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GOVERNORS GRANT

PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION

11. BY-LAWS OF THE GOVERNORS GRANT ASSOCIATION

BY-LAWS
OF
GOVERNORS GRANT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I
IDENTITY

Section 1. Name. The name of the corporation is Governors Grant Community Association (hereinafter referred to the "Association") which was created and exists as a non-profit corporation under the laws of the State of South Carolina.

Section.2. Office of Association. The office of the Association shall be at the offices of Governors Grant Development Group or at such other place as may be subsequently designated by the Board of Directors of the Association.

Section 3. Seal. The Seal of the Association shall bear the words GOVERNORS GRANT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION" or an appropriate Abbreviation thereof.

ARTICLE II
DEFINITIONS

Section 1. GENERAL All terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall be deemed to have the same meaning as defined in that certain DECLARATION OF COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS OF THE GOVERNORS GRANT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION and Governors Grant Development Group dated - July 30, 1990, and recorded in the office Clerk of court Lexington County,, South Carolina ("Declaration") , certain provisions of which Declaration may be repeated in full or in part and may be renumbered as they appear herein.

ARTICLE III
MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING PROVISION

Section 1. Membership. Every Owner, including Governors Grant Development Group (hereinafter referred to as "the Declarant"), shall be a member of the Association. In the case of multiple ownership of any Residential

Lot in Governors Grant, including by a partnership or corporation, the name of the Owners shall be submitted to the Company and/or the Association and only the designated Owners shall be entitled to access to the facilities of the Association as a member of the Association.

Section 2. Voting Rights. The Association shall have one (1) type of regular voting membership, and the Declarant, so long as it owns one (1) lot shall have one (1) more vote than the total number of the other members. The members shall be all those owners, including the Declarant, of Residential Lots. A Member other than the Declarant shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each Residential Lot he/she owns. If a Single-Family Dwelling Unit is constructed on more than one (1) Residential Lot, the owner shall have one (1) vote and shall have no additional vote for each other Residential Lot comprising a part of the total consolidated home or building site so long as such lot remains a part of the consolidated site.

When any Property entitling the Owner to Membership as a Member of the Association is owned of record in the name of two (2) or more persons or entities, whether fiduciaries, joint tenants, tenants-in-common, tenants-in-partnership or in any other manner of joint or common ownership, or if two (2) or more persons or entities have the same fiduciary relationship respecting the same Property, then an instrument shall direct who shall cast the vote or votes, and it or a copy thereof shall be filed with the Secretary of the Association.

Section 3. Cumulative voting Prohibited. Each Member shall be entitled to the number of votes he is ordinarily entitled to, based on his ownership of property and may cast that number of votes for each Director to be elected, but may not cast all of such votes for any one (1) Director, and all votes must be cast in whole numbers and not fractions thereof.

Section 4. Member to Have power of Referendum in Certain Instances.

Where specifically provided for herein, the Members, or some specific portion thereof, shall have the power to approve or reject certain actions proposed to be taken by the Association by Referendum including, without limitation, whether the levy by the Association of any Special assessment, and the addition or deletion of functions or services which the Association is authorized to perform. In the event that more than fifty percent (50%) of the votes actually returned to the Association within the specified time shall be in favor of such action the Referendum shall be deemed to "pass" and the action voted upon will be deemed to have been authorized by The Members; provided, however, that if a higher percentage vote required to "pass" shall be specifically Expressed herein, that higher percentage shall control in that instance. The Board of Directors may not Undertake any action requiring a Referendum without complying with the provisions therefor.

In the event of a dispute as to whether a Referendum is required, the following action may be taken: Within thirty (30) days after the adoption by the Directors of any action which is, in the opinion of the Members, subject to a Referendum, a petition, signed by not less than forty percent (40%) of the total Membership of the Association or signed by a majority of the Directors may be filed with the Secretary of the Association requesting that any such action be either repealed or submitted to a vote of the Members, and the Secretary shall thereafter within thirty (30) days send out the referendum to all Members.

