

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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The undersigned officers of X The Indiana Not-For-Profit Corporation Lake County Regulation Seneral Not-For-Profit Corporation Act of 1971 (IC 23 7-1.1), as amended (approved March 7, 1935) Indiana Nonprofit Corporation (IC 23-17-1), as amended (The "Act") gives notice of amendment to its Articles of Incorporation and certifies the following facts:

ARTICLE I - Amendment(s) SECTION 1 The date of incorporation of the Corporation is: of the Articles of Incorporation is now as follows. The exact text of Article(s) SEE ATTACHED

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TION 1: Action by Directors	ner disadoption and Vote
	esolution proposing to amend the terms and provisions of Article(s
	of the Articles of Incorporation and directing a meeting of the members
n 12 .001	allowing such members to vote on the proposed amendment
he resolution was adopted by: (select appropriate paragraph)	
a. Vote of the Board of Directors at a meeting held on which a quorum of such Board was present.	
☐ b. Written consent executed on	, 19, and signed by all
members of the Board of Directors.	
TION 2 Action by members or delegates	
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The members or delegates of the corporation entitled to vo	ate in respect to the Articles of Amendment adopted the propose
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MEMBERS OR DEL	EGATES VOTED IN EAVOR
	75.75-76
MEMBERS OR DELE	GATES VOTED IN AGAINST: 2.58 %
	19 and signed by at least 80
of such members or delegates.	. 19 and signed by at least 80
TION 3: Approval by Third Party	EAV
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the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation require an amend	dment to be approved in writing by a specified person other than t
Board of Directors, the Corporation has obtained the Third Pa	ity's approval pursuant to 10 23-17-17-1.
TION 4 Compliance with legal requirements	
he manner of the adoption of the Articles of Amendment and	the vote by which they were adopted constitute full legal complian
with the provisions of the Act, the Articles of Incorporation, and	d the By-Laws of the Corporation.
I hereby verify, subject to penalties of perjury, that the facts co	ontained herein are true.
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#### ARTICLES OF

### AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

### LE JARDIN CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.

The undersigned officer of Le Jardin Condominium Association, Inc., a corporation originally established pursuant to the Indiana Not-For-Profit Corporation Act of 1971, and incorporated under the terms and conditions of a certain "Le Jardin Condominium Dec ondominium," said Declaration being re Recorder's Office on the 19th day of December (1885) as Instrument No. 833653 and 833564 at Book 60, Page 34, said Declaration and all amendments and supplements thereto hereafter referred to as "Declaration", and being currently governed by the Indiana Nonprofit Corporation Act of 1991, as amended (the "Act"), gives notice of the amendment of and executes the following Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation. The Declaration is incorporated herein by reference. All of the covenants, rights, restrictions, and liabilities contained in the Declaration shall apply to and govern the interpretation of these Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation and the Code of By-Laws. The definitions and terms, as defined and used in the Declaration, shall have the same meaning in these Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation and the Code of By-Laws, and reference is specifically made to Article I of the Declaration containing definitions for terms.

### ARTICLE I

### NAME

The name of the corporation is Le Jardin Condominium Association, Inc. (hereafter referred to as "Corporation").

### ARTICLE II

### TYPE OF CORPORATION

This is a mutual benefit corporation.

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## Section 3.1. Purished cument is the property of

The purposes for which the Corporation is formed are to provide for the maintenance, repair, upkeep, replacement, administration, operation and management of the Common Areas and Facilities and such other portions of the Properties within the Le Jardin horizontal property regime located in Schererville, Lake County, Indiana as designated in the Declaration, to pay any other necessary expenses and costs in connection with the same in accordance with the Declaration and to perform such other functions as may be designated to it.

- <u>Section 3.2. Powers.</u> Subject to any limitation or restriction imposed by the Act, the Indiana Horizontal Property Act, any other law, the Declaration, or any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation shall have the power:
- (a) To exercise all of the powers and privileges and perform all of the duties and obligations of the Corporation as

set forth in the Declaration and By-Laws, as the same may be amended from time to time;

