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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF CRAVEN

AMENDMENT TO PROTECTIVE COVENANTS  
CAROLINA COLOURS  
VIRIDIAN

THIS AMENDMENT TO PROTECTIVE COVENANTS, CAROLINA COLOURS, is dated for purposes of reference only this \_\_\_\_\_ day of June, 2006, and is submitted for recordation by Carolina Creek LLC, a North Carolina limited liability company (hereinafter "Declarant").

RECITALS:

Carolina Creek LLC has prepared a master development plan for a predominantly residential community named Carolina Colours, located in Craven County, City of New Bern, North Carolina. The development plan for Carolina Colours is set out in the Protective Covenants for Carolina Colours recorded in Book 2267, Pages 270 through 307, Craven County Registry ("Master Covenants"). Certain properties particularly described in the Master Covenants were subjected to its provisions upon its recordation. Declarant reserved the right, in Paragraph 2 of the Master Covenants, to subject described additional properties to the terms and conditions of the Master Covenants. Declarant further reserved the right to impose new or different development guidelines and restrictions on the additional properties made subject to the Master Covenants. The purpose of this Amendment to Protective Covenants ("Amendment") is to subject additional properties more fully described hereinafter to the terms and conditions of the Master Covenants, and to specify particular restrictions and easements applicable to the properties hereby annexed.

Therefore, the Master Covenants are hereby amended as follows:

1. Annexed Properties. The provisions of the Master Covenants shall apply fully to all of the property as shown on that plat of Viridian, including, without limitation, Lots 1 through 22, as well as all rights-of-way and other properties described thereon, said plat being recorded in Plat Cabinet H, Slides 67D & 67E,

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Craven County Registry. Said plat shall herein be referred to as the "Plat." All of the terms and provisions of the Master Covenants, as previously amended, shall be fully binding and applicable to the property described on the Plat, except as specifically modified by this Amendment. The Lots shown on the Plat shall be referred to herein as "**Viridian Lots.**"

2. Minimum Building Requirements. No primary residential Structure located on any **Viridian Lot** shall contain less than 2200 heated square feet. If any primary residential Structure contains more than one living floor, there must be a minimum of 1500 square feet of heated space on the first living floor. Heated space shall only include fully enclosed space heated by the primary central heating system utilized for the primary residential Structure.

3. Set-backs: The minimum building set-backs shall be the greater of the set-backs shown on the Plat, or the following:

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| a) Front (street) set-back: | 40 feet |
| b) Side set-back:           | 15 feet |
| c) Rear set-back:           | 30 feet |

4. Impervious Surface Limitations: No more than 6,500 square feet of any Lot shall be covered by structures or impervious materials. Impervious materials include asphalt, gravel, concrete, brick, stone, slate or similar material but do not include wood decking or the water surface of swimming pools. Swales (whether roadside or in drainage easements) shall not be filled in, piped, or altered except as necessary to provide driveway crossings. This covenant is intended to insure ongoing compliance with North Carolina State stormwater management permits as issued by the Division of Water Quality and can not be modified or deleted without the consent of the State of North Carolina by issuance of a permit amendment. The State of North Carolina and the City of New Bern are specifically given the right, by specific performance, to enforce the limitations and restrictions contained in this paragraph 4 of this Amendment.

The Association is specifically required to maintain any storm water collection, distribution or holding structures constructed in accordance with ordinances of, or permits issued by, the City of New Bern as relates to storm water management and discharge, and as relates to nitrogen reduction, whether or not said facilities are located on Common Elements or on Lots, if such structures are not maintained by the City of New Bern. The Association is also specifically directed to pay any inspection fees charged by the City of New Bern for inspection of such facilities and improvements.

5. Golf Course Lots: **Viridian** Lots 1 through 7 shall be considered "golf course Lots" for all purposes under the Covenants, including the payment of assessments, and shall be subject to any and all golf course easements set out in the Covenants.



