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DECLARATION

OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND EASEMENTS
OF HUNTINGTON PARK, A SUBDIVISION
IN DOUGLAS COUNTY, NEBRASKA

THIS DECLARATION, made on the date hereinafter set forth, is made by BENNINGTON COMPANY, a Nebraska corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "Declarant".

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

The Declarant is the owner of certain real property located within Douglas County, Nebraska and described as follows:

Lots 1 through 37, inclusive, in Huntington Park, a Subdivision, as surveyed, platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska.

Such lots are herein referred to collectively as the "Lots" and individually as each "Lot".

The Declarant desires to provide for the preservation of the values and amenities of Huntington Park, for the maintenance of the character and residential integrity of Huntington Park, and for the acquisition, construction and maintenance of Common Facilities for the use and enjoyment of the residents of Huntington Park.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Declarant hereby declares that each and all of the Lots shall be held, sold and conveyed subject to the following restrictions, covenants, conditions and easements, all of which are for the purpose of enhancing and protecting the value, desirability and attractiveness of the Lots, and the enjoyment of the residents of the Lots. These restrictions, covenants, conditions and easements shall run with such Lots and shall be binding upon all parties having or acquiring any right, title or interest in each Lot, or any part thereof, as is more fully described herein. The Lots, and each Lot is and shall be subject to all and each of the following conditions and other terms:

ARTICLE I. RESTRICTIONS AND COVENANTS

- 1. Each Lot shall be used exclusively for single-family residential purposes, except for such Lots or parts thereof as may hereafter be conveyed or dedicated by Declarant, or its successors or assigns, for use in connection with a Common Facility, or as a church, school, park, or for other non-profit use.
- 2. No residence, building, fence, wall, driveway, patio, patio enclosure, swimming pool, basketball backboards, dog house, tree house, pool house, antenna, satellite receiving station or "discs", flag pole, solar heating or cooling device, tool shed, wind mill or other external improvement, above or below the ground (herein all referred to as any "Improvement") shall be constructed, erected, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot, nor shall any grading or excavation for any Improvement be commenced, except for Improvements which have been approved by Declarant as follows:
 - A. An owner desiring to erect an Improvement shall deliver two sets of construction plans, landscaping plans and plot plans to Declarant (herein collectively referred to as the "plans"). Such plans shall include a description type, quality, color and use of materials proposed for the exterior of such Improvement. Concurrent with submission of the plans, Owner shall notify the Declarant of the Owner's mailing address.

- B. Declarant shall review such plans in relation to the type and exterior of improvements constructed, or approved for construction, on neighboring Lots and in the surrounding area, and any general scheme or plans formulated by Declarant. In this regard, Declarant intends that the Lots shall be developed residential community with homes constructed of high quality materials. The decision to approve or refuse approval of a proposed Improvement shall be exercised by Declarant to promote development of the Lots and to protect the values, character and residential quality of all Lots. If Declarant determines that the proposed Improvement will not protect and enhance the integrity and character of all the Lots and neighboring Lots as a quality residential community, Declarant may refuse approval of the proposed Improvement.
- C. Written Notice of any approval of a proposed Improvement shall be mailed to the owner at the address specified by the owner upon submission of the plans. Such notice shall be mailed, if at all, within thirty (30) days after the date of submission of the plans. If notice of approval is not mailed within such period, the proposed Improvement shall be deemed disapproved by Declarant.
- D. No Lot owner, or combination of Lot owners, or other person or persons shall have any right to any action by Declarant, or to control, direct or influence the acts of the Declarant with respect to any proposed Improvement. No responsibility, liability or obligation shall be assumed by or imposed upon Declarant by virtue of the authority granted to Declarant in this Section, or as a result of any act or failure to act by Declarant with respect to any proposed Improvement.
- 3. No single-family residence shall be created, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than one detached single-family dwelling which does not exceed two and one-half stories in height.
- 4. The exposed front foundation walls and any foundation walls facing any street of all main residential structures must be constructed of or faced with brick or simulated brick or stone or stucco or other material approved by Declarant. All exposed side and rear concrete or concrete block foundation walls not facing a street must be painted. All driveways must be constructed of concrete, brick, paving stone, or laid stone. All foundations shall be constructed of concrete doncrete, concrete blocks, brick or stone. Fireplace chimneys shall be covered with brick, or other material approved in writing by Declarant. Unless other materials are specifically approved by Declarant, the roof of all Improvements shall be covered with wood shingles.
- 5. No advertising signs, billboards, unsightly objects or nuisances shall be erected, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot except one sign per Lot consisting of not more than six (6) square feet advertising a lot as "For Sale". No business activities of any kind whatsoever shall be conducted on any lot; nor shall the premises be used in any way for any purpose which may endanger the health or unreasonably disturb the owner or owners of any Lot or any resident thereof. Provided, however, the foregoing paragraph shall not apply to the business activities, signs and billboards or the construction and maintenance of buildings, if any, by Declarant, their agents or assigns, during the construction and sale of the Lots.
- 6. No exterior television or radio antenna or disc of any sort shall be permitted on any Lot.
- 7. No repair of any boats, automobiles, motorcycles, trucks, campers or similar vehicles requiring a continuous time period in excess of forty-eight (48) hours shall be permitted on any Lot at any time; nor shall vehicles offensive to the neighborhood be visibly stored, parked or abandoned on any Lot. No unused building material, junk or rubbish shall be left exposed on the Lot except during

