

PRELIMINARY LIMITED OFFERING MEMORANDUM DATED NOVEMBER 20, 2024

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In the opinion of GrayRobinson, P.A., Bond Counsel, under existing law and assuming compliance with the tax covenants described herein, and the accuracy of certain representations and certifications made by the District described herein, interest on the Series 2024 Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code").

\$19,095,000\*
HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
(PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA)
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS, SERIES 2024
(SERIES 2024 PROJECT)

Dated: Date of Issuance

Due: As set forth below.

The Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project) (the "Series 2024 Bonds") are being issued by the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District (the "District") only in fully registered form, without coupons, in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof.

The District, which is the issuer of the Series 2024 Bonds, is a local unit of special purpose government of the State of Florida, created pursuant to the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Act"), and by Ordinance No. 23-18 of the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida (the "County"), adopted on May 23, 2023, which became effective on May 25, 2023 (the "Ordinance").

The Series 2024 Bonds will bear interest at the fixed rates set forth below, calculated on the basis of a 360-day year comprised of twelve 30-day months, payable semi-annually on each May 1 and November 1, commencing May 1, 2025. The Series 2024 Bonds, when issued, will be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as registered owner and nominee for The Depository Trust Company ("DTC") of New York, New York.

The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued pursuant to the Act, Resolutions Nos. 2023-23 and 2024-03 adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the District (the "Board") on June 5, 2023 and May 21, 2024, respectively (collectively, the "Bond Resolution"), and a Master Trust Indenture, dated as of December 1, 2024 (the "Master Indenture"), as supplemented by a First Supplemental Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024 (the "Supplemental Indenture" and, together with the Master Indenture, the "Indenture").

Proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds will be used for the purposes of: (i) providing funds to pay a portion of the costs of the planning, financing, acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Series 2024 Project (as defined herein); (ii) funding a deposit to the Series 2024 Reserve Account in the amount of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement (as defined herein); and (iii) paying the costs of issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

The Series 2024 Bonds will be secured by a pledge of the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues. "Series 2024 Pledged Revenues" shall mean (a) all revenues received by the District from Series 2024 Special Assessments levied and collected on the assessable lands within the District benefitted by the Series 2024 Project, including, without limitation, amounts received from any foreclosure proceeding for the enforcement of collection of such Series 2024 Special Assessments or from the issuance and sale of tax certificates with respect to such Series 2024 Special Assessments, and (b) all moneys on deposit in the Funds and Accounts established under the Indenture created and established with respect to or for the benefit of the Series 2024 Bonds; provided, however, that Series 2024 Pledged Revenues shall not include (A) any moneys transferred to the Series 2024 Rebate Fund and investment earnings thereon, (B) moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund, and (C) "special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.022 of the Act for maintenance purposes or "maintenance assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.021(3) of the Act (it being expressly understood that the lien and pledge of the Indenture shall not apply to any of the moneys described in the foregoing clauses (A), (B) and (C) of this proviso). See "SECURITY FOR AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS" herein.

The Series 2024 Bonds are subject to optional, mandatory sinking fund and extraordinary mandatory redemption at the times, in the amounts, and at the redemption prices as more fully described herein. See "DESCRIPTION OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS - Redemption Provisions" herein.

THE SERIES 2024 BONDS ARE LIMITED OBLIGATIONS OF THE DISTRICT PAYABLE SOLELY OUT OF THE SERIES 2024 PLEDGED REVENUES PLEDGED THEREFOR UNDER THE INDENTURE, AND NEITHER THE PROPERTY, THE FULL FAITH AND CREDIT, NOR THE TAXING POWER OF THE DISTRICT, THE COUNTY, THE STATE OF FLORIDA (THE "STATE"), OR ANY OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF, IS PLEDGED AS SECURITY FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS, EXCEPT THAT THE DISTRICT IS OBLIGATED UNDER THE INDENTURE TO LEVY AND TO EVIDENCE AND CERTIFY, OR CAUSE TO BE CERTIFIED, FOR COLLECTION, SERIES 2024 SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO SECURE AND PAY THE SERIES 2024 BONDS. THE SERIES 2024 BONDS DO NOT CONSTITUTE AN INDEBTEDNESS OF THE DISTRICT, THE COUNTY, THE STATE, OR ANY OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF WITHIN THE MEANING OF ANY CONSTITUTIONAL OR STATUTORY PROVISION OR LIMITATION.

The Series 2024 Bonds involve a degree of risk (see "BONDOWNERS' RISKS" herein) and are not suitable for all investors (see "SUITABILITY FOR INVESTMENT" herein). The Underwriter named below is limiting this offering to "accredited investors" within the meaning of Chapter 517, Florida Statutes, and the rules of the Florida Department of Financial Services promulgated thereunder. The limitation of the initial offering to accredited investors does not denote restrictions on transfers in any secondary market for the Series 2024 Bonds. The Series 2024 Bonds are not credit enhanced or rated and no application has been made for a rating with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds.

This cover page contains information for quick reference only. It is not a summary of the Series 2024 Bonds. Investors must read the entire Limited Offering Memorandum to obtain information essential to the making of an informed investment decision.

MATURITY SCHEDULE

Table with 5 columns: Amount, Interest Rate, Term, Yield, Price, CUSIP #. Rows for Series 2024 Term Bond due 2024.

The Series 2024 Bonds are offered for delivery when, as and if issued by the District and subject to the receipt of the approving legal opinion of GrayRobinson, P.A., Tampa, Florida, Bond Counsel. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the District by Straley Robin Vericker P.A., Tampa, Florida, as District Counsel, and GrayRobinson, P.A., Tampa, Florida, as Disclosure Counsel. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the Landowner (as defined herein) by its counsel, Robert L. Barnes, Jr. P.L., Tampa, Florida, and for the Trustee by its counsel, Holland & Knight LLP. It is expected that the Series 2024 Bonds will be delivered in book-entry form through the facilities of DTC on or about \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.



Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

\* Preliminary, subject to change.

\*\* The District is not responsible for the CUSIP numbers, nor is any representation made as to their correctness. The CUSIP numbers are included solely for the convenience of the readers of this Limited Offering Memorandum.

This Preliminary Limited Offering Memorandum and the information contained herein are subject to completion or amendment. Under no circumstances shall this Preliminary Limited Offering Memorandum constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy, nor shall there be any sale of the Series 2024 Bonds in any jurisdiction in which such offer, solicitation or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the securities laws of such jurisdiction. The District has deemed this Preliminary Limited Offering Memorandum "final," except for permitted omissions, within the contemplation of Rule 15c2-12 promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

# **HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**

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THE INFORMATION SET FORTH HEREIN HAS BEEN OBTAINED FROM THE LANDOWNER (AS HEREINAFTER DEFINED), THE DISTRICT, PUBLIC DOCUMENTS, RECORDS AND OTHER SOURCES, WHICH SOURCES ARE BELIEVED TO BE RELIABLE BUT WHICH INFORMATION IS NOT GUARANTEED AS TO ACCURACY OR COMPLETENESS BY, AND IS NOT TO BE CONSTRUED AS A REPRESENTATION OF, THE UNDERWRITER NAMED ON THE COVER PAGE OF THIS LIMITED OFFERING MEMORANDUM. THE UNDERWRITER HAS REVIEWED THE INFORMATION IN THIS LIMITED OFFERING MEMORANDUM IN ACCORDANCE WITH, AND AS PART OF, ITS RESPONSIBILITIES TO INVESTORS UNDER THE FEDERAL SECURITIES LAWS AS APPLIED TO THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF THIS TRANSACTION, BUT THE UNDERWRITER DOES NOT GUARANTEE THE ACCURACY OR COMPLETENESS OF SUCH INFORMATION. THE INFORMATION AND EXPRESSIONS OF OPINION HEREIN CONTAINED ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE AND NEITHER THE DELIVERY OF THIS LIMITED OFFERING MEMORANDUM, NOR ANY SALE MADE HEREUNDER, SHALL, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, CREATE ANY IMPLICATION THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE AFFAIRS OF THE DISTRICT AND THE LANDOWNER, OR IN THE STATUS OF THE DEVELOPMENT OR THE SERIES 2024 PROJECT (AS SUCH TERMS ARE HEREINAFTER DEFINED) SINCE THE DATE HEREOF.

THE SERIES 2024 BONDS HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, NOR HAS THE INDENTURE BEEN QUALIFIED UNDER THE TRUST INDENTURE ACT OF 1939, AS AMENDED, IN RELIANCE UPON CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS SET FORTH IN SUCH ACTS. THE REGISTRATION, QUALIFICATION OR EXEMPTION OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAW PROVISIONS OF ANY JURISDICTIONS WHEREIN THESE SECURITIES HAVE BEEN OR WILL BE REGISTERED, QUALIFIED OR EXEMPTED SHOULD NOT BE REGARDED AS A RECOMMENDATION THEREOF. NEITHER THE DISTRICT, THE COUNTY, THE STATE, NOR ANY OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS THEREOF HAVE GUARANTEED OR PASSED UPON THE MERITS OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS, UPON THE PROBABILITY OF ANY EARNINGS THEREON OR UPON THE ACCURACY OR ADEQUACY OF THIS LIMITED OFFERING MEMORANDUM.

"FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS" ARE USED IN THIS DOCUMENT BY USING FORWARD LOOKING WORDS SUCH AS "MAY," "WILL," "SHOULD," "INTENDS," "EXPECTS," "BELIEVES," "ANTICIPATES," "ESTIMATES," OR OTHERS.

THE READER IS CAUTIONED THAT FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO A VARIETY OF UNCERTAINTIES THAT COULD CAUSE ACTUAL RESULTS TO DIFFER FROM THE PROJECTED RESULTS. THOSE RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES INCLUDE GENERAL ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS CONDITIONS, CONDITIONS IN THE FINANCIAL MARKETS AND REAL ESTATE MARKET, THE DISTRICT'S COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND VARIOUS OTHER FACTORS WHICH MAY BE BEYOND THE DISTRICT'S, AND THE LANDOWNER'S CONTROL. BECAUSE THE DISTRICT AND THE LANDOWNER CANNOT PREDICT ALL FACTORS THAT MAY AFFECT FUTURE DECISIONS, ACTIONS, EVENTS, OR FINANCIAL CIRCUMSTANCES, WHAT ACTUALLY HAPPENS MAY BE DIFFERENT FROM WHAT IS INCLUDED IN FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS.

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THIS PRELIMINARY LIMITED OFFERING MEMORANDUM IS IN A FORM DEEMED FINAL BY THE DISTRICT FOR PURPOSES OF RULE 15C2-12 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED, EXCEPT FOR CERTAIN INFORMATION PERMITTED TO BE OMITTED PURSUANT TO RULE 15C2-12(B)(1).

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# LIMITED OFFERING MEMORANDUM

**\$19,095,000\***

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT  
(PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA)  
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS, SERIES 2024  
(SERIES 2024 PROJECT)**

## INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this Limited Offering Memorandum, including the cover page and appendices attached hereto, is to set forth certain information in connection with the offering for sale by the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District (the "District") of its \$19,095,000\* Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project) (the "Series 2024 Bonds").

THE SERIES 2024 BONDS ARE NOT A SUITABLE INVESTMENT FOR ALL INVESTORS. PURSUANT TO APPLICABLE STATE LAW, THE UNDERWRITER IS LIMITING THIS INITIAL OFFERING OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS TO ONLY ACCREDITED INVESTORS WITHIN THE MEANING OF CHAPTER 517, FLORIDA STATUTES, AND THE RULES OF THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES. THE LIMITATION OF THE INITIAL OFFERING TO ACCREDITED INVESTORS DOES NOT DENOTE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFERS IN ANY SECONDARY MARKET FOR THE SERIES 2024 BONDS. POTENTIAL INVESTORS ARE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR EVALUATING THE MERITS AND RISKS OF AN INVESTMENT IN THE SERIES 2024 BONDS. SEE "BONDOWNERS' RISKS" AND "SUITABILITY FOR INVESTMENT" HEREIN.

The District, which is the issuer of the Series 2024 Bonds, is a local unit of special purpose government of the State of Florida, created pursuant to the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Act"), and by Ordinance No. 23-18 of the Board of County Commissioners of the Pasco County, Florida (the "County"), which became effective on May 25, 2023 (the "Ordinance"). The District was created for the purpose of delivering certain community development services and facilities for the benefit of District Lands (as hereinafter defined) and has previously determined to undertake, in one or more stages, the acquisition and/or construction of public improvements and community facilities as set forth in the Act for the special benefit of the District Lands. The Act authorizes the District to issue bonds for the purposes of, among others, financing, funding, planning, establishing, acquiring, constructing or reconstructing, enlarging or extending, or equipping water management, water supply, sewer and wastewater management, bridges or culverts, public roads, street lights and other basic infrastructure projects within or without the boundaries of the District as provided in the Act.

The District encompasses approximately 591.886 gross acres of land (the "District Lands") located within unincorporated Pasco County. The District Lands are located on the north side of State Road 52, approximately two miles west of Interstate 75. See "THE DISTRICT" herein for more information regarding the District.

The District Lands are being developed as a portion of the residential community to be known as "Hillcrest Preserve" (the "Master Development"). At buildout, the Master Development is planned to contain approximately 1,140 residential units, together with various amenities. The portion of the Master Development located within the District is referred to herein as the "Development." The Development is

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\* Preliminary, subject to change.

planned to contain 802 residential units, consisting of 726 single-family homes and 76 townhomes. See "THE DEVELOPMENT" herein for more information.

The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued to finance a portion of the public infrastructure improvements associated with the development of the District Lands (as further described herein, the "Series 2024 Project"). See "THE SERIES 2024 PROJECT" herein for more information. The Series 2024 Bonds will be secured by special assessments (the "Series 2024 Special Assessments"), which will initially be levied on all 591.886 gross acres of land within the District, which are planned to contain 802 lots. As the District Lands are platted, the Series 2024 Special Assessments will be assigned to platted lots on a first platted, first assigned basis in accordance with the Assessment Methodology (as defined herein). To the extent parcels of land are sold prior to platting, the Series 2024 Special Assessments will be assigned to such unplatted parcels of land in accordance with the development plan associated therewith. See "ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY AND THE ALLOCATION OF ASSESSMENTS" herein for more information

EPG West Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, and its wholly owned subsidiary EPG Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company (collectively, the "Landowner"), is the owner of all of the assessable land within the District and is installing the offsite and master infrastructure improvements associated with the Development. See "THE LANDOWNER" herein. The funding and installation of parcel-specific infrastructure improvements for the Development will be the responsibility of the Builders (as defined herein).

The Landowner has entered into contracts with homebuilders for the sale of 726 of the 802 lots planned within the Development, as follows: (i) a contract with Taylor Morrison (as defined herein) to acquire undeveloped, permitted land planned for 213 single-family lots in a single bulk takedown planned to close in the fourth quarter of 2024, following the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds; (ii) a contract with Lennar Homes (as defined herein) to acquire undeveloped, permitted land planned for 262 single-family lots in a single bulk takedown planned to close in the fourth quarter of 2024; and (iii) a contract with Perry Homes (as defined herein) to acquire undeveloped, permitted land planned for 251 single-family lots in a single bulk takedown planned to close in the fourth quarter of 2024 (collectively, the "Builder Contracts"). The Landowner expects to enter into a contract for the remaining 76 townhome lots planned for the Development in the future. See "THE DEVELOPMENT – The Builder Contracts and The Builders" herein for more information.

Net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds will be used for the purposes of: (i) providing funds to pay a portion of the costs of the planning, financing, acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Series 2024 Project, (ii) funding a deposit to the Series 2024 Reserve Account in the amount of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement (as defined herein), and (iii) paying the costs of issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds. See "ESTIMATED SOURCES AND USES OF SERIES 2024 BOND PROCEEDS" herein

The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued pursuant to the Act, Resolutions Nos. 2023-23 and 2024-03 adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the District (the "Board") on June 5, 2023 and May 21, 2024, respectively (collectively, the "Bond Resolution"), and a Master Trust Indenture, dated as of December 1, 2024, as supplemented by a First Supplemental Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024 (collectively, the "Indenture"), each by and between the District and U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as Trustee (the "Trustee"). All capitalized terms used in this Limited Offering Memorandum that are defined in the Indenture and not defined herein shall have the respective meanings set forth in the Indenture. See "APPENDIX B: PROPOSED FORMS OF MASTER INDENTURE AND SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE" hereto.

The Series 2024 Bonds will be secured by a pledge of the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues. "Series 2024 Pledged Revenues" shall mean (a) all revenues received by the District from Series 2024 Special

Assessments levied and collected on the assessable lands within the District benefitted by the Series 2024 Project, including, without limitation, amounts received from any foreclosure proceeding for the enforcement of collection of such Series 2024 Special Assessments or from the issuance and sale of tax certificates with respect to such Series 2024 Special Assessments, and (b) all moneys on deposit in the Funds and Accounts established under the Indenture created and established with respect to or for the benefit of the Series 2024 Bonds; provided, however, that Series 2024 Pledged Revenues shall not include (A) any moneys transferred to the Series 2024 Rebate Fund and investment earnings thereon, (B) moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund, and (C) "special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.022 of the Act for maintenance purposes or "maintenance assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.021(3) of the Act (it being expressly understood that the lien and pledge of the Indenture shall not apply to any of the moneys described in the foregoing clauses (A), (B) and (C) of this proviso). See "SECURITY FOR AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS."

There follows in this Limited Offering Memorandum a brief description of the District, the Development, the Landowner and summaries of the terms of the Series 2024 Bonds, the Indenture and certain provisions of the Act. All references herein to the Indenture and the Act are qualified in their entirety by reference to such document and statute, and all references to the Series 2024 Bonds are qualified by reference to the form thereof and the information with respect thereto contained in the Indenture. Proposed forms of the Master Indenture and the Supplemental Indenture appear as APPENDIX B hereto.

This Limited Offering Memorandum speaks only as of its date and the information contained herein is subject to change.

## **DESCRIPTION OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS**

### **General Description**

The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued only in fully registered form, in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiples thereof (an "Authorized Denomination"). The Series 2024 Bonds will initially be sold only to "accredited investors" within the meaning of Chapter 517, Florida Statutes, as amended, and the rules promulgated thereunder by the Florida Department of Financial Services. The limitation of the initial offering to accredited investors does not denote restrictions on transfers in any secondary market for the Series 2024 Bonds.

The Series 2024 Bonds shall be dated as of the date of initial delivery. Interest on the Series 2024 Bonds shall be payable on each Interest Payment Date to maturity or prior redemption. "Interest Payment Date" means May 1 and November 1 of each year, commencing May 1, 2025. Interest on the Series 2024 Bonds shall be payable from the most recent Interest Payment Date next preceding the date of authentication thereof to which interest has been paid, unless the date of authentication thereof is a May 1 or November 1 to which interest has been paid, in which case from such date of authentication, or unless the date of authentication thereof is prior to May 1, 2025, in which case from the date of initial delivery or unless the date of authentication thereof is between a Record Date and the next succeeding Interest Payment Date, in which case from such Interest Payment Date. Interest on the Series 2024 Bonds will be computed in all cases on the basis of a 360 day year consisting of twelve 30-day months.

Upon initial issuance, the ownership of the Series 2024 Bonds will be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee for The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), and purchases of beneficial interests in the Series 2024 Bonds will be made in book-entry only form. As long as the Series 2024 Bonds are held in book-entry-only form, Cede & Co. shall be considered the registered owner for all purposes under the Indenture. DTC shall be responsible for maintaining a book-entry-only system for recording the ownership interest of its participants ("Direct Participants") and other institutions that clear

through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). The Direct Participants and Indirect Participants will be responsible for maintaining records with respect to the beneficial ownership interests of individual purchasers of the Series 2024 Bonds ("Beneficial Owners"). Principal and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds registered in the name of Cede & Co. prior to and at maturity shall be payable directly to Cede & Co. in care of DTC. Disbursal of such amounts to Direct Participants shall be the responsibility of DTC. Payments by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners shall be the responsibility of Direct Participants and Indirect Participants and not of DTC, the Trustee or the District. Individuals may purchase beneficial interests in Authorized Denominations in book-entry-only form, without certificated Series 2024 Bonds, through Direct Participants and Indirect Participants. During the period for which Cede & Co. is registered owner of the Series 2024 Bonds, any notices to be provided to any Beneficial Owner will be provided to Cede & Co. DTC shall be responsible for notices to Direct Participants and Direct Participants shall be responsible for notices to Indirect Participants, and Direct Participants and Indirect Participants shall be responsible for notices to Beneficial Owners. In the event DTC, any successor of DTC or the District, but only in accordance with the procedures of DTC, elects to discontinue the book-entry only system, the Trustee shall deliver bond certificates in accordance with the instructions from DTC or its successor and after such time Series 2024 Bonds may be exchanged for an equal aggregate principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds in other Authorized Denominations upon surrender thereof at the designated corporate trust office of the Trustee.

U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association is the Trustee, Bond Registrar and Paying Agent for the Series 2024 Bonds.

**Redemption Provisions**

**Optional Redemption**

The Series 2024 Bonds may, at the option of the District, be called for redemption prior to maturity as a whole or in part, at any time, on or after \_\_\_\_\_ 1, 20\_\_ (less than all Series 2024 Bonds of a maturity to be selected by lot), at a Redemption Price equal to the principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed, plus accrued interest from the most recent Interest Payment Date through which interest has been paid to the redemption date from moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Optional Redemption Subaccount of the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account. If such optional redemption shall be in part, the District shall select such principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds to be optionally redeemed from each maturity so that debt service on the remaining Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds is substantially level.

**Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption**

The Series 2024 Bonds maturing on May 1, 20\_\_ are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption from the moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account on May 1 in the years and in the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts set forth below at a Redemption Price of 100% of their principal amount plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Amount</u>
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\* Maturity.

The Series 2024 Bonds maturing on May 1, 20\_\_ are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption from the moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account on May 1 in the years and in the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts set forth below at a Redemption Price of 100% of their principal amount plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Amount</u>
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\* Maturity.

The Series 2024 Bonds maturing on May 1, 20\_\_ are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption from the moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account on May 1 in the years and in the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts set forth below at a Redemption Price of 100% of their principal amount plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Amount</u>
	\$

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\* Maturity.

Upon any redemption of Series 2024 Bonds other than in accordance with scheduled mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts, the District shall cause to be recalculated and delivered to the Trustee revised mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts recalculated so as to amortize the Outstanding principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds in substantially equal annual installments of principal and interest (subject to rounding to Authorized Denominations of principal) over the remaining term of the Series 2024 Bonds. The mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts as so recalculated shall not result in an increase in the aggregate of the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts for all Series 2024 Bonds in any year. In the event of a redemption or purchase occurring less than forty-five (45) days prior to a date on which a mandatory sinking fund redemption amount is due, the foregoing recalculation shall not be made to the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts due in the year in which such redemption occurs, but shall be made to the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts for the immediately succeeding and subsequent years.

**Extraordinary Mandatory Redemption**

The Series 2024 Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to maturity by the District in whole or in part, on any date (other than in the case of clause (i) below, which extraordinary mandatory redemption in part must occur on a Quarterly Redemption Date), at a Redemption Price equal to 100% of the principal amount of the Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed, plus interest accrued to the redemption date, as follows:

- (i) From Series 2024 Prepayment Principal deposited into the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount of the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account following the payment in whole or in part of

Series 2024 Special Assessments on any assessable property within the District in accordance with the provisions of the Supplemental Indenture, together with any excess moneys transferred by the Trustee from the Series 2024 Reserve Account to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount as a result of such Series 2024 Prepayment and pursuant to the Supplemental Indenture. If such redemption shall be in part, the District shall select such principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed from each maturity so that debt service on the remaining Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds is substantially level; or

(ii) From moneys, if any, on deposit in the Series 2024 Funds, Accounts and Subaccounts (other than the Series 2024 Rebate Fund and the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account) sufficient to pay and redeem all Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds and accrued interest thereon to the redemption date or dates in addition to all amounts owed to Persons under the Master Indenture; or

(iii) Upon the Completion Date, from any funds remaining on deposit in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account not otherwise reserved to complete the Series 2024 Project and transferred to the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount of the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account. If such redemption shall be in part, the District shall select such principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed from each maturity so that debt service on the remaining Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds is substantially level.

As used herein, "Quarterly Redemption Date" shall mean each February 1, May 1, August 1, and November 1 of any calendar year. Except as otherwise provided in the Indenture, if less than all of the Series 2024 Bonds of a maturity are to be redeemed pursuant to an extraordinary mandatory redemption, the Trustee shall select the Series 2024 Bonds or portions of the Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed by lot as provided in the Indenture. Partial redemptions of Series 2024 Bonds shall, to the extent possible, be made in such a manner that the remaining Series 2024 Bonds held by each Bondholder shall be in Authorized Denominations, except for the last remaining Series 2024 Bond. Reference is hereby specifically made to "APPENDIX B: PROPOSED FORMS OF MASTER INDENTURE AND SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE" for additional details concerning the redemption of Series 2024 Bonds.

### **Notice of Redemption**

When required to redeem or purchase Series 2024 Bonds under any provision of the Indenture or directed to do so by the District, the Trustee shall cause notice of the redemption, either in whole or in part, to be mailed by first-class mail, postage prepaid, at least thirty (30) but not more than sixty (60) days prior to the redemption or purchase date to all Owners of Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed or purchased (as such Owners appear on the Bond Register on the fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) day prior to such mailing), at their registered addresses, but failure to mail any such notice or defect in the notice or in the mailing thereof shall not affect the validity of the redemption or purchase of the Series 2024 Bonds for which notice was duly mailed in accordance with the Indenture. A conditional notice of redemption is permitted to be given pursuant to the Indenture.

### **Purchase of Series 2024 Bonds**

At the written direction of the District, the Trustee shall apply moneys from time to time available in the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account to the purchase of the Series 2024 Bonds in accordance with the Indenture, at prices not higher than the principal amount thereof, in lieu of redemption, provided that firm purchase commitments can be made before the notice of redemption would otherwise be required to be given.

## **Book-Entry System**

*The information in this section concerning DTC and DTC's book-entry system has been obtained from DTC, and the District does not make any representation or warranty or take any responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of such information.*

DTC will act as securities depository for the Series 2024 Bonds. The Series 2024 Bonds will be issued as fully-registered securities registered in the name of Cede & Co. (DTC's partnership nominee) or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. One fully-registered certificate will be issued for each maturity of the Series 2024 Bonds, each in the aggregate principal amount of such maturity, and will be deposited with DTC.

