or the waiver requested would serve the purposes of the underlying statute; and
- a statement of whether the variance or waiver is permanent or temporary. If the variance or waiver is temporary, the petition shall include the dates indicating the duration of the requested variance or waiver.
- A person requesting an emergency variance from or waiver of a SFWMD rule must clearly so state in the caption of the petition. In addition to the requirements of Section 120.542(5), Fla. Stat. pursuant to Rule 28-104.004(2), Fla. Admin. Code, the petition must also include:
- a) the specific facts that make the situation an emergency; and
- b) the specific facts to show that the petitioner will suffer immediate adverse effect unless the variance or waiver is issued by the SFWWD more expeditiously than the applicable timeframes set forth in Section 120 542. Fla.

WAIVER OF RIGHTS

Failure to observe the relevant time frames prescribed above will constitute a waiver of such right.

28-106.201 INITIATION OF PROCEEDINGS (MVOLVMG DISPUTED ISSUES OF MATERIAL FACT)

- All petitions filed under these rules shall contain: (a) The name and address of each agency affected and each agency's file or identification number, if known;
- (b) The name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner; the name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner's representative. If any, which shall be the address for service purposes during the course of the proceeding, and an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial interests will be affected by the agency
- (c) A statement of when and how the petitioner received notice of the agency decision:
- (d) A statement of all disputed issues of material fact. If there are none, the petition must so indicate:
- (e) A concise statement of the ultimate facts alleged. as well as the rules and statutes which entitle the petitioner to relief; and
 - (f) A demand for relief.

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28-106.301 INITIATION OF PROCEEDINGS (NOT INVOLVING DISPUTED ISSUES OF MATERIAL FACT)

- (2) All petitions filed under these rules shall contain:
- (a) The name and address of each agency affected and each agency's file or identification number, if known;
- (b) The name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner, the name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner's representative, if any, which shall be the address for service purposes during the course of the proceeding, and an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial interests will be affected by the agency determination;
- (c) A statement of when and how the petitioner received notice of the agency decision:
- (d) A concise statement of the ultimate facts elleged, as well as the rules and statutes which entitle the petitioner to relief; and
 - (e) A demand for relief.

28-107.004 SUSPENSION, REVOCATION, ANNULMENT, OR WITHDRAWAL

- (3) Requests for hearing filed in accordance with this rule shall include:
- (a) The name and address of the party making the request, for purposes of service;
- (b) A statement that the party is requesting a hearing involving disputed issues of material fact, or a hearing not involving disputed issues of material fact; and
- (c) A reference to the notice, order to show cause, administrative complaint, or other communication that the party has received from the agency.

42-2-013 REQUEST FOR REVIEW PURSUANT TO SECTION 373.114 OR 373.217

- (1) In any proceeding arising under Chapter 373, F.S., review by the Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission may be initiated by the Department or a party by filing a request for such review with the Secretary of the Commission and serving a copy on any person named in the rule or order, and on all parties to the proceeding which resulted in the order sought to be reviewed. A certificate of service showing completion of service as required by this subsection shall be a requirement for a determination of sufficiency under Rule 42-2.0132. Failure to file the request with the Commission within the time period provided in Rule 42-2.0132 shall result in dismissal of the request for review.
- (2) The request for review shall identify the rule or order requested to be reviewed, the proceeding in which the rule or order was entered and the nature of the rule or order. A copy of the rule or order sought to be reviewed shall be attached. The request for review shall state with particularity;
- (a) How the order or rule conflicts with the requirements, provisions and purposes of Chapter 373, F.S., or rules duly adopted thereunder;

- (b) How the rule or order sought to be reviewed affects the interests of the party seeking review;
- (c) The oral or written statement, sworn or unsworn, which was submitted to the agency concerning the matter to be reviewed and the date and location of the statement, if the individual or entity requesting the review has not participated in a proceeding previously instituted pursuant to Chapter 120, F.S., on the order for which review is sought;
- (d) If review of an order is being sought, whether and how the activity authorized by the order would substantially affect natural resources of statewide or regional significance, or whether the order raises issues of policy, statutory interpretation, or rule interpretation that have regional or statewide significance from a standpoint of agency precedent, and all the factual bases in the record which the petitioner claims support such determination(s); and
- (e) The action requested to be taken by the Commission as a result of the review, whether to rescind or modify the order, or remand the proceeding to the water management district for further action, or to require the water management district to initiate rulemaking to adopt, amend or repeal a rule.