actual building operations, and then only in as neat and inconspicuous a manner as possible.

- 8. No boat, camper, trailer, auto-drawn or mounted trailer of any kind, mobile home, truck, aircraft, camper truck or similar chattel shall be maintained or stored on any part of a Lot (other than in an enclosed structure) for more than twenty (20) days within a calendar year. No motor vehicle may be parked or stored outside on any Lot, except vehicles driven on a regular basis by the occupants of the dwelling located on such Lot. No grading or excavating equipment, tractors or semitractors/trailers shall be stored, parked, kept or maintained in any yards, driveways or streets. However, this section 8 shall not apply to trucks, tractors or commercial vehicles which are necessary for the construction of residential dwellings during the period of construction. All residential Lots shall provide at least the minimum number of off street parking areas or spaces for private passenger vehicles required by the applicable zoning ordinances of the City of Omaha, Nebraska.
- 9. No incinerator or trash burner shall be permitted on any Lot. No garbage or trash can or container or fuel tank shall be permitted unless completely screened from view, except for pickup purposes. No garden lawn or maintenance equipment of any kind whatsoever shall be stored or permitted to remain outside of any dwelling or suitable storage facility, except when in actual use. No garbage, refuge, rubbage or cutting shall be deposited on any street, road or Lot. No clothes line shall be permitted outside of any dwelling at any time. Produce or vegetable gardens may only be maintained in rear yards.
- 10. Exterior lighting installed on any Lot shall either be indirect or of such a controlled focus and intensity as not to disturb the residents of adjacent Lots.
- 11. No fence shall be permitted to extend beyond the front line of a main residential structure. No hedges or mass planted shrubs shall be permitted more than ten (10) feet in front of the front building line. Unless other materials are specifically approved in writing by Declarant, fences shall only be composed of wood or wrought iron. No fence shall be of the chain link or wire types. No fences or walls shall exceed a height of six (6) feet.
 - 12. No swimming pool may extend more than one foot above ground level.
- 13. Construction of any Improvement shall be completed within one (1) year from the date of commencement of excavation or construction of the Improvement. No excavation dirt shall be spread across any Lot in such a fashion as to materially change the grade or contour of any Lot.
- 14. A public sidewalk shall be constructed of concrete four (4) feet wide by four (4) inches thick in front of each Lot and upon each street side of each corner Lot. The sidewalk shall be placed five (5) feet back of the street curb line and shall be constructed by the owner of the Lot prior to the time of completion of the main structure and before occupancy thereof; provided, however, this provision shall vary to comply with any requirements of the City of Omaha.
- 15. Driveway approaches between the sidewalk and curb on each Lot shall be constructed of concrete. Should repair or replacement of such approach be necessary, the repair or replacement shall also be of concrete. No asphalt overlay of driveway approaches will be permitted.
- 16. No stable or other shelter for any animal, livestock, fowl or poultry shall be erected, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any Lot, except for one dog house constructed for one (1) dog; provided always that the construction plans, specifications and the location of the proposed structure have been first approved by Declarant, or its assigns, if required by this Declaration. Dog houses shall only be allowed at the rear of the residence, concealed from public view. No dog runs or kennels of any kind shall be allowed in Huntington Park Subdivision. No livestock or agricultural-type animals shall be allowed in Huntington Park subdivision, including pot-bellied pigs.

- 17. Any exterior air conditioning condenser unit shall be placed in the rear yard or any side yards so as not to be visible from public view. No grass, weeds or other vegetation will be grown or otherwise permitted to commence or continue, and no dangerous, diseased or otherwise objectionable shrubs or trees will be maintained on any Lot so as to constitute an actual or potential public nuisance, create a hazard or undesirable proliferation, or detract from a neat and trim appearance. Vacant Lots shall not be used for dumping of earth or any waste materials, and no vegetation on vacant Lots shall be allowed to reach a height in excess of twelve (12) inches.
- 18. No Residence shall be constructed on a Lot unless the entire Lot, as originally platted, is owned by one owner of such Lot, except if parts of two or more platted Lots have been combined into one Lot which is at least as wide as the narrowest Lot on the original plat, and is as large in area as the largest Lot in the original plat.
- 19. No structure of a temporary character, carport, trailer, basement, tent, outbuilding or shack shall be erected upon or used on any Lot at any time, either temporarily or permanently. No structure or dwelling shall be moved from outside Huntington Park to any Lot without the written approval of Declarant.
- 20. All utility service lines from each Lot line to a dwelling or other Improvement shall be underground.

