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# RIMFIRE LODGE CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.

# ARTICLE 1. <u>DEFINITIONS</u>

#### 1.01 Declaration.

As used herein "Declaration" means the Declaration Establishing Rimfire Lodge Condominium at Snowshoe Mountain Resort, Pocahontas County, West Virginia, recorded or to be recorded with the Clerk of the County Commission of Pocahontas County, West Virginia.

## 1,02 Other Definitions.

Unless otherwise defined herein, all capitalized terms used herein shall have the meanings given to them in the Declaration.

# ARTICLE 2. OFFICES

The Association is a West Virginia nonprofit corporation, with its principal office located at 1 Silver Creek Parkway, P. O. Box 361, Snowshoe, West Virginia 26209. The Association may also have offices and may carry on its purposes at such other places within and outside the State of West Virginia as the Executive Board may from time to time determine.

# ARTICLE 3. MEMBERSHIP, VOTING, QUORUM AND PROXIES

# 3,01 Membership.

The members of the Association shall be as set forth in the Articles.

#### 3.02 Voting Rights.

(a) The total number of votes appurtenant to the initial 144 Units shall be 221. The 221 votes shall be allocated among the initial Units as follows:

- (i) each Residential Unit shall be entitled to one vote; and
- (ii) each Commercial Unit shall be entitled to the number of votes calculated as follows:

- (b) If any Units are added to or withdrawn from the Condominium, or the Area of one or more Commercial Units is increased or decreased, the total number of votes allocated to all Units and the allocation thereof after such addition, withdrawai, increase or decrease shall be recalculated as follows:
  - (i) each Residential Unit shall be entitled to one vote; and
  - (ii) each Commercial Unit shall be entitled to the number of votes equal to the product obtained by multiplying (A) the quotient obtained by dividing (I) the Area of that Commercial Unit, by (II) the Total Commercial Unit Area, by (B) a factor equal to 56 percent of the then current number of Residential Units, it being the intent of this Declaration to provide to the Owners of the Commercial Units the ability to elect one-third of the Directors to the Executive Board after the expiration of the Declarant Control Period.
- (c) Each Unit shall be entitled to the number of votes allocated to it in accordance with paragraphs 3.01(b) and (c) above, regardless of the number of Owners of the Unit. Fractional voting shall be allowed for votes allocated to Commercial Units, but shall not be allowed for votes allocated to Residential Units. If the Owners of a Residential Unit cannot agree among themselves as to how to cast their votes on a particular matter, they shall lose their right to vote on such matter. If any Owner casts a vote representing a particular Residential Unit, it will thereafter be presumed for all purposes that the Owner was acting with the authority and consent of all other Owners with whom such Owner owns the Residential Unit, unless objection thereto is made by an Owner of that Residential Unit to the Person presiding over the meeting at the time the vote is cast. If more than the number of allocated votes are cast for any particular Unit, none of such votes shall be counted and all of such votes shall be deemed null and void.
- (d) Only the Owners of the Commercial Units may vote as to those matters concerning only Commercial Units and only the Owners of the Residential Units may vote as to those matters concerning only Residential Units. All Owners shall vote on matters

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concerning the Commercial Units and Residential Units and matters that cannot be clearly categorized as affecting only Commercial Units or Residential Units exclusively.

- (e) The Association shall have no voting rights appurtenant to any Unit owned by the Association.
- (f) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Declaration, an Owner may assign its voting rights to any Person by a duly executed proxy timely delivered to the Association.

# 3.03 <u>Оиолит</u>.

Except as otherwise required by law or the Articles, the presence in person or by proxy of Owners entitled to vote more than 20 percent of the total votes of the Owners shall constitute a quorum.

#### 3.04 Proxies.

Votes may be cast in person or by proxy. Every proxy must be executed in writing by the Owner or his duly authorized attorney-in-fact. Such proxy shall be filed with the secretary of the Association before or at the time of the meeting. No proxy shall be valid after the expiration of eleven months from the date of its execution unless otherwise provided in the proxy.

