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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

For use by DOMESTIC NONPROFIT CORPORATION

Pursuant to the provisions of Act 162, Public Acts of 1982, the undersigned corporation executes the following Articles:

### ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is:

MARION OAKS DEVELOPMENT CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION

### ARTICLE II

The purpose or purposes for which the corporation is formed are:

The purpose for which the corporation is formed is to provide an entity pursuant to the Michigan Condominium Act, MCL 559.101 et seq., for the operation of condominium properties in Livingston County, Michigan, including the following:

- a. to maintain, operate, and administer the property of the condominium for the use and enjoyment of its members and their guests, invitees, and families;
- b. to make and enforce reasonable rules and regulations concerning the use of the condominium property in furtherance of the master deed and bylaws;
- c. to levy and collect assessments from members of the corporation to defray the costs, expenses, and losses of the condominium;
- d. to employ personnel; to contract for the maintenance, administration, and management of the condominium; and to delegate to the persons such powers and duties as are necessary;
- e. to purchase insurance on the common elements of the condominium and to collect and allocate the proceeds;
- f. to authorize and approve the signing of contracts, deeds, or easements affecting the common elements; and
- g. to carry on any other business in connection with and incident to the above purposes that is not forbidden and with all the powers conferred on nonprofit corporations by the laws of the State of Michigan.

All funds and the titles to all properties acquired by the corporation and the proceeds shall be held in trust for the members in accordance with the provisions of the bylaws of the association.

ARTICLE III				
The Corporation is formed upon Non Stock basis.				
If formed on a stock basis, the total number of shares the corporation has authority to issue is				

If formed on a nonstock basis, the description and value of its real property assets are (if none, insert "none"): None.

The description and value of its personal property assets are (if none, insert "none"):

None.

The corporation is to be financed under the following general plan:

The corporation is to be financed by assessment of members to defray the costs, expenses, and losses of the condominium.

The Corporation is formed on a Membership basis.

# ARTICLE IV

The street address of the registered office of the corporation and the name of the resident agent at the registered office (P.O.

Boxes are not acceptable):

1. Agent Name:

JACK LANSING, II

2. Street Address:

1295 MAXFIELD ROAD

Apt/Suite/Other:

City:

**BRIGHTON** 

State:

MI

Zip Code: 48114

3. Registered Office Mailing Address:

P.O. Box or Street

Address:

1295 MAXFIELD ROAD

Apt/Suite/Other:

City:

**BRIGHTON** 

State:

MI

Zip Code: 48114

# ARTICLE V

The name(s) and address(es) of the incorporator(s) is (are) as follows:

Name	Residence or Business Address	
JACK LANSING, II	1295 MAXFIELD ROAD, BRIGHTON, MI 48114 USA	

Use the space below for additional Articles or for continuation of previous Articles. Please identify any Article being continued or added.

# ARTICLE VI

THE TERM OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE PERPETUAL.

## ARTICLE VII

THE CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED ON A MEMBERSHIP BASIS, AND EACH OWNER OF RECORD OF A UNIT IN THE CONDOMINIUM, INCLUDING THE DEVELOPER UNTIL ALL UNITS HAVE BEEN SOLD, SHALL BE A MEMBER OF THE CORPORATION. MEMBERSHIP SHALL NOT BE ASSIGNED, PLEDGED, ENCUMBERED, OR TRANSFERRED IN ANY MANNER EXCEPT AS AN APPURTENANCE TO THE UNIT. THE DIRECTORS SHALL ALSO BE MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION UNTIL THEIR SUCCESSORS HAVE BEEN ELECTED AND QUALIFIED.

EACH MEMBER OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE ENTITLED TO ONE VOTE, THE VALUE OF WHICH AND THE MANNER OF EXERCISE OF WHICH ARE TO BE DETERMINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BYLAWS OF THE CORPORATION.