Section 6. Quorum Required for any Action Authorized at Regular or Special Meetings of the association. The quorum required for any action which is subject to a vote of the Members at an open meeting of the Association (as distinguished from the Referendum) shall be as follows:

The first time a meeting of the Members of the Association is called to vote on a particular action proposed to be taken by the Association, the presence at the meeting of Members or proxies entitled to cast more than fifty percent (50%) of the total vote of the Membership shall constitute a quorum. If the required quorum is not forthcoming at any such meeting, a second meeting may be called subject to the giving of proper notice and there shall be a quorum requirement of twenty-five percent (25%) of the total vote of the members of the Association for such second meeting. Unless otherwise provided, any reference hereafter to "votes cast at a duly called meeting" shall be construed to be subject to the quorum requirements established by this ARTICLE III, Section 6, and any other requirements for such "duly called meeting" which may be established by the By - Laws of the Association. This provision shall not apply when the proposed action is the amendment of the Declaration and the quorum requirement established by Part Four, ARTICLE II, Section 2 of the Declaration shall govern in that instance. For the purpose of this Section 6, "proper notice", shall be deemed to be given when given to each Member not less than ten (10) days prior to the date of the meeting at which any proposed action is to be considered.

Section 7 Proxies. All Members of the Association may vote and transact business at any meeting of the Association by proxy authorized in writing; provided, however, that proxies shall not be required for any action which is subject to a Referendum, in which case the votes of all the Members polled shall be made by specially provided ballots mailed to the Association by the Members.

ARTICLE IV

MEETING OF MEMBERSHIP

Section 1.Place. All meetings of the Association Membership shall be held at the office of the Association, or at such other place and at such time as shall be designated by the Board of Directors of the Association and stated in the Notice of meeting, and shall be open to all Owners.,

Section 2. Membership List. At; least ten (10) but not more than thirty (30) days before every meeting of the Association or election of directors, a complete list of Members of the Association shall be prepared by the Secretary. Such list shall be maintained in the office of the Association for at least ten (10) days prior to any meeting or election and ten (10) days after any meeting or election.

Section 3. Notice of Meetings. Written notice of each meeting of the Members shall be given by,, or at the direction of, the Secretary or person authorized or qualified to call the meeting, by mailing a copy of such notice!, with proper postage affixed, at least ten (10) days (but not more than thirty (30) days) before such meeting to each Member entitled to vote thereat, to the last

known address of the person or entity who appears as Owner in the Associations Records, on the first day of the calendar month in which said notice is mailed. Notice to one (1) of two (2) or more co-owners of a Residential Lot shall constitute notice to all co-owners. It shall be the obligation of every Member to immediately notify the Secretary of the Association in writing of any change of address. Any person who becomes an Owner and Member following the first day in the calendar month in which said notice is mailed shall be deemed to have been given notice if notice was given to his predecessor-in-title. Such notice shall specify the place, day and hour of the meeting, and, in -the case of a special meeting, the purpose of the meeting. Evidence of such notice having been given may consist of an Affidavit of Mailing evidencing that the requisite notice was posted at least ten (10) days prior to such meeting.

Section 4. Annual Meeting. The annual meeting shall be held at time set each year by the Board commencing in 1991 and from year to year thereafter with at least ten (10) days, notice thereof to each Member for the purpose of electing directors and transacting any other business authorized to be transacted by the Members. At the annual meeting, the Members shall elect new Members of the Board of Directors by plurality vote and in accordance with, ARTICLE V of .these By - Laws, and shall transact such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting.

Section 5. Special Meeting. Special meetings of the Members for any purpose or purposes, unless otherwise prescribed by statute, may be called by the President of the Association and shall be called by the President or Secretary of the Association at the request, in writing, of Members owning twenty-five percent (25%) or more of the total votes of the Members of the Association, which request shall state the purpose or purposes of the proposed meeting

Section 6. Waiver and Consent: Whenever the vote of Members at a meeting is required or permitted by any provision of these By - Laws to be taken in connection with any action of the Association, the meeting and vote of Members may be waived if a majority of Members who would have been entitled to vote on the action if such meeting were held, shall consent in writing to such action being taken; however, notice of such action shall be given to all Members unless all Members participated in the approval of such action.