#### 3.05 Majority Vote.

At any meeting of the Owners, if a quorum is present, the affirmative vote of a majority of the votes represented at the meeting, in person or by proxy, shall be the act of the Owners, unless the vote of a greater number is required by law, the Articles, the Declaration or these Bylaws.

# ARTICLE 4. ADMINISTRATION

# 4.01 Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Owners shall be held at a time designated by the Executive Board on the first Tuesday in the month of November in each year, or at such other date designated by the Executive Board, beginning with the year 1999, for the purpose

of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

#### 4.02 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the Owners, for any purpose, unless otherwise prescribed by statute, may be called by the president or by a majority of the Directors and shall be called by the president at the request of Owners entitled to vote 20 percent or more of the total votes of all Owners.

# 4.03 Place of Meeting

The Executive Board may designate the Association's principal offices or any place within the State of West Virginia, as the place for any annual meeting or for any special meeting called by the Executive Board.

#### 4.04 Nonce of Meeting.

Written or printed notice of any meeting of the Owners, stating the place, day and hour of the meeting, and the purpose or purposes for which the meeting is called, shall be delivered personally or by mail to each Owner entitled to vote at such meeting not less than ten nor more than fifty days before the date of the meeting. If mailed, such notice shall be deemed to be delivered when deposited in the United States mail, addressed to the Owner at his address as it appears in the office of the Association, with postage thereon prepaid. For the purpose of determining Owners entitled to notice of or to vote at any meeting of the Owners, the Executive Board may set a record date for such determination of Owners, in accordance with the laws of the State of West Virginia. If requested by the person or persons lawfully calling such meeting, the secretary shall give notice thereof at the expense of the Association.

# 4.05 Informal Action by Owners.

Any action required or permitted to be taken at a meeting of the Owners may be taken without a meeting if a consent in writing, setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by all of the Owners entitled to vote with respect to the subject matter thereof. Such consent shall have the same force and effect as a unanimous vote of the Owners.

# ARTICLE 5. <u>DECLARANT CONTROL</u>

#### 5.01 Declarant Control Period.

- (a) Subject to the terms and conditions of paragraphs 5.01(b) and 5.02(a) below, but notwithstanding anything else to the contrary contained in the Declaration or in any other Association Document, Declarant shall have the exclusive right to appoint and remove all Directors and Officers during the Declarant Control Period. The phrase "Declarant Control Period" means the period commencing on the date on which Declarant forms the Association and ending on the earliest to occur of:
  - (i) the date that is sixty days after conveyance to Purchasers of 75 percent of the maximum number of Units that may be created by Declarant under the Declaration;
  - (ii) the date that is two years after Declarant has ceased to offer Units for sale in the ordinary course of business; or
  - (iii) the date that is two years after any right to add new Units was last exercised.
- (b) Declarant may voluntarily surrender its right to appoint and remove Officers and Directors prior to the expiration of the Declarant Control Period, but, in that event, Declarant may require, for the remainder of the Declarant Control Period, that specific actions of the Association or the Executive Board, as described in a recorded instrument executed by Declarant, be approved by the Declarant before they become effective.

## 5.02 Elections By Owners.

- (a) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in paragraph 5.01(a) above, not later than sixty days after the conveyance of 25 percent of the Units that may be created under the Declaration to Purchasers, one Director appointed by Declarant shall be replaced with a Director elected by Owners other than Declarant.
- (b) During the thirty-day period immediately preceding the date on which the Declarant Control Period expires, the Owners shall elect an Executive Board of three Directors, at least a majority of whom must be Owners other than Declarant or designated representatives of Owners other than Declarant. Such Directors shall take office upon election.