# ARTICLE VIII

ANY ACTION REQUIRED OR PERMITTED BY THE ACT TO BE TAKEN AT AN ANNUAL OR SPECIAL MEETING OF MEMBERS MAY BE TAKEN WITHOUT A MEETING, WITHOUT PRIOR NOTICE, AND WITHOUT A VOTE IF A CONSENT IN WRITING, SETTING FORTH THE ACTION TO BE TAKEN, IS SIGNED A NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION NOT LESS THAN THE MINIMUM NUMBER OF VOTES THAT WOULD BE NECESSARY TO AUTHORIZE OR TAKE THE ACTION AT A MEETING AT WHICH ALL MEMBERS ENTITLED TO VOTE WERE PRESENT AND VOTED. PROMPT NOTICE OF THE TAKING OF CORPORATE ACTION WITHOUT A MEETING BY LESS THAN UNANIMOUS CONSENT SHALL BE GIVEN TO MEMBERS WHO HAVE NOT CONSENTED IN WRITING.

## ARTICLE IX

NO CONTRACT OR OTHER TRANSACTION BETWEEN THIS CORPORATION AND ANY OTHER CORPORATION, FIRM, OR ASSOCIATION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO CANCELLATION (OTHER THAN AS PROVIDED BY MCL 559.101 ET SEQ.) BY THE FACT THAT ANY ONE OR MORE OF THE DIRECTORS OR OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE INTERESTED IN OR ARE DIRECTORS OR OFFICERS OF THE OTHER CORPORATION, FIRM, OR ASSOCIATION; AND ANY DIRECTOR OR OFFICER MAY INDIVIDUALLY BE A PARTY TO OR BE INTERESTED IN ANY CONTRACT OR TRANSACTION OF THE CORPORATION. HOWEVER, THE CONTRACT OR OTHER TRANSACTION MUST BE FAIR AND REASONABLE TO THE CORPORATION WHEN IT IS AUTHORIZED, APPROVED, OR RATIFIED; AND THE MATERIAL FACTS OF THE RELATIONSHIP OR INTEREST MUST BE DISCLOSED OR KNOWN TO THE BOARD OR COMMITTEE WHEN IT AUTHORIZED, APPROVED, OR RATIFIED THE CONTRACT OR TRANSACTION BY A VOTE SUFFICIENT FOR THE PURPOSE WITHOUT COUNTING THE VOTE OF THE INTERESTED DIRECTOR OR OFFICER. EVERY PERSON WHO MAY BECOME A DIRECTOR OR AN OFFICER OF THE CORPORATION IS RELIEVED FROM ANY LIABILITY THAT MIGHT OTHERWISE EXIST FROM CONTRACTING WITH THE CORPORATION FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE OFFICER OR DIRECTOR OR ANY FIRM, ASSOCIATION, OR CORPORATION IN WHICH THE OFFICER OR DIRECTOR MAY OTHERWISE HAVE AN INTEREST AS SET FORTH IN THESE ARTICLES.

# ARTICLE X

THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD SHALL BE VOLUNTEER DIRECTORS WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE ACT. A VOLUNTEER DIRECTOR SHALL NOT BE PERSONALLY LIABLE TO THE CORPORATION OR TO ITS MEMBERS FOR MONETARY DAMAGES FOR A BREACH OF THE DIRECTOR'S FIDUCIARY DUTY ARISING UNDER APPLICABLE LAW. HOWEVER, THIS ARTICLE SHALL NOT ELIMINATE OR LIMIT THE LIABILITY OF A DIRECTOR FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

- A. A BREACH OF THE DIRECTOR'S DUTY OF LOYALTY TO THE CORPORATION OR ITS MEMBERS;
- B. ACTS OR OMISSIONS NOT IN GOOD FAITH OR THAT INVOLVE INTENTIONAL MISCONDUCT OR KNOWING VIOLATION OF LAW:
  - C. A VIOLATION OF MCL 450.2551;
  - D. A TRANSACTION FROM WHICH THE DIRECTOR DERIVED AN IMPROPER PERSONAL BENEFIT;
    - E. AN ACT OR OMISSION THAT IS GROSSLY NEGLIGENT; OR
  - F. AN ACT OR OMISSION OCCURRING BEFORE THE DATE ON WHICH THIS DOCUMENT IS FILED.