DTC, the world's largest securities depository, is a limited purpose trust company organized under the New York Banking Law, a "banking organization" within the meaning of the New York Banking Law, a member of the Federal Reserve System, a "clearing corporation" within the meaning of the New York Uniform Commercial Code, and a "clearing agency" registered pursuant to the provisions of Section 17A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. DTC holds and provides asset servicing for over 3.5 million issues of U.S. and non-U.S. equity issues, corporate and municipal debt issues, and money market instruments (from over 100 countries) that DTC's participants ("Direct Participants") deposit with DTC. DTC also facilitates the post-trade settlement among Direct Participants of sales and other securities transactions in deposited securities, through electronic computerized book-entry transfers and pledges between Direct Participants' accounts. This eliminates the need for physical movement of securities certificates. Direct Participants include both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations, and certain other organizations. DTC is a wholly owned subsidiary of The Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation ("DTCC"). DTCC is the holding company for DTC, National Securities Clearing Corporation and Fixed Income Clearing Corporation, all of which are registered clearing agencies. DTCC is owned by the users of its regulated subsidiaries. Access to the DTC system is also available to others such as both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, and clearing corporations that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). DTC has a Standard & Poor's rating of AA+. The DTC Rules applicable to its Participants are on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission. More information about DTC can be found at [www.dtcc.com](http://www.dtcc.com).

Purchases of the Series 2024 Bonds under the DTC system must be made by or through Direct Participants, which will receive a credit for the Series 2024 Bonds on DTC's records. The ownership interest of each actual purchaser of each Series 2024 Bond ("Beneficial Owner") is in turn to be recorded on the Direct and Indirect Participants' records. Beneficial Owners will not receive written confirmation from DTC of their purchase. Beneficial Owners are, however, expected to receive written confirmations providing details of the transaction, as well as periodic statements of their holdings, from the Direct or Indirect Participant through which the Beneficial Owner entered into the transaction. Transfers of ownership interests in the Series 2024 Bonds are to be accomplished by entries made on the books of Direct and Indirect Participants acting on behalf of Beneficial Owners. Beneficial Owners will not receive certificates representing their ownership interests in the Series 2024 Bonds, except in the event that use of the book-entry system for the Series 2024 Bonds is discontinued.

To facilitate subsequent transfers, all Series 2024 Bonds deposited by Direct Participants with DTC are registered in the name of DTC's partnership nominee, Cede & Co., or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. The deposit of Series 2024 Bonds with DTC and their registration in the name of Cede & Co., or such other DTC nominee do not effect any change in beneficial ownership. DTC has no knowledge of the actual Beneficial Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds; DTC's records reflect only the identity of the Direct Participants to whose accounts such Series 2024 Bonds are

credited, which may or may not be the Beneficial Owners. The Direct and Indirect Participants will remain responsible for keeping account of their holdings on behalf of their customers.

Conveyance of notices and other communications by DTC to Direct Participants, by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by arrangements among them, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Beneficial Owners of Series 2024 Bonds may wish to take certain steps to augment the transmission to them of notices of significant events with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, such as redemptions, tenders, defaults, and proposed amendments to the security documents. For example, Beneficial Owners of Series 2024 Bonds may wish to ascertain that the nominee holding the Series 2024 Bonds for their benefit has agreed to obtain and transmit notices to Beneficial Owners. In the alternative, Beneficial Owners may wish to provide their names and addresses to the registrar and request that copies of notices be provided directly to them.

Redemption notices shall be sent to DTC. If less than all of the Series 2024 Bonds are being redeemed, DTC's practice is to determine by lot the amount of the interest of each Direct Participant in such series or maturity to be redeemed.

Neither DTC nor Cede & Co. (nor any other DTC nominee) will consent or vote with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds unless authorized by a Direct Participant in accordance with DTC's MMI Procedures. Under its usual procedures, DTC mails an Omnibus Proxy to the District as soon as possible after the record date. The Omnibus Proxy assigns Cede & Co.'s consenting or voting rights to those Direct Participants to whose accounts the Series 2024 Bonds are credited on the record date (identified in a listing attached to the Omnibus Proxy).

Redemption proceeds, distributions, and interest payments on the Series 2024 Bonds will be made to Cede & Co., or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. DTC's practice is to credit Direct Participants' accounts, upon DTC's receipt of funds and corresponding detail information from the District or the Paying Agent, on the payable date in accordance with their respective holdings shown on DTC's records. Payments by Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by standing instructions and customary practices, as is the case with securities held for the accounts of customers in bearer form or registered in "street name," and will be the responsibility of such Participant and not of DTC, the Paying Agent, or the District, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Payment of redemption proceeds, distributions, and interest payments to Cede & Co. (or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC) is the responsibility of the District or the Paying Agent, disbursement of such payments to Direct Participants will be the responsibility of DTC, and disbursement of such payments to the Beneficial Owners will be the responsibility of Direct and Indirect Participants.

DTC may discontinue providing its services as depository with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds at any time by giving reasonable notice to the District or the Paying Agent. Under such circumstances, in the event that a successor depository is not obtained, the Series 2024 Bonds are required to be printed and delivered.

The District may decide to discontinue use of the system of book-entry only transfers through DTC (or a successor securities depository). In that event, the Series 2024 Bonds will be printed and delivered to DTC.



## SECURITY FOR AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS

### General

THE SERIES 2024 BONDS ARE LIMITED OBLIGATIONS OF THE DISTRICT PAYABLE SOLELY OUT OF THE SERIES 2024 PLEDGED REVENUES PLEDGED THEREFOR UNDER THE INDENTURE, AND NEITHER THE PROPERTY, THE FULL FAITH AND CREDIT, NOR THE TAXING POWER OF THE DISTRICT, THE COUNTY, THE STATE OF FLORIDA (THE "STATE"), OR ANY OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF, IS PLEDGED AS SECURITY FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS, EXCEPT THAT THE DISTRICT IS OBLIGATED UNDER THE INDENTURE TO LEVY AND TO EVIDENCE AND CERTIFY, OR CAUSE TO BE CERTIFIED, FOR COLLECTION, SERIES 2024 SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO SECURE AND PAY THE SERIES 2024 BONDS. THE SERIES 2024 BONDS DO NOT CONSTITUTE AN INDEBTEDNESS OF THE DISTRICT, THE COUNTY, THE STATE, OR ANY OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF WITHIN THE MEANING OF ANY CONSTITUTIONAL OR STATUTORY PROVISION OR LIMITATION.

The Series 2024 Bonds will be secured by a pledge of the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues. "Series 2024 Pledged Revenues" shall mean (a) all revenues received by the District from Series 2024 Special Assessments levied and collected on the assessable lands within the District benefitted by the Series 2024 Project, including, without limitation, amounts received from any foreclosure proceeding for the enforcement of collection of such Series 2024 Special Assessments or from the issuance and sale of tax certificates with respect to such Series 2024 Special Assessments, and (b) all moneys on deposit in the Funds and Accounts established under the Indenture created and established with respect to or for the benefit of the Series 2024 Bonds; provided, however, that Series 2024 Pledged Revenues shall not include (A) any moneys transferred to the Series 2024 Rebate Fund and investment earnings thereon, (B) moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund, and (C) "special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.022 of the Act for maintenance purposes or "maintenance assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.021(3) of the Act (it being expressly understood that the lien and pledge of the Indenture shall not apply to any of the moneys described in the foregoing clauses (A), (B) and (C) of this proviso).

The "Series 2024 Special Assessments" are the Special Assessments levied on the assessable District Lands as a result of the District's acquisition and/or construction of the Series 2024 Project, corresponding in amount to the debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds and designated as such in the methodology report relating thereto. "Special Assessments" shall mean (a) the net proceeds derived from the levy and collection of "special assessments," as provided for in Sections 190.011(14) and 190.022 of the Act against District Lands that are subject to assessment as a result of a particular Project or any portion thereof or against one or more identified Assessment Areas, and (b) the net proceeds derived from the levy and collection of "benefit special assessments," as provided for in Section 190.021(2) of the Act, against the lands within the District that are subject to assessment as a result of a particular Project or any portion thereof, and in case of both "special assessments" and "benefit special assessments," including the interest and penalties on such assessments, pursuant to all applicable provisions of the Act and Chapter 170, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 197, Florida Statutes (and any successor statutes thereto), including, without limitation, any amount received from any foreclosure proceeding for the enforcement of collection of such assessments or from the issuance and sale of tax certificates with respect to such assessments, less (to the extent applicable) the fees and costs of collection thereof payable to the Tax Collector and less certain administrative costs payable to the Property Appraiser pursuant to the Property Appraiser and Tax Collector Agreement. "Special Assessments" shall not include "special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.022 of the Act for maintenance purposes or "maintenance special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.021(3) of the Act. The Series 2024 Bonds are not secured by Special Assessments other than the Series 2024 Special Assessments on the District Lands.

"Assessment Proceedings" shall mean the proceedings of the District with respect to the establishment, levy and collection of the Series 2024 Special Assessments, including the Assessment Resolution and any supplemental proceedings undertaken by the District with respect to the Series 2024 Special Assessments.

Non-ad valorem assessments, such as the Series 2024 Special Assessments, are not based on millage and are not taxes, but can become a lien against the homestead as permitted in Section 4, Article X of the Florida State Constitution. The Series 2024 Special Assessments will constitute a lien against the land as to which the Series 2024 Special Assessments are imposed. See "ENFORCEMENT OF ASSESSMENT COLLECTIONS" herein.

### **Covenant to Levy the Series 2024 Special Assessments**

The District will covenant in the Indenture to comply with the terms of the proceedings heretofore adopted with respect to the Series 2024 Special Assessments, including the Assessment Methodology, and to levy and collect the Series 2024 Special Assessments and any required true-up payments set forth in the Assessment Methodology, in such manner as will generate funds sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds when due. The District will further agree that it shall not amend the Assessment Methodology in any material manner without the written consent of the Majority Owners.

If any Series 2024 Special Assessment shall be either in whole or in part annulled, vacated or set aside by the judgment of any court, or if the District shall be satisfied that any such Series 2024 Special Assessment is so irregular or defective that the same cannot be enforced or collected, or if the District shall have omitted to make such Series 2024 Special Assessment when it might have done so, the District has additionally covenanted to either (i) take all necessary steps to cause a new Series 2024 Special Assessment to be made for the whole or any part of such improvement or against any property benefited by such improvement, or (ii) in its sole discretion, make up the amount of such Series 2024 Special Assessment from legally available moneys, which moneys shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Revenue Account. See "BONDOWNERS RISKS – Inadequacy of Reserve Account." In case any such subsequent Series 2024 Special Assessment shall also be annulled, the District shall obtain and make other Series 2024 Special Assessments until a valid Series 2024 Special Assessment shall be made.

### **Prepayment of Series 2024 Special Assessments**

Pursuant to the proceedings of the District relating to the levy of the Series 2024 Special Assessments (the "Assessment Proceedings"), any owner of land against which a Series 2024 Special Assessment has been levied may pay the principal balance of such Series 2024 Special Assessment, in whole or in part at any time, if there is also paid an amount equal to the interest that would otherwise be due on such balance to the earlier of the next succeeding interest payment date, which is at least 45 days after the date of payment.

Pursuant to the Act, an owner of property subject to the levy of Series 2024 Special Assessments may pay the entire balance of the Series 2024 Special Assessments remaining due, without interest, within thirty (30) days after the Series 2024 Project has been completed or acquired by the District, and the Board has adopted a resolution accepting the Series 2024 Project pursuant to Chapter 170.09, Florida Statutes. The Landowner, as the sole owner of assessable land within the District, will waive this right on behalf of itself and its successors and assigns in connection with the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds. See "BONDOWNERS' RISKS – Prepayment and Redemption Risk" herein.

The Series 2024 Bonds are subject to extraordinary redemption as indicated under "DESCRIPTION OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS – Redemption Provisions – Extraordinary Mandatory Redemption" from optional prepayments of Series 2024 Special Assessments by property owners.

## **Limitation on Issuance of Additional Bonds**

In the Supplemental Indenture, the District will covenant not to issue any other Bonds or other debt obligations secured by the Series 2024 Special Assessments. In addition, the District will covenant not to issue any other Bonds or debt obligations for capital projects secured by Special Assessments on the assessable lands within the District that are subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments until the Series 2024 Special Assessments are Substantially Absorbed. "Substantially Absorbed" means the date at least 90% of the principal portion of the Series 2024 Special Assessments have been assigned to residential units within the assessable District Lands that have received certificates of occupancy. The District shall present the Trustee with a certification that the Series 2024 Special Assessments are Substantially Absorbed and the Trustee may rely conclusively upon such certification and shall have no duty to verify if the Series 2024 Special Assessments are Substantially Absorbed. In the absence of such written certification, the Trustee is entitled to assume that the Series 2024 Special Assessments have not been Substantially Absorbed. Such covenant shall not prohibit the District from issuing refunding Bonds secured by the Series 2024 Special Assessments or any Bonds or other obligations secured by other Special Assessments (i) if such Special Assessments are levied on District Lands not subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments, (ii) if such Bonds or other obligations are issued to finance a capital project that is necessary to remediate any natural disaster, catastrophic damage or failure with respect to the Series 2024 Project, or (iii) upon the written consent of the Majority Holders.

Notwithstanding the above paragraph to the contrary, certain operation and maintenance assessments are expected to be levied upon the same lands subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments; however, such assessments will not be available to pay debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds. The Series 2024 Special Assessments and the operation and maintenance assessments will have coequal lien status on the District Lands. See "ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY AND THE ALLOCATION OF ASSESSMENTS" and "BONDOWNERS' RISKS – Other Taxes and Assessments" herein.

## **Acquisition and Construction Account**

Pursuant to the Supplemental Indenture, there is established within the Acquisition and Construction Fund held by the Trustee a separate account with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds designated as the "Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account." Net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account in the amount set forth in the Supplemental Indenture, together with any moneys transferred or deposited thereto, including moneys transferred from the Series 2024 Reserve Account after satisfaction of each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2 (each as defined herein), and such moneys shall be applied as set forth in the Indenture and the Acquisition Agreement. Funds on deposit in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall only be requested by the District to be applied to the Costs of the Series 2024 Project. Upon satisfaction of each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2, the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account in excess of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement shall then be transferred to the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account and applied as provided in the Supplemental Indenture. See "–Reserve Account" herein for more information regarding the Reserve Release Conditions. All investment earnings on moneys in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall remain on deposit therein and used for the purposes set forth in the Supplemental Indenture.

After the Completion Date for the Series 2024 Project, and after retaining costs to complete the Series 2024 Project, any moneys remaining in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall be transferred to the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount, as directed in writing by the District, or the District Manager on behalf of the District, to the Trustee. After no funds remain therein, the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall be closed. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall not be closed until after each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2 shall have occurred and the excess funds from the Series 2024 Reserve

Account shall have been transferred to the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account and applied in accordance with the Supplemental Indenture. The Trustee shall not be responsible for determining the amounts in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account allocable to the respective components of the Series 2024 Project.

The Trustee shall make no such transfers from the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account to the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount if an Event of Default exists with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds of which the Trustee has notice or actual knowledge as described in the Master Indenture. Except as provided in the Series 2024 Bonds with respect to mandatory redemption of the Series 2024 Bonds after the Completion Date or in the Supplemental Indenture regarding use of the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account following an Event of Default, the Trustee shall withdraw moneys from the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account only upon presentment to the Trustee of a properly signed requisition in substantially the form attached to the Supplemental Indenture.

### **Reserve Account**

Pursuant to the Supplemental Indenture, there is established within the Debt Service Reserve Fund a separate account with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds designated as the "Series 2024 Reserve Account," in which net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds will be deposited in an amount equal to the Series 2024 Reserve Account Requirement. See "ESTIMATED SOURCES AND USES OF SERIES 2024 BOND PROCEEDS" herein.

The "Series 2024 Reserve Account Requirement" or "Reserve Requirement" shall (i) initially be an amount equal to the maximum annual debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds; (ii) upon the occurrence of Reserve Release Condition #1, fifty percent (50%) of the maximum annual debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds; and (iii) upon the occurrence of Reserve Release Condition #2, ten percent (10%) of the maximum annual debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds. Upon satisfaction of each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2, such resulting excess amount shall be released from the Series 2024 Reserve Account and transferred to the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account in accordance with the provisions of the Supplemental Indenture. For the purpose of calculating the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement, maximum annual debt service, fifty percent (50%) of maximum annual debt service, or ten percent (10%) of maximum annual debt service, as the case may be, shall be calculated as of the date of the original issuance and delivery and recalculated in connection with each extraordinary mandatory redemption of the Series 2024 Bonds from Series 2024 Prepayment Principal as set forth in the Supplemental Indenture (but not upon the optional or mandatory sinking fund redemption thereof) and such excess amount shall be released from the Series 2024 Reserve Account and, other than as provided in the immediately preceding sentence, transferred to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount in accordance with the provisions of the Supplemental Indenture. Amounts on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account may, upon final maturity or redemption of all Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds, be used to pay principal of and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds at that time Initially, the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement shall be equal to \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

"Reserve Release Condition #1" with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds shall mean collectively (i) all of the outstanding principal portion of the Series 2024 Special Assessments has been assigned to lands that have been closed with homebuilders, and (ii) there shall be no Events of Default under the Indenture with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, each as certified by the District Manager. The District shall present the Trustee with the certifications of the District Manager regarding the satisfaction of Reserve Release Condition #1, and the Trustee may rely conclusively upon such certifications and shall have no duty to verify the same.

"Reserve Release Condition #2" with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds shall mean collectively (i) all of the outstanding principal portion of the Series 2024 Special Assessments has been assigned to homes

that have been built and have received a certificate of occupancy, and (ii) there shall be no Events of Default under the Indenture with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, each as certified by the District Manager. The District shall present the Trustee with the certifications of the District Manager regarding the satisfaction of Reserve Release Condition #2, and the Trustee may rely conclusively upon such certifications and shall have no duty to verify the same.

Net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Reserve Account in the amount set forth in the Supplemental Indenture, and such moneys, together with any other moneys deposited into the Series 2024 Reserve Account shall be applied for the purposes provided in the Indenture. Notwithstanding any provisions in the Master Indenture to the contrary, the District will covenant not to substitute the cash and Investment Securities on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account with a Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy or a Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit. Except as provided in the next paragraph, all investment earnings on moneys in the Series 2024 Reserve Account shall remain on deposit therein.

On each March 15 and September 15 (or, if such date is not a Business Day, on the Business Day next preceding such day), the Trustee shall determine the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account and transfer any excess therein above the Reserve Requirement for the Series 2024 Bonds caused by investment earnings to the Series 2024 Revenue Account in accordance with the Supplemental Indenture.

In the event of a prepayment of Series 2024 Special Assessments in accordance with the Supplemental Indenture, forty-five (45) days before the next Quarterly Redemption Date, the District shall provide written direction to the Trustee, as described in the Supplemental Indenture, recalculating the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement to take into account the amount of Series 2024 Bonds that will be outstanding as a result of such prepayment of Series 2024 Special Assessments, and directing the Trustee to transfer the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account in excess of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement, resulting from Series 2024 Prepayment Principal, to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount to be applied toward the extraordinary redemption of Series 2024 Bonds in accordance with the extraordinary mandatory redemption provisions set forth in the Series 2024 Bonds, as a credit against the Series 2024 Prepayment Principal otherwise required to be made by the owner of such property subject to Series 2024 Special Assessments, and upon receipt of such direction the Trustee shall effect such transfer. Upon satisfaction of each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2, the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account in excess of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement shall then be transferred to the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account and applied as provided in the Supplemental Indenture.

Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, amounts on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account shall be transferred by the Trustee, in the amounts directed in writing by the Majority Holders of the Series 2024 Bonds to the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount, if as a result of the application of Article X of the Master Indenture, the proceeds received from lands sold subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments and applied to redeem a portion of the Series 2024 Bonds is less than the principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds indebtedness attributable to such lands.

### **Deposit and Application of the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues**

Pursuant to the Supplemental Indenture, Series 2024 Special Assessments (except for Prepayments of Series 2024 Special Assessments, which shall be identified as such by the District to the Trustee and deposited in the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount) shall be deposited by the Trustee into the Series 2024 Revenue Account established within the Revenue Fund. The Trustee shall transfer from amounts on deposit in the Series 2024 Revenue Account to the Funds and Accounts designated below, the following amounts, at the following times and in the following order of priority:

FIRST, upon receipt but no later than the Business Day next preceding each Interest Payment Date, commencing May 1, 2025, to the Series 2024 Interest Account of the Debt Service Fund, an amount equal to the interest on the Series 2024 Bonds becoming due on the next succeeding Interest Payment Date, less any amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Interest Account not previously credited;

SECOND, no later than the Business Day next preceding each May 1, commencing May 1, 20\_\_, to the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account, an amount equal to the principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds subject to sinking fund redemption on such May 1, less any amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account not previously credited;

THIRD, upon receipt but no later than the Business Day next preceding each Interest Payment Date while Series 2024 Bonds remain Outstanding, to the Series 2024 Reserve Account, an amount equal to the amount, if any, which is necessary to make the amount on deposit therein equal to the Reserve Requirement for the Series 2024 Bonds;

FOURTH, notwithstanding the foregoing, at any time the Series 2024 Bonds are subject to redemption on a date which is not a May 1 or November 1 Interest Payment Date, the Trustee shall be authorized to transfer to the Series 2024 Interest Account, the amount necessary to pay interest on the Series 2024 Bonds subject to redemption on such date; and

FIFTH, subject to the foregoing paragraphs, the balance of any moneys remaining after making the foregoing deposits shall be first deposited into the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account upon the written request of the District to cover any deficiencies in the amount allocated to pay the cost of issuing the Series 2024 Bonds and next, any balance in the Series 2024 Revenue Account shall remain on deposit in such Series 2024 Revenue Account, unless needed for the purposes of rounding the principal amount of a Series 2024 Bond subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption pursuant to the Supplemental Indenture to an Authorized Denomination, or unless pursuant to the Arbitrage Certificate, it is necessary to make a deposit into the Series 2024 Rebate Fund, in which case, the District shall direct the Trustee to make such deposit thereto.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event of redemption of Series 2024 Bonds from Prepayments on deposit in the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount, the Trustee is further authorized, upon written direction from the District, to transfer from the Series 2024 Revenue Account to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount sufficient funds to cause the redemption of the next closest Authorized Denomination of Series 2024 Bonds, as provided in the Supplemental Indenture.

## **Investments**

The Trustee shall, as directed by the District in writing, invest moneys held in the Series Accounts within the Debt Service Fund, any Series Accounts within the Debt Service Reserve Fund and any Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund created under the Supplemental Indenture only in Government Obligations and other Investment Securities. All deposits in time accounts shall be subject to withdrawal without penalty and all investments shall mature or be subject to redemption by the holder without penalty, not later than the date when the amounts will foreseeably be needed for purposes set forth in the Indenture. All securities securing investments under the Indenture shall be deposited with a Federal Reserve Bank, with the trust department of the Trustee, as authorized by law with respect to trust funds in the State, or with a bank or trust company having a combined net capital and surplus of not less than \$50,000,000. The interest and income received upon such investments and any interest paid by the Trustee or any other depository of any Fund or Account and any profit or loss resulting from the sale of securities shall be added or charged to the Fund or Account for which such investments are made; provided, however, that if the amount in any Fund or Account equals or exceeds the amount required to be on deposit therein, subject to

the provisions of the Indenture, any interest and other income so received shall be deposited in the related Series Account of the Revenue Fund. Upon request of the District, or on its own initiative whenever payment is to be made out of any Fund or Account, the Trustee shall sell such securities as may be requested to make the payment and restore the proceeds to the Fund or Account in which the securities were held. The Trustee shall not be accountable for any depreciation in the value of any such security or for any loss resulting from the sale thereof, except as provided in the Indenture. If net proceeds from the sale of securities held in any Fund or Account shall be less than the amount invested and, as a result, the amount on deposit in such Fund or Account is less than the amount required to be on deposit in such Fund or Account, the amount of such deficit shall be transferred to such Fund or Account from the related Series Account of the Revenue Fund. See "APPENDIX B: PROPOSED FORMS OF MASTER INDENTURE AND SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE" attached hereto.

In the absence of written investment instructions from the District, the Trustee shall not be responsible or liable for keeping the moneys held by it hereunder invested or for any losses because such amounts were not invested. Moneys in any of the Funds and Accounts established pursuant to the Indenture, when held by the Trustee, shall be promptly invested by the Trustee in accordance with all written directions from the District and the District shall be responsible for ensuring that such instructions conform to requirements of this Master Indenture including, without limitation, Article VII of the Master Indenture. The Trustee shall not be liable or responsible for any loss or entitled to any gain resulting from any investment or sale upon the investment instructions of the District or otherwise, including that set forth in the first sentence of this paragraph. The Trustee may conclusively rely upon the District's written instructions as to both the suitability and legality of all investments directed hereunder or under any Supplemental Indenture. Ratings of investments shall be determined by the District at the time of purchase of such investments and without regard to ratings subcategories. The Trustee shall have no responsibility to monitor the ratings of investments after the initial purchase of such investments. The Trustee may make any and all such investments through its own investment department or that of its affiliates or subsidiaries, and may charge its ordinary and customary fees for such trades. Confirmations of investments are not required to be issued by the Trustee for each month in which a monthly statement is rendered. No statement need be rendered for any fund or account if no activity occurred in such fund or account during such month.

### **Indenture Provisions Relating to Bankruptcy or Insolvency of a Landowner**

The Master Indenture will contain the following provisions which, pursuant to the Master Indenture, shall be applicable both before and after the commencement, whether voluntary or involuntary, of any case, proceeding or other action by or against any owner of any tax parcel subject to the Affected Special Assessments (an "Insolvent Taxpayer") under any existing or future law of any jurisdiction relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, assignment for the benefit of creditors, or relief of debtors (a "Proceeding"). For as long as any Affected Bonds remain Outstanding, in any Proceeding involving the District, any Insolvent Taxpayer, the Affected Bonds or the Affected Special Assessments, the District shall be obligated to act in accordance with any direction from the Trustee with regard to all matters directly or indirectly affecting at least three percent (3%) of the Outstanding aggregate principal amount of the Affected Bonds or for as long as any Affected Bonds remain Outstanding, in any proceeding involving the District, any Insolvent Taxpayer, the Affected Bonds or the Affected Special Assessments or the Trustee. The District will agree that it shall not be a defense to a breach of the foregoing covenant that it has acted upon advice of counsel in not complying with this covenant.