# ARTICLE 6. | EXECUTIVE BOARD|

#### 6.01 Number, Tenure and Qualifications.

Board consisting of three Directors, each of whom shall be (a) an individual Owner; (b) a partner, trustee, officer, director or twenty-five percent shareholder of an organizational Owner; or (c) one of the Directors appointed by Declarant. A person other than a Director appointed by Declarant shall automatically cease to be a Director at such time as he ceases to be an individual Owner or a partner, trustee, officer, director or twenty-five percent shareholder of an organizational Owner. Each initial Director shall serve until the first annual meeting of the Owners; otherwise Directors shall serve for one-year terms, and shall be elected annually by the Owners at the annual meeting. Each Director shall hold office until the election and qualification of his successor or until his earlier death, resignation or removal. The number of Directors may be changed by amendment of these Bylaws in the manner set forth herein.

#### 6.02 Resignations, Vacancies.

Any Director may resign at any time by giving written notice to the president or to the secretary of the Association. Such resignation shall take effect at the time specified therein and, unless otherwise specified therein, the acceptance of such resignation shall not be necessary to make it effective. Other than with respect to a Director appointed by the Declarant during the Declarant Control Period, any vacancy occurring on the Executive Board (by reason of resignation or death) may be filled by the affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors then in office though less than a quorum. A vacancy occurring on the Executive Board created by the resignation or death of a Director appointed by the Declarant during the Declarant Control Period shall be filled by the Declarant appointing a new Director. A Director elected to fill a vacancy shall hold office until the next annual meeting of the Owners and until his successor is duly elected and qualified.

#### 6.03 Powers

- (a) Except as provided in the Declaration, the Articles and these Bylaws, the Executive Board may act on behalf of the Association in all instances.
- (b) The Executive Board may not act on behalf of the Association to (i) amend the Declaration; (ii) terminate the Association, the Declaration or the Condominium;

(iii) elect Directors to the Executive Board, other than to fill a vacancy for the unexpired portion of any Director's term, subject to Declarant's rights under Section 5.01 above; or (iv) determine the qualifications, powers and duties or terms of office, of Directors.

# 6.04 Managing Agent.

The Executive Board may employ a manager or managing agent, or both, for the Association at a compensation established by the Executive Board to perform such duties and services as the Board shall authorize. Any such delegation, however, shall not relieve the Executive Board of its responsibility under the Declaration. If, and to the extent that, the Executive Board delegates its powers relating to the collection, deposit, transfer or disbursement of Association funds to a manager or managing agent, or both, such manager or managing agent, or both shall:

- (a) maintain fidelity insurance coverage or a bond in an amount not less than \$50,000.00 or such higher amount as the Executive Board may require;
- (b) maintain all funds and accounts of the Association separate from the funds and accounts of any other associations managed by the manager or managing agent, and maintain all reserve accounts of each association so managed separate from operational accounts of the Association; and
- (c) have prepared and present to the Association an annual accounting for Association funds and a financial statement, which accounting and financial statement shall be prepared by the managing agent, a public accountant, or a certified public accountant.

# 6.05 Regular Meetings.

Regular meetings of the Executive Board may be held without call or formal notice at such places within or outside the State of West Virginia, and at such times as the Executive Board from time to time by vote may determine. Any business may be transacted at a regular meeting. The regular meeting of the Executive Board for the election of officers and for such other business as may come before the meeting may be held without call or formal notice immediately after, and at the same place as, the annual meeting of Owners, or any special meeting of Owners at which an Executive Board is elected.

# 6.06 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the Executive Board may be held at any place within the State of West Virginia, or by telephone; provided, that each Director can hear each other

Director, at any time when called by the president, or by two or more Directors, upon the giving of at least three days' prior notice of the time and place thereof to each Director by leaving such notice with such Director or at such Director's residence or usual place of business, or by mailing or telegraphing it prepaid, and addressed to such Director at such Director's post office address as it appears on the books of the Association, or by telephone. Notices need not state the purposes of the meeting. No notice of any adjourned meeting of the Directors shall be required.