26-107.005 EMERGENCY ACTION

- (1) If the agency finds that immediate serious danger to the public health, safety, or welfare requires emergency action, the agency shall summarily suspend, limit, or restrict a license.
- (2) the 14-day notice requirement of Section 120.569(2)(b). F. S. does not apply and shall not be construed to prevent a hearing at the earliest time practicable upon request of an aggreeved party.
- (3) Unless otherwise provided by law, within 20 days after emergency action taken pursuant to paragraph (1) of this rule. The agency shall initiate a formal suspension or revocation proceeding in compliance with Sections 120.569, 120.57, and 120.60, F.S.

40E-1.611 EMERGENCY ACTION

- (1) An emergency exists when immediate action is necessary to protect public health, safety or welfare; the health of animals, fish or aquatic life; the works of the District; a public water supply, or recreational, commercial, industrial, agricultural or other reasonable uses of land and water resources.
- (2) The Executive Director may employ the resources of the District to take whatever remedial action necessary to alleviate the emergency condition without the issuance of an emergency order, or in the event an emergency order has been issued, after the expiration of the requisite time for compliance with that order.

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- All activities authorized by this permit shall be implemented as set forth in the plans, specifications and performance criteria as approved by this permit. Any deviation from the permitted activity and the conditions for undertaking that activity shall constitute a violation of this permit and Part IV, Chapter 373.
- 2. This permit or a copy thereof, complete with all conditions, attachments, exhibits, and modifications shall be kept at the work site of the permitted activity. The complete permit shall be available for review at the work site upon request by District staff. The permittee shall require the contractor to review the complete permit prior to commencement of the activity authorized by this permit.
- 3. Activities approved by this permit shall be conducted in a manner which does not cause violations of State water quality standards. The permittee shall implement best management practices for erosion and pollution confrol to prevent violation of State water quality standards. Temporary erosion control shall be implemented prior to and during construction, and permanent control measures shall be completed within 7 days of any construction activity. Turbidity barriers shall be installed and maintained at all locations where the possibility of transferring suspended solids into the receiving waterbody exists due to the permitted work. Turbidity barriers shall remain in place at all locations until construction is completed and soils are stabilized and vegetation has been established. All practices shall be in accordance with the guidelines and specifications described in Chapter 6 of the Florida Land Development Manual; A Guide to Sound Land and Water Management (Department of Environmental Regulation, 1988), incorporated by reference in Rule 40E-4.091, F.A.C. unless a project-specific erosion and sediment control plan is approved as part of the permit. Thereafter the permittee shall be responsible for the removal of the barders. The permittee shall correct any erosion or shoeling that causes adverse impacts to the water resources.
- 4. The permittee shall notify the District of the anticipated construction start date within 30 days of the date that this permit is issued. At least 48 hours prior to commencement of activity authorized by this permit, the permittee shall submit to the District an Environmental Resource Permit Construction Commencement Notice Form Number 0960 indicating the actual start date and the expected construction completion date.
- 5. When the curation of construction will exceed one year, the permittee shall submit construction status reports to the District on an annual basis utilizing an annual status report form. Status report forms shall be submitted the following June of each year.
- 6. Within 30 days after completion of construction of the permitted activity, the permittee shall submit a written statement of completion and certification by a registered professional engineer or other appropriate individual as authorized by law, utilizing the supplied Environmental Resource Permit Construction Completion/Certification Form Number 0681. The statement of completion and certification shall be based on ensite observation of construction or review of as-built drawings for the purpose of determining if the work was completed in compliance with permitted plans and specifications. This submittel shall serve to notify the District that the system is ready for inspection. Additionally, if deviation from the approved drawings is discovered during the certification process, the certification must be accompanied by a copy of the approved permit drawings with deviations noted. Both the original and revised specifications must be clearly shown. The plans must be clearly labeled as "As-built" or "Record" drawing. All surveyed dimensions and elevations shall be certified by a registered surveyor.
- 7. The operation phase of this permit shall not become effective: until the permittee has complied with the requirements of condition (6) above, and submitted a request for conversion of Environmental Resource Permit from Construction Phase to Operation Phase, Form No. 0920; the District determines the system to be in compliance with the permitted plans and specifications; and the entity approved by the District in accordance with Sections 9.0 and 10.0 of the Basis of Review for Environmental Resource Permit Applications within the South Florida Water Management District, accepts responsibility for operation and maintenance of the system. The permit shall not be transferred to such approved operation and maintenance entity until the operation phase of the permit becomes effective. Following inspection and approval of the permitted system by the District, the permittee shall initiate transfer of the permit to the