ARTICLE II. BOUNDARY FENCE

- 1. Declarant plans to construct boundary fences along 156th Street (the "Boundary Fence"). The Boundary Fence will be situated on the easterly most boundary line of Lots 1, 34, 35, 36, and 37, and will extend west approximately ten (10) feet. Each of such lots are collectively referred to as the "Boundary Lots".
- 2. Declarant hereby declares that the Boundary Lots are subject to a permanent and exclusive right and easement in favor of Declarant and the Huntington Park Homeowners Association to maintain, repair and replace the Boundary Fence. Without limitation of the rights and easements granted by this Declaration, the Declarant or Association may come upon any of the Boundary Lots for the purpose of constructing, installing, repairing, maintaining, removing, and replacing the Boundary Fence.
- 3. The rights and easements granted in this Article shall fully and finally terminate as to any Boundary Lot if: (i) the owner of the Boundary Lot gives written notice to the Association that the Association has failed to maintain the Boundary Fence on the Owner's Lot in neat and orderly condition and in good repair; and (ii) the Association fails to place the Boundary Fence on the Owner's Lot into good order and repair within ninety (90) days after the written notice.

ARTICLE III. HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION

- 1. The Association. Declarant has caused the incorporation of HUNTINGTON PARK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, a Nebraska not for profit corporation (hereinafter referred to as the "Association"). The Association has as its purpose the promotion of the health, safety, recreation, welfare and enjoyment of the residents of the Lots, including:
 - A. The acquisition, construction, landscaping, improvement, equipment, maintenance, operation, repair, upkeep and replacement of Common Facilities for the general use, benefit and enjoyment of the Members. Common Facilities may include recreational facilities such as swimming pools, tennis courts, health facilities, playgrounds and parks; dedicated and nondedicated roads, paths, ways and green areas; and signs and entrances for Huntington Park. Common

Facilities may be situated on property owned or leased by the Association, on public property, on private property subject to an easement in favor of the Association, or on property dedicated to a Sanitary Improvement District.

- B. The promulgation, enactment, amendment and enforcement of rules and regulations relating to the use and enjoyment of any Common Facilities, provided always that such rules are uniformly applicable to all Members. The rules and regulations may permit or restrict use of the Common Facilities by Members, their families, their guests, and/or by other persons, who may be required to pay a fee or other charge in connection with the use or enjoyment of the Common Facility.
- C. The exercise, promotion, enhancement and protection of the privileges and interests of the residents of Huntington Park; and the protection and maintenance of the residential character of Huntington Park.
- 2. Membership and Voting. Huntington Park is being initially divided into thirty-seven (37) separate lots (referred to as the "Lots"). The "Owner" of each Lot shall be a Member of this Association. The Association shall include further phases of Huntington Park as may be developed by the Declarant. For purposes of this Declaration, the term "Owner" of a Lot means and refers to the record owner, whether one or more persons or entities, of fee simple title to a Lot, but excluding however those parties having any interest in any of such Lot merely as security for the performance of an obligation (such as a contract seller, the trustee or beneficiary of a deed of trust, or a mortgagee). The purchaser of a Lot under a land contract or similar instrument shall be considered to be the "Owner" of the Lot for purposes of this Declaration. Membership shall be appurtenant to ownership of each Lot, and may not be separated from ownership of each Lot.

The Owner of each Lot, whether one or more persons and entities, shall be entitled to one (1) vote on each matter properly coming before the Members of the Association.

- 3. Purposes and Responsibilities. The Association shall have the powers conferred upon not for profit corporations by the Nebraska Nonprofit Corporation Act, and all powers and duties necessary and appropriate to accomplish the Purposes and administer the affairs of the Association. The powers and duties to be exercised by the Board of Directors, and upon authorization of the Board of Directors by the Officers, shall include but shall not be limited to the following:
 - A. The acquisition, development, maintenance, repair, replacement, operation and administration of Common Facilities, and the enforcement of the rules and regulations relating to the Common Facilities.
 - B. The landscaping, mowing, watering, repair and replacement of parks and other public property and improvements on parks or public property within or near Huntington Park.
 - C. The fixing, levying, collecting, abatement, and enforcement of all charges, dues, or assessments made pursuant to the terms of this Declaration.
 - D. The expenditure, commitment and payment of Association funds to accomplish the purposes of the Association including, but not limited to, payment for purchase of insurance covering any Common Facility against property damage and casualty, and purchase of liability insurance coverages for the Association, the Board of Directors of the Association and the Members.