The District will acknowledge and agree that, although the Series 2024 Bonds were issued by the District, the Owners of the Affected Bonds are categorically the party with the ultimate financial stake in the transaction and, consequently, the party with a vested and pecuniary interest in a Proceeding. In the event of any Proceeding involving an Insolvent Taxpayer: (i) the District will agree that it shall follow the direction of the Trustee in making and election, giving any consent, commencing any action or filing any motion, claim, obligation, notice or application or in taking any other action or position in any Proceeding

or in any action related to a Proceeding that affects, either directly or indirectly, the Affected Special Assessments, the Affected Bonds, or any rights of the Trustee; (ii) the District will agree that it shall not make any election, give any consent, commence any action or file any motion, claim, obligation, notice or application or take any other action or position in any Proceeding or in any action related to a Proceeding that affects, either directly or indirectly, the Affected Special Assessments, the Affected Bonds, or any rights of the Trustee under the Indenture that are inconsistent with direction from the Trustee; (iii) to the extent permitted by law, the Trustee shall have the right, but is not obligated to, (i) vote in any such Proceeding any and all claims of the District, or (ii) file any motion, pleading, plan or objection in any such Proceeding on behalf of the District, including without limitation, motions seeking relief from the automatic stay, dismissal the Proceeding, valuation of the property belonging to the Insolvent Taxpayer, termination of exclusivity, and objections to disclosure statements, plans of liquidation or reorganization, and motions for use of cash collateral, seeking approval of sales or post-petition financing. If the Trustee chooses to exercise any such rights, the District shall be deemed to have appointed the Trustee as its agent and granted to the Trustee an irrevocable power of attorney coupled with an interest, and its proxy, for the purpose of exercising any and all rights and taking any and all actions available to the District in connection with any Proceeding of any Insolvent Taxpayer, including without limitation, the right to file and/or prosecute any claims, to propose and prosecute a plan, to vote to accept or reject a plan, and to make any election under Section 1111(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and (iv) the District shall not challenge the validity or amount of any claim submitted in such Proceeding by the Trustee in good faith or any valuations of the lands owned by any Insolvent Taxpayer submitted by the Trustee in good faith in such Proceeding or take any other action in such Proceeding, which is adverse to Trustee's enforcement or the District's claim and rights with respect to the Affected Special Assessments or receipt of adequate protection (as that term is defined in the Bankruptcy Code). Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the District will agree that the Trustee shall have the right (i) to file a proof of claim with respect to the Affected Special Assessments pledged to the Affected Bonds Outstanding, (ii) to deliver to the District a copy thereof, together with evidence of the filing with the appropriate court or other authority, and (iii) to defend any objection filed to said proof of claim.

Notwithstanding the provisions of the immediately preceding paragraphs, nothing in the Master Indenture shall preclude the District from becoming a party to a Proceeding in order to enforce a claim for "maintenance special assessments," and the District shall be free to pursue such a claim in such manner as it shall deem appropriate. Any actions taken by the District in pursuance of its claim for "Maintenance special assessments" in any Proceeding shall not be considered an action adverse or inconsistent with the Trustee's rights or consents with respect to the Affected Special Assessments, whether such claim is pursued by the District or the Trustee' provided, however, that the District shall not oppose any relief sought by the Trustee under the authority granted to the Trustee in the above-described provisions of the Indenture.

### **Certain Remedies upon an Event of Default**

The Indenture provides that each of the following shall be an "Event of Default" under the Indenture, with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds:

(a) if payment of any installment of interest on any Series 2024 Bond is not made when it becomes due and payable; or

(b) if payment of the principal or Redemption Price of any Series 2024 Bond is not made when it becomes due and payable at maturity or upon call or presentation for redemption; or

(c) if the District, for any reason, fails in, or is rendered incapable of, fulfilling its obligations under the Indenture or under the Act, which may be determined solely by the Majority Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds; or



(d) if the District proposes or makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors or enters into a composition agreement with all or a material part of its creditors, or a trustee, receiver, executor, conservator, liquidator, sequestrator or other judicial representative, similar or dissimilar, is appointed for the District or any of its assets or revenues, or there is commenced any proceeding in liquidation, bankruptcy, reorganization, arrangement of debts, debtor rehabilitation, creditor adjustment or insolvency, local, state or federal, by or against the District and if such is not vacated, dismissed or stayed on appeal within ninety (90) days; or

(e) if the District defaults in the due and punctual performance of any other covenant in the Indenture or in any Series 2024 Bonds and such default continues for sixty (60) days after written notice requiring the same to be remedied shall have been given to the District by the Trustee, which may give such notice in its discretion and shall give such notice at the written request of the Holders of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Series 2024 Bonds Outstanding; provided, however, that if such performance requires work to be done, actions to be taken, or conditions to be remedied, which by their nature cannot reasonably be done, taken or remedied, as the case may be, within such sixty (60) day period, no Event of Default shall be deemed to have occurred or exist if, and so long as the District shall commence such performance within such sixty (60) day period and shall diligently and continuously prosecute the same to completion; or

(f) if at any time the amount in the Series 2024 Reserve Account is less than the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement as a result of the Trustee withdrawing an amount therefrom to pay debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds and such amount has not been restored within thirty (30) days of such withdrawal; or

(g) if, at any time following issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds, more than twenty percent (20%) of the "maintenance special assessments" levied by the District on the District Lands upon which the Series 2024 Special Assessments are levied to secure the Series 2024 Bonds pursuant to Section 190.021(3), Florida Statutes, as amended, and collected directly by the District have become due and payable and have not been paid, when due.

The Series 2024 Bonds are not subject to acceleration. Upon an occurrence and continuance of an Event of Default, no optional redemption or extraordinary mandatory redemption of the Series 2024 Bonds pursuant to Article VIII of the Master Indenture shall occur unless all of the Series 2024 Bonds where an Event of Default has occurred will be redeemed or if 100% of the Holders of such Series 2024 Bonds agree to such redemption; provided, however, that the foregoing shall not prevent a pro rata default distribution pursuant to the Master Indenture.

If any Event of Default with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds has occurred and is continuing, the Trustee, in its discretion may, and upon the written request of the Holders of not less than a majority of the aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds and receipt of indemnity to its satisfaction shall, in its capacity as trustee:

(i) by mandamus, or other suit, action or proceeding at law or in equity, enforce all rights of the Holders of the Series 2024 Bonds, including, without limitation, the right to require the District to carry out any agreements with, or for the benefit of, the Bondholders of the Series 2024 Bonds and to perform its or their duties under the Act;

(ii) bring suit upon the Series 2024 Bonds;

(iii) by action or suit in equity require the District to account as if it were the trustee of an express trust for the Holders of the Series 2024 Bonds;

(iv) by action or suit in equity enjoin any acts or things which may be unlawful or in violation of the rights of the Holders of the Series 2024 Bonds; and

(v) by other proceeding in law or equity, exercise all rights and remedies provided for by any other document or instrument securing such Series 2024 Bonds.

The Holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds then subject to remedial proceedings under Article X of the Master Indenture shall have the right to direct the method and place of conducting all remedial proceedings by the Trustee under the Indenture, provided that such directions shall not be otherwise than in accordance with law or the provisions of the Indenture. The Trustee shall have no liability as a result of any actions taken upon any such direction of the Holders.

Anything in the Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, the District acknowledges that the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues include, without limitation, all amounts on deposit in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund then held by the Trustee and that, upon the occurrence of an Event of Default with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, (i) the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues may not be used by the District (whether to pay costs of the Series 2024 Project or otherwise) without the consent of the Majority Holders, and (ii) the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues may be used by the Trustee, at the direction or with the approval of the Majority Holders, to pay costs and expenses incurred in connection with the pursuit of remedies under the Indenture, provided, however notwithstanding anything in the Supplemental Indenture to the contrary the Trustee is also authorized to utilize the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues to pay fees and expenses as provided in the Master Indenture.

During the continuance of an Event of Default specified in (a), (b) or (f) above (a "Payment Related Default"), disbursements from the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall be made only with the consent of the Majority Holders, except as provided below. During the continuance of a Payment Related Default, the Majority Holders shall have the right to provide direction to the District to terminate, suspend, or proceed under any contracts for construction of the Series 2024 Project entered into prior to the occurrence of such Payment Related Default. The Majority Holders may provide such direction at any time during the continuance of such Payment Related Default and shall not be deemed to have waived their right to do so through inaction or delay and may change such direction from time to time.

(i) Until such time as the Majority Holders provide such direction to the District, disbursements may be made without the consent of the Majority Holders for Costs incurred by the Issuer under construction contracts entered into by the Issuer prior to the occurrence of such Payment Related Default.

(ii) Upon direction by the Majority Holders to proceed under any such contract(s), no consent of the Majority Holders shall be required for disbursements for Costs incurred by the District thereunder until the date of suspension or termination of such contract directed by the Majority Holders described in subparagraph (iii) below.

(iii) Upon direction by the Majority Holders to suspend or terminate such construction contract(s), disbursements for Costs incurred by the Issuer thereunder shall only be made (x) for disbursements for Costs incurred by the Issuer under construction contracts entered into by the Issuer prior to the occurrence of such Payment Related Default and which Costs relate to work performed before the earliest date on which the District is entitled to suspend or terminate such construction contract at the direction of the Majority Holders, or (y) with the consent of the Majority Holders.

Notwithstanding anything in the Indenture to the contrary, during the continuance of a Payment Related Default, the consent of the Majority Holders shall be required for disbursements for Costs under contracts for the acquisition of Series 2024 Project improvements from the Landowner or its affiliates.

## **ENFORCEMENT OF ASSESSMENT COLLECTIONS**

### **General**

The primary source of payment for the Series 2024 Bonds is the Series 2024 Special Assessments imposed on the assessable District Lands specially benefited by the Series 2024 Project pursuant to the Assessment Proceedings. See "ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY AND THE ALLOCATION OF ASSESSMENTS" herein and "APPENDIX E: ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY."

The determination, order, levy, and collection of Series 2024 Special Assessments must be done in compliance with procedural requirements and guidelines provided by State law. Failure by the District, the Pasco County Tax Collector (the "Tax Collector") or the Pasco County Property Appraiser (the "Property Appraiser") to comply with such requirements could result in a delay in the collection of, or the complete inability to collect, the Series 2024 Special Assessments during any year. Such delays in the collection of Series 2024 Special Assessments, or complete inability to collect Series 2024 Special Assessments, would have a material adverse effect on the ability of the District to make full or punctual payment of the debt service requirements on the Series 2024 Bonds. See "BONDOWNERS' RISKS." To the extent that landowners fail to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments, delay payments, or are unable to pay the same, the successful pursuance of collection procedures available to the District is essential to continued payment of principal of and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds. The Act provides for various methods of collection of delinquent Series 2024 Special Assessments by reference to other provisions of the Florida Statutes. The following is a description of certain statutory provisions of assessment payment and collection procedures appearing in the Florida Statutes but is qualified in its entirety by reference to such statutes.

### **Uniform Method Procedure**

Initially, the Landowner and subsequent landowners will directly pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments to the District. After the District Lands are platted and assigned their respective tax folio numbers, the Series 2024 Special Assessments will be collected pursuant to the Uniform Method (as hereinafter defined). At such times as the Series 2024 Special Assessments are collected pursuant to the Uniform Method of collection, the provisions of this section shall be come applicable. The Florida Statutes provide that, subject to certain conditions, non-ad valorem special assessments may be collected by using the uniform method (the "Uniform Method") of collection. The Uniform Method of collection is available only in the event the District complies with statutory and regulatory requirements and enters into agreements with the Tax Collector and Property Appraiser providing for the Series 2024 Special Assessments to be levied and then collected in this manner. The District's election to use a certain collection method with respect to the Series 2024 Special Assessments does not preclude it from electing to use another collection method in the future, subject to the provisions of the Indenture. See "—Foreclosure" below with respect to collection of delinquent assessments not collected pursuant to the Uniform Method.

If the Uniform Method of collection is utilized, the Series 2024 Special Assessments will be collected together with County, special district, and other ad valorem taxes and non-ad valorem assessments, all of which will appear on the tax bill (also referred to as a "tax notice") issued to each landowner in the District. The statutes relating to enforcement of ad valorem taxes and non-ad valorem assessments provide that such taxes and assessments become due and payable on November 1 of the year when assessed, or as soon thereafter as the certified tax roll is received by the Tax Collector, and constitute a lien upon the land from January 1 of such year until paid or barred by operation of law. Such taxes and assessments (including the Series 2024 Special Assessments being collected by the Uniform Method) are

to be billed, and landowners in the District are required to pay, all such taxes and assessments, without preference in payment of any particular increment of the tax bill, such as the increment owing for the Series 2024 Special Assessments. Upon any receipt of moneys by the Tax Collector from the Series 2024 Special Assessments, such moneys will be delivered to the District, which will remit such Series 2024 Special Assessments to the Trustee for deposit to the 2021 Revenue Account within the Revenue Fund, except that any Prepayments of Series 2024 Special Assessments shall be deposited to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount within the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account created under the Indenture and applied in accordance therewith.

All County, school and special district, including the District, ad valorem taxes, non-ad valorem special assessments, including the Series 2024 Special Assessments, and voter-approved ad valorem taxes levied to pay principal of and interest on bonds are payable at one time, except for partial payment schedules as may be provided by Sections 197.374 and 197.222, Florida Statutes. Partial payments made pursuant to Sections 197.374 and 197.222, Florida Statutes, are distributed in equal proportion to all taxing districts and levying authorities applicable to that account. If a taxpayer does not make complete payment of the total amount, he or she cannot designate specific line items on his or her tax bill as deemed paid in full. In such cases, the Tax Collector does not accept such partial payment and the partial payment is returned to the taxpayer. Therefore, in the event the Series 2024 Special Assessments are to be collected pursuant to the Uniform Method, any failure to pay any one line item would cause the Series 2024 Special Assessments to not be collected to that extent, which could have a significant adverse effect on the ability of the District to make full or punctual payment of the debt service requirements on the Series 2024 Bonds.

Under the Uniform Method, if the Series 2024 Special Assessments are paid during November when due or during the following three months, the taxpayer is granted a variable discount equal to 4% in November and decreasing one percentage point per month to 1% in February. All unpaid taxes and assessments become delinquent on April 1 of the year following assessment. The Tax Collector is required to collect the ad valorem taxes and non-ad valorem special assessments on the tax bill prior to April 1 and, after that date, to institute statutory procedures upon delinquency to collect such taxes and assessments through the sale of "tax certificates," as discussed below. Delay in the mailing of tax notices to taxpayers may result in a delay throughout this process.

Neither the District nor the Underwriter can give any assurance to the holders of the Series 2024 Bonds (1) that the past experience of the Tax Collector with regard to tax and special assessment delinquencies is applicable in any way to the Series 2024 Special Assessments, (2) that future landowners and taxpayers in the District will pay such Series 2024 Special Assessments, (3) that a market may exist in the future for tax certificates in the event of sale of such certificates for taxable units within the District, or (4) that the eventual sale of tax certificates for real property within the District, if any, will be for an amount sufficient to pay amounts due under the Assessment Proceedings to discharge the lien of the Series 2024 Special Assessments and all other liens that are coequal therewith.

Collection of delinquent Series 2024 Special Assessments under the Uniform Method is, in essence, based upon the sale by the Tax Collector of "tax certificates" and remittance of the proceeds of such sale to the District for payment of the Series 2024 Special Assessments due. In the event of a delinquency in the payment of taxes and assessments on real property, the landowner may, prior to the sale of tax certificates, pay the total amount of delinquent ad valorem taxes and non-ad valorem assessments plus the cost of advertising and the applicable interest charge on the amount of such delinquent taxes and assessments. If the landowner does not act, the Tax Collector is required to attempt to sell tax certificates on such property to the person who pays the delinquent taxes and assessments owing, penalties and interest thereon and certain costs, and who accepts the lowest interest rate per annum to be borne by the certificates (but not more than 18%). Tax certificates are sold by public bid. If there are no bidders, the tax certificate is issued to the County. The County is to hold, but not pay for, the tax certificate with respect to the property, bearing interest at the maximum legal rate of interest (currently 18%). The Tax Collector does not collect any money

if tax certificates are "struck off" (issued) to the County. The County may sell such certificates to the public at any time at the principal amount thereof plus interest at the rate of not more than 18% per annum and a fee. Proceeds from the sale of tax certificates are required to be used to pay taxes and assessments (including the Series 2024 Special Assessments), interest, costs and charges on the real property described in the certificate. The demand for such certificates is dependent upon various factors, which include the rate of interest that can be earned by ownership of such certificates and the underlying value of the land that is the subject of such certificates and which may be subject to sale at the demand of the certificate holder. Therefore, the underlying market value of the property within the District may affect the demand for certificates and the successful collection of the Series 2024 Special Assessments, which are the primary source of payment of the Series 2024 Bonds. Legal proceedings under Federal bankruptcy law brought by or against a landowner who has not yet paid his or her property taxes or assessments would likely result in a delay in the sale of tax certificates.

Unless full payment for a tax deed is made to the clerk of court, including documentary stamps and recording fees, any tax certificate in the hands of a person other than the County may be redeemed and canceled, in whole or in part (under certain circumstances), at any time before a tax deed is issued, and at a price equal to the face amount of the certificate or portion thereof together with all interest, costs, and charges due. Regardless of the interest rate actually borne by the certificates, persons redeeming tax certificates must pay a minimum interest rate of 5%, unless the rate borne by the certificates is zero percent. The proceeds of such a redemption are paid to the Tax Collector who transmits to the holder of the tax certificate such proceeds less service charges, and the certificate is canceled. Redemption of tax certificates held by the County is effected by purchase of such certificates from the County, as described in the preceding paragraph.

Any holder, other than the County, of a tax certificate that has not been redeemed has seven years from the date of issuance of the tax certificate during which to act against the land that is the subject of the tax certificate. After an initial period ending two years from April 1 of the year of issuance of a certificate, during which period actions against the land are held in abeyance to allow for sales and redemptions of tax certificates, and before the expiration of seven years from the date of issuance, the holder of a certificate may apply for a tax deed to the subject land. The applicant is required to pay to the Tax Collector at the time of application all amounts required to redeem or purchase all outstanding tax certificates covering the land, plus interest, any omitted taxes or delinquent taxes and interest, and current taxes, if due. If the County holds a tax certificate on property valued at \$5,000 or more and has not succeeded in selling it, the County must apply for a tax deed two years after April 1 of the year of issuance of the certificate. The County pays costs and fees to the Tax Collector but not any amount to redeem any other outstanding certificates covering the land. Thereafter, the property is advertised for public sale.

In any such public sale conducted by the Clerk of the Circuit Court, the private holder of the tax certificate who is seeking a tax deed for non-homestead property is deemed to submit a minimum bid equal to the amount required to redeem the tax certificate, charges for the cost of sale, including costs incurred for the service of notice required by statute, redemption of other tax certificates on the land, and the amount paid by such holder in applying for the tax deed, plus interest thereon. In the case of homestead property, the minimum bid is also deemed to include, in addition to the amount of money required for the minimum bid on non-homestead property, an amount equal to one-half of the latest assessed value of the homestead. If there are no higher bids, the holder receives title to the land, and the amounts paid for the certificate and in applying for a tax deed are credited toward the purchase price. If there are other bids, the holder may enter the bidding. The highest bidder is awarded title to the land. The portion of proceeds of such sale needed to redeem the tax certificate, and all other amounts paid by such person in applying for a tax deed, are forwarded to the holder thereof or credited to such holder if such holder is the successful bidder. Excess proceeds are distributed first to satisfy governmental liens against the land and then to the former title holder of the property (less service charges), lienholder of record, mortgagees of record, vendees of recorded

contracts for deeds, and other lienholders and any other person to whom the land was last assessed on the tax roll for the year in which the land was assessed, all as their interest may appear.

Except for certain governmental liens and certain restrictive covenants and restrictions, no right, interest, restriction or other covenant survives the issuance of a tax deed. Thus, for example, outstanding mortgages on property subject to a tax deed would be extinguished.

If there are no bidders at the public sale, the County may, at any time within ninety (90) days from the date of offering for public sale, purchase the land without further notice or advertising for a statutorily prescribed opening bid. After ninety (90) days have passed, any person or governmental unit may purchase the land by paying the amount of the opening bid. Ad valorem taxes and non-ad valorem assessments accruing after the date of public sale do not require repetition of the bidding process but are added to the minimum bid. Three years from the date of delinquency, unsold lands escheat to the County in which they are located and all tax certificates and liens against the property are canceled and a deed is executed vesting title in the governing board of such County.

### **Foreclosure**

The following discussion regarding foreclosure is not applicable if the Series 2024 Special Assessments are being collected pursuant to the Uniform Method. In the event that the District itself directly levies and enforces, pursuant to Chapters 170 and 190, Florida Statutes, the collection of the Series 2024 Special Assessments levied on the land within the District, Section 170.10, Florida Statutes provides that upon the failure of any property owner to pay all or any part of the principal of a special assessment, including a Series 2024 Special Assessment, or the interest thereon, when due, the governing body of the entity levying the assessment is authorized to commence legal proceedings for the enforcement of the payment thereof, including commencement of an action in chancery, commencement of a foreclosure proceeding in the same manner as the foreclosure of a real estate mortgage, or commencement of an action under Chapter 173, Florida Statutes relating to foreclosure of municipal tax and special assessment liens. Such a proceeding is in rem, meaning that it is brought against the land not against the owner. In light of the one-year tolling period required before the District may commence a foreclosure action under Chapter 173, Florida Statutes, it is likely that the District would commence an action to foreclose in the same manner as the foreclosure of a real estate mortgage, rather than proceeding under Chapter 173, Florida Statutes.

Enforcement of the obligation to pay Series 2024 Special Assessments and the ability to foreclose the lien of such Series 2024 Special Assessments upon the failure to pay such Series 2024 Special Assessments may not be readily available or may be limited as such enforcement is dependent upon judicial action which is often subject to discretion and delay.

### **BONDOWNERS' RISKS**

There are certain risks inherent in an investment in bonds issued by a public authority or governmental body in the State and secured by special assessments. Certain of these risks are described in other sections of this Limited Offering Memorandum. Certain additional risks are associated with the Series 2024 Bonds offered hereby and are set forth below. Prospective investors in the Series 2024 Bonds should have such knowledge and experience in financial and business matters to be capable of evaluating the merits and risks of an investment in the Series 2024 Bonds and have the ability to bear the economic risks of such prospective investment, including a complete loss of such investment. This section does not purport to summarize all risks that may be associated with purchasing or owning the Series 2024 Bonds, and prospective purchasers are advised to read this Limited Offering Memorandum in its entirety for a more complete description of investment considerations relating to the Series 2024 Bonds.

## **Concentration of Land Ownership**

As of the date hereof, the Landowner owns all of the assessable lands within the District, which are the lands that will be subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments securing the Series 2024 Bonds. Payment of the Series 2024 Special Assessments is primarily dependent upon their timely payment by the Landowner and the other future landowners in the District. Non-payment of the Series 2024 Special Assessments by any of the landowners could have a substantial adverse impact upon the District's ability to pay debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds. See "THE LANDOWNER" and "SECURITY FOR AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS" herein.

## **Bankruptcy and Related Risks**

In the event of the institution of bankruptcy or similar proceedings with respect to the Landowner or any other owner of benefited property, delays could occur in the payment of debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds, as such bankruptcy could negatively impact the ability of: (i) the Landowner and any other landowner to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments; (ii) the Tax Collector to sell tax certificates in relation to such property with respect to the Series 2024 Special Assessments being collected pursuant to the Uniform Method; and (iii) the District to foreclose the lien of the Series 2024 Special Assessments not being collected pursuant to the Uniform Method. In addition, the remedies available to the Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds under the Indenture are in many respects dependent upon judicial actions which are often subject to discretion and delay. Under existing constitutional and statutory law and judicial decisions, the remedies specified by federal, state and local law and in the Indenture and the Series 2024 Bonds, including, without limitation, enforcement of the obligation to pay Series 2024 Special Assessments and the ability of the District to foreclose the lien of the Series 2024 Special Assessments if not being collected pursuant to the Uniform Method, may not be readily available or may be limited. The various legal opinions to be delivered concurrently with the delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds (including Bond Counsel's approving opinion) will be qualified as to the enforceability of the various legal instruments by limitations imposed by bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency or other similar laws affecting the rights of creditors enacted before or after such delivery. The inability, either partially or fully, to enforce remedies available with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds could have a material adverse impact on the interest of the Owners thereof.

A 2011 bankruptcy court decision in Florida held that the governing body of a community development district, and not the bondholders or indenture trustee, was the creditor of the landowners/debtors in bankruptcy with respect to claims for special assessments, and thus only the district could vote to approve or disapprove a reorganization plan submitted by the debtors in the case. The district voted in favor of the plan. The governing body of the district was at that time elected by the landowners rather than qualified electors. Under the reorganization plan that was approved, a two-year moratorium was placed on the debtor landowners' payment of special assessments. As a result of this non-payment of assessments, debt service payments on the district's bonds were delayed for two years or longer. The Master Indenture provides for the delegation of certain rights from the District to the Trustee in the event of a bankruptcy or similar proceeding with respect to an "Insolvent Taxpayer" (as previously defined). See "SECURITY FOR AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS – Indenture Provisions Relating to Bankruptcy or Insolvency of a Landowner" herein. The District cannot express any view whether such delegation would be enforceable.