ARTICLE V DIRECTORS

Section 1. Composition of the Directors. The Association shall be governed by a Board of Directors initially consisting of three (3) Members. The number of Directors, in subsequent years,, which shall not be less than three (3), shall be determined by the Members of the Board of Directors

Section-2. Qualifications and Selection of Board Members. Directors may be, but need not be, members Association. Each Member of each Membership Class shall be entitled to one vote. Cumulative voting shall be prohibited.

Section 3 Term of Office: The initial Members of the Board of Directors (who are appointed by the Declarant) shall be appointed until three successors are duly elected. Thereafter, at the first annual meeting, the Members shall elect one (1) Director for a term of one (1) year, and the

Declarant will appoint one (1) Director for a term of two (2) years and one (1) Director for a term of three (3) years; and at each annual meeting thereafter the Members shall elect Directors to fill the expiring terms for a term of three (3) years; no Director other than those appointed by Declarant shall serve more than two (2) consecutive terms. In the event the Board is expanded as permitted by Section 1 of this ARTICLE,, the term of new Members shall be staggered in similar fashion as directed by the Board.

Section 4. Removal: Any Director- may be removed from the Board, with or without cause, by a majority vote of the Members of the Association or by the Declarant if appointed by the Declarant. A successor may-then and there be elected to fill the vacancy thus created. Should the Association fail to elect a successor, the Board of Directors may fill the vacancy in the manner provided in Section 5 below. Provided, however, that any Director removed by the Declarant shall be replaced by the Declarant

Section 5. Vacancies Directorate: If the Office of Directors any by reason of death, resignation, retirement,disqualification , removal from office of otherwise, a majority of the remaining Members of the Board of

Directors, though less than a quorum, as defined in ARTICLE VI I, Section 5 below, shall choose a successor or successors, at any -regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors Such replacement Member of the Board of Directors shall hold office for the balance of the unexpired term. Provided, however, the Declarant can appoint a replacement Director for any vacancy created by a Director appointed by the Declarant

Section 6 Disqualification and Resignation of Directors. Any Director may resign at any time by sending a written notice of such resignation to the of f ice of the Association, delivered to the Secretary. Unless otherwise specified therein such resignation shall take effect upon receipt thereof by the Secretary. No Director shall continue to serve on the Board of Directors should he be more than thirty (30) days delinquent in the payment as a Member of any assessment against his Lot; and said delinquency shall automatically constitute a resignation, effective when such resignation is accepted by the Board of Directors.

Section 7 Compensation: Director may receive compensation any service he may render to the Association

If approved by a two thirds 2/3 vote of the Membership. However, any Director may be reimbursed for his actual expenses incurred in the performance of his duties. Nothing herein shall prevent the Director from receiving compensation for services rendered or products sold in the Corporation pursuant to an agreement approved by the other Directors.

ARTICLE VI NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Section 1. Nomination: Except as otherwise provided in Article V nomination of the Members of the initial Board of Directors he Declarant; thereafter nomination for election to the Board of Directors by the Members shall be made by a nominating Committee. Nominations may also be made by a petition of not less than forty percent (40%) of the Members in good standing submitting such nomination in writing to any officer or Director at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the date and time set for the meeting. The Nominating Committee shall consist of a

Chairman, who shall be a Member of the Board of Directors, and two (2) or more other people who may, but need not, be Members of the Association.-.- The Nominating Committee shall be appointed by the Board of Directors to serve until the close of the annual meeting and such appointment shall be announced at each annual meeting. The Nominating Committee shall make as many nominations for election to the Board of Director as it shall in its discretion determine but not less than the number of vacancies that are to be filled. Such nominations shall be made in such categories of directorship as required by the provisions of ARTICLE V, Section I of these By - Laws.