- (b) To establish, levy, collect and enforce payment by any lawful means of any charges or assessments made against Members or others pursuant to the terms of the Declaration; to pay all expenses in connection with such collection and all office and other expenses incident to the conduct of the business of the Corporation including any license fees, taxes or other governmental charges levied or imposed against the property of the Corporation;
- (c) To bolfow moneyment with the propose wto of a Majority of the Vote as defined in Section 5.4(d) hereof, mortgage, pledge, deed in trust or hypothecate any and all of its real or personal property as security for money borrowed or debts incurred;
- (d) To enter into, make, perform and carry out, or cancel and rescind, contracts for any lawful purposes pertaining to its business;
- (e) To acquire (by gift purchase or otherwise), own, hold, improve, build upon, operate, maintain, convey sell, lease, transfer, dedicate for the public use or otherwise dispose of real or personal property which is held in title by this Corporation in connection with the affairs of the Corporation in accordance with the terms of the Declaration;
- (f) Sue, be sued, complain, and defend in the Corporation's corporate name;

- (g) Make and amend By-Laws not inconsistent with the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation, the Act, the Declaration or with Indiana law for managing the affairs of the Corporation;
- (h) Elect directors, elect and appoint officers, and appoint employees and agents of the Corporation, and define the duties and fix the compensation of directors, officers, employees and agents;
- (i) Purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any individual who:
  - (1) is or was a director, an officer, an employee, or an agent of This Corporacions the property of
  - (2) is or was serving at the request of the

Corporation as a director, an officer, an employee, or an agent of another entity;

against any liability asserted against or incurred by the

against any liability asserted against or incurred by the individual in that capacity or arising from the individual's status as a director, an officer; an employee, or an agent, whether or not the Corporation would have power to indemnify the individual against the same liability under this article;

(j) To levy liquidated damages payable to the Corporation against any Owner or resident within Le Jardin for a violation of any of the covenants or restrictions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, the By-Laws, the Declaration, the Indiana Horizontal Property Act, or the Act. The amounts of such liquidated damages for various violations or categories or types of violations as well as the frequency at which they shall be

levied shall be as set forth in rules and regulations promulgated by the Board of Directors from time to time. Such liquidated damages shall become a part of the Special Assessments as set forth in the Declaration, subject to collection in the same manner as the Annual Assessments;

- (k) To have, hold, exercise and enjoy in furtherance of the purposes set forth hereinabove and hereinbelow, all of the rights, powers, privileges and immunities granted, and not expressly denied, by the crasmov or hereafter amended and under the common law as may be recessary. Accordent or expedient in order to accomplish the purposeth serrouth thereinabove and hereinbelow, but subject to any limitation or restriction imposed by the Act, by any other law, by these Articles of Incorporation, or by the Declaration; provided further, however, that if there is any conflict between the powers established in these Articles of Incorporation and the terms and provisions of the Declaration, the terms and provisions of the Declaration,
- (1) To do everything necessary, proper, advisable, or convenient for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any of the objects or the furtherance of any of the powers herein set forth, and to do every other act and thing incidental thereto or connected therewith, which is not forbidden by the laws of the State of Indiana, or by the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation or the Declaration;

(m) To do all acts and things necessary, convenient or expedient to carry out the purposes for which the Corporation is formed.

section 3.3. Limitation of Activities. The Corporation shall not possess the power of engaging in any activities for the purpose of or resulting in the pecuniary remuneration to its members as such. This provision shall not prohibit fair and reasonable compensation to Members for services actually rendered; nor shall it prohibit the Corporation from charging a fee for services returned nor shall it prohibit the Corporation from charging a Teestop admission the any presentation it may make or other undertakings so long as any funds so raised do not inure to the profit of its Members.

### ARTICLE IV

# REGISTERED AGENT, REGISTERED OFFICE AND PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Section 4.1 Registered Agent and Registered Office. The name and street address of the Corporation's registered agent for service of process is Jack Earnshaw, 1/35 Homan Drive, Schererville, Indiana 46375 The address of the Corporation's registered office for service of process is 1735 Homan Drive, Schererville, Indiana 46375.

<u>Section 4.2 Principal Office.</u> The post office address of the principal office of the Corporation is 1735 Homan Drive, Schererville, Indiana 46375.

### ARTICLE V

### MEMBERSHIP

Section 5.1. Members. Every person or entity who owns one or more Apartments, including contract sellers, shall automatically upon becoming an Owner of a Apartment be and become a Member of the Corporation; provided, however, that any such person or entity who holds such interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation shall not be a Member.

