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Subdivision Covenants and Restrictions

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The undersigned, LaRosa Family Partnership, as owner of the attached real estate, does hereby lay off, plat and subdivide the said real estate in accordance with the attached plat and certificate.

This subdivision shall be known as "Maple Glen".

The streets and sidewalks, if not heretofore dedicated, are hereby dedicated to public use.

There are strips of ground marked "Utility and Drainage Strips" shown on the plat which are hereby reserved for public utilities, not including transportation companies, for the installation and maintenance of poles, mains, sewers, drains, conduits, lines and such connected with the easements hereby created, and subject at all times to the rights of proper authorities to service the utilities and the easements hereby created, and no permanent structure of any kind, and no part thereof, except fences and sidewalks, shall be built, erected or maintained on said "Utility and Drainage Strips."

There are strips of ground marked "Drainage Easement" which are hereby reserved for the installation and maintenance of drainage improvements. Purchasers of lots in this subdivision shall take their title subject to the easement hereby created, and subject at all times to the proper authorities and the easement hereby created, and no permanent structure of any kind shall be built, erected or maintained on any such "Drainage Easement", as now platted or hereafter approved.

All lots in this subdivision and all present and future owners or occupants thereof shall be subject to the following development standards, conditions and restrictions, which shall run with the land:

1. No lot shall be used except for residential purposes and no building shall be erected, altered, or placed on any lot, other than one (1) detached single family dwelling and an attached private two (2) car garage. Carports with open sides shall not be permitted. All driveways and vehicle parking areas shall be hard surfaced with either concrete, asphalt or brick. No gravel or stone driveways shall be permitted. All driveways accessing Gray Road shall have turn around constructed within the lot.

2. All dwellings constructed upon any lot in this development shall conform to the following minimum living area requirements. To wit: (a) the ground floor living area of all single story dwellings shall contain not less than 1,200 square feet (exclusive of one(1) story open porches and garages and other areas not considered living area). No two (2) story dwellings shall contain less than 800 square feet of living area on the ground floor. All two (2) story dwellings shall contain at least 1,200 square feet of total living area. Provided, however, that any residence constructed upon any lot which has its rear immediately adjacent to the Gray Road right-of-way, or on Lots 4 through 9 and 16 through 20, shall contain a minimum of fifteen hundred (1,500) square feet of living space, such as is defined herein.

Notwithstanding compliance with the foregoing minimum living area requirements, the Department of Metropolitan Development of the City of Indianapolis, County of Marion, in Indiana, shall not issue an Improvement Permit for any dwelling upon any lot in this development, nor shall any dwelling be constructed unless the building and site plans presented by the lot owner have been approved by and bear the stamp of approval of the Architectural Control Committee, or its duly authorized representative, which approval shall be based solely on compliance with these restrictions and specifications except as amended by this Covenant.

In Witness Whereof, the undersigned, LaRosa Family Partnership, have hereunto set their hands and seal this 10th day of October, 1980.
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Notwithstanding compliance with the foregoing minimum living area requirements, the Department of Metropolitan Development of the City of Indianapolis, County of Marion, in Indiana, shall not issue an Improvement Location Permit for any dwelling upon any lot in this development, nor shall any dwelling be constructed unless the building plans and site plans presented by the lot owner have been approved by and bear the stamp of approval of the Architectural Control Committee, if the said residences are built upon an adequate foundation and the entire ground floor of each residence, exclusive of doors, windows, garage doors, porch openings, and similar alike.

In addition to the fifteen hundred square foot (1,500) living space requirement for the perimeter lots described in paragraph 2 above, all residences constructed upon the said perimeter lots shall either be built upon a crawl space or basement, or in the alternative, and at the lot owner's discretion, if the said residences are built upon an adequate foundation and the entire ground floor of each residence, exclusive of doors, windows, garage doors, porch openings, and similar alike.

All rear yard property lines which are immediately adjacent to Grey Road, shall be landscaped in a manner consistent with the aesthetics and tranquility established by the entries to this development. The said landscaping shall consist of evergreen plantings or grass, or a combination thereof.

A not-for-profit Indiana corporation shall be incorporated by the Declarant whose purpose shall be the maintenance of all common areas within the development and other purposes as set forth in the separate Declaration of Covenants and Restrictions For The Maple Glen Association, Inc., an Indiana not-for-profit corporation, placed of record in the office of the Recorder of Marion County, Indiana, concurrently with the recording of this plat. All lot owners in Maple Glen shall be members of The Maple Glen Association, Inc., and subject to the covenants, restrictions, charges, assessments and liens, as provided in the said Declaration.