Section 2. Election. Except for the appointments to the Board of Directors by -the Declarant,, election to the Board of Directors shall be by secret written ballot and shall be held at the annual meeting of the Members - At such election the Members or their proxies may cast, in respect to each vacancy, as many votes as they are entitled to exercise under the provisions of the Declaration. The persons receiving the largest number of votes for each category of directorship shall be elected. Cumulative voting is prohibited.

ARTICLE VII MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS

Section 1. Regular Meetings. Regular meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held at least once every six (6) months without notice, at such place and time as may be fixed from time to time by resolution of the Board. Should said meeting fall upon a legal holiday, then that meeting shall be held at the same time on the next day which is not a legal holiday. Although not required, notice of such regular meeting may be given to each Director personally or by mail, telephone or telegraph at least three (3) days prior to the date of such meeting. All meetings of the Board, including special meetings in accordance with Section 2 below, shall be open to all Members.

Section 2. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held called by the President of the Association, or by any two Members of the Board of Directors at least three (3) days' notice shall be given to all Members of the Board of Directors of the time, place and purpose of such meeting.

Section 3 Place of Meetings. Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held in Lexington County or Richland County, South Carolina, whenever practical. However, this provision is in no way intended to invalidate in any way whatsoever meetings held somewhere other than Lexington County, South Carolina, so long as such meetings are proper in all other respects.

Section 4. Directors' Waiver of Notice. Before or at any meeting of the Board of Directors, any Director may waive notice of such meeting and such waiver shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of notice. „Attendance by a Director at any meeting of the Board shall be a waiver of notice by him of the time and place thereof. if all the Directors are present at any meeting of the Board, no notice shall be required and any business may be transacted at such meeting.

Section 5 Quorum. At all meetings of the Board of Directors, a majority of the Members of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and the acts of the majority of the Members of the Board of Directors present at such meetings at which a quorum is present, shall be the acts of the Board of Directors. If, at any meeting of the Board of Directors there be less than a quorum present, the majority of those present may adjourn the Meeting from time to time. At each such adjourned meetings any business which might have been transacted at the meeting,, as-originally called, may be transacted without further notice. The joinder of a Director in the action of a meeting by signing and concurring in the minutes thereof, shall constitute the presence of such Director for the purpose of determining a quorum.

Section 6. Action Taken Without a Meeting: The Directors shall have the right to tale any action in the absence of a meeting which they could take at a meeting by obtaining the Written approval of a majority of the Directors. Any action so approved shall have the same effect as though taken the at a meeting of the Directors.

ARTICLE VIII

POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors of the Association shall have the powers and duties necessary for the administration of the affairs of the Association and may do all such acts and things as are not by law or by the Declaration, this Association's Articles of Incorporation, or these By - Laws, directed to be exercised and done by us * These powers and duties shall specifically include, but shall not be limited to, the matters hereinafter set forth.

Section 1. Power. The powers of the Board of Directors shall specifically include, but shall not be limited to the following:

(a) to adopt and publish rules and regulations governing the use of the Common Properties Restricted Common Properties, if applicable, and facilities, located thereon, and the personal conduct of the Members and their guests thereon, and to establish penalties for the infraction thereof;

(b) to suspend the voting rights and right to use of the recreational facilities Of a Member during any period in which such Member shall. be in default in the payment of any assessment levied by the Association. Such rights may also be suspended for such time as may be determined by the Board of Directors after notice to the Member and hearing before the Board of Directors for any infraction of rules and regulations;

(c) to exercise or delegate for the Association all powers, duties and authority vested in or delegated to this Association and not reserved to the Membership by other provisions of these By - Laws, the Articles of Incorporation, or the Declaration;

(d) to declare the office of a Member of the Board of Directors to be vacant in the event such Member shall be absent from three (3) consecutive regular meetings of the Board of Directors; and

(e) to employ a manager, an independent contractor, or such other employees as they deem necessary, and to prescribe their duties;

(f) to secure Officers and Directors Liability Insurance covering the Officers and Directors of the Association at the expense of the Association;

(g) to borrow money to meet the financial needs of the Association and to mortgage the property of the Association and to pledge the revenues of the

Association as security for such loans made to the Association the proceeds of which loans shall be used by the Association in performing its authorized functions.