Section 5.2. Rights Preferences Hight tactions and Restrictions

of Classes. All Members shall have the same rights, privileges,
duties, liabilit Teis Diminations sand resultations as the other

Members. All Members shall abide by the Articles of
Incorporation, the Code of By-Laws, the rules and regulations
adopted by the Board of Directors, the Indiana Horizontal

Property Act, and all covenants, restrictions and other
provisions contained in the Declaration.

Section 5.3. Classes of Members and Number of Votes. The

Corporation shall have one class of membership, of which all

Members shall be a part. Each Member shall be entitled to

that number of votes which is equal to the Apartment's Share

(defined in the Declaration as the percentage interest attributed to each Apartment) as such Share is set forth in the Statement of Interest in the Declaration and in Exhibit "A" attached thereto for each Apartment of which such Member is the Owner with respect to each matter submitted to a vote of Members upon which the Members are entitled to vote. The total number of votes for all

Owners will be one hundred (100). When more than one (1) person constitutes the Owner of a particular Apartment, all such persons shall be Members of the Corporation, but all of such persons shall have only such number of votes for such Apartment, which votes shall be exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall such number of votes be cast with respect to any such Apartment.

- Section 5.4. Voting Rights of Members. Each Member in good standing shall be entitled to voting rights as follows:
- facilitate the Thirly condent is the meeting each Member shall be entitled to cast such number of votes as described in Section 5.3 above for each Apartment owned on each matter coming before the meeting. The total number of votes for or against any matter shall then be divided either by one hundred (100) to determine the respective proportions of members who support or oppose such matter, or by the number of votes of the Owners who are present or represented at such meeting to determine the respective proportions of Members present or represented at such meeting who support or oppose such matter.
- (b) <u>Voting by Corporation or Trust.</u> Where a corporation or trust is an Owner or is otherwise entitled to vote, the trustees may cast the vote on behalf of the trust, and the agent or other representative of the corporation duly empowered by the board of directors of such corporation shall cast the vote to which the corporation is entitled.

- (c) <u>Proxy.</u> A Member may vote either in person or by his duly authorized and designated attorney-in-fact. Where voting is by proxy, the Member shall duly designate his attorney-in-fact in writing, delivered to the Corporation prior to the commencement of the meeting.
- (d) <u>Ouorum</u>. Except where otherwise expressly provided in the Declaration, these Articles, the By-Laws, the Indiana Horizontal Property Act, or the Act, the presence of Members or their duly authorized representatives owning ten percent (10%) of the total number of votes of all evers (the total number of votes being 100 Tshall constitute the competity of meetings. As used elsewhere in these Articles and in the Code of By-Laws, the term "Majority of the Members" shall mean, unless otherwise expressly indicated, more than fifty percent (50%) of the total number of votes of all Owners as determined by the applicable provisions set forth in the Declaration, and the term "Majority of the Vote" shall mean a majority of the votes present or represented at such meeting at which a quorum is present.
- person, firm, corporation, partnership, association, trust or other legal entity, or any combination thereof, who owns the fee simple title to a Apartment. Persons or entities owning a single Apartment as tenants in common, joint tenants, or tenants by the entireties shall be deemed one Owner.

Section 5.5. Rights, Preferences, Limitations and Restrictions of Members. Any Member who fails to comply with the requirements of these Articles, the Declaration, the By-Laws or the rules and regulations made pursuant thereto, including the payment of assessments, shall, if a majority of the Board of Directors by an affirmative vote at a Board of Directors' meeting so determine, during the time period of such failure, suspend his or its membership rights and interest to use the amenities and to vote on any matter coming before the Membership may not be suspended and a membership may not be suspended and a membership may not be suspended except under a procedure adopted by rescalation of the Board of Directors that are fair, reasonable and carried out in good faith. Such a procedure shall fully comply with the Act, as amended.

Section 5.6. Meetings of Members. Meetings of Members may be held on the Property or at any place inside Lake County, Indiana, which shall be designated by the Board of Directors of the Corporation, or as the By Laws may designate.

ARTICLE VI TERM OF EXISTENCE

The period during which the Corporation shall continue as a corporation is perpetual.

### ARTICLE VII

### DIRECTORS

Section 7.1. Number of Directors. The number of the Directors of this Corporation shall be not less than three (3) nor more

than nine (9) as prescribed from time to time in the By-Laws of the Corporation; but in no event shall the minimum number of Directors be less than three (3). Whenever the By-Laws do not specify the exact number, the number of Directors shall be five (5). The qualification of Directors and the election of Directors shall be as prescribed from time to time in the By-Laws of the Corporation.

shall be elected by ball hold office for laters of three (3) years or until his or This because that the recorder!