No building shall be located on any lot nearer to the front line or nearer the side street line than the minimum building set-back as shown on the recorded plat. No building shall be located nearer than six feet to a side yard line, and the total side yard set-back on both sides must be at least sixteen feet. No building shall be erected closer than twenty feet to the rear lot line unless otherwise approved.

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shall any building or structure be erected, placed or altered on any lot until the plans and specifications and a plan showing the exact location of the new building or structure have been approved by the Architectural Control Committee. No building or structure shall be erected, placed or altered on any lot without the written approval of the Architectural Control Committee. No building or structure shall be erected, placed or altered on any lot without the written approval of the Architectural Control Committee. No building or structure shall be erected, placed or altered on any lot without the written approval of the Architectural Control Committee.

9. The Architectural Control Committee shall be the final authority in determining compliance with all applicable building and zoning ordinances and regulations. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the authority to designate representatives for the development upon the date of the designation or the appointment of any member of the Committee, the designate shall be entitled to appoint representatives of the architect, engineer or contractor for the construction of the development.

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11. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the authority to determine compliance with all applicable building and zoning ordinances and regulations. The Architectural Control Committee shall have the authority to designate representatives for the construction of the development.
The architectural control committee shall be composed of not less than three (3), nor more than five (5) members, all appointed by the undersigned. A majority of the committee may designate a representative to act for it. In the event of death or resignation of any member of the committee, the remaining members shall have full authority to designate a successor. Neither the members of the committee nor its designated representatives shall be entitled to any compensation for services performed pursuant to this covenant. The committee shall serve at the discretion of the undersigned.

The architectural control committee's approval or disapproval as required in these covenants shall be in writing. In the event the committee, or its designated representatives, fails to approve or disapprove within ten (10) days after plans and specifications have been submitted to it, or in any event, if no suit to enjoin the construction has commenced prior to the completion thereof, approval will not be required and the said covenants shall be deemed to have been fully complied with.

With approval of the architectural control committee, the location will not detract materially from the appearance and value of other properties, a dwelling may be located nearer to a street than above provided, but not nearer than 25 feet to any street line.

No noxious or offensive activity shall be carried on upon any lot nor shall anything be done thereon which may be or may become an annoyance or nuisance to the neighborhood.

No structure of a temporary character, trailer, basement, tent, shack, garage, barn or other out-building shall be erected or permitted to remain on any lot at any time, nor shall any such structure be used as a residence, either temporarily or permanently. No above-ground swimming pools or satellite dishes or antennas shall be permitted on any lot in this development. Any chimneys on the front of a home shall be of masonry construction. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the developer and/or builder shall be permitted to erect and maintain a temporary construction and sales office upon any lot during the construction period and until such time as necessary sales models are completed.

No sign of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on any lot, except signs used by a builder or owner to advertise the property for sale.

No oil or water drilling, oil development operations, oil refining, quarries or mining operations of any kind shall be permitted upon or in any lot, nor shall oil wells, tanks, tunnels, mineral excavations or shafts be permitted upon or in any lot. No derrick or other structure designed for use in boring for oil, water or natural gas shall be erected, maintained or permitted on any lot. All propane tanks must be concealed.

No animals, livestock or poultry of any kind shall be raised, bred or kept on any lot except that dogs, cats, or other household pets may be kept, provided that they are not kept, bred, or maintained for any commercial purpose.

No lot shall be used or maintained as a dumping ground for rubbish, trash, or garbage. Antennas, masts, towers or satellite dishes of any kind will not be permitted on any lot or outside any dwelling. No trash or building materials may be burned or buried on any lot within the development and all lots shall be kept clean at all times during construction.