- E. The exercise of all of the powers and privileges, and the performance of all of the duties and obligations of the Association as set forth in this Declaration, as the same may be amended from time to time.
- F. The acquisition by purchase or otherwise, holding, or disposition of any right, title or interest in real or personal property, wherever located, in connection with the affairs of the Association.
- G. The deposit, investment and reinvestment of Association funds in bank accounts, securities, money market funds or accounts, mutual funds, pooled funds, certificates of deposit or the like.
- H. The employment of professionals and consultants to advise and assist the Officers and Board of Directors of the Association in the performance of their duties and responsibilities for the Association.
- I. General administration and management of the Association, and execution of such documents and doing and performance of such acts as may be necessary or appropriate to accomplish such administration or management.
- J. The doing and performing of such acts, and the execution of such instruments and documents, as may be necessary or appropriate to accomplish the purposes of the Association.
- 4. <u>Mandatory Duties of Association</u>. The Association shall maintain and repair any boundary fence, entrance monuments, and signs which have been installed by Declarant in generally good and neat condition.
- 5. <u>Imposition of Dues and Assessments</u>. The Association may fix, levy and charge the Owner of each Lot with dues and assessments (herein referred to respectively as "dues and assessments") under the following provisions of this Declaration. Except as otherwise specifically provided, the dues and assessments shall be fixed by the Board of Directors of the Association and shall be payable at the times and in the manner prescribed by the Board.
- 6. Abatement of Dues and Assessments. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Declaration, the Board of Directors may abate all or part of the dues or assessments due in respect of any Lot, and shall abate all dues and assessments due in respect of any Lot during the period such Lot is owned by the Declarant. Lots owned by the Declarant shall not be subject to imposition of dues, assessments or Association liens.
- 7. Liens and Personal Obligations for Dues and Assessments. The assessments and dues, together with interest thereon, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, shall be the personal obligation of the Owner of each Lot at the time when the dues or assessments first become due and payable. The dues and assessments, together with interest thereon, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, shall also be a charge and continuing lien upon the Lot in respect of which the dues and assessments are charged. The personal obligation for delinquent assessments shall not pass to the successor in title to the Owner at the time the dues and assessments become delinquent unless such dues and assessments are expressly assumed by the successors, but all successors shall take title subject to the lien for such dues and assessments, and shall be bound to inquire of the Association as to the amount of any unpaid assessments or dues.
- 8. <u>Purpose of Dues</u>. The dues collected by the Association may be committed and expended to accomplish the purposes of the Association described in Section 1 of this Article, and to perform the Powers and Responsibilities of the Association described in Sections 3 and 4 of this Article.

- 9. <u>Maximum Annual Dues</u>. Unless excess dues have been authorized by the Members in accordance with Section 11, below, the aggregate dues which may become due and payable in any year shall not exceed the greater of:
 - A. Sixty and no/100 Dollars (\$60.00) per Lot.
 - B. In each calendar year beginning on January 1, 199_, one hundred twenty-five percent (125%) of the aggregate dues charged in the previous calendar year.
- 10. Assessments for Extraordinary Costs. In addition to the dues, the Board of Directors may levy an assessment or assessments for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the costs of any acquisition, construction, reconstruction, repair, painting, maintenance, improvement, or replacement of any Common Facility, including fixtures and personal property related thereto, and related facilities. The aggregate assessments in each calendar year shall be limited in amount to Two Hundred and no/100 Dollars (\$200.00) per Lot.
- 11. Excess Dues and Assessments. With the approval of seventy-five percent of the Members of the Association, the Board of Directors may establish dues and/or assessments in excess of the maximums established in this Declaration.
- 12. <u>Uniform Rate of Assessment</u>. Assessments and dues shall be fixed at a uniform rate as to all Lots, but dues may be abated as to individual Lots, as provided in Section 5, above.
- 13. Certificate as to Dues and Assessments. The Association shall, upon written request and for a reasonable charge, furnish a certificate signed by an officer of the Association setting forth whether the dues and assessments on a specified Lot have been paid to the date of request, the amount of any delinquent sums, and the due date and amount of the next succeeding dues, assessment or installment thereof. The dues and assessment shall be and become a lien as of the date such amounts first become due and payable.
- 14. Effect of Nonpayment of Assessments-Remedies of the Association. Any installment of dues or assessment which is not paid when due shall be delinquent. Delinquent dues or assessment shall bear interest from the due date at the rate of sixteen percent (16%) per annum, compounded annually. The Association may bring an action at law against the Owner personally obligated to pay the same, or foreclose the lien against the Lot or Lots, and pursue any other legal or equitable remedy. The Association shall be entitled to recover as a part of the action and shall be indemnified against the interest, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees incurred by the Association with respect to such action. No Owner may waive or otherwise escape liability for the charge and lien provided for herein by nonuse of the Common Area or abandonment of his Lot. The mortgagee of any Lot shall have the right to cure any delinquency of an Owner by payment of all sums due, together with interest, costs and fees. The Association shall assign to such mortgagee all of its rights with respect to such lien and right of foreclosure and such mortgagee may thereupon be subrogated to any rights of the Association.
- 15. <u>Subordination of the Lien to Mortgagee</u>. The lien of dues and assessments provided for herein shall be subordinate to the lien of any mortgage, contract or deed of trust given as collateral for a home improvement or purchase money loan. Sale or transfer of any Lot shall not affect or terminate the dues and assessment lien.