#### 6.07 Quorum.

A majority of the number of Directors fixed by these bylaws, as amended from time to time, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, but a lesser number may adjourn any meeting from time to time. When a quorum is present at any meeting, a majority of the Directors in attendance shall, except where a larger number is required by law, by the Articles or by these Bylaws, decide any question brought before such meeting.

#### 6.08 Waiver of Notice.

Before, at or after any meeting of the Executive Board, any Director may, in writing, waive notice of such meeting and such waiver shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of such notice. Attendance by a Director at any meeting of the Executive Board shall be a waiver of notice by such Director except when such Director attends the meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened.

# 6.09 Informal Action by Directors.

Any action required or permitted to be taken at a meeting of the Directors may be taken without a meeting if a consent in writing, setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by all of the Directors entitled to vote with respect to the subject matter thereof. Such consent shall have the same force and effect as a unanimous vote of the Directors.

# ARTICLE 7. OFFICERS AND AGENTS

# 7.01 General.

The officers of the Association shall be a president (who shall be chosen from among the Directors), one or more vice presidents, a secretary and a treasurer. The Executive Board may appoint such other officers, assistant officers, committees and agents,

including assistant secretaries and assistant treasurers, as they may consider necessary or advisable, who shall be chosen in such manner and hold their offices for such terms and have such authority and duties as from time to time may be determined by the Executive Board. One person may hold any two offices, except that no person may simultaneously hold the offices of president and secretary. In all cases where the duties of any officer, agent or employee are not prescribed by the Bylaws or by the Executive Board, such officer, agent or employee shall follow the orders and instructions of the president.

#### 7.02 Removal of Officers.

The Executive Board may remove any officer, either with or without cause, and elect a successor at any regular meeting of the Executive Board, or at any special meeting of the Executive Board called for such purpose.

#### 7.03 <u>Vacancies.</u>

A vacancy in any office, however occurring, shall be filled by the Executive Board for the unexpired portion of the term.

#### 7.04 President.

The president shall be the chief executive officer of the Association. The president shall preside at all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Board. The president shall have the general and active control of the affairs and business of the Association and general supervision of its officers, agents and employees. The president of the Association is designated as the officer with the power to prepare, execute, certify and record amendments to the Declaration of behalf of the Association.

#### 7.05 <u>Vice Presidents.</u>

The vice presidents shall assist the president and shall perform such duties as may be assigned to them by the president or by the Executive Board. In the absence of the president, the vice president designated by the Executive Board or (if there be no such designation) designated in writing by the president shall have the powers and perform the duties of the president. If no such designation shall be made all vice presidents may exercise such powers and perform such duties.

# 7.06 Secretary.

The secretary shall:

- (a) keep the minutes of the proceedings of the Owners and the Executive Board;
- (b) see that all notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of these Bylaws, the Declaration and as required by law;
- (c) be custodian of the corporate records and of the seal of the Association and affix the seal to all documents when authorized by the Executive Board;
- (d) keep at the Association's principal offices a record containing the names and registered addresses of all Owners, the designation of the Unit owned by each Owner, and, if such Unit is mortgaged, the name and address of each Mortgagee; and
- (e) in general, perform all duties incident to the office of secretary and such other duties as from time to time may be assigned to him by the president or by the Executive Board. Assistant secretaries, if any, shall have the same duties and powers, subject to supervision by the secretary.

#### 7.07 Treasurer

The treasurer shall be the principal financial officer of the Association and shall have the care and custody of all funds, securities, evidences of indebtedness and other personal property of the Association and shall deposit the same in accordance with the instructions of the Executive Board. The treasurer shall receive and give receipts and acquittances for moneys paid in on account of the Association, and shall pay out of the funds on hand all bills, payrolls and other just debts of the Association of whatever nature upon maturity. The treasurer shall perform all other duties incident to the office of the treasurer and, upon request of the Executive Board, shall make such reports to it as may be required at any time. The treasurer shall, if required by the Executive Board, give the Association a bond in such sums and with such sureties as shall be satisfactory to the Executive Board, conditioned upon the faithful performance of his duties and for the restoration to the Association of all books, papers, vouchers, money and other property of whatever kind in his possession or under his control belonging to the Association. He shall have such other powers and perform such other duties as may be from time to time prescribed by the Executive Board or the president. The assistant treasurers, if any, shall have the same powers and duties, subject to the supervision of the treasurer.

