PERFORMANCE BOND Bond No.

KNOWN	ALL	MEN	BY	THESE	PRESENTS,	that	We,
		,	as Princ	ipal, and _			, a
corporation organiz	ed and d	oing busir	ness und	er and by v	irtue of the laws	of the S	State of
and	duly licer	nsed to con	nduct sur	ety business	in the State of Fl	lorida, as	Surety
("Principal" and "S	Surety" co	llectively	the "Obl	igors"), are	held and firmly b	ound unt	to Polk
County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida (the "County"), as Obligee, in the sum of							sum of
			(\$		_) Dollars (herein	after the	"Total
Penal Sum"), for wh	ich payme	ent, well an	d truly to	be made, we	bind ourselves, our	r heirs, ex	ecutors
and successors, join	tly and se	verally as v	well as se	everally only	for the purpose of	allowing	; a joint
action or actions aga	ainst any c	or all of us.					
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WHEREAS, the County's Land Development Code (hereinafter "LDC") is by reference incorporated into and made part of this Performance Bond (hereinafter "Bond"); and

WHEREAS, the Principal has agreed pursuant to the Subdivision Agreement, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated into and made part of this Bond, to construct the improvements described in the Engineer's Cost Estimate, attached hereto as Exhibit "B" and incorporated into and made part of this Bond (hereinafter "Improvements"), in the _______ platted subdivision (the "Subdivision"), in accordance with the drawings, plans, specifications, and other data and information (hereinafter "Plans") filed with the County's Land Development Division, which Plans are by reference incorporated into and made part of this Bond; and

WHEREAS, the LDC requires the Principal to provide and maintain full performance security guaranteeing the completion and approval of all private or public on-site or off-site Improvements.

NOW, THEREFORE, the conditions of this Bond are such that:

- 1. The Principal shall well and truly construct the Improvements in the Subdivision in accordance with the Plans and LDC within the time frame set forth in the Subdivision Agreement, and as verified by Polk County's Land Development Division. The Bond shall commence upon the date of issue by the Surety and remain in full force and effect until the Obligee releases the Bond (the "Coverage Period"). The Surety shall not terminate this Bond until the Coverage Period has ended.
- 2. The Surety unconditionally covenants and agrees that if the Principal fails to complete all or any part of the Improvements within the time specified in the Subdivision Agreement, the Surety, upon written notice from the Obligee, its authorized agent or officer, of the default, shall forthwith perform and complete the Improvements and pay the cost thereof, including without limitation, engineering, legal, and contingent costs.

- 3. The Surety further agrees that the Obligee may demand up to the full amount of the Bond, such amount determined solely by the Obligee in its reasonable discretion, and the Surety shall forthwith pay the Obligee said amount within thirty (30) days of Obligee's written notification, for Obligee to construct, or caused to be constructed the Improvements if the Principal should fail or refuse to do so. The liability of the Surety shall not be discharged by any payment or succession of payments hereunder, unless and until such payment or payments shall amount in the aggregate to the Total Penal Sum of this Bond.
- 4. Should the Surety fail or refuse to perform any of its obligations pursuant to this Bond, the Obligee shall have the right to resort to any and all legal remedies against the Principal and Surety, or either, both at law and in equity including specific performance, to which the Principal and Surety unconditionally agree. In such case, the Obligors agree to pay all costs incurred by the Obligee, including court costs and attorney's fees, and venue shall be in the courts of Polk County, Florida or in the United States District Court, Middle District of Florida, located in Hillsborough County, Florida.
- 5. The Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension of time, alteration, addition or deletion to the proposed Improvements, or the plans, specifications and schedules covering same, shall in any way affect the Surety's obligation on this Bond, and it does hereby waive notice of any such change, extension of time, alteration, addition or deletion to the proposed Improvements or the Plans, specifications and schedules.
- 6. All notices, demands, and correspondence with respect to this Bond shall be in writing and deemed effective on the date of certified mailing addressed to the following, notwithstanding any changes in address:

The Surety at:

The Principal at:

The Obligee at:

Polk County, Land Development Division 330 West Church Street PO Box 9005 – Drawer GM03 Bartow, FL 33831-9005

THIS BOND DATED THE	DAY OF	, 20
(the date of issue by the Surety).		
	PRINCIPAL:	
Witness	Name of Corporation	
	By:	
Printed Name	·	
Witness	Printed Name Title: (SEAL)	
Printed Name	(OL/IL)	
PRINCIPAL		
STATE OFCOUNTY OF		
online notarization, this day	rledged before me by means of phy of, 2023, by(entity name), or	as
behalf of the Principal, who is person as id	nally known to me or 🔛 has produced	r benan or the on
(AFFIX NOTARY SEAL)		
	Notary Public	
	Print Name	
	My Commission Expires	

SURETY:	
Witness	Name of Corporation
	By:
Printed Name	·
Witness	Printed Name
	Title:
D: 137	(SEAL)
Printed Name	(ATTACH POWER OF ATTORNEY)
STATE OF	
STATE OFCOUNTY OF	
The foregoing instrument was acknowledge	ged before me by means of physical presence or
	, 2023, by as
(title <u>of</u> officer) of	(entity name), on behalf of the on
behalf of the Surety, who is personally ki	
as identi	fication.
(AFFIX NOTARY SEAL)	
	Notary Public
	Print Name
	My Commission Expires

EXHIBIT A (Subdivision Agreement)

EXHIBIT B (Engineer's Cost Estimate)