ARTICLE IV. EASEMENTS

1. A perpetual license and easement is hereby reserved in favor of and granted to Omaha Public Power District, Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, and any company which has been granted a franchise to provide a cable television system within the Lots, Metropolitan Utilities Company, and Sanitary and

Improvement District No. 374 of Douglas County, Nebraska, their successors and assigns, to erect and operate, maintain, repair and renew buried or underground sewers, water and gas mains and cables, lines or conduits and other electric and telephone utility facilities for the carrying and transmission of electric current for light, heat and power and for all telephone and telegraph and message service and for the transmission of signals and sounds of all kinds including signals provided by a cable television system and the reception on, over, through, under and across a five (5) foot wide strip of land abutting the front and the side boundary lines of the Lots; an eight (8) foot wide strip of land abutting the rear boundary lines of all interior Lots and all exterior lots that are adjacent to presently platted and recorded Lots; and a sixteen (16) foot wide strip of land abutting the rear boundary lines of all exterior Lots that are not adjacent to presently platted and recorded Lots. The term exterior Lots is herein defined as those Lots forming the outer perimeter of the Lots. The sixteen (16) foot wide easement will be reduced to an eight (8) foot wide strip when such adjacent land is surveyed, platted and recorded.

- 2. A perpetual easement is further reserved for the Metropolitan Utilities District of Omaha, their successors and assigns to erect, install, operate, maintain, repair and renew pipelines, hydrants and other related facilities, and to extend thereon pipes, hydrants and other related facilities and to extend therein pipes for the transmission of gas and water on, through, under and across a five (5) foot wide strip of land abutting all cul-de-sac streets; this license being granted for the use and benefit of all present and future owners of these Lots; provided, however, that such licenses and easements are granted upon the specific conditions that if any of such utility companies fail to construct such facilities along any of such Lot lines within thirty-six (36) months of date hereof, or if any such facilities are constructed but are thereafter removed without replacement within sixty (60) days after their removal, then such easement shall automatically terminate and become void as to such unused or abandoned easementways. No permanent buildings, trees, retaining walls or loose rock walls shall be placed in the easementways but same may be used for gardens, shrubs, landscaping and other purposes that do not then or later interfere with the aforementioned uses or rights granted herein.
- 3. A perpetual easement is further reserved in favor of the Declarant and the Association, its successors and assigns to create, install, repair, reconstruct, paint, maintain, and renew a fence, standards and related accessories located on, over and upon the rear most ten (10) foot wide strip of land abutting the rear boundary lines of Lots 34 through 37, inclusive, and Lot 1.
- 4. In the event that ninety percent (90%) of all Lots within the subdivision are not improved within five (5) years after the date on which Northwestern Bell Telephone Company files notice that it has completed installation of telephone lines to the Lots in the subdivision (herein the "Subdivision Improvement Date"), then Northwestern Bell Telephone Company may impose a connection charge on each unimproved Lot in the amount of Four Hundred Fifty and no/100 Dollars (\$450.00). A Lot shall be considered as unimproved if construction of a permanent structure has not commenced on a Lot. Construction shall be considered as having commenced if a footing inspection has been requested on the Lot in question by officials of the City or other appropriate governmental authority.

Should such charge be implemented by Northwestern Bell Telephone Company and remain unpaid, then such charge may draw interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum commencing after the expiration of sixty (50) days from the time all of the following events shall have occurred: (1) the Subdivision Improvement Date, and (2) Northwestern Bell Telephone Company sends each owner of record a written statement or billing for Four Hundred Fifty and no/100 Dollars (\$450.00) for each unimproved Lot.

5. Other easements are provided for in the final plat of Huntington Park which is filed in the Register of Deeds of Douglas County, Nebraska (Book 1943, Page 349).