Section 2. Duties. The duties of the Board of Directors shall specifically include, but shall not be limited to the following:

- (a) to cause to be kept a complete record of all its acts and corporate affairs;
- (b) to supervise all officers, agents and employees of this Association, and to see that their duties are properly performed;
- (c) as more fully provided in the Declaration, to:
 - (1) fix the amount of the annual assessment, special assessments, assessments for the use of limited common properties against each property ownership form as defined in the Declaration not later than the first calendar quarter in each year;
 - (2) send written notice of each assessment to every Owner subject thereto as soon as practicable after the fixing hereof; and
 - (3) enforce the lien rights against any property for which assessments or costs are not paid within thirty (30) days after due date or to bring an action at law against the Owner personally obligated to pay the same;
- (d) to issue, or to cause an appropriate officer to issue, upon demand by any person, a certificate setting forth whether or not any assessment has been paid. A reasonable charge may be made by the Board for the issuance of these certificates. If a certificate states that an assessment has been paid, such certificate shall be conclusive evidence of such payment;
- (e) to procure and maintain adequate liability and hazard insurance on property owned by the Association in the form and amount required by the Declaration;
- (f) to cause all officers or employees of the Association having fiscal responsibilities to be bonded, with fidelity bonds in the form and amount required by the Association, and the premium on such bonds shall be paid by the Association;
- (g) to cause the Common Properties and Restricted Common Properties to be adequately maintained;
- (h) to review and amend, if appropriate, the annual budget as prepared by the Treasurer in accordance with ARTICLE X Section 8 hereof
- (I) to enforce the Restrictive Covenants and Rules and Regulations and if necessary, bring an action at law or in equity, against the Member to enforce same or recover damages resulting from the violations.
- (J) to carry out and enforce the findings and directives (fines, etc.) of

the ARB.

ARTICLE IX LIABILITY OF DIRECTORS

The Members of the Board of Directors, officers, employees, agents, managing agents or management firm (herein collectively referred to as "Agents") shall not be liable to the Owners or the Association for any mistake of judgment, negligence or otherwise, except for their own individual willful misconduct or bad faith.

The Association shall indemnify and hold harmless each of the Agents and its agents or employees against all contractual or tort liability to others arising out of contracts made, actions performed or omissions by the Agents on behalf of the Association unless any such contract, action or omission shall have been made in bad faith or contrary to the provisions of the Declaration or of these By - Laws. It is intended that the Agents shall have no personal liability with respect to any contract made, action performed or omission by them on behalf of the Association. It is understood and permissible and shall not be deemed to be self dealing for the Association to contract with the Declarant or with corporations or other entities owned, controlled or affiliated with the Declarant. It is also intended that the liability of any Member arising out of any contract made, action taken or omission by the Agents or out of the aforesaid indemnity in favor of the Agents shall be limited to such proportions of the total liability thereunder as his interest in the Common Properties and Restricted Common Properties bears to the interests of all Members in the Common Properties and Restricted Common Properties. Every agreement made by the Agents is made in the capacity only as an agent for the members and shall have no personal liability thereunder (except as Members). Moreover, each Member's liability thereunder shall be limited to such proportion of the total liability thereunder as his interest in the Common Properties and Restricted Common Properties bears to the interests of all Members in the Common Properties and Restricted Common Properties.

ARTICLE X OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section Enumeration of Officers. The officers of this Association shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer, and such other officers as the Board may from time to time by resolution create,, all of whom shall be members of the Board of Directors. The Secretary and the Treasurer may be the same person.

Section 2. Election of Officers. The election of officers shall take place at the organization meeting of the Board of Directors following within ten (10) days after each annual meeting of the members.