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approved responsible operating entity if different from the permittee. Until the permit is transferred pursuant to Section 40E-1.6107, F.A.C., the permittee shall be liable for compliance with the terms of the permit.

- 8. Each phase or independent portion of the permitted system must be completed in accordance with the permitted plans and permit conditions prior to the initiation of the permitted use of site infrastructure located within the area served by that portion or phase of the system. Each phase or independent portion of the system must be completed in accordance with the permitted plans and permit conditions prior to transfer of responsibility for operation and maintenance of the phase or portion of the system to a local government or other responsible entity.
- 9. For those systems that will be operated or maintained by an entity that will require an easement or deed restriction in order to enable that entity to operate or maintain the system in conformance with this permit, such easement or deed restriction must be recorded in the public records and submitted to the District along with any other final operation and maintenance documents required by Sections 9.0 and 10.0 of the Basis of Review for Environmental Resource Permit applications within the South Florida Water Management District, prior to lot or units sales or prior to the completion of the system, whichever comes first. Other documents concerning the establishment and authority of the operating entity must be filed with the Secretary of State, county or municipal entities. Final operation and maintenance documents must be received by the District when maintenance and operation of the system is accepted by the local government entity. Failure to submit the appropriate final documents will result in the permittee remaining liable for carrying out maintenance and operation of the permitted system and any other permit conditions.
- 10. Should any other regulatory agency require changes to the permitted system, the permittee shall notify the District in writing of the changes prior to implementation so that a determination can be made whether a permit modification is required.
- 11. This permit does not eliminate the necessity to obtain any required federal, state, local and special district authorizations prior to the start of any activity approved by this permit. This permit does not convey to the permittee or create in the permittee any property right, or any interest in real property, nor does it authorize any entrance upon or activities on property which is not owned or controlled by the permittee, or convey any rights or privileges other than those specified in the permit and Chapter 40E-4 or Chapter 40E-40, F.A.C..
- 12. The permittee is hereby advised that Section 253.77, F.S. states that a person may not commence any excavation, construction, or other activity involving the use of sovereign or other lands of the State, the title to which is vested in the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund without obtaining the required lease, license, easement, or other form of consent authorizing the proposed use. Therefore, the permittee is responsible for obtaining any necessary authorizations from the Board of Trustees prior to commencing activity on sovereignty lands or other state-owned lands.
- 13. The permittee must obtain a Water Use permit prior to construction dewatering, unless the work qualifies for a general permit pursuant to Subsection 40E-20.302(4), F.A.C., also known as the "No Notice" Rule.
- 14. The permittee shall hold and save the District harmless from any and all damages, claims, or liabilities which may arise by reason of the construction, alteration, operation, maintenance, removal, abandonment or use of any system authorized by the permit.
- 15. Any delineation of the extent of a wetland or other surface water submitted as part of the permit application, including plans or other supporting documentation, shall not be considered binding, unless a specific condition of this permit or a formal determination under Section 373.421(2), F.S., provides otherwise.
- 16. The permittee shall notify the District in writing within 30 days of any sale, conveyance, or other transfer of cwnership or control of a permitted system or the real property on which the permitted system is located. All transfers of ownership or transfers of a permit are subject to the requirements of Rules 40E-1.6105 and