ARTICLE V. GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 1. Except for the authority and powers specifically granted to the Declarant, the Declarant or any owner of a Lot named herein shall have the right to enforce by a proceeding at law or in equity, all reservations, restrictions, conditions and covenants now or hereinafter imposed by the provisions of this Declaration either to prevent or restrain any violation or to recover damages or other dues of such violation. Failure by the Declarant or by any owner to enforce any covenant or restriction herein contained shall in no event be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter.
- The covenants and restrictions of this Declaration shall run with and bind the land in perpetuity. This Declaration may be amended by BENNINGTON COMPANY, a Nebraska corporation, or any person, firm, corporation, partnership, or entity designated in writing by BENNINGTON COMPANY, a Nebraska corporation, in any manner which it may determine in its full and absolute discretion for a period of five (5) years from the date hereof. Thereafter this Declaration may be amended by an instrument signed by the owners of not less than seventy-five percent (75%) of the Lots covered by this Declaration.
- 3. BENNINGTON COMPANY, a Nebraska corporation, or its successor or assign, may terminate its status as Declarant under this Declaration, at any time, by filing a Notice of Termination of Status as Declarant. Upon such filing, Association may appoint itself or another entity, association or individual to serve as Declarant, and such appointee shall thereafter serve as Declarant with the same authority and powers as the original Declarant.
- 4. Invalidation of any covenant by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions hereof, which shall remain in full force and effect.

BENNINGTON COMPANY, a Nebraska corporation, "Declarant'

STATE OF NEBRASKA) 88.: COUNTY OF DOUGLAS)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of 1993, by 1993, by 1993, by 1993, by 1993, by 1993, by 1993, of behalf of the corporation.

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FIRST AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND EASEMENTS OF HUNTINGTON PARK, A SUBDIVISION IN DOUGLAS COUNTY, NEBRASKA

This First Amendment is made to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of Huntington Park, a Subdivision in Douglas County, Nebraska, dated March 31, 1993, and recorded with the Douglas County Register of Deeds on March 31, 1993, Miscellaneous Records, in Book 1064, at Page 278 (the "Declaration"), by BENNINGTON COMPANY, a Nebraska corporation (referred to as the "Declarant").

Preliminary Statement

The Declaration was made by the Declarant in connection with the development of Lots 1 through 37, inclusive, in Huntington Park, a subdivision, as surveyed, platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska (such lots are herein referred to collectively as the "Lots" and individually as each "Lot"). The Lots are part of Huntington Park, a residential subdivision in Douglas County, Nebraska ("Huntington Park"). Due to various replattings, the above-identified Lots are now legally described as follows:

Lots 1 through 31, inclusive, in Huntington Park, a subdivision, as surveyed, platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska.

Except as specifically provided herein, for purposes of the Declaration, each of the above-identified Lots shall be individual Lots governed by the provisions of the Declaration.

Declarant has considered an amendment of the Declaration for purposes of: (i) amending Article I, Section 2, Subparagraph B of the Declaration; (ii) amending Article III, Section 4 of the Declaration; (iii) adding a new Article III, Section 16; and (iv) adding a new Article V, Section 5. Article V, Section 2 of the Declaration allows the Declarant to amend the Declaration in any matter in which it may determine in its full and absolute discretion for a period of five (5) years from the date of the Declaration. Declarant has investigated the effect which the proposed amendments to the Declaration would have on the Lots and has concluded that the amendments would further the preservation of Huntington Park, and would further the maintenance and character and residential integrity of Huntington Park, and would further the benefits and protection afforded to the Lots by the Declaration.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority granted to the Declarant in Article V, Section 2 of the Declaration, Declarant hereby amends and supplements the Declaration as follows:

1. Article I, Section 2, Subparagraph B of the Declaration shall be amended in its entirety to provide as follows:

B. Declarant shall review such plans in light of the conditions and restrictions in Article I of this Declaration and in relation to the type and exterior of improvements which have been constructed,

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or approved for construction, on the Lots. In this regard, Declarant intends that the Lots shall be developed as a residential community with homes constructed of high quality materials. The decision to approve or refuse approval of a proposed Improvement shall be exercised by Declarant in a reasonable manner to promote conformity and harmony of the external design of the improvements constructed within the Huntington Park Subdivision and to protect the value, character and residential quality of all Lots in a manner consistent with this Declaration. Atypical improvements and home designs such as dome houses, A-frame houses and log cabins will not be approved unless the Declarant determines that construction of these Improvements will not be materially inconsistent with the scheme of development contemplated by this Declaration. If Declarant determines that the external design and location of the proposed Improvement does not conform with the surrounding improvements and topography or will not protect and enhance the integrity and character of all the Lots and neighboring Lots, if any, as a quality residential community, Declarant may refuse approval of any proposed Improvement.