## **Series 2024 Special Assessments Are Non-Recourse**

The principal security for the payment of the principal and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds is the timely collection of the Series 2024 Special Assessments. The Series 2024 Special Assessments do not constitute a personal indebtedness of the landowners of the land subject thereto, but are secured by a lien on such land. There is no assurance that the Landowner or subsequent landowners will be able to pay the

Series 2024 Special Assessments or that they will pay such Series 2024 Special Assessments even though financially able to do so. Neither the Landowner nor any other subsequent landowners have any personal obligation to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments. Neither the Landowner nor any subsequent landowners are guarantors of payment of any Series 2024 Special Assessments, and the recourse for the failure of the Landowner or any subsequent landowner to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments is limited to the collection proceedings against the land subject to such unpaid Series 2024 Special Assessments, as described herein. Therefore the likelihood of collection of the Series 2024 Special Assessments may ultimately depend on the market value of the land subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments. While the ability of the Landowner or subsequent landowners to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments is a relevant factor, the willingness of the Landowner or subsequent landowners to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments, which may also be affected by the value of the land subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments, is also an important factor in the collection of Series 2024 Special Assessments. The failure of the Landowner or subsequent landowners to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments could render the District unable to collect delinquent Series 2024 Special Assessments and provided such delinquencies are significant, could negatively impact the ability of the District to make the full or punctual payment of debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds.

### **Regulatory and Environmental Risks**

The development of the District Lands is subject to comprehensive federal, state and local regulations and future changes to such regulations. Approval is required from various public agencies in connection with, among other things, the design, nature and extent of planned improvements, both public and private, and construction of the infrastructure in accordance with applicable zoning, land use and environmental regulations. Although all such approvals required to date have been received and any further approvals are anticipated to be received as needed, failure to obtain any such approvals in a timely manner could delay or adversely affect the completion of the development of the District Lands. See "THE DEVELOPMENT – Development Approvals" herein for more information.

The value of the land within the District, the success of the Development, the development of the District Lands and the likelihood of timely payment of principal and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds could be affected by environmental factors with respect to the land in the District. Should the land be contaminated by hazardous materials, this could materially and adversely affect the value of the land in the District, which could materially and adversely affect the success of the development of the lands within the District and the likelihood of the timely payment of the Series 2024 Bonds. The District has not performed, nor has the District requested that there be performed on its behalf, any independent assessment of the environmental conditions within the District. See "THE DEVELOPMENT – Environmental" for information on environmental site assessments obtained or received. Such information is being provided solely for informational purposes, and nothing herein or in such assessments grants any legal rights or remedies in favor of the Series 2024 Bondholders in the event any recognized environmental conditions are later found to be present on District Lands. Nevertheless, it is possible that hazardous environmental conditions could exist within the District or in the vicinity of the District and that such conditions could have a material and adverse impact upon the value of the benefited lands within the District. No assurance can be given that unknown hazardous materials, protected animals or vegetative species, etc., do not currently exist or may not develop in the future, whether originating within the District or from surrounding property, and what effect such may have on the development or sale of the lands in the District.

The value of the lands subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments could also be adversely impacted by flooding or wind damage caused by hurricanes, tropical storms, or other catastrophic events. In addition to potential damage or destruction to any existing development or construction in or near the District, such catastrophic events could potentially render the District Lands unable to support future development. The occurrence of any such events could materially adversely impact the District's ability to pay principal and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds. The Series 2024 Bonds are not insured, and the



District's casualty insurance policies do not insure against losses incurred on private lands within its boundaries.

### **Economic Conditions and Changes in Development Plans**

The successful development of the District Lands and the sale of residential units therein, once such homes are built, may be affected by unforeseen changes in general economic conditions, fluctuations in the real estate market and other factors beyond the control of the Landowner. Moreover, the Landowner has the right to modify or change plans for development of the Development from time to time, including, without limitation, land use changes, changes in the overall land and phasing plans, and changes to the type, mix, size and number of units to be developed, and may seek in the future, in accordance with and subject to the provisions of the Act, to contract or expand the boundaries of the District.

### **Other Taxes and Assessments**

The willingness and/or ability of an owner of benefited land to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments could be affected by the existence of other taxes and assessments imposed upon such property by the District, the County or any other local special purpose or general purpose governmental entities. County, school, special district taxes and special assessments, and voter-approved ad valorem taxes levied to pay principal of and interest on debt, including the Series 2024 Special Assessments, collected pursuant to the Uniform Method are payable at one time. Public entities whose boundaries overlap those of the District could, without the consent of the owners of the land within the District, impose additional taxes on the property within the District. The District anticipates imposing operation and maintenance assessments encumbering the same property encumbered by the Series 2024 Special Assessments. In addition, lands within the District may also be subject to assessments by property owners' and homeowners' associations. See "THE DEVELOPMENT – Taxes, Fees and Assessments" herein for additional information.

Under Florida law, a landowner may contest the assessed valuation determined for its property that forms the basis of ad-valorem taxes such landowner must pay. During this contest period, the sale of a tax certificate under the Uniform Method will be suspended. If the Series 2024 Special Assessments are being collected along with ad valorem taxes pursuant to the Uniform Method, tax certificates will not be sold with respect to such Series 2024 Special Assessment, even though the landowner is not contesting the amount of the Series 2024 Special Assessment. However, Section 194.014, Florida Statutes, requires taxpayers challenging the assessed value of their property to pay all non-ad valorem assessments and at least 75% of their ad valorem taxes before they become delinquent. Likewise, taxpayers who challenge the denial of an exemption or classification or a determination that their improvements were substantially complete must pay all non-ad valorem assessments and the amount of ad valorem taxes that they admit in good faith to be owing. If a taxpayer fails to pay property taxes as set forth above, the Value Adjustment Board considering the taxpayer's challenge is required to deny such petition by written decision by April 20 of such year.

### **Limited Secondary Market for Series 2024 Bonds**

The Series 2024 Bonds may not constitute a liquid investment, and there is no assurance that a liquid secondary market will exist for the Series 2024 Bonds in the event an Owner thereof determines to solicit purchasers for the Series 2024 Bonds. Even if a liquid secondary market exists, there can be no assurance as to the price for which the Series 2024 Bonds may be sold. Such price may be lower than that paid by the current Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds, depending on the progress of development of the Development and the lands within the District, existing real estate and financial market conditions and other factors.

## **Inadequacy of Reserve Account**

Some of the risk factors discussed herein, which, if materialized, would result in a delay in the collection of the Series 2024 Special Assessments, may not adversely affect the timely payment of debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds because of the Series 2024 Reserve Account. The ability of the Series 2024 Reserve Account to fund deficiencies caused by delinquencies in the payment of the Series 2024 Special Assessments is dependent on the amount, duration and frequency of such deficiencies. Moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account may be invested in certain obligations permitted under the Indenture. Fluctuations in interest rates and other market factors could affect the amount of moneys in such Series 2024 Reserve Account to make up deficiencies. If the District has difficulty in collecting the Series 2024 Special Assessments, the Series 2024 Reserve Account would be rapidly depleted and the ability of the District to pay debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds could be materially adversely affected. In addition, during an Event of Default under the Indenture, the Trustee may withdraw moneys from the Series 2024 Reserve Account and such other Funds, Accounts and subaccounts created under the Indenture to pay its extraordinary fees and expenses incurred in connection with such Event of Default. If in fact the Series 2024 Reserve Account is accessed for any purpose, the District does not have a designated revenue source for replenishing such account. Moreover, the District may not be permitted to re-assess real property then burdened by the Series 2024 Special Assessments in order to provide for the replenishment of the Series 2024 Reserve Account. See "SECURITY FOR AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS – Reserve Account" herein for more information about the Reserve Account.

## **Legal Delays**

If the District should commence a foreclosure action against a landowner for nonpayment of Series 2024 Special Assessments that are not being collected pursuant to the Uniform Method, such landowner and/or its mortgagee(s) may raise affirmative defenses to such foreclosure action. Although the District expects that such affirmative defenses would likely be proven to be without merit, they could result in delays in completing the foreclosure action. In addition, the District is required under the Indenture to fund the costs of such foreclosure. It is possible that the District will not have sufficient funds and will be compelled to request the Holders of the Series 2024 Bonds to allow funds on deposit under the Indenture to be used to pay the costs of the foreclosure action. Under the Code (as defined herein), there are limitations on the amounts of proceeds from the Series 2024 Bonds that can be used for such purpose.

## **IRS Examination and Audit Risk**

The Internal Revenue Service (the "IRS") routinely examines bonds issued by state and local governments, including bonds issued by community development districts. In 2016, the IRS concluded its lengthy examination of certain issues of bonds (for purposes of this subsection, the "Audited Bonds") issued by Village Center Community Development District (the "Village Center CDD"). During the course of the audit of the Audited Bonds, Village Center CDD received a ruling dated May 30, 2013, in the form of a non-precedential technical advice memorandum ("TAM") concluding that Village Center CDD is not a political subdivision for purposes of Section 103(a) of the Code because Village Center CDD was organized and operated to perpetuate private control and avoid indefinitely responsibility to an electorate, either directly or through another elected state or local government body. Such a conclusion could lead to the further conclusion that the interest on the Audited Bonds was not excludable from gross income of the owners of such bonds for federal income tax purposes. Village Center CDD received a second TAM dated June 17, 2015, which granted relief to Village Center CDD from retroactive application of the IRS's conclusion regarding its failure to qualify as a political subdivision. Prior to the conclusion of the audits, the Audited Bonds were all refunded with taxable bonds. The audit of the Audited Bonds that were issued for utility improvements were closed without change to the tax exempt status of those Audited Bonds on April 25, 2016, and the audit of the remainder of the Audited Bonds (which funded recreational amenity acquisitions from entities related to the principal landowner in the Village Center CDD) was closed on July

14, 2016, without the IRS making a final determination that the interest on the Audited Bonds in question was required to be included in gross income. However, the IRS letter to the Village Center CDD with respect to this second set of Audited Bonds noted that the IRS found that the Village Center CDD was not a "proper issuer of tax-exempt bonds" and that those Audited Bonds were private-activity bonds that did not fall in any of the categories that qualify for tax-exemption. Although the TAMs and the letters to the Village Center CDD from the IRS referred to above are addressed to, and binding only on, the IRS and Village Center CDD in connection with the Audited Bonds, they reflect the audit position of the IRS, and there can be no assurance that the IRS would not commence additional audits of bonds issued by other community development districts raising issues similar to the issues raised in the case of the Audited Bonds based on the analysis set forth in the first TAM or on the related concerns addressed in the July 14, 2016 letter to the Village Center CDD.

On February 23, 2016, the IRS published proposed regulations designed to provide prospective guidance with respect to potential private business control of issuers by providing a new definition of political subdivision for purposes of determining whether an entity is an appropriate issuer of bonds the interest on which is excluded from gross income for federal tax purposes. The proposed regulations required that a political subdivision (i) have the power to exercise at least one sovereign power, (ii) be formed and operated for a governmental purpose, and (iii) have a governing body controlled by or have significant uses of its funds or assets otherwise controlled by a government unit with all three sovereign powers or by an electorate that is not controlled by an unreasonably small number of unrelated electors. On October 4, 2017, the Treasury Department ("Treasury") announced that it would withdraw the proposed regulations, stating that, "while Treasury and the IRS continue to study the legal issues relating to political subdivisions, Treasury and the IRS currently believe that these proposed regulations should be withdrawn in their entirety, and plan to publish a withdrawal of the proposed regulations shortly in the Federal Register. Treasury and the IRS may propose more targeted guidance in the future after further study of the relevant legal issues." Notice of withdrawal of the proposed regulations was published in the Federal Register on October 20, 2017.

It has been reported that the IRS has closed audits of other community development districts in the State with no change to such districts' bonds' tax-exempt status, but has advised such districts that such districts must have public electors within the timeframe established by the applicable state law or their bonds may be determined to be taxable retroactive to the date of issuance. Pursuant to the Act, general elections are not held until the later of six years from the date of establishment of the community development district or the time at which there are at least 250 qualified electors in the district. The District, unlike Village Center CDD, was formed with the intent that it will contain a sufficient number of residents to allow for a transition to control by a general electorate. Currently, all of the members of the Board of the District were elected by the landowners and none were elected by qualified electors. The Landowner will certify as to its expectations as to the timing of the transition of control of the Board of the District to qualified electors pursuant to the Act. Such certification by the Landowner does not ensure that such certification shall be determinative of, or may influence the outcome of any audit by the IRS, or any appeal from such audit, that may result in an adverse ruling that the District is not a political subdivision for purposes of Section 103(a) of the Code. Further, there can be no assurance that an audit by the IRS of the Series 2024 Bonds will not be commenced. The District has no reason to believe that any such audit will be commenced, or that any such audit, if commenced, would result in a conclusion of noncompliance with any applicable State or federal law.

Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds are advised that, if the IRS does audit the Series 2024 Bonds, under its current procedures, at least during the early stages of an audit, the IRS will treat the District as the taxpayer, and the Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds may have limited rights to participate in those proceedings. The commencement of such an audit could adversely affect the market value and liquidity of the Series 2024 Bonds until the audit is concluded, regardless of the ultimate outcome. In addition, in the event of an adverse determination by the IRS with respect to the tax-exempt status of interest on the Series

2024 Bonds, it is unlikely the District will have available revenues to enable it to contest such determination or enter into a voluntary financial settlement with the IRS. Further, an adverse determination by the IRS with respect to the tax-exempt status of interest on the Series 2024 Bonds would adversely affect the availability of any secondary market for the Series 2024 Bonds. Should interest on the Series 2024 Bonds become includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes, not only will Owners of Series 2024 Bonds be required to pay income taxes on the interest received on such Series 2024 Bonds and related penalties, but because the interest rate on such Series 2024 Bonds will not be adequate to compensate Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds for the income taxes due on such interest, the value of the Series 2024 Bonds may decline.

THE INDENTURE DOES NOT PROVIDE FOR ANY ADJUSTMENT IN THE INTEREST RATES ON THE SERIES 2024 BONDS IN THE EVENT OF AN ADVERSE DETERMINATION BY THE IRS WITH RESPECT TO THE TAX-EXEMPT STATUS OF INTEREST ON THE SERIES 2024 BONDS. PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS SHOULD EVALUATE WHETHER THEY CAN OWN THE SERIES 2024 BONDS IN THE EVENT THAT THE INTEREST ON THE SERIES 2024 BONDS BECOMES TAXABLE AND/OR THE DISTRICT IS EVER DETERMINED TO NOT BE A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION FOR PURPOSES OF THE CODE AND/OR SECURITIES ACT (AS HEREINAFTER DEFINED).

### **Loss of Exemption from Securities Registration**

The Series 2024 Bonds have not been and will not be registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or any state securities laws, because of the exemption for securities issued by political subdivisions. It is possible that federal or state regulatory authorities could in the future determine that the District is not a political subdivision for purposes of federal and state securities laws, including without limitation as the result of a determination by the IRS, judicial or otherwise, of the District's status for purposes of the Code. In such event, the District and purchasers of Series 2024 Bonds may not be able to rely on the exemption from registration under the Securities Act relating to securities issued by political subdivisions. In that event, the Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds would need to ensure that subsequent transfers of the Series 2024 Bonds are made pursuant to a transaction that is not subject to the registration requirements of the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws.

### **Federal Tax Reform**

Various legislative proposals are mentioned from time to time by members of Congress of the United States of America and others concerning reform of the internal revenue (tax) laws of the United States. In addition, the IRS may, in the future, issue rulings that have the effect of challenging the interpretation of existing tax laws. Certain of these proposals and interpretations, if implemented or upheld, could have the effect of diminishing the value of obligations of states and their political subdivisions, such as the Series 2024 Bonds, by eliminating or changing the tax-exempt status of interest on such bonds. Whether any such proposals will ultimately become or be upheld as law, and if so, the effect such proposals could have upon the value of bonds such as the Series 2024 Bonds cannot be predicted. However, it is possible that any such law or interpretation could have a material and adverse effect upon the availability of a liquid secondary market and/or the value of the Series 2024 Bonds. Prospective purchasers of the Series 2024 Bonds should consult their tax advisors as to the impact of any proposed or pending legislation. See also "TAX MATTERS" herein.

### **State Tax Reform**

It is impossible to predict what new proposals may be presented regarding tax reform and/or community development districts during upcoming legislative sessions, whether such new proposals or any previous proposals regarding the same will be adopted by the Florida Senate and House of Representatives

and signed by the Governor, and, if adopted, the form thereof. On October 31, 2014, the Auditor General of the State released a 31-page report which requests legislative action to establish parameters on the amount of bonds a community development district may issue and provide additional oversight for community development district bonds. This report renewed requests made by the Auditor General in 2011 that led to the Governor of the State issuing an Executive Order on January 11, 2012 (the "Executive Order") directing the Office of Policy and Budget in the Executive Office of the Governor ("OPB") to examine the role of special districts in the State. As of the date hereof, the OPB has not made any recommendations pursuant to the Executive Order nor has the Florida legislature passed any related legislation. It is impossible to predict with certainty the impact that any existing or future legislation will or may have on the security for the Series 2024 Bonds. It should be noted that Section 190.016(14) of the Act provides in pertinent part that "The state pledges to the holders of any bonds issued under the Act that it will not limit or alter the rights of the district to levy and collect the ... assessments... and to fulfill the terms of any agreement made with the holders of such bonds ... and that it will not impair the rights or remedies of such holders."

### **Insufficient Resources or Other Factors Causing Failure to Complete Development**

The cost to finish the Series 2024 Project will exceed the net proceeds from the Series 2024 Bonds. There can be no assurance, in the event the District does not have sufficient moneys on hand to complete the Series 2024 Project, that the District will be able to raise, through the issuance of additional bonds or otherwise, the moneys necessary to complete the Series 2024 Project. Further, the Indenture sets forth certain limitations on the issuance of additional bonds. See "SECURITY FOR AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS – Limitation on Issuance of Additional Bonds" for more information.

Although the Landowner will agree to fund or cause to be funded the completion of the Master Improvements (as defined herein) within the Series 2024 Project regardless of the insufficiency of proceeds from the Series 2024 Bonds and will enter into a completion agreement with the District as evidence thereof, there can be no assurance that the Landowner will have sufficient resources to do so. Such obligation of the Landowner is an unsecured obligation, and the each of the entities constituting the Landowner is a special-purpose entity whose assets consist primarily of its interest in Master Development. See "THE LANDOWNER" herein for more information. The Parcel Improvements (as defined herein) are expected to be funded by the Builders (as defined herein); however, neither the Landowner nor the Builders will enter into a completion agreement to complete the Parcel Improvements. See "THE DEVELOPMENT – Landowner Agreements" herein for more information regarding the agreements to be entered into by the Landowner in connection with the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

There are no assurances that the Series 2024 Project and any other remaining development work associated with the District Lands will be completed or that the Builders will close on the permitted undeveloped parcels therein. Further, there is a possibility that, even if the District Lands are developed, there is no assurance that the Builders will construct or sell homes therein. The Builder Contracts may also be terminated by the Builders upon the occurrence or failure to occur of certain conditions set forth therein. See "THE DEVELOPMENT – The Builder Contracts and the Builders" herein for more information about the Builder Contracts and the Builders.

### **Pandemics and Other Public Health Emergencies**

The COVID-19 pandemic severely impacted global financial markets, unemployment levels and commerce generally. It is possible that, in the future, the spread of epidemic or pandemic diseases and/or government health and public safety restrictions imposed in response thereto could adversely impact the District, the Landowner, the timely and successful completion of the Development, the purchase of lands therein by the Builders and the construction and sale to purchasers of residential units therein. Such impacts could include delays in obtaining development approvals, construction delays, supply chain delays, or

increased costs. See also "Economic Conditions and Changes in Development Plans" and "Insufficient Resources or Other Factors Causing Failure to Complete Development" herein.

### **Cybersecurity**

The District relies on a technological environment to conduct its operations. The District, its agents and other third parties the District does business with or otherwise relies upon are subject to cyber threats including, but not limited to, hacking, viruses, malware and other attacks on computer and other sensitive digital networks and systems. Entities or individuals may attempt to gain unauthorized access to such parties' digital systems for the purposes of misappropriating assets or information or causing operational disruption and damage. No assurances can be given that any such attack(s) will not materially impact the operations or finances of the District, which could impact the timely payment of debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds.

### **Prepayment and Redemption Risk**

In addition to being subject to optional and mandatory sinking fund redemptions, the Series 2024 Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption, including, without limitation, as a result of prepayments of the Series 2024 Special Assessments by the Landowner or subsequent owners of the property within the District. Any such redemptions of the Series 2024 Bonds would be at the principal amount of such Series 2024 Bonds being redeemed plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. In such event, owners of the Series 2024 Bonds may not realize their anticipated rate of return on the Series 2024 Bonds and owners of any Premium Bonds (as defined herein) may receive less than the price they paid for the Series 2024 Bonds. See "DESCRIPTION OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS – Redemption Provisions," "– Purchase of Series 2024 Bonds" and "SECURITY FOR AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS – Prepayment of Series 2024 Special Assessments" herein for more information.

### **Payment of Series 2024 Special Assessments after Bank Foreclosure**

In the event a bank forecloses on property because of a default on a mortgage in favor of such bank on any of the assessable lands within the District, and then the bank itself fails, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (the "FDIC"), as receiver, will then become the fee owner of such property. In such event, the FDIC will not, pursuant to its own rules and regulations, likely be liable to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments levied on such property. In addition, the District would require the consent of the FDIC prior to commencing a foreclosure action.

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**ESTIMATED SOURCES AND USES OF SERIES 2024 BOND PROCEEDS**

Source of Funds

Aggregate Principal Amount of Series 2024 Bonds	\$ _____
[Less/Plus: Original Issue Discount/Premium]	_____
 Total Sources	 \$ _____

Use of Funds

Deposit to the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account	\$ _____
Deposit to Series 2024 Reserve Account	_____
Costs of Issuance, including Underwriter's Discount <sup>(1)</sup>	_____
 Total Uses	 \$ _____

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(1) Costs of issuance includes, without limitation, underwriter's discount, legal fees and other costs associated with the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

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## DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

The following table sets forth the scheduled debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds:

<u>Period Ending</u> <u>November 1</u>	<u>Principal</u> <u>(Amortization)</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total Debt Service</u>
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**TOTALS**

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## THE DISTRICT

### General Information

The District, which is the issuer of the Series 2024 Bonds, is a local unit of special purpose government of the State of Florida, created pursuant to the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Act"), and by Ordinance No. 23-18 of the Board of County Commissioners of the Pasco County, Florida, which became effective on May 25, 2023. The District currently encompasses approximately 591.886 acres of land and is located in an unincorporated area of the County. The District Lands are being developed as a portion of the residential community to be known as "Hillcrest Preserve." See "THE DEVELOPMENT" herein for more information.

### Legal Powers and Authority

The District is an independent unit of local government created pursuant to and established in accordance with the Act. The Act was enacted in 1980 to provide a uniform method for the establishment of independent districts to manage and finance basic community development services, including capital infrastructure required for community developments throughout the State of Florida. The Act provides legal authority for community development districts (such as the District) to finance the acquisition, construction, operation and maintenance of the major infrastructure for community development pursuant to its general law charter. The District is classified as an independent district under Chapter 189, Florida Statutes.

Among other provisions, the Act gives the District's Board of Supervisors the authority to, among other things: (a) plan, establish, acquire, construct or reconstruct, enlarge or extend, equip, operate and maintain systems and facilities for, among other things, (i) water management and control for lands within the District and to connect any of such facilities with roads and bridges, (ii) water supply, sewer and wastewater management, reclamation and reuse systems or any combination thereof and to construct and operate connecting intercept or outlet sewers and sewer mains and pipes and water mains, conduits, or pipelines in, along, and under any street, alley, highway, or other public place or ways, and to dispose of any effluent, residue, or other byproducts of such system or sewer system, (iii) District roads equal to or exceeding the specifications of the county in which such district roads are located and street lights, landscaping, hardscaping and undergrounding of electric utility lines, and (iv) with the consent of the local general-purpose government within the jurisdiction of which the power is to be exercised, parks and facilities for indoor and outdoor recreational uses and security; (b) borrow money and issue bonds of the District; (c) impose and foreclose special assessments liens as provided in the Act; and (d) exercise all other powers necessary, convenient, incidental or proper in connection with any of the powers or duties of the District stated in the Act.

The Act does not empower the District to adopt and enforce any land use plans or zoning ordinances and the Act does not empower the District to grant building permits; these functions are to be performed by general purpose local governments having jurisdiction over the lands within the District.

The Act exempts all property owned by the District from levy and sale by virtue of an execution and from judgment liens, but does not limit the right of any bondholders to pursue any remedy for enforcement of any lien or pledge of the District in connection with its bonds, including the Series 2024 Bonds.

### Board of Supervisors

The governing body of the District is its Board of Supervisors (the "Board"), which is composed of five Supervisors (the "Supervisors"). The Act provides that, at the initial meeting of the landowners, Supervisors must be elected by the landowners with the two Supervisors receiving the highest number of votes to serve for four years and the remaining Supervisors to serve for a two-year term. Three of the five

Supervisors are elected to the Board every two years in November. At such election, the two Supervisors receiving the highest number of votes are elected to four-year terms and the remaining Supervisor is elected to a two-year term. Ownership of the land within the District entitles the owner to one vote per acre (with fractions thereof rounded upward to the nearest whole number and, for purposes of determining voting interests, platted lots shall be counted individually and rounded up to the nearest whole acre and shall not be aggregated for determining the number of voting units held). Upon the later of six (6) years after the initial appointment of Supervisors or the year in which there are at least 250 qualified electors in the District, the Supervisors whose terms are expiring will be elected (as their terms expire) by qualified electors of the District, except as described below. A qualified elector is a registered voter who is at least eighteen years of age, a resident of the District and the State of Florida and a citizen of the United States. At the election where Supervisors are first elected by qualified electors, two Supervisors must be qualified electors and be elected by qualified electors, both to four-year terms. Thereafter, as terms expire, all Supervisors must be qualified electors and are elected to serve four-year terms. If there is a vacancy on the Board, whether as a result of the resignation or removal of a Supervisor or because no elector qualifies for a seat to be filled in an election, the remaining Board members are to fill such vacancy for the unexpired term.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, if at any time the Board proposes to exercise its ad valorem taxing power, prior to the exercise of such power, it shall call an election at which all Supervisors shall be qualified electors and shall be elected by qualified electors in the District. Elections subsequent to such decision shall be held in a manner such that the Supervisors will serve four-year terms with staggered expiration dates in the manner set forth in the Act.

The Act provides that it shall not be an impermissible conflict of interest under Florida law governing public officials for a Supervisor to be a stockholder, officer or employee of a landowner or of any entity affiliated with a landowner. The Landowner currently owns all of the assessable District Lands within the District.