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GENERAL CONDITIONS

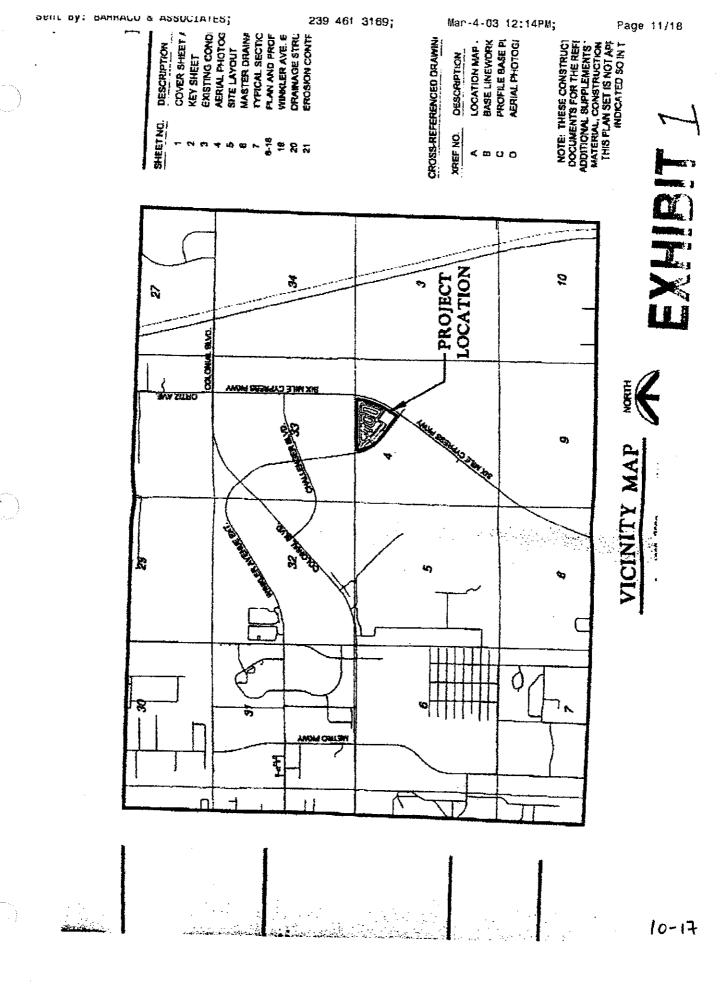
40E-1.6107, F.A.C.. The permittee transferring the permit shall remain liable for corrective actions that may be required as a result of any violations prior to the sale, conveyance or other transfer of the system.

- 17. Upon reasonable notice to the permittee. District authorized staff with proper identification shall have permission to enter, inspect, sample and test the system to insure conformity with the plans and specifications approved by the permit.
- 18. If historical or archaeological artifacts are discovered at any time on the project site, the permittee shall immediately notify the appropriate District service center.
- 19. The permittee shall immediately notify the District in writing of any previously submitted information that is later discovered to be inaccurate.