- Article III, Section 4 of the Declaration shall be amended in its entirety to provide as follows:
- 4. <u>Mandatory duties of Association</u>. The Association shall maintain, repair, replace, and remove any Boundary Fence installed by Declarant on the Boundary Lots and any fences installed by Declarant in subsequent phases of Huntington Park, and shall maintain and repair entrance monuments and signs which have been installed by Declarant, all in a generally good and neat condition.
- 3. Article III, Section 16 shall provide as follows:
- Additional Lots. From time to time, without the consent or approval of an Owner or Member, the Association may be expanded to include additional residential lots in any subdivision which is contiguous to any of the Lots, or which is developed as a phase of the Huntington Park Subdivision. Such expansion(s) may be effected from time to time by recordation with the Register of Deeds of Douglas County, Nebraska, of a Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements, setting forth the identity of the additional residential lots (herein after the "Subsequent Phase Declaration"). Upon the recording of any Subsequent Phase Declaration which expands the residential lots included in the Association, the additional lots identified in the Subsequent Phase Declaration shall be considered to be and shall be included in the "Lots" for purposes of this Article III, and the owners of the additional residential lots shall be Members of the Association with all rights, privileges and obligations accorded or accruing to Members of the Association.
- 4. Article V, Section 5 shall provide as follows:
- 5. By written consent of the Declarant, for a period of five (5) years from the date hereof, any or all of the covenants, conditions, restrictions, and easements as they apply to the Lots may be waived, modified or amended for any Lot or Lots, in any manner, for such a time period, and on such conditions, if any, which the Declarant may determine in its full and absolute discretion after considering the benefits and detriments which the waiver, modification or amendment will have on the Huntington Park Subdivision and the owner requesting the waiver. Declarant's decision on any request, waiver, modification or amendment shall be final and there shall be no right of appeal of Declarant's decision. No responsibility, liability or obligation shall be assumed by or imposed upon Declarant by virtue of the authority granted to Declarant in this Section, or as a result of any act or failure to act by Declarant with respect to any request for waiver, modification or amendment.
- 5. In each and every other respect, the Declaration shall remain in full force and effect according to its terms.
- 6. Invalidation of any covenant by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions hereof, which shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHERE <u>September</u> , 1996.	OF, Declarant has	executed this First Ar	mendment as of the 10 th day	y of
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CONSENT AND APPROVAL OF DECLARANT

This Consent and Approval is made as of this Odday of Sectenber, 1996, by BENNINGTON COMPANY, a Nebraska corporation (the "Declarant"), which is Declarant under the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of Huntington Park, a Subdivision in Douglas County, Nebraska, dated March 31, 1993, and recorded with the Douglas County Register of Deeds on March 31, 1993, Miscellaneous records, in Book 1064, at Page 270, as amended by the First Amendment to Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements of Huntington Park, a Subdivision in Douglas County, Nebraska, dated September 10 1996, and recorded with the Douglas County Register of Deeds on September 17 , 199<u>6</u>, Miscellaneous Records, in Book 1187, at Page 656, and under the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements for a Part of Huntington Park, a Subdivision in Douglas County, Nebraska, dated September 30, 1993, and recorded with the Douglas County Register of Deeds on October 1, 1993, Miscellaneous Records, in Book 1098, at Page 229, as amended by the First Amendment to Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, Restrictions and Easements for a Part of Huntington Park, a Subdivision in Douglas County, Nebraska, dated February 19, 1996, and recorded with the Douglas County Register of Deeds on April 22, 1996, in Book 1174, at Page 742, Miscellaneous Records (as amended collectively referred to as the "Declarations").

Preliminary Statement

The Declarations were made by the Declarant in connection with the development of residential lots in Huntington Park, a subdivision, as surveyed, platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska ("Huntington Park"). Certain of the lots of Huntington Park which are subject to the Declarations, have been replatted and, due to the various replattings, the lots encumbered by the Declarations are now legally described as follows (the "Declaration Lots"):

> Lots 1 through 31, inclusive, Lots 38 through 276, inclusive, Lots 279 through 300, inclusive, and Lots 302 through 308, inclusive, in Huntington Park, a subdivision, as surveyed, platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska;

Lots 1 through 61, inclusive, Villas of Huntington Woods, a subdivision, as me surveyed, platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska: and

me-17851 Lot 1, Huntington Park Replat 1, a subdivision, as surveyed platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska.

Except as specifically excluded by the Declarations, the Declaration Lots are included in the Huntington Park Homeowners Association (the "Homeowners Association").

Horgan Development Company ("Horgan") is developing property which is contiguous to the Declaration Lots as an additional phase of Huntington Park. Horgan desires to include the lots which it is developing as an additional phase of Huntington Park in the Homeowners Association and has requested the consent and approval of the Declarant to include such lots in the Homeowners Association.