Section 3. Term. The officers of the Association shall be elected annually by the Board of Directors and each shall hold office for one (1) year and until their successors are chosen and assume office in their stead unless he shall sooner resign, or shall be removed, or otherwise be disqualified to serve..

Section 4. Appointive Officers . The Board of Directors may appoint Assistant Secretaries and Assistant Treasurers and such other officer as the affairs of the Association may require, each of

whom shall hold office for such period, have such authority, and perform such duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine.

Section 5...---Resignation and Removal. Any officer may be removed without cause by the Board of Directors. Any officer may resign at any time giving written notice to the Board of Directors, the President or the Secretary. Such resignation shall take effect on the date of receipt of such notice or at any later time specified therein, and unless otherwise specified therein, the acceptance or acknowledgment of acceptance of such resignation shall not be necessary to make it effective.

Section 6.- Vacancies. A vacancy in any office may be filled by appointment by the Board of Directors. The Officer appointed to such vacancy shall serve for the remainder of the term of the officer he replaces.

Section.7. Multiple offices: The offices of Secretary, and Treasurer may same person. No person shall simultaneously hold more than one of any of the other offices except in the case of appointive offices created pursuant to Section 4 of this ARTICLE.

Section 8 Duties. The duties of the officers are as follows:

President

The President shall be the chief executive officer of the Association. He shall preside at all meetings of the Owners and of the Board of Directors; shall see that orders and resolutions of the Board are carried out. He shall have executive powers and general supervision over the affairs of the Association and other officers. The President shall sign all leases, mortgages, deeds, contracts and other written instruments as required by resolution of the Board of Directors. He shall perform all of the duties incident to his office or which may be delegated to him from time to time by the Board of Directors.

Vice President.

The Vice President shall act in the place and stead of the President in the event of his absence, inability or refusal to act, and shall exercise and discharge such other duties as may be required of him from time to time by the Board of Directors.

Secretary

The Secretary shall issue notices of all Board of Directors, meetings and all meetings of the Members and shall attend and keep the minutes of same. The Secretary shall have charge of all of the Associations, books, records and papers, except those kept by the Treasurer. The Assistant Secretary shall perform duties of the Secretary when the Secretary is absent.

Treasure,

The Treasurer-shall:

- (a) have custody of the Association's funds and securities, except the funds payable to any management firm, and shall keep full and accurate accounts of receipts and

- disbursements in books belonging to the Association, and shall deposit all monies and other valuable effects in the name of and to the credit of the Association, in such insured depositories as may be designated from time to time by the Board of Directors;
- (b) disburse the funds Of the Association as may be ordered by the Board of Directors in accordance with these By - Laws, making proper vouchers for such disbursements, and shall render to the President and, Board of Directors at the regular meetings of the Board of Directors, or whenever they may require it, an account of all of his transactions as the Treasurer and of the financial condition of the Association;
- (c) collect the assessments and maintenance fees and shall promptly report the status of collections and of all delinquencies to the Board of Directors;
- (d) give status reports to potential transferees on which reports the transferees may rely;
- (e) cause an annual audit of the Association to be completed in a timely fashion by a certified public accountant selected by the Board of Directors and the results of such audit shall be reported to the Board of Directors and the Members;
- (f) in conjunction with the Association's accountant and such other persons as the Board of Directors may designate, shall prepare an annual budget for consideration, modification, if appropriate, and ultimate approval by the Board of Directors;
- (g) the duties of the Treasurer shall be performed by the Assistant Treasurer when the Treasurer is absent;
- (h) the duties of the Treasurer or Secretary may be fulfilled by a management firm employed by the Association, in which event such management firm shall have custody of the books of the Association.

ARTICLE XII

BOOKS AND RECORDS

The books, records and papers of the Association shall at all times, during reasonable business hours, be subject to inspection by any Member. The Declaration, the Articles of Incorporation and the By-Laws--of. the Association shall be available for inspection by any Member---or the principal office of the Association, where copies may be purchased at reasonable costs.