The current members of the Board and the expiration of the term of each member are set forth below.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Carlos de la Ossa*	Chairperson	November 2028
Nicholas J. Dister*	Vice-Chairperson	November 2028
Ryan Motko*	Assistant Secretary	November 2026
Thomas Spence*	Assistant Secretary	November 2026
Michael Rainer*	Assistant Secretary	November 2026

\* Employee of, or affiliated with, the Landowner.

A majority of the members of the Board constitutes a quorum for the purposes of conducting its business and exercising its powers and for all other purposes. Action taken by the District shall be upon a vote of a majority of the members present unless general law or a rule of the District requires a greater number. All meetings of the Board are open to the public under Florida's open meeting or "Sunshine" law.

### **The District Manager and Other Consultants**

The chief administrative official of the District is the District Manager (as hereinafter defined). The Act provides that a district manager has charge and supervision of the works of the District and is responsible for preserving and maintaining any improvement or facility constructed or erected pursuant to the provisions of the Act, for maintaining and operating the equipment owned by the District, and for performing such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board.

The District has retained Inframark, LLC, a Texas limited liability company registered to do business in the State of Florida, to serve as its district manager ("District Manager"). The District Manager's office is located at 2005 Pan Am Circle, Suite #300, Tampa, Florida 33607, telephone number (813) 397-5121.

The Act further authorizes the Board to hire such employees and agents as it deems necessary. Thus, the District has employed the services of GrayRobinson, P.A., Tampa, Florida, as Bond and Disclosure Counsel; Stantec Consulting Services, Inc., Tampa, Florida, as District Engineer; and Straley Robin Vericker P.A., Tampa, Florida, as District Counsel. The Board has also retained the District Manager to serve as Methodology Consultant and Dissemination Agent for the Series 2024 Bonds.

**No Outstanding Bond Indebtedness**

The District has not previously issued any bonds or other similar debt obligations.

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## THE SERIES 2024 PROJECT

The Supplemental Engineer's Report for the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District dated May 20, 2024 (the "Supplemental Engineer's Report"), prepared by Stantec Consulting Services, Inc. (the "District Engineer"), sets forth certain public infrastructure improvements to be constructed in the District, including without limitation stormwater management system, roadways, water and sewer facilities and off-site improvements (collectively, the "Capital Improvement Plan" or the "Series 2024 Project").

The Series 2024 Bonds will finance a portion of the Series 2024 Project, which consists of public offsite and master infrastructure improvements (the "Master Improvements") and public parcel infrastructure improvements associated with development of Parcel A, Parcel B, Parcel C and the Townhome Parcel (collectively, the "Parcel Improvements"), in each case as further described in the Supplemental Engineer's Report. According to the District Engineer, the total cost associated with the Series 2024 Project is expected to be approximately \$54,470,294, as more particularly described below:

Infrastructure	Master Costs	Parcel A (212 Lots)	Parcel B (252 Lots)	Parcel C (262 Lots)	Parcel TH (76 Lots)	Total (802 Lots)
Collector Roads	\$ 2,750,000	--	--	--	--	\$ 2,750,000
District Subdivision Roads	--	\$1,346,544	\$1,815,000	\$ 1,850,000	--	5,011,544
Water Management and Control	8,245,000	3,026,250	3,341,250	2,311,000	--	16,923,750
Sewer and Wastewater	2,240,000	1,040,000	1,410,000	1,100,000	\$ 175,000	5,965,000
Water Supply	1,150,000	580,000	775,000	615,000	--	3,120,000
Underground of Electric Service	675,000	--	--	--	--	675,000
Hardscapes, Landscape and Entry	4,300,000	--	--	--	--	4,300,000
Offsite Utility Improvements	5,330,000	--	--	--	--	5,330,000
Amenity	5,000,000	--	--	--	--	5,000,000
Environmental	750,000	--	--	--	--	750,000
Professional/Permitting Fees	2,900,000	560,000	640,000	465,000	80,000	4,645,000
<i>Total:</i>	<b>\$33,340,000</b>	<b>\$6,552,794</b>	<b>\$7,981,250</b>	<b>\$6,341,250</b>	<b>\$255,000</b>	<b>\$54,470,294</b>

The Landowner is installing the Master Improvements and has entered into the Builder Contracts with the Builders, who are each expected to install the Parcel Infrastructure with respect to their specific parcels. Development of the Capital Improvement Plan is expected to commence in December 2024 and is expected to be completed by the first quarter of 2026. See "THE DEVELOPMENT" for more information on the status of development within the District Lands.

Net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds will be available in the approximate amount of \$17.21 million\* to be used by the District towards the funding and/or acquisition of a portion of the Series 2024 Project. The Landowner will enter into a completion agreement at closing on the Series 2024 Bonds that will obligate the Landowner to complete that portion of the Series 2024 Project consisting of Master Improvements. The Parcel Improvements will be constructed by the Builders, pursuant to the Builder Contracts. The Builders are not entering into completion agreements to complete the Parcel Improvements. See "THE DEVELOPMENT – The Builder Contracts and the Builders" and "BONDOWNERS' RISKS – Insufficient Resources or Other Factors Causing Failure to Complete Development" herein.

The District Engineer has indicated that all engineering permits necessary to construct the Series 2024 Project that are set forth in the Supplemental Engineer's Report have been obtained or will be obtained in the ordinary course of business. In addition to the Supplemental Engineer's Report, please refer to "THE DEVELOPMENT – Development Approvals" for a more detailed description of the entitlement and permitting status of the Development.

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\* Preliminary, subject to change.

See "APPENDIX A: SUPPLEMENTAL ENGINEER'S REPORT" for more information regarding the above improvements.

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## ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY AND THE ALLOCATION OF ASSESSMENTS

Inframark, LLC, a Texas limited liability company (the "Methodology Consultant"), has prepared the Master Assessment Methodology Report, dated August 14, 2023, as supplemented by the First Supplemental Assessment Methodology Report dated May 20, 2024 and included herein as APPENDIX E (collectively, the "Assessment Methodology"). The Assessment Methodology sets forth an overall method for allocating the Series 2024 Special Assessments to be levied against the lands within the District benefited by the Series 2024 Project and collected by the District as a result thereof. Once the final terms of the Series 2024 Bonds are determined, the Assessment Methodology will be revised to reflect such final terms. Once levied and imposed, the Series 2024 Special Assessments are a first lien on the land against which assessed until paid or barred by operation of law, co-equal with other taxes and assessments levied by the District, including the operation and maintenance assessments, and other units of government. See "ENFORCEMENT OF ASSESSMENT COLLECTIONS" herein.

As set forth in the Assessment Methodology, the Series 2024 Special Assessments are initially levied on the approximately 591.886 acres in the District, which are planned to contain 802 lots. As the District Lands are platted, the Series 2024 Special Assessments will be assigned to platted lots on a first platted, first assigned basis in accordance with the Assessment Methodology. To the extent parcels of land are sold prior to platting, the Series 2024 Special Assessments will be assigned to such unplatted parcels of land in accordance with the development plan associated therewith. See APPENDIX E hereto.

Upon full platting of the District Lands, the estimated Series 2024 Special Assessments levied to pay debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds, along with the estimated Series 2024 Bonds par amount allocated per unit, are expected to be as follows:

<b>Product</b>	<b>Planned Units</b>	<b>Annual Series 2024 Special Assessment*</b>	<b>Series 2024 Bonds Total Par Per Unit*</b>
Townhome 24'	52	\$840	\$12,346
Townhomes 28'	24	\$980	\$14,404
Single-Family 40'	257	\$1,400	\$20,577
Single-Family 50'	322	\$1,750	\$25,721
Single-Family 60'	<u>147</u>	\$2,100	\$30,865
<b>Total</b>	<b>802</b>		

\* Preliminary, subject to change. Series 2024 Special Assessments collected via the Uniform Method will be grossed up to account for fees of the Property Appraiser and Tax Collector and the statutory early payment discount. See "APPENDIX E: ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY" herein.

Each homeowner in the District will pay annual taxes, assessment and fees on an ongoing basis as a result of its ownership of property within the District, including local ad valorem property taxes, the operating and maintenance assessments to be levied by the District, and the homeowners' association assessments to be levied by the homeowners' association. The District anticipates levying assessments to cover its operation and maintenance costs, currently budgeted in the annual amounts of approximately \$600 per unit, which amount is subject to change. The land within the District has been and is expected to continue to be subject to taxes and assessments imposed by taxing authorities other than the District. The total ad valorem millage rate applicable to the District Lands for tax year 2024 was approximately 16.9431 mills. These taxes would be payable in addition to the Series 2024 Special Assessments and any other assessments levied by the District and other taxing authorities. In addition, exclusive of voter approved millages levied for general obligation bonds, as to which no limit applies, the County and the School District of Pasco County, Florida may each levy ad valorem taxes upon the land in the District. The District has no control over the level of ad valorem taxes and/or special assessments levied by other taxing authorities. It is possible that in future years taxes levied by these other entities could be substantially higher than in the

current year. See "BONDOWNERS' RISKS" and "THE DEVELOPMENT – Taxes, Fees and Assessments" for more information, including proposed associations' assessments.

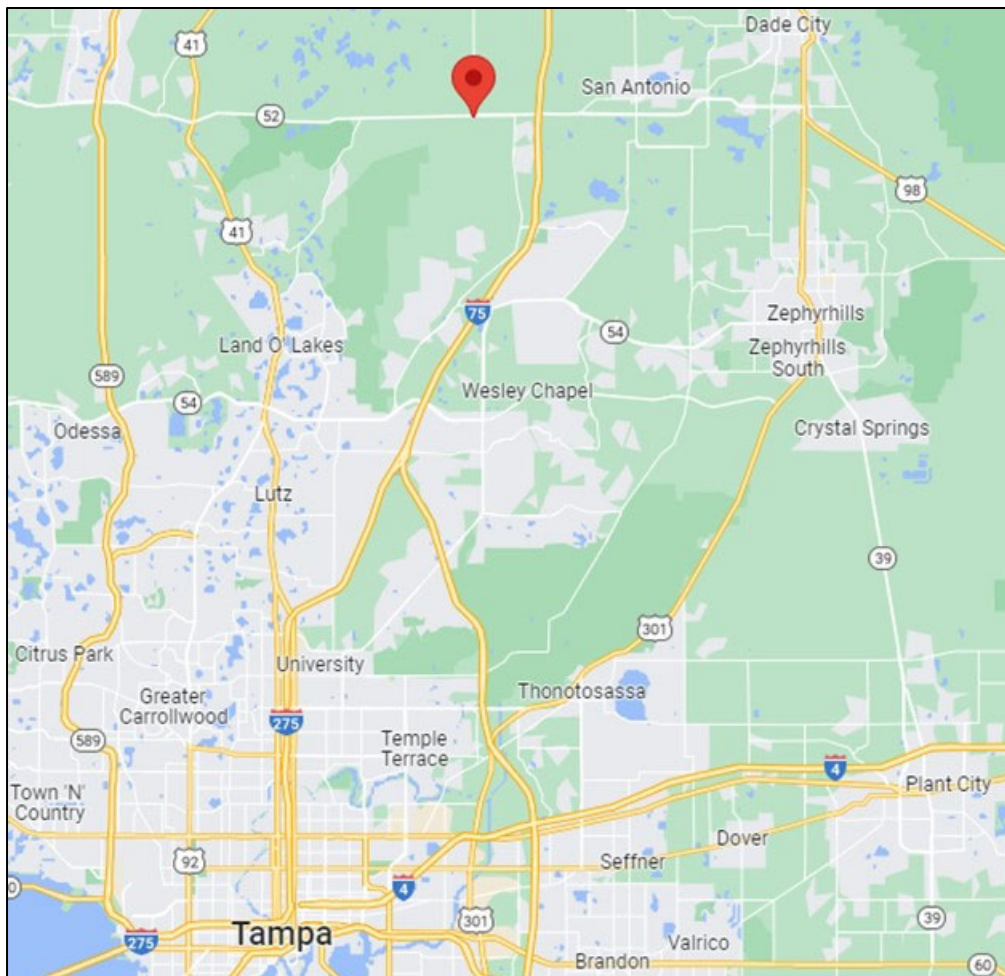
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*The information appearing below under the captions "THE DEVELOPMENT" and "THE LANDOWNER" has been furnished by the Landowner for inclusion in this Limited Offering Memorandum and, although believed to be reliable, such information has not been independently verified by Bond Counsel, Disclosure Counsel, the District or its counsel, or the Underwriter or its counsel, and no persons other than the Landowner make any representation or warranty as to the accuracy or completeness of such information supplied by them. The following information is provided by the Landowner as a means for the prospective bondholders to understand the anticipated development plan and risks associated with the Development. The Landowner is not guaranteeing payment of the Series 2024 Bonds or the Series 2024 Special Assessments.*

## THE DEVELOPMENT

### General

The District Lands encompass approximately 591.886 gross acres located within unincorporated Pasco County (the "County") and are being developed as a portion of the residential community to be known as "Hillcrest Preserve" (the "Master Development"). At buildout, the Master Development is planned to contain approximately 1,140 residential units, together with various amenities. The Master Development is bordered on the west by Bellamy Brothers Boulevard and on the south by State Road 52. The Master Development is approximately two miles west of Interstate-75, a main transportation artery that provides access to Downtown Tampa, located approximately 30 miles to the south. Set forth below is a map showing the location of the Master Development.





Two community development districts, West Hillcrest Community Development District ("West Hillcrest CDD") and the District, have been formed to finance and manage the infrastructure for the Master Development. The portion of the Master Development located within the District boundaries is referred to herein as the "Development." The Development is planned to contain 802 residential units, consisting of 726 single-family homes and 76 townhomes. The West Hillcrest CDD is planned to contain 338 single-family homes. See " – Update on West Hillcrest CDD" herein for more information regarding the development status of West Hillcrest CDD.

The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued to finance a portion of the District's Capital Improvement Plan. The Series 2024 Bonds will be secured by the Series 2024 Special Assessments, which will initially be levied on the approximately 591.886 gross acres in the District. As lots are platted, the Series 2024 Special Assessments will be assigned to the 802 lots planned for the Development on a first platted, first assigned basis as set forth in the Assessment Methodology. To the extent a parcel of land is sold prior to platting, such parcel of land will be assigned Series 2024 Special Assessments based on the development plan associated with such parcel, as set forth in the Assessment Methodology. See "APPENDIX E: ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY" herein for more information.

EPG West Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, and its wholly owned subsidiary EPG Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company (collectively, the "Landowner"), is the owner of all of the assessable land within the District and is installing the Master Improvements associated with the Development. See "THE LANDOWNER" herein. The funding and installation of the Parcel Improvements for the Development will be the responsibility of the Builders (as defined herein).

The Landowner has entered into contracts with homebuilders for the sale of 726 of the 802 lots planned within the Development, as follows: (i) a contract with Taylor Morrison (as defined herein) to acquire undeveloped, permitted land planned for 213 single-family lots in a single bulk takedown planned to close in the fourth quarter of 2024, following the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds; (ii) a contract with Lennar Homes (as defined herein) to acquire undeveloped, permitted land planned for 262 single-family lots in a single bulk takedown planned to close in the fourth quarter of 2024; and (iii) a contract with Perry Homes (as defined herein) to acquire undeveloped, permitted land planned for 251 single-family lots in a single bulk takedown planned to close in the fourth quarter of 2024 (collectively, the "Builder Contracts"). The Landowner expects to enter into a contract for the remaining 76 townhome lots planned for the Development in the future. See "–The Builder Contracts and The Builders" herein for more information.

At buildout, the Development is expected to contain 802 residential units, consisting of (i) 76 townhome lots, (ii) 257 single-family detached units on forty-foot wide lots, (iii) 322 single-family detached units on fifty-foot wide lots, and (iv) 147 single-family detached units on sixty-foot wide lots. Townhomes will range in size from approximately 1,400 square feet to 2,100 square feet and starting price points will range from approximately \$320,000 to \$400,000. Single-family homes will range in size from approximately 1,267 square feet to 3,890 square feet and starting price points will range from approximately \$420,000 to \$804,000. The Development will target first-time homebuyers and move-up buyers. See "–Residential Product Offerings" herein for more information.

### **Update on West Hillcrest CDD**

On July 27, 2023, the West Hillcrest CDD issued bonds to finance a portion of the public infrastructure associated with the 338 single-family lots planned within the boundaries of the West Hillcrest CDD. As of November 2024, land development is underway. Home sales and construction are expected to commence in the fourth quarter of 2024. A plat for the first phase of West Hillcrest CDD has been recorded, with the second phase expected to be platted in December 2024. Lennar Homes is the sole land developer and homebuilder for the West Hillcrest CDD.

## **Land Acquisition and Finance Plan**

The Landowner acquired the District Lands in two transactions in May 2022 and May 2023 for an aggregate purchase price of approximately \$17,625,000, which was funded in part with proceeds of the Loan (as defined herein).

The District Lands owned by the Landowner are subject to a mortgage securing a drawdown loan from DRP FL 1, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Lender") to the Landowner and certain affiliates, having a maximum principal amount of \$24,000,000 (the "Loan"), of which \$16,500,000 is allowed to be drawn with respect to the Development. The remainder of the Loan is intended to fund property in one other community being developed by affiliates of the Landowner. As of November 19, 2024, \$24,000,000 in principal was outstanding under the Loan, of which \$16,096,846 relates to the Development. Principal drawn under the Loan bears interest at a rate equal to the lesser of (a) 17% per annum and (b) the greater of 13% per annum and the Term SOFR plus 11% per annum and has a final maturity of January 31, 2025. The Loan provides for minimum lot release prices ranging from \$25,000 to \$55,000, based on lot size. The Landowner expects that the Loan will be repaid in full from the net proceeds of closings with homebuilders in the Development, which are expected to occur in December 2024, following issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

The Landowner anticipates the total land development costs associated with the Development to be approximately \$54.47 million which consists of (i) master infrastructure improvements in the approximate amount of \$23.325 million which will be funded by the Landowner and (ii) parcel specific infrastructure improvements in the approximate amount of \$29.755 million which will be funded by the Builders. Net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds in the approximate amount of \$17.21 million\* will be available to the District for funding and/or acquisition of a portion of the Master Improvements associated with the Series 2024 Project. The Landowner will enter into a completion agreement at closing on the Series 2024 Bonds that will obligate the Landowner to complete the Master Improvements. The Parcel Improvements are expected to be funded by each Builder with respect to its specific parcel; however, neither the Landowner nor the Builders will enter into a completion agreement to complete the Parcel Improvements. See "BONDOWNERS' RISKS – Insufficient Resources or Other Factors Causing Failure to Complete Development" herein.

## **Development Plan and Status**

The Landowner is installing the Master Improvements and has entered into the Builder Contracts with the Builders to acquire Parcels A, B and C. The respective inspection periods for the Builders have expired, and the Builders are expected to close under the respective Builder Contracts shortly after the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds. The Builders will install the Parcel Infrastructure for their respective parcels.

Development of the Capital Improvement Plan is planned to commence in December 2024, following closing on undeveloped parcels of land with the Builders, and is expected to be completed by the first quarter of 2026. All 802 lots planned for the Development are expected to be platted by the fourth quarter of 2025. Sales and vertical construction are expected to commence by March 2026.

The Landowner anticipates that the Builders will close approximately 200 homes with end users per annum commencing in the second quarter of 2026 until buildout. This anticipated absorption is based upon estimates and assumptions made by the Landowner that are inherently uncertain, though considered reasonable by the Landowner, and are subject to significant business, economic, and competitive uncertainties and contingencies, all of which are difficult to predict and many of which are beyond the

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\* Preliminary, subject to change.

control of the Landowner. As a result, there can be no assurance such absorption rate will occur or be realized in the time frame anticipated.

### **The Builder Contracts and the Builders**

The Landowner has entered into contracts with homebuilders for the sale of 726 of the 802 lots planned within the Development, as follows: (i) a contract with Taylor Morrison (as defined herein) to acquire undeveloped, permitted land planned for 213 single-family lots in a single bulk takedown planned to close in the fourth quarter of 2024; (ii) a contract with Lennar Homes (as defined herein) to acquire undeveloped, permitted land planned for 262 single-family lots in a single bulk takedown planned to close in the fourth quarter of 2024; and (iii) a contract with Perry Homes (as defined herein) to acquire undeveloped, permitted land planned for 251 single-family lots in a single bulk takedown planned to close in the fourth quarter of 2024 (collectively, the "Builder Contracts"). The respective inspection periods under each of the Builder Contracts have expired, and the deposits under each of the Builder Contracts are nonrefundable to the Builders. The Landowner expects to enter into a contract for the remaining 76 townhome lots planned for the Development in the future. The total expected net consideration from the 802 lots planned for the Development (after estimated development credits given to the Builders under the Builder Contracts) is approximately \$75.4 million (exclusive of any additional consideration to be paid upon the Builders' closings on homes with homebuyers). More information regarding each of the Builder Contracts is set forth below.

#### **Taylor Morrison**

The Landowner has entered into an Agreement for the Purchase and Sale of Real Property, dated June 18, 2024, as amended (the "Taylor Morrison Contract") with Taylor Morrison of Florida, Inc. a Florida corporation ("Taylor Morrison"), to purchase undeveloped permitted land planned for approximately two hundred twelve (112) lots within Parcel A of the Development in a single bulk purchase. The Taylor Morrison Contract provides for a purchase price of \$2,750 per front foot for each planned lot acquired thereunder, for an aggregate base purchase price (based on current development plans) of \$28,875,000, less a development credit of approximately \$6,615,896 for a net purchase price of \$22,259,106. The Taylor Morrison Contract also provides for the payment of additional consideration upon the closing of homes with end users, calculated using a formula set forth in the Taylor Morrison Contract.

Pursuant to the Taylor Morrison Contract, closing thereunder shall occur on or before the fifteenth day after (a) the Landowner provides notice that the conditions precedent to closing have been satisfied or (b) a waiver of such conditions by Taylor Morrison. The Landowner anticipates that the closing will occur in the fourth quarter of 2024, following the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

Pursuant to the terms of the Taylor Morrison Contract, Taylor Morrison has made a total deposit of \$4,331,250, which deposit is nonrefundable to Taylor Morrison (except upon the failure of certain conditions precedent as set forth in the Taylor Morrison Contract) and has been released to the Landowner upon satisfaction of certain conditions, including the recording of a mortgage in favor of Taylor Morrison. Notwithstanding the foregoing, there is a risk that Taylor Morrison may not close on the undeveloped parcels pursuant to the Taylor Morrison Contract or may fail to complete development of such parcel or to construct homes on developed lots. See "BONDOWNERS' RISKS – Insufficient Resources or Other Factors Causing Failure to Complete Development" herein.

The ultimate parent of Taylor Morrison is Taylor Morrison Home Corp. ("Taylor Morrison Home Corp."). Taylor Morrison's principal business is residential homebuilding throughout the United States, with operations focused in Arizona, California, Colorado, Florida and Texas. Taylor Morrison Home Corp.'s common shares trade on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol THMC. Taylor Morrison Home Corp. is subject to the informational requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission Act

of 1934, as amended, and in accordance therewith files reports, proxy statements, and other information with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). The file number for Taylor Morrison Home Corp. is No. 0001-562476. Such reports, proxy statements, and other information are available at the SEC's internet website at <http://www.sec.gov>. All documents subsequently filed by Taylor Morrison Home Corp. pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission Act of 1934 after the date of this Limited Offering Memorandum will be available for inspection in the same manner as described above.

### **Lennar Homes**

The Landowner has entered into an Agreement for the Purchase and Sale of Real Property, dated July 17, 2024, as amended (the "Lennar Homes Contract") with Lennar Homes, LLC, a Florida limited liability company ("Lennar Homes"), to purchase undeveloped permitted land planned for approximately two hundred sixty-two (262) lots within Parcel C of the Development in a single bulk purchase. The Lennar Homes Contract provides for a purchase price of \$110,000 for each 40' lot approved, \$137,500 for each 50' lot approved and \$165,000 for each 60' lot approved, for an aggregate base purchase price (based on current development plans) of \$33,467,500, less a development credit of approximately \$6,819,489, for a net purchase price of \$26,648,012. The Lennar Homes Contract also provides for the payment of additional consideration upon the closing of homes with end users, calculated using a formula set forth in the Lennar Homes Contract.

Pursuant to the Lennar Homes Contract, closing thereunder shall occur on or before the fifteenth day following Lennar Homes' receipt of the approval notice. The Landowner anticipates that the closing will occur in the fourth quarter of 2024, following the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

Pursuant to the terms of the Lennar Homes Contract, Lennar Homes has made a total deposit of \$5,020,125, which is nonrefundable to Lennar Homes (except upon the failure of certain conditions precedent as set forth in the Lennar Homes Contract) and which may be released to the Landowner upon satisfaction of certain conditions, including the recording of a mortgage in favor of Lennar Homes. Notwithstanding the foregoing, there is a risk that Lennar Homes may not close on the undeveloped parcels pursuant to the Lennar Homes Contract or may fail to complete development of such parcel or to construct homes on developed lots. See "BONDOWNERS' RISKS – Insufficient Resources or Other Factors Causing Failure to Complete Development" herein.

Lennar Homes was formed on November 30, 2006 and is wholly owned by Lennar Corporation ("Lennar Corp."). Lennar Corp. stock trades on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol LEN. Lennar Corp. is subject to the informational requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission Act of 1934, as amended, and in accordance therewith files reports, proxy statements, and other information with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). The file number for Lennar Corp. is No-1-11749. Such reports, proxy statements, and other information are available at the SEC's internet website at <http://www.sec.gov>. All documents subsequently filed by Lennar Corp. pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission Act of 1934 after the date of this Limited Offering Memorandum will be available for inspection in the same manner as described above.

### **Perry Homes**

The Landowner has entered into an Agreement for the Purchase and Sale of Real Property, dated July 25, 2024 (the "Perry Homes Contract") with PHFL Land Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company ("Perry Homes"), to purchase undeveloped permitted land planned for approximately two hundred fifty-two (252) lots within Parcel B of the Development in a single bulk purchase. The Perry Homes Contract provides for a purchase price of \$2,750 per front foot for each planned lot acquired thereunder, for an aggregate base purchase price (based on current development plans) of \$34,457,500, less a development credit of approximately \$7,975,662, for a net purchase price of \$26,481,839. The Perry Homes

Contract also provides for the payment of additional consideration upon the closing of homes with end users, calculated using a formula set forth in the Perry Homes Contract.