The Declarations provide that the Homeowners Association may be expanded to include additional residential lots in any subdivision which is contiguous to any of the Lots, or which is developed as a phase of the Huntington Park subdivision. Declarant has investigated the effect which inclusion of the residential lots being developed by Horgan as an additional phase of Huntington Park would have on the lots as defined in the Declarations, and has concluded that inclusion of such additional lots would further the preservation of Huntington Park and further the benefits and protections afforded to the Declaration Lots by the Declarations.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority granted to the Declarant in the Declarations, Declarant hereby consents and approves to the inclusion of the residential lots being developed by Horgan in the Homeowners Association, which additional Lots are legally described as follows:

Lots 309 through 433, inclusive, and Lots 435 through 439, inclusive, in Huntington Park, a subdivision, as surveyed, platted and recorded in Douglas County, Nebraska.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Consent and Approval has been executed as of the date and year first above written.

BENNINGTON COMPANY, a Nebraska corporation

By: Barbara Shaw, President

STATE OF NEBRASKA

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COUNTY OF DOUGLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this of day of September, 1996, by Corporation.

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this of day of September, 1996, by Corporation.

A GENERAL NOTARY State of Nebraska
TERISA A. WILSON
My Comm. Exp. Oct. 30, 1998

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I, Maurice M. Udes, the Beneficiary of a Deed of Trust filed March 9, 1992 in Book 3750 at Page 258 of the Mortgage Records of Douglas County, Nebraska does hereby consent to the filing of, and ratify the plat of Lots 1 through 37 inclusive, Huntington Park and the dedication of the property therein, as filed in the office of the Register of Deeds of Douglas County, Nebraska in Deed Book 1943 at Page 349 on January 28, 1993.

Dated: April 1993

Maurice M. Udes

STATE OF NEBRASKA)

COUNTY OF DOUGLAS)

Before me, the undersigned, Notary Public in and for said County and State appeared Maurice M. Udes, to me known to be the identical person who executed the above instrument and acknowledged his execution thereof to be his voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and Notarial Seal this ______ day of ______, 1993

DONNA M. NISSEN
My Comm. Exp. May 10, 1995

Notary Public

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RATIFICATION <u>OF</u> **HUNTINGTON PARK**

SWEETBRIAR SYNDICATE, a Nebraska general partnership, the undersigned, does hereby submit this statement in order to correctly reflect all of the names of the owners of the parcels of land contained in the Huntington Park final plats from BENNINGTON COMPANY, as shown in the dedication of the final plats to also include SWEETBRIAR SYNDICATE, and the signing of this ratification is its own voluntary act and deed.

It does further, in such capacity, ratify, confirm and in all respects acknowledge and approve all aspects and legalities of such plats and its dedication as recorded at Plat Book 1943, Page 349, and Plat Book 1958, Page 134.

> SWEETBRIAR SYNDICATE, a Nebraska general partnership,

Partne

STATE OF NEBRASKA

)) ss.:

COUNTY OF DOUGLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 3 \ day of 1996, by Barrer of SWEETBRIAR SYNDICATE, a Nebraska general partnership, on behalf of the partnership.

> GENERAL MOTARY-State of Nebrush DONALD I BURESH L. Erg. Jan. 21, 1999

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PARTIAL DEED OF RECONVEYANCE

(Under Nebraska Trust Deeds Act)

Know All Men by These Presents:

For good and valuable consideration paid, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged by the signature of the Beneficiary of a certain Deed of Trust dated March 2, 1992, executed by Paul M. Brown as Trustee for the benefit of Maurice M. Udes, the Beneficiary named therein, and recorded in the Mortgage Records in the office of the register of Deeds of Douglas County, Nebraska, on March 9, 1992, in Book 3750 at Page 258, the Beneficiary has requested that this Partial Deed of Reconveyance be executed and delivered;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and in accordance with the request of the Beneficiary as evidenced by his signature below, the undersigned as Trustee does by these presents, grant, remise, release and reconvey to the person or persons entitled thereof all of the interest and estate derived to said Trustee by or through said Deed of Trust in the following described premises, but only as to such premises:

Lot 5, in Huntington Park, a Subdivision, as surveyed, platted and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in Douglas County, Nebraska. puster -200 1 m Dated this 15th day of May , 1993. Paul M. Brown, Trústee STATE OF NEBRASKA ss. COUNTY OF DOUGLAS The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 15 day of May 1993, by Paul M. Brown, Trustee. A GENERAL MOTARY-State of Mohraska DENNIS L. HARDT My Comm. Exp. Aug. 25, 1996 August 25,1996 My Commission Expires:

This is to certify that the above named Trustee has been requested in writing to execute the foregoing Partial Deed of Reconveyance and his action in doing so is ratified and confirmed in all respects.

The undersigned hereby represents and warrants to the Trustee that the undersigned owns the entire beneficial interest under said Deed of trust and has full right and authority to direct the Trustee to reconvey said property.

Date: May 15, 1993

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