ARTICLE XIII

ASSESSMENTS

As more fully provided in the Declaration, each Member is obligated to pay to the Association annual, special assessments and assessments for the use of limited common areas which are secured by a continuing lien upon the property against which the assessment is made. Any assessments which are not paid when due Shall be delinquent. If the assessment is not paid within thirty (30) days after the due date, the assessment shall be subject to a -late charge of one and one-half percent (I 1/2%) of the delinquent payment amount per month from the due date until paid or such other amount as set by the Board of Directors from time to and the Association may bring an action at law against the owner, personally obligated o pay the same or foreclose the lien against the property, and interest, costs of collection, and reasonable attorney's fees of any such action shall be added to the amount of such assessment. No Owner may waive or otherwise escape liability for the assessments provided-for herein by

non-use of the Common Properties or Restricted Common Properties or abandonment of this property by which he is entitled to Membership.

ARTICLE XIV COMMITTEES

The Board of Directors shall appoint a Nominating Committee as provided in these By - Laws. In addition, the Board of Directors shall designate one or more committees or individuals which, to the extent provided in the resolution designating said committee, individual or individuals, shall have the powers of the Board of Directors in the management of affairs and business of the Association. The committee, committees, individual or individuals shall have such name or names as may be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors, and said committees shall keep regular minutes of their proceedings and report the same to the Board of Directors, as required.

ARTICLE XV FISCAL YEAR

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

ARTICLE XVI CORPORATE SEAL

The Association shall have a seal in circular form having within its circumference the words: GOVERNORS GRANT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, or an appropriate abbreviation thereof.

ARTICLE XVII INDEMNIFICATION

The Association and Owners shall indemnify every Director and every officer, his heirs, executors, and administrators, against all losses, costs and expenses reasonably incurred by him in connection with any action, suit or proceeding to which he may be made a party by reason of his being or having been a Director or officer of the Association, except as to matters wherein he shall be finally adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding,, to be liable for or guilty of gross negligence or willful misconduct The foregoing rights shall be in addition to and not exclusive of all other rights to which such Director or officer may be entitled

ARTICLE XVIII PARLIAMENTARY RULES

Roberts Rule of Order (latest edition) shall govern the conduct of meetings when not in conflict with the Declaration or these By-Laws.

ARTICLE XIX
AMENDMENTS

Section 1. These By - Laws may be amended at a regular or special meeting of the Members by majority of the vote at a duly called meeting at which a quorum exists as provided in Section 6 of ARTICLE III hereof and provided that any matter stated herein to be or which is in fact governed by the Declaration may not be amended except as provided in the Declaration.

Section 2. In the case of any conflict between the Certificate of Incorporation and these By - Laws, the Articles shall control; and in the case of any conflict between the Declaration and these By - Laws, the Declaration shall control.

Section 3. Declarant reserves the right to amend from time to time these By - Laws without the vote of members, which amendment shall include, but not be limited to, -the right to correct scrivener's errors or to conform with the requirements of VA, FHA, FHLMC, FEMA, State Housing Authority or insurers or purchasers of mortgage loans.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, being all of the organizing Members and Directors of Governors Grant Property Association, Inc. have hereunto set our hands this 30 day of July, 1990.

WITNESSES:

M. Susan Smith
Deborah A. Bauer

GOVERNORS GRANT PROPERTY OWNERS' ASSOCIATION, INC.

By:

Its: MANAGING PARTNER

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)

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PROBATE

COUNTY OF LEXINGTON

Personally appeared before me the undersigned witness and made oath that (s) he saw the within-named Governors Grant Property Owners I Association by its authorized officer sign, seal and as its act and deed, deliver the within written instrument for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that (s) he with the other witness witnessed the execution thereof.

W. J. J. Smith

Sworn to before me this 30
day of July, 1990.

Robert A. Edwards (L.S.)
Notary Public for South Carolina

My Commission Expires 6/30/98