Pursuant to the Perry Homes Contract, closing thereunder shall occur on or before the fifteenth day after (a) the Landowner provides notice that the conditions precedent to closing have been satisfied or (b) a waiver of such conditions by Perry Homes. The Landowner anticipates that the closing will occur in the fourth quarter of 2024, following the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

Pursuant to the terms of the Perry Homes Contract, Perry Homes has made a deposit of \$5,168,625, which is nonrefundable to Perry Homes (except upon the failure of certain conditions precedent as set forth in the Perry Homes Contract) and may be released to the Landowner upon satisfaction of certain conditions, including the recording of a mortgage in favor of Perry Homes. Notwithstanding the foregoing, there is a risk that Perry Homes may not close on the undeveloped parcels pursuant to the Perry Homes Contract or may fail to complete development of such parcel or to construct homes on developed lots. See "BONDOWNERS' RISKS – Insufficient Resources or Other Factors Causing Failure to Complete Development" herein.

Perry Homes is a Florida limited liability company organized in January 2024, with a corporate office in Houston, Texas. According to its website, Perry Homes' parent company has been building luxury homes across Texas since 1967, serving the Austin, Dallas-Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio markets, and has built 65,000 homes in over 90 communities. Since announcing its expansion into Florida in 2024, Perry Homes has publicized plans to build in several communities throughout the Central Florida region.

*None of the Builders nor any of the other entities listed above is guaranteeing payment of the Series 2024 Bonds or the Series 2024 Special Assessments. None of the entities listed above has guaranteed or assumed any of the Landowner's obligations incurred in connection with the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.*

### **Residential Product Offerings**

The target customers for units within the Development are first-time homebuyers and move-up buyers. Below is a summary of the expected types of units and starting price points for units in the Development.

<b>Product Type</b>	<b>Square Footage</b>	<b>Beds/Baths</b>	<b>Starting Price Points</b>
Townhomes	1,400 – 2,100	3 / 2	\$320,000
Single-Family 40'	1,790 – 3,890	3 – 5 / 2 – 4.5	\$420,000
Single-Family 50'	2,055 – 3,629	3 – 5 / 2 – 4	\$570,000
Single-Family 60'	2,721 – 3,835	4 – 5 / 3.5 – 4.5	\$709,000

### **Development Approvals**

The land within the District, including, without limitation, the land therein subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments, is zoned MPUD to allow for the contemplated residential uses described herein. The MPUD zoning approval, which also includes lands outside the Development, requires certain site-access improvements, including the construction of east- and west-bound turn lanes along S.R. 52 and access points along Bellamy Brothers Boulevard, as well as the construction of collector roads to serve development within the MPUD. The Development's portion of the MPUD improvements includes construction of the four turn lanes along S.R. 52, one access point along Bellamy Brothers Boulevard and two collector roads, which are included within the Series 2024 Project. All permits have been received by jurisdictional agencies to allow for the development contemplated herein or are reasonably expected to be

received in the ordinary course. See "BONDOWNERS' RISK – Regulatory and Environmental Risks" herein.

**Environmental**

Two Phase I Environmental Site Assessments were performed for the Landowner in August 2020, and January 2021 (collectively, the "ESA"), covering the District Lands. The ESA revealed no Recognized Environmental Conditions in connection with the District Lands. See "BONDOWNERS' RISK – Regulatory and Environmental Risks" herein for more information regarding potential environmental risks.

**Utilities**

Potable water, wastewater treatment and reclaimed wastewater (reuse services) for the Development are expected to be provided by the County. Electric power is expected to be provided by Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative. All utility services are available to the Development.

**Taxes, Fees and Assessments**

As set forth in the Assessment Methodology, the Series 2024 Special Assessments are initially levied on the approximately 591.886 acres in the District, which are planned to contain 802 lots. As the District Lands are platted, the Series 2024 Special Assessments will be assigned to platted lots on a first platted, first assigned basis in accordance with the Assessment Methodology. To the extent parcels of land are sold prior to platting, the Series 2024 Special Assessments will be assigned to unplatted parcels of land in accordance with the development plan associated therewith. See "ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY AND THE ALLOCATION OF ASSESSMENTS" herein.

Upon full platting of the District Lands, the estimated Series 2024 Special Assessments levied to pay debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds, along with the estimated Series 2024 Bonds par amount allocated per unit, are expected to be as follows:

<b>Product</b>	<b>Planned Units</b>	<b>Annual Series 2024 Special Assessment*</b>	<b>Series 2024 Bonds Total Par Per Unit*</b>
Townhome 24'	52	\$840	\$12,346
Townhomes 28'	24	\$980	\$14,404
Single-Family 40'	257	\$1,400	\$20,577
Single-Family 50'	322	\$1,750	\$25,721
Single-Family 60'	<u>147</u>	\$2,100	\$30,865
<b>Total</b>	<b>802</b>		

\* Preliminary, subject to change. Series 2024 Special Assessments collected via the Uniform Method will be grossed up to account for fees of the Property Appraiser and Tax Collector and the statutory early payment discount. See "APPENDIX E: ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY" herein.

The District anticipates levying assessments to cover its operation and maintenance costs that will initially be approximately \$600 per unit annually, which amount is subject to change. In addition, residents will be required to pay homeowners' association fees, which are initially expected to be \$250 per unit quarterly, which is subject to change. The land within the District has been and is expected to continue to be subject to taxes and assessments imposed by taxing authorities other than the District. In the 2024 tax year, the total millage rate imposed on taxable properties in the District was 16.9431 mills. These taxes would be payable in addition to the Series 2024 Special Assessments and any other assessments levied by the District. In addition, exclusive of voter approved millages levied for general obligation bonds, as to which no limit applies, the County and the School District of Pasco County, Florida may each levy ad

valorem taxes upon the land in the District. The District has no control over the level of ad valorem taxes and/or special assessments levied by other taxing authorities. It is possible that in future years taxes levied by these other entities could be substantially higher than in the current year.

### **Amenities**

The District is planned to include an approximately 4.4-acre recreation center that consists of an approximately 2,200 square-foot clubhouse with restroom facilities, outdoor kitchen, resort style pool, playground and sports courts (collectively, the "Amenities"). Construction of the Amenities is expected to commence in the second quarter of 2026 and be completed in the second quarter of 2027, with an estimated cost of approximately \$5 million. The Amenities will be and operated by the District.

### **Education**

The public schools for children residing in the Development are expected to be Quail Hollow Elementary School, Cypress Creek Middle School and Cypress Creek High School, which are located approximately 8 miles, 4 miles, and 5 miles from the Development, respectively, and which were rated C, B and B, respectively, by the Florida Department of Education in 2024. The Pasco County School Board may change school boundaries from time to time and there is no requirement that students residing in the Development be permitted to attend the schools which are closest to the Development.

### **Competition**

The following communities have been identified by the Landowner as being competitive with the Development, because of their proximity to the Development, price ranges and product types. Those communities include Mirada, Connerton, Epperson Ranch, and Summerstone. The foregoing does not purport to summarize all of the existing or planned communities in the area of the Development.

### **Landowner Agreements**

The Landowner will enter into a completion agreement that will obligate the Landowner to complete any portions of the Series 2024 Project associated with Master Improvements not funded with proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds. The Parcel Improvements are expected to be funded by each Builder with respect to its specific parcel; however, neither the Landowner nor the Builders will enter into a completion agreement to complete the Parcel Improvements.

In addition, the Landowner will execute and deliver to the District a Collateral Assignment and Assumption of Development Rights (the "Collateral Assignment"), pursuant to which the Landowner will collaterally assign to the District, to the extent assignable and to the extent that they are solely owned or controlled by the Landowner, development rights relating to the Series 2024 Project. That said, any mortgagees, including the Lender and the Builders, may have certain development rights and other rights assigned to it under the terms of their mortgage or Builder Contract relating to the Development, which may be superior to such rights that might otherwise be assigned to the District under the terms of the Collateral Assignment. Notwithstanding such Collateral Assignment, in the event the District forecloses on the lands subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments as a result of the Landowner's or subsequent landowners' failure to pay such assessments, there is a risk that the District, or its designee, if any, will not have all of the permits and entitlements necessary to complete the Series 2024 Project or the development of the District Lands.

Finally, the Landowner will also enter into a True-Up Agreement in connection with its obligations to pay true-up payments in the event that debt levels remaining on unplatted lands in the District increase above the maximum debt levels set forth in the Assessment Methodology. See "APPENDIX E:

ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY" herein for additional information regarding the "true-up mechanism." Such obligations of the Landowner are unsecured obligations, and each of the entities constituting the Landowner is a special-purpose entity whose assets consist primarily of its interests in the Master Development. See "BONDOWNERS' RISKS – Insufficient Resources or Other Factors Causing Failure to Complete Development" and "THE LANDOWNER" herein for more information regarding the Landowner.

## THE LANDOWNER

EPG West Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company ("EPG West Hillcrest"), and its wholly owned subsidiary EPG Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company ("EPG Hillcrest" and, collectively, the "Landowner"), owns all of the assessable land within the District. EPG West Hillcrest and EPG Hillcrest were each formed on December 13, 2021. The sole member of EPG Hillcrest is EPG West Hillcrest, and the sole member of EPG West Hillcrest is EPG Investment Co, LLC, a Florida limited liability company ("EPG Investment"). Eisenhower Management, Inc., a Florida corporation ("Eisenhower Management") serves as manager of EPG Hillcrest, EPG West Hillcrest and EPG Investment. The president of Eisenhower Management is Jeffery S. Hills, who also serves as the CEO of Eisenhower Property Group.

Eisenhower Property Group, headquartered in Tampa, Florida, is a multi-faceted real estate investment and development company that, through its affiliates, acquires, oversees, and manages the development of mixed-use projects with a heavy focus on residential development. Founded in 2004, Eisenhower Property Group is now one of Florida's largest development firms, having successfully delivered over 20 communities, with approximately 23,000 lots currently under design and development. Eisenhower Property Group employees have decades of experience in finance, civil engineering, development, construction, and HOA management. Biographies of Mr. Hills and other key personnel in Eisenhower Property Group are set forth below.

Jeffery S. Hills is the CEO of Eisenhower Property Group. He is a former civil engineer and a licensed Professional Engineer in the State of Florida. He has been involved in the land development business for 28 years, including 14 years as a civil engineer for Heidt & Associates, Burcaw & Associates and the owner of Hills & Associates. While an engineer, Mr. Hills designed and managed a large number of master planned developments and communities within the Tampa Bay region, including Tampa Palms, Harbour Green, Meadow Pointe, Oak Creek, Harbor Island, Rocky Pointe, and portions of Bloomingdale and Westchase.

Upon entering the development business in 2003, Mr. Hills managed the design, permitting and development of a number of projects in the Riverview and Ruskin areas of southern Hillsborough County including Shady Creek (a 147-unit single-family home residential development), Spencer Creek (a 400-unit single-family home residential development), Tanglewood Preserve (a 320-unit single-family home residential development), Mixon (a 330-unit single-family home residential development), Riverview Meadows (a 188-unit single-family home residential development), Shady Creek Preserve (a 386-unit single-family home residential development), South Fork (a 1,050 unit single-family home residential development and community park), Fern Hill (a 380-unit single-family residential development with amenities), Ventana (a 797-unit single-family residential community with enhanced amenities), Carriage Pointe (a 431-unit single-family home residential development), Carlton Lakes (a 772-unit single-family residential community with enhanced amenities), Timber Creek (a 380-unit single-family residential community), Brookside Manor (a 480-unit single-family residential community), Shell Cove (a 662-unit single-family residential community with enhanced amenities), Creek Preserve (a 674-unit single-family residential community), North Park Isle (a 978-unit single-family residential community with enhanced amenities), Park East (a 570-unit single-family residential community with amenities), Berry Bay (a 1047-unit single-family residential community with enhanced amenities), and Two Rivers (a 6,000-unit single



and multi-family residential community with enhanced amenities across several campuses). In addition to these projects, his company is also in the planning and design stage on an additional 8,000–10,000 units located in Hillsborough, Pasco, Manatee and Duval counties.

Mr. Hills is a 1993 graduate of Auburn University with a degree in Civil Engineering and a 1998 graduate of the University of South Florida with a Masters of Business Administration.

Nick Dister. Mr. Dister joined Eisenhower Property Group in Spring of 2017 as Vice President and is responsible for the identification, acquisition, finance, development, and sale of land and finished lots to homebuilders. He has over 18 years of experience in public accounting, homebuilding, and land development. Prior to joining, he coordinated the entitlement, acquisition, and development of over 2,400 residential lots in the Tampa Bay area as both an entrepreneur and in land acquisition and development positions with KB Home and MDC Holdings. Mr. Dister started his career at Ernst & Young in the assurance and advisory practice. Mr. Dister is a graduate of the University of Florida, where he attended the honors program and earned a bachelor's degree in accounting, as well as a Master of Accounting with a concentration in taxation. He is a licensed Certified Public Accountant in the state of Florida.

Todd Sakow. Mr. Sakow joined Eisenhower Property Group in the Summer of 2022 as Vice President of Capital Markets and responsible for managing the financing and capital allocation of the company. He previously held several roles with Carter Validus Mission Critical REIT & Carter Validus Mission Critical REIT II, including Chief Operating Officer and Chief Financial Officer. Mr. Sakow comes to Eisenhower Property Group with over 23 years of experience specializing in finance and operations for large publicly held Real Estate Investment Trusts. Mr. Sakow is a graduate of the University of Florida where he earned a bachelor's degree, with high honors in accounting, as well as a Master of Accounting with a concentration in taxation. He is a licensed Certified Public Accountant in the state of Florida.

Ryan Motko, P.E. Mr. Motko is a Senior Vice President at Eisenhower Property Group with 18 years of Civil Engineering experience. Mr. Motko is responsible for directing and securing entitlements and oversees all land development activities from acquisition through construction. He has managed the development of over 5,000 single-family lots in his 14 years at Eisenhower Property Group. Mr. Motko is well versed in development budgeting and serves as an officer on multiple community development district boards. Mr. Motko is a graduate of University of Central Florida in Orlando, Florida where he earned his BS degree in Civil Engineering.

Clark Lohmiller. Mr. Lohmiller joined Eisenhower Property Group in the spring of 2021 as Vice President of Land Planning and is responsible for the identification, land planning, entitling, theming and landscape architecture of the projects/communities. He has over 17 years of experience in these areas. Prior to joining, he was the Practice Leader of Planning and Landscape Architecture at Ardurra (f/k/a King Engineering). Mr. Lohmiller is a graduate of the University of Florida, where he earned a bachelor's degree in Landscape Architecture. He is a Practicing Landscape Architect in the states of Florida and North Carolina.

Tom Spence. Mr. Spence joined Eisenhower Property Group as the Senior Vice President of Community Development in January 2021. Mr. Spence is an expert at creating unforgettable communities with lasting appeal. He is leading the development team responsible for bringing Two Rivers to fruition. Tom has held leadership positions with Westbury International, Taylor Woodrow Communities (Taylor Morrison), St. Joe Company, Standard Pacific, Cal-Atlantic and Lennar. Mr. Spence is a graduate of the University of Southern Mississippi.

Alberto Viera. Mr. Viera joined Eisenhower Property Group in the spring of 2013 as Controller and manages the full accounting cycle, financial statements, tax and audit schedules, construction loans, banking relationships and job costing across all in-house entities. He was previously a Controller for

Marriot Vacation Club and Suarez Housing. He comes to Eisenhower Property Group with over 25 years of experience specializing in real estate and hotel accounting. Mr. Viera is a graduate of University of Puerto Rico, where he earned his B.S.B.A in Accounting. Mr. Viera continued his education upon arrival in the United States, receiving his Master of Business Administration, M.B.A. from Florida Southern College. Mr. Viera has an active CPA license in the State of Florida and is fluent in both Spanish and English.

Mark Spada. Mr. Spada joined Eisenhower Property Group in May 2022 as Senior Project Manager with a focus on sale of land and finished lots to homebuilders, land acquisition, and development operations. He has 30 years of experience in the land and homebuilding business in West Central Florida market being directly involved in the acquisition, entitlement, development and disposition of over 19,000 lots, including 20 years with M/I Homes of Tampa where he was the Division President - Land. Mr. Spada is a past President of Tampa Bay Builders Association. He earned a bachelor's degree in accounting from the University of Florida.

The chart on the following page contains a list of the communities developed, under development or planning by Eisenhower Property Group and its affiliates:

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<b>Issuer</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b># of Units</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Builders</b>
Mirabella	2013	Hillsborough	121	Complete	KB, Maronda
Panther Trails	2015	Hillsborough	431	Complete	NVR
Carlton Lakes	2015	Hillsborough	424	Complete	NVR, M/I
Summit at Fernhill	2016	Hillsborough	205	Complete	Lennar
South Fork III	2016	Hillsborough	427	Complete	Lennar, Pulte, William Ryan
Carlton Lakes	2017	Hillsborough	242	Complete	Lennar, D.R. Horton
Ventana	2018	Hillsborough	800	Complete	Lennar, M/I, Pulte
South Fork III	2018	Hillsborough	532	Complete	Lennar, Pulte, Meritage
Summit at Fernhill	2018	Hillsborough	119	Complete	Lennar
Carlton Lakes	2018	Hillsborough	203	Complete	D.R. Horton, M/I
Timber Creek	2018	Hillsborough	380	Complete	Lennar, D.R. Horton
Brookside Manor	2018	Hillsborough	480	Partially Developed/Sales Ongoing	D.R. Horton, Pulte
Sherwood Manor	2018	Hillsborough	425	Partially Developed/Sales Ongoing	D.R. Horton, Pulte
South Fork III	2019	Hillsborough	290	Complete	Lennar, D.R. Horton
Shell Point	2019	Hillsborough	662	Complete	Lennar, D.R. Horton, Starlight, NVR
Spencer Creek	2019	Hillsborough	361	Partially Developed	Lennar
Creek Preserve	2019	Hillsborough	674	Complete	Lennar, D.R. Horton
North Park Isle	2019	Hillsborough	602	Developed/Sales Ongoing	Lennar, D.R. Horton, Pulte
Belmond Reserve	2020	Hillsborough	376	Complete	MI Homes, D.R. Horton, Pulte
Berry Bay	2020	Hillsborough	947	Partially Developed/Sales Ongoing	Lennar, D.R. Horton, MI Homes
Park East	2021	Hillsborough	948	Partially Developed/Sales Ongoing	Lennar, Meritage, KB Homes
South Creek	2021	Hillsborough	425	Partially Developed/Sales Ongoing	Lennar
Balm Grove	2021	Hillsborough	743	Partially Developed/Sales Ongoing	Lennar, D.R. Horton
North Park Isle	2021	Hillsborough	540	Developed/Sales Ongoing	Lennar, D.R. Horton
Buckhead Trails	2022	Manatee	560	Development Ongoing	Pulte, Homes by West Bay, D.R. Horton
Two Rivers North	2022	Pasco	923	Developed/Sales Ongoing	Lennar, D.R. Horton
Two Rivers West	2022	Pasco	2,165	Entitled/Development Ongoing	M/I Homes, D.R. Horton, Pulte, Toll Bros., Homes by West Bay, Park Square Homes
Berry Bay	2023	Hillsborough	306	Entitled	D.R. Horton, Lennar
Sherwood Manor 2	2023	Hillsborough	343	Partially Developed	D.R. Horton
Two Rivers East	2023	Pasco	1,210	Partially Developed	D.R. Horton, Lennar Homes, William Ryan Homes, Casa Fresca
Sawgrass Village	2023	Manatee	707	Partially Developed	Pulte, Homes by WestBay, Taylor Morrison
Sawgrass Village Ph. IV	2023	Manatee	678	Entitled/Partially Developed	D.R. Horton

<b>Issuer</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b># of Units</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Builders</b>
Coral Lakes Ph I	2024	Charlotte	496	Entitled/Partially Developed	D.R. Horton
South Creek 4	2024	Hillsborough	46	Entitled	Lennar Homes
Buckhead Trails	2024	Manatee	450	Entitled/Partially Developed	D.R. Horton, Starlight Homes
Sawgrass Village Ph V	2024	Manatee	371	Entitled/Partially Developed	Meritage
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b><u>19,612</u></b>		

*Neither the Landowner nor any of the other individuals or entities listed above are guaranteeing payment of the Series 2024 Bonds or the Series 2024 Special Assessments. None of the entities listed herein, other than the Landowner, has entered into any agreements in connection with the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.*

## **TAX MATTERS**

### **Federal Income Taxes**

The delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds is subject to the opinion of GrayRobinson, P.A., Bond Counsel, to the effect that the interest on the Series 2024 Bonds is excluded from gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes. The Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), imposes certain requirements that must be met subsequent to the issuance and delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds for interest thereon to be and remain excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes. Noncompliance with such requirements could cause the interest on the Series 2024 Bonds to be included in gross income for federal income tax purposes retroactive to the date of issue of the Series 2024 Bonds. Pursuant to the Indenture and the Tax Certificate, the District has covenanted to comply with the applicable requirements of the Code in order to maintain the exclusion of the interest on the Series 2024 Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes pursuant to Section 103 of the Code. The opinion of Bond Counsel on federal tax matters with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds will be based on and will assume the accuracy of certain representations and certifications of the District and the Landowner, and compliance with certain covenants of the District to be contained in the transcript of proceedings. Bond Counsel will not independently verify the accuracy of those certifications and representations.

In the opinion of Bond Counsel, under existing law and assuming compliance with the aforementioned covenant, and the accuracy of certain representations and certifications made by the District described above, interest on the Series 2024 Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Code. Bond Counsel, is also of the opinion that such interest is not treated as a preference item in calculating the alternative minimum tax imposed under the Code. However, interest on the Series 2024 Bonds will be taken into account in computing the alternative minimum tax imposed on certain corporations under the Code to the extent that such interest is included in the "adjusted financial statement income" of such corporations.

### **State Taxes**

Bond Counsel is of the opinion that the Series 2024 Bonds and the interest thereon will not be subject to taxation under the laws of the State, except estate taxes and taxes under Chapter 220, Florida Statutes, as amended, on interest, income or profits on debt obligations owned by corporations as defined therein. Bond Counsel expresses no opinion as to other State or local tax consequences arising with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds or as to the taxability of the Series 2024 Bonds or the income therefrom under the laws of any state other than the State.

### **[Original Issue Discount and Premium Bonds]**

[Certain of the Series 2024 Bonds ("Discount Bonds") may be offered and sold to the public at an original issue discount ("OID"). OID is the excess of the stated redemption price at maturity (the principal amount) over the "issue price" of a Discount Bond determined under Code Section 1273 or 1274 (i.e., for obligations issued for money in a public offering, the initial offering price to the public (other than to bond houses and brokers) at which a substantial amount of the obligation of the same maturity is sold pursuant to that offering). For federal income tax purposes, OID accrues to the owner of a Discount Bond over the period to maturity based on the constant yield method, compounded semiannually (or over a shorter

permitted compounding interval selected by the owner). The portion of OID that accrues during the period of ownership of a Discount Bond (i) is interest excludable from the owner's gross income for federal income tax purposes to the same extent, and subject to the same considerations discussed above, as other interest on the Series 2024 Bonds, and (ii) is added to the owner's tax basis for purposes of determining gain or loss on the maturity, redemption, prior sale or other disposition of that Discount Bond.

Certain of the Series 2024 Bonds ("Premium Bonds") may be offered and sold to the public at a price in excess of their stated redemption price (the principal amount) at maturity (or earlier for certain Premium Bonds callable prior to maturity). That excess constitutes bond premium. For federal income tax purposes, bond premium is amortized over the period to maturity of a Premium Bond, based on the yield to maturity of that Premium Bond (or, in the case of a Premium Bond callable prior to its stated maturity, the amortization period and yield may be required to be determined on the basis of an earlier call date that results in the lowest yield on that Premium Bond), compounded semiannually (or over a shorter permitted compounding interval selected by the owner). No portion of that bond premium is deductible by the owner of a Premium Bond. For purposes of determining the owner's gain or loss on the sale, redemption (including redemption at maturity) or other disposition of a Premium Bond, the owner's tax basis in the Premium Bond is reduced by the amount of bond premium that accrues during the period of ownership. As a result, an owner may realize taxable gain for federal income tax purposes from the sale or other disposition of a Premium Bond for an amount equal to or less than the amount paid by the owner for that Premium Bond.

Owners of Discount and Premium Bonds should consult their own tax advisers as to the determination for federal income tax purposes of the amount of OID or bond premium properly accruable in any period with respect to the Discount or Premium Bonds and as to other federal tax consequences, and the treatment of OID and bond premium for purposes of state and local taxes on, or based on, income.]

### **Ancillary Tax Matters**

Ownership of the Series 2024 Bonds may result in other federal tax consequences to certain taxpayers, including, without limitation, certain S corporations, foreign corporations with branches in the United States, property and casualty insurance companies, individuals receiving Social Security or Railroad Retirement benefits, individuals seeking to claim the earned income credit, and taxpayers (including banks, thrift institutions and other financial institutions) who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase or to carry the Series 2024 Bonds. Prospective investors are advised to consult their own tax advisors regarding these rules.

Interest paid on tax-exempt obligations such as the Series 2024 Bonds is subject to information reporting to the IRS in a manner similar to interest paid on taxable obligations. In addition, interest on the Series 2024 Bonds may be subject to backup withholding if such interest is paid to a registered owner that (a) fails to provide certain identifying information (such as the registered owner's taxpayer identification number) in the manner required by the IRS, or (b) has been identified by the IRS as being subject to backup withholding.

Bond Counsel is not rendering any opinion as to any federal tax matters other than those described in the opinions attached as APPENDIX C. Prospective investors, particularly those who may be subject to special rules described above, are advised to consult their own tax advisors regarding the federal tax consequences of owning and disposing of the Series 2024 Bonds, as well as any tax consequences arising under the laws of any state or other taxing jurisdiction.

## **Changes in Law and Post Issuance Events**

Legislative or administrative actions and court decisions, at either the federal or state level, could have an adverse impact on the potential benefits of the exclusion from gross income of the interest on the Series 2024 Bonds for federal or state income tax purposes, and thus on the value or marketability of the Series 2024 Bonds. This could result from changes to federal or state income tax rates, changes in the structure of federal or state income taxes (including replacement with another type of tax), repeal of the exclusion of the interest on the Series 2024 Bonds from gross income for federal or state income tax purposes, or otherwise. It is not possible to predict whether any legislative or administrative actions or court decisions having an adverse impact on the federal or state income tax treatment of holders of the Series 2024 Bonds may occur. Prospective purchasers of the Series 2024 Bonds should consult their own tax advisors regarding the impact of any change in law on the Series 2024 Bonds.