No fence, wall, hedge or shrub planting which obstructs the sight lines at elevations between two (2) and six (6) feet above roadways shall be placed or permitted to remain on any corner lot within the triangular area formed by the street property lines and a line connecting these points twenty-five (25) feet from the intersection of the street property lines, or in the case of a bounded property corner, from the intersection of the street property lines extended, or the same sight line limitations shall apply to any yard within ten (10) feet from the intersection of the
street property line with the edge of a driveway pavement. Sidewalks shall be constructed as required by the sidewalk plan approved by the Plat Committee for the Department of Metropolitan Development, which construction shall be the responsibility of the lot owner upon whose lot the sidewalk is to be constructed, provided that certain common area sidewalks shall be constructed by the developer as designated on the final development - sidewalk plan. All sidewalks to be constructed by lot owners shall be completed at such time as the driveway on the lot is constructed, or within eighteen (18) months of the date such lot is initially conveyed by the undersigned, whichever date shall first occur. No fence in excess of three and one-half feet (3-1/2') in height shall be erected in the patio enclosures connected to a dwelling or fences enclosing an in-ground swimming pool. Fences enclosing in-ground swimming pools shall not exceed the minimum height required by applicable law or ordinance and shall be erected as near the pool as practical and, in no event, on the lot lines.

18. Each lot shall be kept in a neat and pleasing manner, with the grass mowed when necessary to maintain a growth of six (6) inches or less at all times. Caspers, recreational vehicles or boats of any kind may not be stored or parked on any lot outside the main dwelling or garage. All basketball backboards and any other fixed game and play structures shall be located behind the front foundation line of the main structure and within lot setback lines.

19. No individual water supply system or sewage disposal system shall be permitted on any lot without prior written approval by the Architectural Control Committee and Marion County and will be located and constructed in accordance with requirements, standards, and recommendation of the Indiana State Board of Health. Geo-thermal systems shall be approved by all applicable agencies prior to installation. Solar heating systems of any nature must be approved by the Architectural Control Committee as to design and aesthetic quality prior to construction. Owners are hereby advised that such systems are generally discouraged and will not be approved unless their design blends aesthetically with the structure and adjacent properties. No mailbox shall be erected or maintained on any lot or within the development without prior approval of the Architectural Control Committee. The mailboxes for each the development are intended to be uniform in size and color and will be specified by the developer.

20. Any field tile or underground drain which is encountered in construction of any improvements of this subdivision shall be all be perpetuated, and all owners of lots in this subdivision and their successors shall comply with the Indiana Drainage Code of 1965, and all amendments thereto.

21. Any motor vehicle which is inoperative or unlicensed and not being used for normal transportation shall not be permitted to remain on any lot. Above the ground swimming pools shall not be permitted or constructed on any lot.

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22. The finished yard elevations at the house site on lots in this subdivision shall be not lower than the elevations shown on the general development plans and shall be approved in writing by the Architectural Control Committee prior to construction. The lot owner shall be solely responsible for maintaining all finished grade elevations in accordance with the approved development plans and shall bear the cost of all grading or improvements necessary to bring the lot into compliance with these Covenants.

23. Drainage swales (ditches) or drainage retention areas along dedicated roadways and within the right-of-way of public or dedicated easements are not to be altered, dug out, filled in, tiled, or otherwise changed without the written permission of the Indianapolis Department of Public Works and the Architectural Control Committee. Property owners must maintain these swales as sodded grass areas or paved non-sloping surfaces. Water from roofs or parking areas must be carried by pipes or gutters to the property long enough so that said drainage swales or ditches will not be damaged by such water. Driveways may be constructed over these swales or ditches only when appropriately sized culverts or other approved structures have been permitted by the Indianapolis Department of Public Works. Any property owner altering, changing, or damaging these drainage swales or ditches will be held responsible for such action and will be given ten (10) days' notice by certified mail to repair said damage, after which time, if no action is taken, the Indianapolis Department of Public Works will call for said repairs to be accomplished, and the statement for costs of the said repairs will be sent to the affected property owner for immediate payment.

24. All construction commenced on any lot within the development shall be completed within one hundred twenty (120) days after framing is completed, unless circumstances beyond the reasonable control of the builder and/or owner prevent such. The undersigned and/or Association shall have standing and authority to seek an injunction or order for the removal of all materials and partially completed structures in violation of this Covenant.

25. No two-family residences shall be constructed upon any lot in this development.

26. All costs of litigation and attorney's fees resulting from violation of these Covenants shall be the financial responsibility of the lot owner or owners found to be in violation.

27. These restrictions are hereby declared to be Covenants running with the land and shall be binding on all parties and all persons claiming under them for a period of twenty-five (25) years from the date these Covenants are recorded, after which time said Covenants shall be extended for successive periods of ten (10) years, unless at any time after framing (120) years following the date of recording an instrument signed by a majority of the then owners of the lots has been recorded agreeing to change said Covenants in whole or in part.