A VOLUNTEER DIRECTOR SHALL ONLY BE PERSONALLY LIABLE FOR MONETARY DAMAGES FOR A BREACH OF FIDUCIARY DUTY AS A DIRECTOR TO THE CORPORATION AND ITS MEMBERS TO THE EXTENT SET FORTH IN THIS ARTICLE. ANY REPEAL OR MODIFICATION OF THIS ARTICLE SHALL NOT ADVERSELY AFFECT ANY RIGHT OR PROTECTION OF ANY VOLUNTEER DIRECTOR EXISTING AT THE TIME OF OR FOR ANY ACTS OR OMISSIONS OCCURRING BEFORE THE REPEAL OR MODIFICATION.

### ARTICLE XI

- THE CORPORATION ASSUMES LIABILITY FOR ALL ACTS OR OMISSIONS OF A NONDIRECTOR VOLUNTEER OCCURRING AFTER THE DATE THIS ARTICLE IS FILED WITH THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS, PROVIDING ALL OF THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS ARE MET:
- A. THE VOLUNTEER WAS ACTING OR REASONABLY BELIEVED HIM- OR HERSELF TO BE ACTING WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE VOLUNTEER'S AUTHORITY;
  - B. THE VOLUNTEER WAS ACTING IN GOOD FAITH;
  - C. THE VOLUNTEER'S CONDUCT DID NOT AMOUNT TO GROSS NEGLIGENCE OR WILLFUL AND WANTON MISCONDUCT;
    - D. THE VOLUNTEER'S CONDUCT WAS NOT AN INTENTIONAL TORT; AND
- E. THE VOLUNTEER'S CONDUCT WAS NOT A TORT ARISING OUT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MAINTENANCE, OR USE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE FOR WHICH TORT LIABILITY MAY BE IMPOSED UNDER MCL 500.3135 OF THE INSURANCE CODE OF 1956.

# ARTICLE XII

THESE ARTICLES MAY BE AMENDED BY THE AFFIRMATIVE VOTE OF NOT LESS THAN A MAJORITY OF THE ENTIRE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CORPORATION. IN NO EVENT SHALL ANY AMENDMENT MAKE CHANGES IN THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP OR THE VOTING RIGHTS OF MEMBERS WITHOUT THE UNANIMOUS CONSENT OF THE MEMBERSHIP.

# ARTICLE XIII

IF THE EXISTENCE OF THE CORPORATION IS TERMINATED FOR ANY REASON, ALL ASSETS OF THE CORPORATION REMAINING AFTER THE PAYMENT OF OBLIGATIONS IMPOSED BY APPLICABLE LAW SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED ALONG THE MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION IN THE SAME PROPORTION THAT EACH MEMBER'S INTEREST IN THE COMMON ELEMENTS OF THE PROJECT BEARS TO THE TOTAL OF THE INTERESTS.

Signed this 8th Day of October, 2018 by the incorporator(s).

Signature	Title	Title if "Other" was selected
Jack Lansing, II	Incorporator	

By selecting ACCEPT, I hereby acknowledge that this electronic document is being signed in accordance with the Act. I further certify that to the best of my knowledge the information provided is true, accurate, and in compliance with the Act.

# MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS FILING ENDORSEMENT

This is to Certify that the ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

for

MARION OAKS DEVELOPMENT CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION

*ID Number:* 802243825

received by electronic transmission on October 08, 2018 , is hereby endorsed.

Filed on October 08, 2018 , by the Administrator.

The document is effective on the date filed, unless a subsequent effective date within 90 days after received date is stated in the document.



In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Department, in the City of Lansing, this 8th day of October, 2018.

Julia Dale, Director

Corporations, Securities & Commercial Licensing Bureau