Bond Counsel's opinions will be based on existing law, which is subject to change. Bond Counsel has not undertaken to advise in the future whether any events after the date of issuance and delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds may affect the tax status of interest on the Series 2024 Bonds. Bond Counsel expresses no opinion as to any federal, state or local tax law consequences with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, or the interest thereon, if any action is taken with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds or the proceeds thereof upon the advice or approval of other counsel. Moreover, the opinions of Bond Counsel are not a guarantee of a particular result and are not binding on the IRS or the courts; rather, such opinions represent Bond Counsel's professional judgment based on its review of existing law, and in reliance on the representations and covenants that it deems relevant to such opinions.

### **AGREEMENT BY THE STATE**

Under the Act, the State of Florida pledges to the holders of any bonds issued thereunder, including the Series 2024 Bonds, that it will not limit or alter the rights of the District to own, acquire, construct, reconstruct, improve, maintain, operate or furnish the projects subject to the Act or to levy and collect taxes, assessments, rentals, rates, fees, and other charges provided for in the Act and to fulfill the terms of any agreement made with the holders of such bonds and that it will not in any way impair the rights or remedies of such holders.

### **LEGALITY FOR INVESTMENT**

The Act provides that the bonds issued by community development districts are legal investments for savings banks, banks, trust companies, insurance companies, executors, administrators, trustees, guardians, and other fiduciaries, and for any board, body, agency, instrumentality, county, municipality or other political subdivision of the State of Florida, and constitute securities which may be deposited by banks or trust companies as security for deposits of state, county, municipal or other public funds, or by insurance companies as required or voluntary statutory deposits.

### **SUITABILITY FOR INVESTMENT**

In accordance with applicable provisions of Florida law, the Series 2024 Bonds may initially be sold by the District only to "accredited investors" within the meaning of Chapter 517, Florida Statutes and the rules promulgated thereunder. The limitation of the initial offering to "accredited investors" does not denote restrictions on transfers in any secondary market for the Series 2024 Bonds. Investment in the Series 2024 Bonds poses certain economic risks. No dealer, broker, salesperson or other person has been authorized by the District or the Underwriter to give any information or make any representations, other than those contained in this Limited Offering Memorandum.

## **ENFORCEABILITY OF REMEDIES**

The remedies available to the Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds upon an event of default under the Indenture are in many respects dependent upon judicial actions which are often subject to discretion and delay. Under existing constitutional and statutory law and judicial decisions, including the federal bankruptcy code, the remedies specified by the Indenture and the Series 2024 Bonds may not be readily available or may be limited. The various legal opinions to be delivered concurrently with the delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds will be qualified as to the enforceability of the remedies provided in the various legal instruments, by limitations imposed by bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency or other similar laws affecting the rights of creditors enacted before or after such delivery.

## **LITIGATION**

### **The District**

There is no litigation of any nature now pending or, to the knowledge of the District threatened, seeking to restrain or enjoin the issuance, sale, execution or delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds, or in any way contesting or affecting (i) the validity of the Series 2024 Bonds or any proceedings of the District taken with respect to the issuance or sale thereof, (ii) the pledge or application of any moneys or security provided for the payment of the Series 2024 Bonds, (iii) the existence or powers of the District or (iv) the validity of the Assessment Proceedings.

### **The Landowner**

The Landowner has represented that there is no litigation of any nature now pending or, to its knowledge, threatened, which could reasonably be expected to have a material and adverse effect upon the ability of the Landowner to complete the Series 2024 Project or the development of the District as described herein, or to otherwise perform its obligations described in this Limited Offering Memorandum.

## **CONTINGENT FEES**

The District has retained Bond Counsel, Disclosure Counsel, District Counsel, the District Engineer, the District Manager/Methodology Consultant, the Underwriter (who has retained Underwriter's Counsel) and the Trustee (which has retained Trustee's counsel), with respect to the authorization, sale, execution and delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds. Except for the payment of certain fees to District Counsel, the District Engineer and the District Manager, the payment of fees of the other professionals is each contingent upon the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

## **NO RATING**

No application for a rating for the Series 2024 Bonds has been made to any rating agency, nor is there any reason to believe that an investment grade rating for the Series 2024 Bonds would have been obtained if application had been made.

## **EXPERTS**

The Supplemental Engineer's Report included in APPENDIX A to this Limited Offering Memorandum has been prepared by Stantec Consulting Services, Inc., Tampa, Florida, the District Engineer. APPENDIX A should be read in its entirety for complete information with respect to the subjects discussed therein. Inframark, LLC, as Methodology Consultant, has prepared the Assessment Methodology



set forth as APPENDIX E hereto. APPENDIX E should be read in its entirety for complete information with respect to the subjects discussed therein.

### **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

This District will covenant in the Continuing Disclosure Agreement, the proposed form of which is set forth in APPENDIX D hereto, to provide its annual audited financial statements to certain information repositories as described in APPENDIX F, commencing with the audit for the District fiscal year ending September 30, 2024. Attached hereto as APPENDIX F is a copy of the District's unaudited financial statements for the period ended October 31, 2024. The District does not have audited financial statements because the District has not yet met the threshold under State law requiring an audit. The Series 2024 Bonds are not general obligation bonds of the District and are payable solely from the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues.

By the end of the first full fiscal year after its creation, each community development district in Florida must have a separate website with certain information as set forth in Section 189.069, F.S., including, without limitation, the district's proposed and final budgets and audit. Additional information regarding the District's website is available from the District Manager at the address set forth under "THE DISTRICT – The District Manager and Other Consultants."

### **DISCLOSURE REQUIRED BY FLORIDA BLUE SKY REGULATIONS**

Section 517.051, Florida Statutes, and the regulations promulgated thereunder requires that the District make a full and fair disclosure of any bonds or other debt obligations that it has issued or guaranteed and that are or have been in default as to principal or interest at any time after December 31, 1975 (including bonds or other debt obligations for which it has served only as a conduit issuer such as industrial development or private activity bonds issued on behalf of private business). The District is not and has never been in default as to principal and interest on its bonds or other debt obligations.

### **CONTINUING DISCLOSURE**

The District and the Landowner will enter into the Continuing Disclosure Agreement (the "Disclosure Agreement") in the proposed form of APPENDIX D, for the benefit of the Series 2024 Bondholders (including owners of beneficial interests in such Series 2024 Bonds), to provide certain financial information and operating data relating to the District and the Development by certain dates prescribed in the Disclosure Agreement (the "Reports") with the MSRB through the MSRB's EMMA system. The specific nature of the information to be contained in the Reports is set forth in "APPENDIX D: PROPOSED FORM OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT." Under certain circumstances, the failure of the District or the Landowner to comply with their respective obligations under the Disclosure Agreement constitutes an event of default thereunder. Such a default will not constitute an event of default under the Indenture, but such event of default under the Disclosure Agreement would allow the Series 2024 Bondholders (including owners of beneficial interests in such Series 2024 Bonds) to bring an action for specific performance.

The District has not previously issued any bonds and has not previously entered into any continuing disclosure obligations pursuant to Rule 15c2-12, promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Rule"). The District anticipates satisfying all future disclosure obligations required pursuant to its Disclosure Agreement and the Rule. The District will appoint Inframark, LLC, as the dissemination agent in the Disclosure Agreement.

The Landowner has not previously entered into any continuing disclosure obligations pursuant to the Rule. The Landowner anticipates satisfying all disclosure obligations required pursuant to the Disclosure Agreement and the Rule.

## **UNDERWRITING**

FMSbonds, Inc. (the "Underwriter") has agreed, pursuant to a contract with the District, subject to certain conditions, to purchase the Series 2024 Bonds from the District at a purchase price of \$\_\_\_\_\_ (representing the par amount of the Series 2024 Bonds [plus/less original issue premium/discount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ and] an Underwriter's discount of \$\_\_\_\_\_). The Underwriter's obligations are subject to certain conditions precedent and the Underwriter will be obligated to purchase all of the Series 2024 Bonds if any are purchased.

The Underwriter intends to offer the Series 2024 Bonds to accredited investors at the offering prices set forth on the cover page of this Limited Offering Memorandum, which may subsequently change without prior notice. The Series 2024 Bonds may be offered and sold to certain dealers, banks and others at prices lower than the initial offering prices, and such initial offering prices may be changed from time to time by the Underwriter.

## **VALIDATION**

Bonds issued pursuant to the terms of the Master Indenture have been validated by a judgment of the Circuit Court of the Sixth Judicial Circuit Court of Florida in and for Pasco County, Florida, rendered on September 27, 2023. The period of time during which an appeal can be taken from such judgment has expired without an appeal having been taken.

## **LEGAL MATTERS**

Certain legal matters related to the authorization, sale and delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds are subject to the approval of GrayRobinson, P.A., Tampa, Florida, Bond Counsel. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the District by Straley Robin Vericker P.A., Tampa, Florida, as District Counsel, and GrayRobinson, P.A., Tampa, Florida, as Disclosure Counsel. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the Landowner by its counsel, Robert L. Barnes, Jr. P.L., Tampa, Florida, and for the Trustee by its counsel, Holland & Knight LLP. The Underwriter is represented by Aponte & Associates Law Firm, P.L.L.C., Orlando, Florida. GrayRobinson, P.A. represents the Underwriter and affiliates of the Landowner in unrelated matters.

Bond Counsel's opinions included herein are based on existing law, which is subject to change. Such opinions are further based on factual representations made to Bond Counsel as of the date hereof. Bond Counsel assumes no duty to update or supplement its opinions to reflect any facts or circumstances that may thereafter come to Bond Counsel's attention, or to reflect any changes in law that may thereafter occur or become effective. Moreover, Bond Counsel's opinions are not a guarantee of a particular result, and are not binding on the Internal Revenue Service or the courts; rather, such opinions represent Bond Counsel's professional judgment based on its review of existing law, and in reliance on the representations and covenants that it deems relevant to such opinion.

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## MISCELLANEOUS

Any statements made in this Limited Offering Memorandum involving matters of opinion or estimates, whether or not expressly so stated, are set forth as such and not as representations of fact, and no representations are made that any of the estimates will be realized.

The references herein to the Series 2024 Bonds and other documents referred to herein are brief summaries of certain provisions thereof. Such summaries do not purport to be complete and reference is made to such documents for full and complete statements of such provisions.

This Limited Offering Memorandum is submitted in connection with the limited offering of the Series 2024 Bonds and may not be reproduced or used, as a whole or in part, for any other purpose. This Limited Offering Memorandum is not to be construed as a contract with the purchaser or the Beneficial Owners of any of the Series 2024 Bonds.

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**AUTHORIZATION AND APPROVAL**

The execution and delivery of this Limited Offering Memorandum has been duly authorized by the Board of Supervisors of the District.

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

**APPENDIX A**

**SUPPLEMENTAL ENGINEER'S REPORT**

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**SUPPLEMENTAL ENGINEER’S REPORT FOR THE  
HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**

May 20, 2024

**1. PURPOSE**

This report supplements the *District’s Engineer’s Report*, dated August 16, 2023 (“**Master Report**”) for the purpose of describing the first phase of the District’s CIP<sup>1</sup> to be known as the “**2024 Project**”.

**2. 2024 PROJECT**

The District’s 2024 Project includes the portion of the CIP that is necessary for the development of what is known as “Parcels A, B, C and Townhomes (TH)” of the District.

**Product Mix**

The table below shows the product types that will be part of the 2024 Project:

**Product Types**

<b>Product Type</b>	<b>2024 Project Units</b>
24’	52
28’	24
40’	257
50’	322
60’	147
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>802</b>

**List of 2024 Project Improvements**

The various improvements that are part of the overall CIP – including those that are part of the 2024 Project – are described in detail in the Master Report, and those descriptions are incorporated herein. The 2024 Project includes, generally stated, the following items relating to water management and control, District roads, water supply, sewer and wastewater management, and master improvement, i.e. off-site utilities improvements, amenity, landscaping/hardscaping/irrigation, undergrounding of electrical service, and professional services and permitting fees.

**Permits**

The status of the applicable permits necessary for the 2024 Project is as shown below. All permits and approvals necessary for the development of the 2024 Project have been obtained or are reasonably expected to be obtained in due course.

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<sup>1</sup> All capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Master Report.

## Permit Table

Parcel	Agency	Permit Type	Permit Number	Date Approved/Status
Phase 1	Pasco County Utility	Letter of Commitment	PCU #22-126.03.A.1 - RESSUB-2023-00084	6/14/2024
Phase 2	Pasco County Utility	Letter of Commitment	PCU #22-126.03.A.1 - RESSUB-2023-00084	6/14/2024
Phase 3	Pasco County Utility	Letter of Commitment	PCU #22-126.04.A.1 - RESSUB-2023-00084	6/14/2024
Phase 4	Pasco County Utility	Letter of Commitment	PCU #22-126.05.A.1 - RESSUB-2023-00084	6/14/2024
Master Utility	Pasco County Utility	Approval Letter	PCU #22-126.00.A.1 - RESSUB-2023-00084	6/14/2024
Right Of Way	Pasco County Planning & Zoning	Permit	2024-00428	7/10/2024
All Phases	Pasco County Planning & Zoning	Site Development Permit	DRD24-0202	7/1/2024
Offsite Utility	FDEP	General Permit	51-0443595-001-EG	4/9/2024
All Phases	SWFMD	ERP Individual Construction	43022088.01	7/1/2024
Offsites	FDOT	Drainage Permit	2024-D-798-00006	11/19/2024

### Estimated Costs

The table below shows the construction costs of the public improvements and community facilities that are necessary for delivery of the of the 2024 Project.

### ESTIMATED COSTS OF DELIVERING THE ASSESSMENT AREA ONE PROJECT

Infrastructure	Master Phase 1	Lots				Parcel TH	802 Total
		212 Parcel A Phase 2	252 Parcel B Phase 3	262 Parcel C Phase 4	76		
Collector Roads	\$ 2,750,000						\$ 2,750,000
District Subdivision Roads		\$ 1,346,544	\$ 1,815,000	\$ 1,850,000			\$ 5,011,544
Water Management and Control	\$ 8,245,000	\$ 3,026,250	\$ 3,341,250	\$ 2,311,250			\$ 16,923,750
Sewer and Wastewater Management	\$ 2,240,000	\$ 1,040,000	\$ 1,410,000	\$ 1,100,000	\$ 175,000		\$ 5,965,000
Water Supply	\$ 1,150,000	\$ 580,000	\$ 775,000	\$ 615,000			\$ 3,120,000
Irrigation Water Supply	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		\$ -
Undergrounding of Electrical Service	\$ 675,000						\$ 675,000
Hardscapes, Landscape and Entries	\$ 4,300,000						\$ 4,300,000
Offsite Improvements	\$ 5,330,000						\$ 5,330,000
Amenity	\$ 5,000,000						\$ 5,000,000
Environmental	\$ 750,000						\$ 750,000
Professional Services and Permit Fees	\$ 2,900,000	\$ 560,000	\$ 640,000	\$ 465,000	\$ 80,000		\$ 4,645,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 33,340,000</b>	<b>\$ 6,552,794</b>	<b>\$ 7,981,250</b>	<b>\$ 6,341,250</b>	<b>\$ 255,000</b>		<b>\$ 54,470,294</b>

### 3. CONCLUSION

The 2024 Project has been designed in accordance with current governmental regulations and requirements. The 2024 Project will serve its intended function so long as the construction is in substantial compliance with the design.

- the estimated cost to the 2024 Project as set forth herein is based on contractor bid provided by the developer and is reasonable, based on prices currently being experienced in the region, and is not greater than the lesser of the actual cost of construction or the fair market value of such infrastructure;
- the 2024 Project is feasible to construct, there are no technical reasons existing at this time that would prevent the implementation of the 2024 Project, and it is reasonable to assume that all necessary regulatory approvals will be obtained in due course; and

As described above, this report identifies the benefits from the 2024 Project to the lands within the District. The general public, property owners, and property outside the District will benefit from the provisions of the District's CIP; however, these are incidental to the District's 2024 Project, which is designed solely to provide special benefits peculiar to property within the District. Special and peculiar benefits accrue to SWFMD within the District and enable properties within its boundaries to be developed.



The 2024 Project will be owned by the District or other governmental units and such 2024 Project is intended to be available and will reasonably be available for use by the general public (either by being part of a system of improvements that is available to the general public or is otherwise available to the general public) including nonresidents of the District. All of the 2024 Project is or will be located on lands owned or to be owned by the District or another governmental entity or on perpetual easements in favor of the District or other governmental entity. The 2024 Project, and the associated construction cost estimate, do not include improvements on private lots or property.

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Hamid Sahebkar, P.E.

Date: May 20, 2024

**EXHIBIT A:** Legal Description and Sketch of 2024 Project Area

## Exhibit A

# Description Sketch

(Not A Survey)

**DESCRIPTION:** A parcel of land lying in Sections 1 and 12, Township 25 South, Range 19 East and Sections 6 and 7, Township 25 South, Range 20 East, Pasco County, Florida, and being more particularly described as follows:

**BEGIN** at the Southeast corner of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 6, same being the Northeast corner of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 7; thence S. 02°04'26" W., along the Easterly boundary of aforementioned, Section 7, a distance of 799.50 feet thence leaving said Easterly boundary of aforementioned, Section 7, S. 89°59'38" W., a distance of 1191.61 feet; thence N.40°21'25" W., a distance of 210.01 feet; thence N.69°56'07" W., a distance of 186.01 feet; thence S. 18°34'38" W., a distance of 710.02 feet; thence S. 13°15'40" W., a distance of 269.02 feet; thence S. 29°48'43" W., a distance of 63.32 feet; thence S. 50°35'31" W., a distance of 909.69 feet; thence N.32°39'43" W., a distance of 749.15 feet; thence S. 89°54'40" W., a distance of 768.59 feet; thence S. 00°05'20" E., a distance of 961.30 feet to a point of intersection with the North Right-of-Way of STATE ROAD NO. 52, per Florida Department of Transportation Right-of-Way Map, Section 14120-XXXX; thence S. 89°16'35" W., along said North Right-of-Way, a distance of 124.01 feet; thence leaving said North Right-of-Way, N.00°05'20" W., a distance of 962.68 feet; thence S. 89°54'40" W., a distance of 1377.01 feet to the Southeast corner of that certain property as described in Official Records Book 9546, Page 3713, of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along the Easterly and Northerly boundary of said certain property the following two (2) courses; 1) N.00°26'05" E., a distance of 272.34 feet; 2) N.89°49'06" W., a distance of 1591.89 feet to a point of intersection with the Easterly Right-of-Way of BELLAMY BROTHERS BOULEVARD, according to Map Book 3, Pages 68 through 80, inclusive of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along said Easterly Right-of-Way the following four (4) courses; 1) N.00°40'57" W., a distance of 1.47 feet; 2) N.00°12'50" W., a distance of 527.15 feet; 3) N.00°27'42" E., a distance of 647.79; 4) N.00°54'26" E., a distance of 147.21 feet to the Southwesterly corner of that certain property described in Official Records Book 8089, Page 1327, of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along the Southerly, Easterly and Northerly boundary the following three (3) courses; 1) thence departing said Easterly Right-of-Way, S. 89°45'28" E., a distance of 798.33 feet; 2) N.00°19'40" E., a distance of 1327.30 feet; 3) S. 89°49'11" W., a distance of 798.84 feet to a point of intersection with said Easterly Right-of-Way of BELLAMY BROTHERS BOULEVARD; thence along said Easterly Right-of-Way the following four (4) courses; 1) N.00°18'40" E., a distance of 84.27 feet; 2) N.00°20'21" E., a distance of 682.49 feet; 3) N.00°23'09" E., a distance of 780.96 feet; 4) N.00°17'56" W., a distance of 325.33 feet to the Southwesterly corner of that certain property described in Official Records Book 5959, Page 179, of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along the Southerly boundary of said certain property, the following thirteen (13) courses; 1) thence departing said Easterly Right-of-Way, N.79°02'48" E., a distance of 30.64 feet; 2) N.71°59'47" E., a distance of 78.56 feet; 3) N.69°26'40" E., a distance of 95.76 feet; 4) N.63°26'08" E., a distance of 100.24 feet; 5) N.78°30'14" E., a distance of 112.46 feet; 6) N.84°57'29" E., a distance of 127.51 feet; 7) S. 89°05'25" E., a distance of 117.69 feet; 8) S. 83°23'10" E., a distance of 129.75 feet; 9) N.87°47'52" E., a distance of 145.81 feet; 10) S. 89°59'59" E., a distance of 175.59 feet; 11) N.85°05'02" E., a distance of 174.36 feet; 12) N.82°01'13" E., a distance of 201.82 feet; 13) N.72°48'22" E., a distance of 144.08 feet to a point of intersection with the Easterly boundary of said certain property as described in Official Records Book 5959, Page 179, same being the Westerly boundary of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 6, Township 25 South, Range 20 East, Pasco County, Florida; thence N.00°16'21" E., along said Easterly boundary, same being said Westerly boundary of the Northwest 1/4 of aforementioned Section 6, a distance of 553.69 feet to the Southwesterly corner of that certain property as described in Official Records Book 8141, Page 1478 of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence S. 89°12'01" E., along said Southerly boundary and the Southerly boundary of that certain property as described in Official Records Book 7615, Page 1502 of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida, a distance of 2634.90 feet; thence along said Southerly and Westerly boundary of said certain property the following five (5) courses 1) S. 00°57'46" W., a distance of 1322.64 feet; 2) S. 00°56'47" W., a distance of 1325.85 feet; 3) S. 89°11'06" E., a distance of 1313.40 feet; 4) thence S. 00°58'56" W., a distance of 1326.83 feet; 5) S. 89°07'51" E., a distance of 1312.58 feet to the **POINT OF BEGINNING**.

Containing 591.886 acres, more or less.

**NOTES:**

- 1) The bearings shown hereon are based on the boundary of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 7-25-20, having a Grid bearing of S. 02°04'26" W. The Grid Bearings as shown hereon refer to the State Plane Coordinate System, North American Horizontal Datum of 1983 (NAD 83-2011 Adjustment) for the West Zone of Florida.
- 2) Information shown hereon is not complete without accompanying sketch.
- 3) This document has been electronically signed and sealed pursuant to Rule 5J-17.062, Section 472.027 of the Florida Statutes. The seal appearing on this document was authorized by John D. Weigle, LS5246 on 12-16-2021.
- 4) Printed copies of this document are not considered signed and sealed and the signature must be verified on any electronic copies.