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6. Riparian Buffer Lots: **Viridian** Lots 3 and 4 are subject to riparian buffer rules imposed by the State of North Carolina, in areas within the "50 foot buffer" shown on the Plat. The State of North Carolina has the right and authority to enforce these rules, which rules strictly limit the right to remove vegetation or construct structures within the area subject to riparian buffer rules. Areas designated on the Plat as "Wetlands" shall not be filled, nor shall structures be constructed thereon.

7. Rental Limitations: No rental of any home shall be allowed that is for a term of less than six months.

8. Other Restrictions: Drainage Easements as shown on the Plat, other than the typical drainage easements described in paragraph 9.4 of the Protective Covenants, have been established in part in order to comply with certain restrictions regarding nitrogen reduction and/or stormwater management imposed by the City of New Bern and/or the State of North Carolina. No Lot Owner shall interfere in any way with the drainage within such easements or with drainage structures therein. Drainage swales located on a public right of way adjoining the boundary of a Lot shall be maintained (mowed) by the Owner of the adjoining Lot, and the Owner of a Lot burdened with a drainage swale within a drainage easement shall also maintain (mow) that portion of the swale and easement located on said Owner's Lot. The Owner of a Lot shall also be required to mow the area between said Owner's Lot and adjoining street pavement and/or sidewalks, regardless of whether or not such area contains a drainage swale. Declarant reserves the right to abandon drainage easements if their use is not required to comply with governmental requirements or is not otherwise necessary for proper drainage. No private use of said easements or swales, other than normal runoff from adjoining Lots, for drainage or other purposes may be made by the Owner of any Lot without consent of the Association.

All Common Elements as shown on the Plat, including, without limitation, **Viridian Pond**, shall be conveyed to the Association no later than December 31, 2007. The Association reserves the right to and shall maintain all areas within the Common Elements adjacent to Creekscape Drive, including **Viridian Pond**, and to establish the criteria for such maintenance. At the time of the recordation of the Plat, **Viridian Pond** was not constructed. It is therefore possible that the precise boundaries of **Viridian Pond** will vary slightly from the location as shown on the Plat. There is therefore reserved for the benefit of the Association an easement over all Lots adjoining **Viridian Pond**, 10 feet in width, for purposes of basin location and maintenance. Should there be any property between the pond and the adjoining Lot, the Owner of the adjacent Lot shall maintain such area in a slightly condition, and is hereby given an easement to go upon such property for such purpose, and for the purpose of accessing the pond.

9. Telecommunications Services. **Viridian Lots** shall be provided the same telecommunications services as are provided from time to time to Sienna Woods Lots, as more fully described in the

Master Covenants, as the same are amended from time to time, and the cost of such services shall also be the same. The five foot private utility easement adjacent to the rights of way of **Creekscape Drive** and **Viridian Trace** are for the exclusive use of the Telecommunications Provider as set out in the Master Covenants, and as referenced in paragraph 9.5 thereof.

10. Definitions. All definitions contained in the Master Covenants are hereby incorporated within this Amendment by reference.

11. Survival. Except as specifically altered by this Amendment, all provisions of the Master Covenants, to the extent not limited therein to particular designated Lots, and as the same may have been previously amended from time to time, shall be fully applicable to all **Viridian Lots**, and the terms and conditions of the Master Covenants shall remain in full force and effect as to all Viridian Lots encumbered hereby and thereby.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this instrument under authority duly given as of the day and year first above written.

CAROLINA CREEK LLC

BY: [Signature] (SEAL)  
Kenneth M. Kirkman, Manager

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

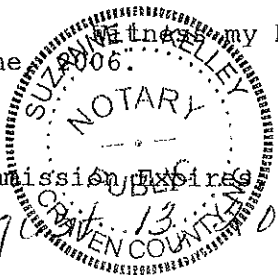
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I, Suzanne L. Kelley, a Notary Public of the County and State aforesaid, certify that personally came before me this day Kenneth M. Kirkman and acknowledged that he is a Manager of Carolina Creek LLC, a limited liability company of the State of North Carolina, and that by authority duly given and as the act of the company, the foregoing instrument was signed in its name by him, under seal.

Witnessed by my hand and official stamp or seal, this 21 day of June 2006.

My Commission Expires

August 13, 2008



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Notary Public

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