Section 7.3. Vacancies in the Board of Directors. Any vacancy occurring on the Board of Directors caused by a death, resignation or otherwise, other than a vacancy created by removal or an increase in the number of Directors, shall be filled until the next annual meeting of the Members through a vote of a majority of the remaining members of the Board, unless specified otherwise in the By-laws. At the first annual meeting following any such vacancy, a Director shall be elected by the Owners to serve for the balance of the term of the Director in respect to whom there has been a vacancy.

Section 7.4. Removal of Directors. A Director or Directors, elected by the Owners or elected by the Directors to fill a vacancy, may be removed by the Owners with or without cause if the number of votes cast to remove would be sufficient to elect

the Director(s) at a meeting to elect Directors. A Director or Directors elected by the Owners may be removed by the Owners only at a meeting called for the purpose of removing the Director(s). The meeting notice must state that the purpose of the meeting is for voting upon the removal of the Director(s). In such case, his or their successor(s) shall be elected by the Owners at the same meeting from eligible Owners nominated at the meeting to serve for the remainder of the term(s) of the removed Director or Directors.

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The incorporators of the Corporation are as specified in the original Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation.

### ARTICLE IX

### STATEMENT OF PROPERTY

All assets and liabilities, real, personal, and otherwise are in no way changed by these Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation and they stand for and constitute all of the assets and liabilities of the Corporation.

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# PROVISIONS FOR REGULATION OF BUSINESS AND CONDUCT OF AFFAIRS OF THE CORPORATION

Section 10.1. Powers Exercised by Board. Subject to any limitations or restrictions imposed by law, by these amended Articles of Incorporation or by the Declaration, the Board of Directors of the Corporation is hereby authorized to exercise, in furtherance of the purposes of the Corporation, all the powers of

the Corporation without prior authorization or subsequent approval of the Members of the Corporation or of any other person or entities.

Section 10.2. Liability of Members. Neither the individual Members of the Corporation nor their individual property shall be subject to any liability for any debts of the Corporation.

Section 10.3. Dissolution. The Corporation may be dissolved

only with the written consent of all Members.

Involuntary Dissolution of the Corporation. Upon the voluntary or involuntary dissolution of the Corporation. Upon the voluntary or involuntary dissolution of the Lake County Recorder! Directors shall, after paying or making provision for payment of all of the liabilities of the Corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the Corporation by dedicating the same to an appropriate public agency to be used for purposes similar to those for which this Corporation was created. In the event that such dedication is refused assets, such assets shall be granted, conveyed and assisted to any nonprofit corporation, association, trust or other organization to be devoted to such similar purposes.

Section 10.5. Amendment of Articles of Incorporation. Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation shall require the consent of at least a Majority of the Members as defined in section 5.4(d) hereof.

<u>Section 10.6.</u> No Private Benefit. No money or property received or held by the Corporation shall ever inure, directly or

indirectly, to the private benefit of any Member, Director or Officer of the Corporation or to any other person whomsoever except for reasonable compensation for services actually rendered to the Corporation.

Section 10.7. Indemnification. The Board of Directors of this Corporation may, at its discretion, indemnify any or all directors, officers, employees, or agents or former directors, officers, employees or agents of the Corporation, as shall be prescribed from time to time in the By-laws of the Corporation. Whenever the By-Laws Jot the Corporation shall not specify any indemnification Phos Isocusment ishehbened perof such above-named persons, all such above-named persons shall have all rights of indemnification as are proscribed in the Act. Section 10.8. Compensation of Employees. In order to carry out the purposes and activities of the Corporation, such individuals as are deemed necessary may be employed, and each such employee may be paid such compensation for Gervices actually rendered in the course of such employment as may be fixed in the manner provided by the Board of Directors of the Corporation. Section 10.9. By-Laws. The By-Laws of the Corporation may be amended as set forth in the By-Laws. Said By-Laws may contain other provisions consistent with the laws of the State of Indiana, for the regulation and management of the affairs of the

Corporation.

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Condominium Associa	tion, Inc. and who, having been duly sworn,
stated that the rep	resentations contained herein are true.
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