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SPECIAL CONDITIONS

- The construction phase of this permit shall expire on March 4, 2008.
- Operation of the surface water management system shall be the responsibility of CYPRESS POINTE.
- Discharge Facilities:
 Control Structure S-2
 1-45 degrees x 0.9'H V-notch with invert at elevation 17.0' NGVD.
- The permittee shall be responsible for the correction of any erosion, shoaling or water quality problems
 that result from the construction or operation of the surface water management system.
- Measures shall be taken during construction to insure that sedimentation and/or turbidity violations do not occur in the receiving water.
- The District reserves the right to require that additional water quality treatment methods be incorporated into the drainage system if such measures are shown to be necessary.
- 7. Lake side slopes shall be no steeper than 4:1 (horizontal:vertical) to a depth of two feet below the control elevation. Side slopes shall be nurtured or planted from 2 feet below to 1 foot above control elevation to insure vegetative growth, unless shown on the plans.
- Facilities other than those stated herein shall not be constructed without an approved modification of this
 permit.
- A stable, permanent and accessible elevation reference shall be established on or within one hundred (100) feet of all permitted discharge structures no later than the submission of the certification report. The location of the elevation reference must be noted on or with the certification report.
- 10. The permittee shall provide routine maintenance of all of the components of the surface water management system in order to remove all trapped sediments/debris. All materials shall be properly disposed of as required by law. Failure to properly maintain the system may result in adverse flooding conditions.
- 11. Minimum building floor elevation: 22.0' NGVD.
- 12. Minimum road crown elevation: 19.0' NGVD.
- Plan sheets 2 through 21 from Barraco & Associates, signed, sealed and dated by Andrew D. Fitzgerald, P.E. on October 30, 2002 are incorporated by reference into this Environmental Resource Permit and will be retained in this permit file.
- 14. The lakes shall be constructed without dewatering as indicated in the application submittal.



Last Date For Agency Action: 01-APR-2003

GENERAL ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE PERMIT STAFF REPORT

Project Name:

Winkler 39

Permit No.:

36-04498-P

Application No.: 021101-12

Application Type: Environmental Resource (New General Permit)

Location:

Lee County, S4/T45S/R26E

Permittee :

Quinton & Monew Trust

Quinton B Money Trust

Operating Entity: Cypress Pointe

Project Area: 33.73 acres

Project Land Use: Residential

Drainage Basin: WEST CALOOSAHATCHEE

Sub Basin: TEN MILE CANAL

Receiving Body: Haritage Palms Surface Water Management System

Special Drainage District: NA

Conservation Easement To District:

Sovereign Submerged Lands: No

This application is a request for an Environmental Resource Permit authorizing construction and operation of a surface water management system serving 33.73 acres of a residential development known as WINKLER 39 with discharge into Heritage Palms SWM system. Staff recommends approval with conditions.

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EXHIBIT 2

PROJECT EVALUATION:

The site is located at 10130 Ben C. Pratt / Six Mile Cypress Parkway, on the northwest corner of Winkler Avenue Extension/Six Mile Cypress Parkway intersection in Fort Myers, Florida. The site is bordered to the southwest by Winkler Avenue Extension, to the north by Dunbar Middle School and Bernwood Trace apartments and to the east by Six Mile Cypress Parkway. A location map is attached as Exhibit 1.

Located southwest of Winkler Avenue Extension is an existing development called Heritage Palms Subdivision with Permit No. 36-00736-S-02. A Permit modification with Application No. 971201-10 was approved on March 17, 1998 allowing offsite flows from a 37.15 acre commercial parcel, northeast of Winkler Avenue Extension to be routed through the Heritage Palms surface water management. This 37.15 acre parcel will provide water quality and attenuation prior to discharging into the Heritage Palms SWM system. The proposed application deals with this 37.15 acre parcel which is currently vacant and cleared.

There are no wetlands or other surface waters located within or affected by the proposed project.

The proposed project consists of 380 multi-family residential lots, an amenity center, internal roadways with one main ingress and egress driveway and an onsite master surface water management system. Stormwater runoff sheetflows either directly or through catch basins and culverts into the five wet detention ponds before discharging offsite. Discharge is through a 45 degrees x 0.9°H V-notch with invert at elevation 17.0° NGVD. Water quality and attenuation are also provided for a 0.25 acre area of offsite improvement to Winkler extension and a 5.52 acre future commercial tract, adjacent to the site; with up to 85% impervious. The onsite wet detention ponds provide water quality and attenuation during the 25 year, 3 day storm event for the residential project, the commercial tract and the offsite roadway area.