# ARTICLE 8. EVIDENCE OF OWNERSHIP, REGISTRATION OF MAILING ADDRESS AND LIEN HOLDERS

### 8.01 Proof of Ownership.

Except for those Owners who initially contracted to purchase a Unit from the Declarant, any person on becoming an Owner shall furnish to the Association a photocopy or a certified copy of the recorded instrument vesting that person with an ownership interest in the Unit. Such copy shall remain in the files of the Association. An Owner shall not be deemed to be in good standing and shall not be entitled to vote at any annual or special meeting of Owners unless this requirement is first satisfied.

#### 8.02 Registration of Mailing Address.

If a Unit is owned by two or more Owners, such Owners shall designate one address as the registered address required by the Declaration. The registered address of an Owner or Owners shall be furnished to the secretary within ten days after transfer of title, or after a change of address, and such registration shall be in writing and signed by all of the Owners of the Unit or by such persons as are authorized to represent the interests of all Owners of the Unit.

#### 8.03 Liens.

Any Owner who mortgages or grants a deed of trust covering his Unit shall give the Association written notice of the name and address of the Mortgagee and shall file true, correct and complete copies of the note and security instrument with the Association.

#### 8.04 Address of the Association.

The address of the Association shall be 1 Silver Creek Parkway, P. O. Box 361, Snowshoe, West Virginia 26209. Such address may be changed from time to time upon written notice to all Owners and all listed Mortgagees.

### ARTICLE 9. SECURITY INTEREST

Owners shall have the right irrevocably to constitute and appoint a Mortgagee their true and lawful attorney-in-fact to cast their vote at any and all meetings of the Association

and to vest in the Mortgagee any and all rights, privileges and powers that they have as Owners under the Articles and these Bylaws or by virtue of the Declaration. Such proxy shall become effective upon the filing of notice by the Mortgagee with the secretary of the Association at such time or times as the Mortgagee shall deem its security in jeopardy by reason of the failure, neglect or refusal of the Association, the executive Board or the Owners to carry out their duties as set forth in the Declaration. A release of the Mortgage covering the subject Unit shall operate to revoke such proxy. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to relieve Owners, as mortgagors, of their duties and obligations as Owners or to impose upon the Mortgagee the duties and obligations of an Owner.

# ARTICLE 10. AMENDMENTS

10.01 By Directors.

Except as limited by law, the Articles, the Declaration or these Bylaws, the Executive Board shall have power to make, amend and repeal the Bylaws of the Association at any regular meeting of the Executive Board or at any special meeting called for that purpose at which a quorum is represented. If, however, the Owners shall make, amend or repeal any Bylaw the Directors shall not thereafter amend the same in such manner as to defeat or impair the object of the Owners in taking such action.

#### 10.02 Owners.

Subject to any rights conferred upon Mortgagees in the Declaration, the Owners may, by the vote of the holders of at least 67 percent of the votes of the Owners, unless a greater percentage is expressly required by law, the Articles, the Declaration or these Bylaws, make, alter, amend or repeal the Bylaws of the Association at any annual meeting or at any special meeting called for that purpose at which a quorum shall be represented.

# 10.03 Limitation.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, amendment of these Bylaws is specifically subject to the requirements of Chapter 36B of the Code of West Virginia of 1931, as amended.

# ARTICLE 11. MISCELLANEOUS

#### 11.01 Seal.

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The corporate seal of the Association shall be circular in form and shall contain the name of the Association, the year of its organization and the words, "Seal, West Virginia."

#### 11.02 Fiscal Year.

The fiscal year of the Association shall be such as may from time to time be established by the Executive Board.

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