Construction:

Project:

This Phase

Building Coverage	6.90	acres
Lake	4.50	acres
Pavement	8.45	acres
Pervious	13.88	acres

Total: 33.73

Discharge Rate:

The project post-development peak discharge of 2.5 cfs is less than the allowable discharge rate of 2.64 cfs.

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EXHIBIT 3

Four proposed lakes (lake 1 is not included since it is less than 0.5 acres) with a combined storage of 4.27 ac.tt. provide the required 3.79 ac.tt. of water quality volume for this site. No adverse water quality impacts are anticipated as a result of the proposed project.

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it is suggested that the permittee retain the services of a Professional Engineer registered in the State of Florida for periodic observation of construction of the surface water management (SWM) system. This will facilitate the completion of construction completion certification Form #0881 which is required pursuant to Section 10 of the Basis of Review for Environmental Resource Permit Applications within the South Florida Water Management District, and Rule 40E-4361(2), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

Pursuant to Chapter 40E-4 F.A.C., this permit may not be converted from the construction phase to the operation phase until certification of the SWM system is submitted to and accepted by this District. Rule 40E-4.321(7) F.A.C. states that failure to complete construction of the SWM system and obtain operation phase approval from the District within the permit duration shall require a new permit authorization unless a permit extension is granted.

For SWM systems permitted with an operating entity who is different from the permittee, it should be noted that until the permit is transferred to the operating entity pursuant to Rule 40E-1.5107. F.A.C., the permittee is liable for compliance with the terms of this permit.

The permittee is advised that the efficiency of a SWM system will normally decrease over time unless the system is periodically maintained. A significant reduction in flow capacity can usually be attributed to partial blockages of the conveyance system. Once flow capacity is compromised, flooding of the project may result. Maintenance of the SWM system is required to protect the public health, satety and the natural resources of the state. Therefore, the permittee must have periodic inspections of the SWM system performed to ensure performance for flood protection and water quality purposes. If deficiencies are found, It is the responsibility of the permittee to correct these deficiencies in a timely manner.

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EXHIBIT 4

RELATED CONCERNS:

Water Use Permit Status:

The applicant has indicated that irrigation will be from potable water. The applicant has indicated that dewatering is not required for construction of this project. Please see Special Condition #14.

Historical/Archeological Resources:

The District has received correspondence from the Florida Department of State, Division of Historical Resources indicating that the agency has no objections to the issuance of this permit.

DCA/CZM Consistency Review:

The District has not received a finding of inconsistency from the Florida Department of Community Affairs or other commenting agencies regarding the provisions of the federal Coastal Zone Management Plan.

Enforcement:

There has been no enforcement activity associated with this application.

STAFF REVIEW:

DIVISION APPROVAL:

NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT:

Karèn M. Johnson

SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT

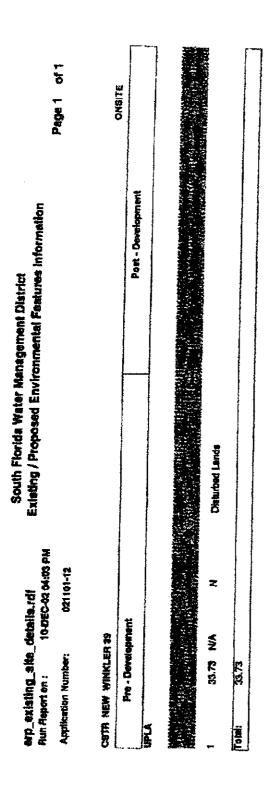
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- X Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission -Bureau of Protected Species Mgmt
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