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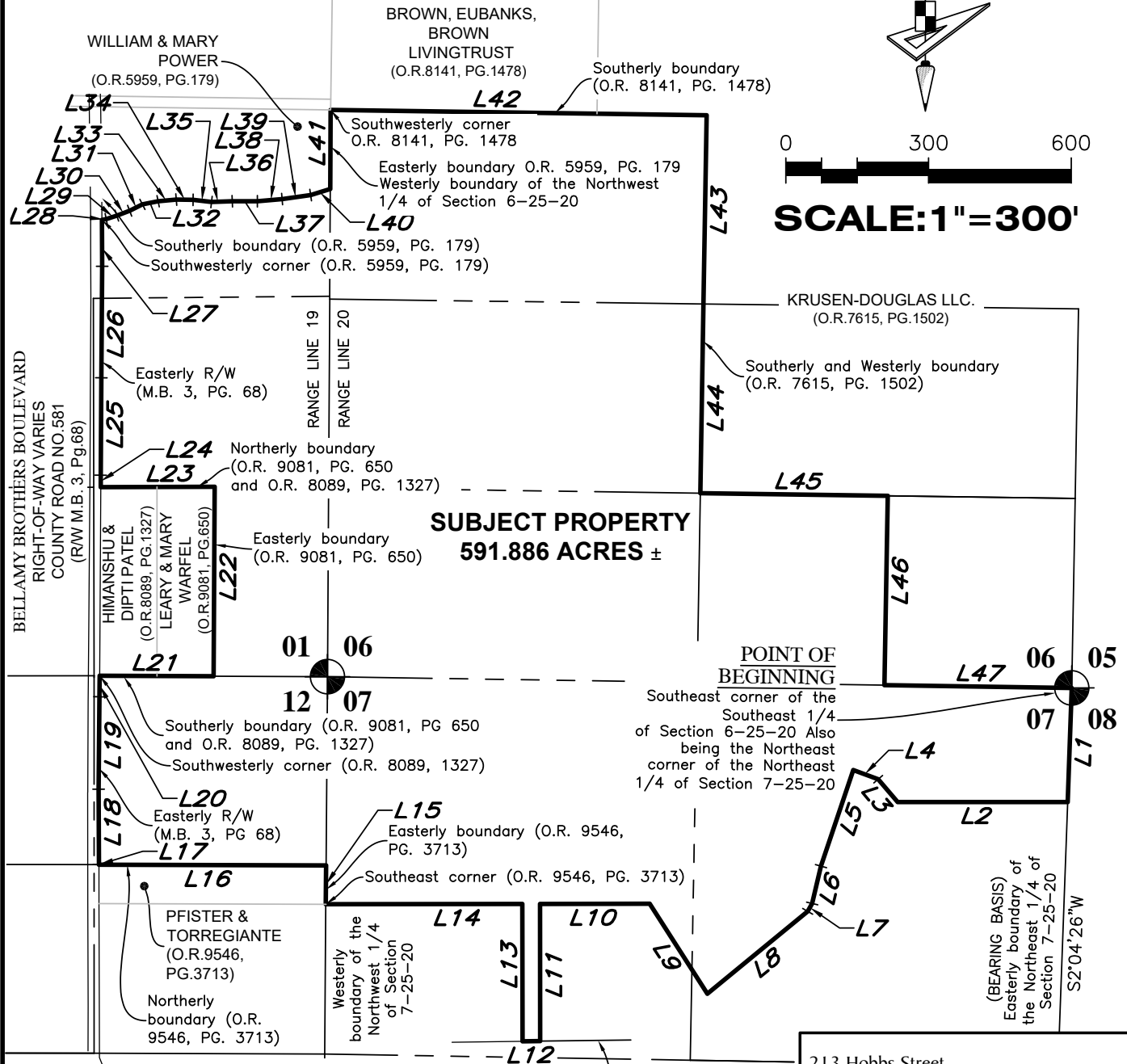
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# Description Sketch

(Not A Survey)



**SCALE: 1" = 300'**



**SUBJECT PROPERTY**  
591.886 ACRES ±

**POINT OF BEGINNING**

Southeast corner of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 6-25-20 Also being the Northeast corner of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 7-25-20

(BEARING BASIS)  
Easterly boundary of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 7-25-20  
S2°04'26"W

STATE ROAD NO.52  
RIGHT-OF-WAY VARIES  
F.D.O.T. FPI NO. 256243-2

North Right-of-Way State Road 52

213 Hobbs Street  
Tampa, Florida 33619  
Phone: (813) 248-8888  
Licensed Business No.: LB 7768

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# Description Sketch

(Not A Survey)

LINE DATA TABLE		
NO.	BEARING	LENGTH
L1	S 02°04'26" W	799.50'
L2	S 89°59'38" W	1191.61'
L3	N 40°21'25" W	210.01'
L4	N 69°56'07" W	186.01'
L5	S 18°34'38" W	710.02'
L6	S 13°15'40" W	269.02'
L7	S 29°48'43" W	63.32'
L8	S 50°35'31" W	909.69'
L9	N 32°39'43" W	749.15'
L10	S 89°54'40" W	768.59'
L11	S 00°05'20" E	961.30'
L12	S 89°16'35" W	124.01'
L13	N 00°05'20" W	962.68'
L14	S 89°54'40" W	1377.01'
L15	N 00°26'05" E	272.34'
L16	N 89°49'06" W	1591.89'
L17	N 00°40'57" W	1.47'
L18	N 00°12'50" W	527.15'
L19	N 00°27'42" E	647.79'
L20	N 00°54'26" E	147.21'

LINE DATA TABLE		
NO.	BEARING	LENGTH
L21	S 89°45'28" E	798.33'
L22	N 00°19'40" E	1327.30'
L23	S 89°49'11" W	798.84'
L24	N 00°18'40" E	84.27'
L25	N 00°20'21" E	682.49'
L26	N 00°23'09" E	780.96'
L27	N 00°17'56" W	325.33'
L28	N 79°02'48" E	30.64'
L29	N 71°59'47" E	78.56'
L30	N 69°26'40" E	95.76'
L31	N 63°26'08" E	100.24'
L32	N 78°30'14" E	112.46'
L33	N 84°57'29" E	127.51'
L34	S 89°05'25" E	117.69'
L35	S 83°23'10" E	129.75'
L36	N 87°47'52" E	145.81'
L37	S 89°59'59" E	175.59'
L38	N 85°05'02" E	174.36'
L39	N 82°01'13" E	201.82'
L40	N 72°48'22" E	144.08'

LINE DATA TABLE		
NO.	BEARING	LENGTH
L41	N 00°16'21" E	553.69'
L42	S 89°12'01" E	2634.90'
L43	S 00°57'46" W	1322.64'
L44	S 00°56'47" W	1325.85'
L45	S 89°11'06" E	1313.40'
L46	S 00°58'56" W	1326.83'
L47	S 89°07'51" E	1312.58'

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**APPENDIX B**

**PROPOSED FORMS OF MASTER INDENTURE AND SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE**

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**MASTER TRUST INDENTURE**

between

**HILLCREST PRESERVE  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**

and

**U.S. BANK TRUST COMPANY, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,**

as Trustee

Dated as of December 1, 2024

relating to

**HILLCREST PRESERVE  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT  
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS**

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Credit Facility issued with respect to any such Bonds, as required under the terms of the corresponding Credit Facility Agreement, all in the manner hereinafter provided, and the District further hereby agrees with and covenants unto the Trustee as follows:

**ARTICLE I**  
**DEFINITIONS**

In this Master Indenture and any indenture supplemental hereto (except as otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires) terms defined in the recitals hereto shall have the same meaning throughout this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures, and in addition, the following terms shall have the meanings specified below:

"Account" shall mean any account or subaccount therein established pursuant to this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures.

"Acquisition Agreement" shall mean one or more improvement acquisition agreements between the District and a Landowner, pursuant to which the Landowner agrees to provide, design, construct and sell to the District, and the District agrees to purchase from the Landowner, all or a portion of a Project.

"Acquisition and Construction Fund" shall mean the Fund so designated and established pursuant to Section 5.01 hereof.

"Act" shall mean the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time, and any successor statute thereto.

"Annual Budget" shall mean the District's budget of current operating and maintenance expenses for the Project for a Fiscal Year, as the same may be amended from time to time, adopted in accordance with the provisions hereof.

"Arbitrage Certificate" shall mean the certificate of the District delivered at the time of issuance of a Series of Bonds setting forth the expectations of the District with respect to the use of the proceeds of such Series and also containing certain covenants of the District in order to achieve compliance with the Code relating to the tax-status of the Bonds.

"Authenticating Agent" shall mean the agent so described in, and appointed pursuant to, Section 2.03 of this Master Indenture.

"Authorized Denomination" shall mean, unless provided otherwise in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, with respect to each Series of Bonds, a denomination of \$5,000 and integral multiples of \$5,000 in excess thereof.

"Authorized Newspaper" shall mean a newspaper printed in English and customarily published at least once a day at least five days a week and generally circulated in New York, New York, or such other cities as the District from time to time may determine by written notice provided to the Trustee. When successive publications in an Authorized Newspaper are required, they may be made in the same or different Authorized Newspapers.

THIS MASTER TRUST INDENTURE, dated as of December 1, 2024 (the "Master Indenture"), by and between HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (together with its permitted successors and assigns, the "District" or the "Issuer"), a local unit of special-purpose government organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, and U.S. BANK TRUST COMPANY, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, a national banking association duly organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America and having a corporate trust office in Orlando, Florida (said national banking association and any bank or trust company becoming successor trustee under this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures (as hereinafter defined) being hereinafter referred to as the "Trustee");

**WITNESSETH:**

WHEREAS, the District is a local unit of special purpose government duly organized and existing under the provisions of the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Act"), created pursuant to Ordinance No. 23-18 (the "Ordinance") enacted by the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida (the "County"), which became effective on May 25, 2023, for the purposes of delivering community development services and facilities to property to be served by the District (as defined below); and

WHEREAS, the premises governed by the District (as further described in Exhibit A hereto, the "District Lands") currently consist of approximately 591.886 acres of land located within an unincorporated area of the County; and

WHEREAS, the District has determined to undertake, in one or more stages, the planning, financing, construction and/or acquisition of certain public infrastructure improvements pursuant to the Act, for the special benefit of the District Lands (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the District proposes to finance or refinance, as the case may be, the costs of the Project by the issuance of one or more series of bonds pursuant to this Master Indenture;

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS MASTER INDENTURE WITNESSETH, that to provide for the issuance of Bonds (as hereinafter defined) under this Master Indenture, as supplemented from time to time by one or more Supplemental Indentures (as hereinafter defined), the security and payment of the principal, redemption or purchase price thereof (as the case may be) and interest thereon, any reimbursement due to a Credit Facility Issuer (hereinafter defined), if any, for any drawing on its Credit Facility (hereinafter defined), as required under the terms of the corresponding Credit Facility Agreement (hereinafter defined), the rights of the Owners of the Bonds of a Series (as hereinafter defined) and the performance and observance of all of the covenants contained herein and in said Bonds and in any Credit Facility Agreement for and in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained and of the purchase and acceptance of the Bonds of a Series by the Owners thereof, from time to time, the issuance by any Credit Facility Issuer of its Credit Facility, from time to time, and of the acceptance by the Trustee of the trusts hereby created, and intending to be legally bound hereby, the District hereby assigns, transfers, sets over and pledges to the Trustee and grants a lien on all of the right, title and interest of the District in and to the Pledged Revenues (hereinafter defined) as security for the payment of the principal, redemption or purchase price of (as the case may be) and interest on Bonds of a Series issued hereunder and any reimbursement due to any Credit Facility Issuer for any drawing on its

"Beneficial Owner" shall mean the Person treated as the owner of Bonds for federal income tax purposes while the Bonds are registered in the name of Cede & Co., as the nominee of DTC. The Trustee is authorized to recognize the Beneficial Owners of a Series of Bonds for purposes of approvals, consents or other actions taken hereunder or under a Supplemental Indenture if beneficial ownership is proven to the satisfaction of the Trustee.

"Board" shall mean the Board of Supervisors of the District.

"Bond Counsel" shall mean Counsel of nationally recognized standing in matters pertaining to the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on obligations issued by states and their political subdivisions.

"Bond Redemption Fund" shall mean the Fund so designated and established pursuant to Section 6.06 hereof.

"Bond Register" shall have the meaning specified in Section 2.04 of this Master Indenture.

"Bondholder," "Holder of Bonds," "Holder," or "Owner" or any similar term shall mean any Person or Persons who shall be the registered owner of any Outstanding Bond or Bonds, as evidenced on the Bond Register of the District kept by the Registrar.

"Bonds" shall mean the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District Special Assessment Bonds, issued in one or more Series pursuant to the provisions of this Master Indenture and one or more Supplemental Indentures, and Bonds subsequently issued to refund all or a portion of such aforementioned Bonds. If the District determines to issue bond anticipation notes to be secured in whole or in part by a lien on the net proceeds of Bonds to be issued under this Master Indenture, the term "Bonds" shall apply to such short-term notes, but only to the extent the Supplemental Indenture relating to such bond anticipation notes so provides.

"Business Day" shall mean any day other than a Saturday or Sunday or legal holiday or a day on which the office of the District or designated corporate office of the Trustee, the Registrar or any Paying Agent is closed, or a day on which the New York Stock Exchange is closed.

"Certified Public Accountant" shall mean a Person, who shall be Independent, appointed by the Board, actively engaged in the business of public accounting and duly certified as a certified public accountant under the laws of the State.

"Certified Resolution" or "Certified Resolution of the District" shall mean a copy of one or more resolutions certified by the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the District, under its seal, to have been duly adopted by the Board and to be in full force and effect as of the date of such certification.

"Code" shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the applicable United States Treasury Department regulations promulgated thereunder.

"Completion Date" shall have the meaning given to such term in Section 5.01 of this Master Indenture.

"Consultant" shall mean a Person, who shall be Independent, appointed by the Board, qualified to pass upon questions relating to municipal entities and having a favorable reputation for skill and experience in the financial affairs of municipal entities.

"Consultant's Certificate" shall mean a certificate or a report prepared in accordance with then applicable professional standards duly executed by a Consultant.

"Consulting Engineer" shall mean the Independent engineer or engineering firm or corporation at the time employed by the District under the provisions of Section 9.21 of this Master Indenture to perform and carry out duties imposed on the Consulting Engineer by this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indentures. The Independent engineer or engineering firm or corporation at the time serving as the engineer to the District may serve as Consulting Engineer under this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indentures.

"Continuing Disclosure Agreement" shall mean a Continuing Disclosure Agreement, by and among the District, the dissemination agent named therein and any Landowner that is the owner of at least twenty percent (20%) of the District Lands that have been determined by the District to be lands benefited by the Project or portion thereof financed with the proceeds of a Series of Bonds or is responsible for payment of at least twenty percent (20%) of the Special Assessments levied and collected on all or a portion of the District Lands with respect to the Project or portion thereof financed by such Series of Bonds, and any other Obligated Person(s) under the Rule, in connection with the issuance of one or more Series of Bonds hereunder, pursuant to the requirements of the Rule.

"Cost" or "Costs," in connection with the Project or any portion thereof, shall mean all expenses which are properly chargeable thereto under Generally Accepted Accounting Principles or which are incidental to the planning, financing, acquisition, construction, reconstruction, equipping and installation thereof, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing:

- (a) expenses of determining the feasibility or practicability of acquisition, construction, or reconstruction of the Project;
- (b) cost of surveys, estimates, plans, and specifications;
- (c) cost of improvements;
- (d) engineering, architectural, fiscal, legal, accounting and other professional and advisory expenses and charges;
- (e) cost of all labor, materials, machinery, and equipment (including, without limitation, (i) amounts payable to contractors, builders and materialmen and costs incident to the award of contracts and (ii) the cost of labor, facilities and services furnished by the District and its employees, materials and supplies purchased by the District and permits and licenses obtained by the District);
- (f) cost of all lands, properties, rights, easements, and franchises acquired;
- (g) financing charges;

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In connection with the refunding or redeeming of any Bonds, "Cost" includes, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the items listed in (d), (k), (l) and (m) above, and other expenses related to the redemption of the Bonds to be redeemed and the Redemption Price of such Bonds (and the accrued interest payable on redemption to the extent not otherwise provided for). Whenever Costs are required to be itemized, such itemization shall, to the extent practicable, correspond with the items listed above. Whenever Costs are to be paid hereunder, such payment may be made by way of reimbursement to the District or any other Person who has paid the same in addition to direct payment of Costs.

"Counsel" shall mean an attorney-at-law or law firm (who may be counsel for the District) with expertise in the related matters.

"County" shall mean Pasco County, Florida.

"Credit Facility" shall mean any credit enhancement mechanism such as an irrevocable letter of credit, a surety bond, a policy of municipal bond insurance, a corporate or other guaranty, a purchase agreement, a credit agreement or deficiency agreement or other similar facility applicable to the Bonds, as established pursuant to a Supplemental Indenture, pursuant to which the entity providing such facility agrees to provide funds to make payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Master Indenture, the Bonds may be issued without a Credit Facility; the decision to provide a Credit Facility in respect of any Bonds shall be within the absolute discretion of the Board.

"Credit Facility Agreement" shall mean any agreement pursuant to which a Credit Facility Issuer issues a Credit Facility.

"Credit Facility Issuer" shall mean the issuer or guarantor of any Credit Facility.

"Debt Service Fund" shall mean the Fund so designated which is established pursuant to Section 6.04 hereof.

"Debt Service Requirements" with reference to a specified period, shall mean:

- (a) interest payable on the Bonds during such period, subject to reduction for amounts held as capitalized interest in the Funds and Accounts established under this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indentures;
- (b) amounts required to be paid into any mandatory sinking fund account with respect to the Bonds during such period; and
- (c) amounts required to pay the principal of the Bonds maturing during such period and not to be redeemed prior to or at maturity through any sinking fund account.

For any Bonds that bear interest at a variable rate, the interest payable for a specified period shall be determined as if such Bonds bear interest at the maximum rate provided for in the applicable Supplemental Indenture and if no maximum rate is provided for in the Supplemental Indenture, the maximum rate shall be 12% per annum.

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- (h) creation of initial reserve and debt service funds;
- (i) working capital;
- (j) interest charges incurred or estimated to be incurred on money borrowed prior to and during construction and acquisition and for such reasonable period of time after completion of construction or acquisition as the Board may determine and as approved by Bond Counsel;
- (k) the cost of issuance of Bonds, including, without limitation, advertisements and printing;
- (l) the cost of any election held pursuant to the Act and all other expenses of issuance of bonds;
- (m) the discount, if any, on the sale or exchange of Bonds;
- (n) amounts required to repay temporary or bond anticipation loans made to finance any costs permitted under the Act;
- (o) costs of prior improvements performed by the District in anticipation of the Project;
- (p) costs incurred to enforce remedies against contractors, subcontractors, any provider of labor, material, services, or any other Person, for a default or breach under the corresponding contract, or in connection with any other dispute;
- (q) premiums for contract bonds and insurance during construction and costs on account of personal injuries and property damage in the course of construction and insurance against the same;
- (r) payments, contributions, dedications, and any other exactions required as a condition to receive any government approval or permit necessary to accomplish any District purpose;
- (s) administrative expenses;
- (t) taxes, assessments and similar governmental charges during construction or reconstruction of the Project;
- (u) expenses of Project management and supervision;
- (v) costs of effecting compliance with any and all governmental permits relating to the Project;
- (w) such other expenses as may be necessary or incidental to the acquisition, construction, or reconstruction of the Project or to the financing thereof; and
- (x) any other "cost" or expense as provided by the Act.

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"Debt Service Reserve Fund" shall mean the Fund so designated which is established pursuant to Section 6.05 hereof.

"Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy" shall mean the insurance policy, surety bond or other evidence of insurance, if any, deposited to the credit of the Debt Service Reserve Fund or any Account or subaccount therein in lieu of or in partial substitution for cash or securities on deposit therein, which policy, bond or the evidence of insurance constitutes an unconditional senior obligation of the issuer thereof. The issuer thereof shall be a municipal bond insurer whose obligations ranking *pari passu* with its obligations under such policy, bond or other evidence of insurance are rated at the time of deposit of such policy, bond or other evidence of insurance to the credit of the Debt Service Reserve Fund or any Account or subaccount therein in one of the three highest rating categories, without regard to gradations, of both Moody's and S&P, unless otherwise approved by the Credit Facility Issuer, if any, who has issued a Credit Facility with respect to the Bonds.

"Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit" shall mean the irrevocable, transferable letter or line of credit, if any, deposited for the credit of the Debt Service Reserve Fund or any Account or subaccount therein in lieu of or in partial substitution for cash or securities on deposit therein, which letter or line of credit constitutes an unconditional senior obligation of the issuer thereof. The issuer of such letter or line of credit shall be a banking association, bank or trust company or branch thereof whose senior debt obligations ranking *pari passu* with its obligations under such letter or line of credit are rated at the time of deposit of the letter or line of credit to the credit of the Debt Service Reserve Fund or any Account or subaccount therein in one of the three highest rating categories (without regard to gradations) of both Moody's and S&P, unless otherwise approved by the Credit Facility Issuer, if any, who has issued a Credit Facility with respect to the Bonds.

"Debt Service Reserve Requirement" shall mean, for each Series of Bonds, unless a different requirement shall be specified in a Supplemental Indenture, an amount equal to the lesser of (i) the maximum annual Debt Service Requirements for the Outstanding Bonds of such Series, (ii) 125% of the average annual Debt Service Requirements for the Outstanding Bonds of such Series, and (iii) 10% of the original proceeds (within the meaning of the Code) of the Bonds of such Series.

"Defeasance Securities" shall mean, to the extent permitted by law, (a) cash, or (b) non-callable Government Obligations.

"District" shall mean the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District.

"District Lands" shall mean the premises governed by the District, consisting of approximately 591.886 acres of land located within Pasco, County, Florida, as more fully described in Exhibit A hereto, as may be subsequently amended.

"District Manager" shall mean the then District Manager or acting District Manager of the District.

"Electronic Means" shall mean telecopy, facsimile transmission, email transmission or other similar electronic means of communicating providing evidence of transmission.

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"Event of Default" shall mean any of the events described in Section 10.02 hereof.

"Fiscal Year" shall mean the period of twelve (12) months beginning October 1 of each calendar year and ending on September 30 of the following calendar year, and also shall mean the period from actual execution hereof to and including the next succeeding September 30; or such other consecutive twelve-month period as may hereafter be established pursuant to a Certified Resolution as the fiscal year of the District for budgeting and accounting purposes as authorized by law.

"Fitch" shall mean Fitch Ratings, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, its successors and assigns, and if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating agency, "Fitch" shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating agency designated by the District.

"Fund" shall mean any fund established pursuant to this Master Indenture.

"Funding Agreement" shall mean, if applicable, one or more capital funding agreements between the District and a Landowner, pursuant to which such Landowner agrees to advance moneys, from time to time, to the District for deposit into the appropriate Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund, so that there are sufficient moneys on deposit therein (taking into account proceeds from the applicable Series of Bonds) to complete the Project or portion thereof. Any obligation on the part of the District to repay such advances made by the Landowner shall be subordinate to the payment of the Bonds.

"Generally Accepted Accounting Principles" shall mean those accounting principles applicable in the preparation of financial statements of municipalities.

"Government Obligations" shall mean direct obligations of, or obligations the timely payment of principal of and interest on which are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America.

"Indenture" shall mean, with respect to any Series of Bonds, this Master Indenture as supplemented by the Supplemental Indenture pursuant to which such Series of Bonds is issued.

"Independent" shall mean a Person who is not a member of the District's Board, an officer or employee of the District or a Landowner, or which is not a partnership, corporation or association having a partner, director, officer, member or substantial stockholder who is a member of the District's Board, or an officer or employee of the District; provided, however, that the fact that such Person is retained regularly by or regularly transacts business with the District or a Landowner shall not make such Person an employee within the meaning of this definition.

"In Kind Payment" shall mean an in kind prepayment made by or on behalf of any Landowner of Special Assessments levied against such Landowner's property by the surrender and cancellation of a principal amount of Bonds of a Series equal to the principal amount of the Special Assessments levied by the District against such property for the purpose of paying the Debt Service Requirements on the Series of Bonds to be prepaid, all in accordance with the provisions of Section 9.08(c) of this Master Indenture.

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or property casualty insurance company) the long-term debt of which, or, in the case of a financial guaranty insurance company, claims paying ability, of the guarantor is rated at least "AA" by S&P and "Aa" by Moody's provided that the repurchase agreement shall provide that if during its term the provider's rating by either S&P or Moody's falls below "AA-" or "Aa3," respectively, the provider shall immediately notify the Trustee and the provider shall at its option, within ten (10) calendar days of receipt of publication of such downgrade, either (A) maintain collateral at levels, sufficient to maintain an "AA" rated investment from S&P and an "Aa" rated investment from Moody's, or (B) repurchase all collateral and terminate the repurchase agreement. Further, if the provider's rating by either S&P or Moody's falls below "A-" or "A3," respectively, the provider must promptly notify the District and the Trustee of such downgrade and at the direction by the District to the Trustee, within ten (10) calendar days, either (1) maintain collateral at levels sufficient to maintain an "AA" rated investment from S&P and an "Aa" rated investment from Moody's, or (2) repurchase all collateral and terminate the repurchase agreement without penalty. In the event the repurchase agreement provider has not satisfied the above conditions within ten (10) Business Days of the date such conditions apply, then the repurchase agreement shall provide that the Trustee shall be entitled to, and in such event, the Trustee shall, provided it has been provided with notice of such downgrade, withdraw the entire amount invested plus accrued interest within two (2) Business Days after receipt of such notice. Any repurchase agreement entered into pursuant to this Indenture shall contain the following additional provisions:

(a) Failure to maintain the requisite collateral percentage will require the District or the Trustee to liquidate the collateral as provided above;

(b) The Holder of the Collateral, as hereinafter defined, shall have possession of the collateral or the collateral shall have been transferred to the Holder of the Collateral, in accordance with applicable state and federal laws (other than by means of entries on the transferor's books);

(c) The repurchase agreement shall state and an opinion of Counsel in form and in substance satisfactory to the District and addressed to the District and Trustee shall be rendered that the Holder of the collateral has a perfected first priority security interest in the collateral, any substituted collateral and all proceeds thereof (in the case of bearer securities, this means the Holder of the Collateral is in possession);

(d) The repurchase agreement shall be a "repurchase agreement" as defined in the United States Bankruptcy Code and, if the provider is a domestic bank, a "qualified financial contract" as defined in the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989 ("FIRREA") and such bank is subject to FIRREA;

(e) The repurchase transaction shall be in the form of a written agreement, and such agreement shall require the provider to give written notice to the Trustee of any change in its long-term debt rating;

(f) The District or its designee shall represent that it has no knowledge of any fraud involved in the repurchase transaction;

"Interest Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate account within the Debt Service Fund pursuant to Section 6.04 hereof.

"Interest Payment Date" shall mean, unless otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, each May 1 and November 1 commencing on the date specified in the Certified Resolution of the District or in the Supplemental Indenture pursuant to which a Series of Bonds is issued.

"Investment Securities" shall mean and include any of the following securities, if and to the extent that such securities are legal investments for funds of the District:

(i) Government Obligations;

(ii) obligations of any of the following agencies: Government National Mortgage Association (including participation certificates issued by such association); Fannie Mae (including participation certificates issued by such entity); Federal Home Loan Banks; Federal Farm Credit Banks; Tennessee Valley Authority; Farmers Home Administration; Student Loan Marketing Association; Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation or other similar governmental sponsored entities;

(iii) deposits, Federal funds or bankers' acceptances (with term to maturity of 270 days or less) of any bank which, at the time of deposit, has an unsecured, uninsured and unguaranteed obligation rated in one of the top two rating categories by both Moody's and S&P;

(iv) commercial paper (having maturities of not more than 270 days) rated in the top two rating category by both Moody's and S&P at the time of purchase;

(v) municipal securities issued by any state or commonwealth of the United States or political subdivision thereof or constituted authority thereof including, but not limited to, municipal corporations, school districts and other special districts, the interest on which is exempt from federal income taxation under Section 103 of the Code and rated A- or higher by Moody's, Fitch or S&P at the time of purchase;

(vi) both (A) shares of a diversified open-end management investment company (as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940) or a regulated investment company (as defined in Section 851(a) of the Code) that is a money market fund that is rated in the highest rating category for such funds by both Moody's and S&P, and (B) shares of money market mutual funds that invest only in Government Obligations and obligations of any of the following agencies: Government National Mortgage Association (including participation certificates issued by such association); Fannie Mae (including participation certificates issued by such entity); Federal Home Loan Banks; Federal Farm Credit Banks; Tennessee Valley Authority; Farmers Home Administration; Student Loan Marketing Association; Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations, which funds are rated in the highest categories for such funds by both Moody's and S&P at the time of purchase;

(vii) repurchase agreements, which will be collateralized at the onset of the repurchase agreement of at least 103% marked to market weekly by the Holder of the Collateral (as defined herein) with collateral with a domestic or foreign bank or corporation (other than life

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(g) The District and the Trustee shall receive the opinion of Counsel (which opinion shall be addressed to the District and the Trustee and shall be in form and substance satisfactory to the District) that such repurchase agreement complies with the terms of this section and is legal, valid, binding and enforceable upon the provider in accordance with its terms;

(h) The term of the repurchase agreement shall be no longer than ten (10) years;

(i) The interest with respect to the repurchase transaction shall be payable at the times and in the amounts necessary in order to make funds available when required under an applicable Supplemental Indenture;

(j) The repurchase agreement shall provide that the Trustee may withdraw funds without penalty at any time, or from time to time, for any purpose permitted or required under this Indenture;

(k) Any repurchase agreement shall provide that a perfected security interest in such investments is created for the benefit of the Beneficial Owners under the Uniform Commercial Code of Florida, or book-entry procedures prescribed at 31 C.F.R. 306.1 et seq., or 31 C.F.R. 350.0 et seq., are created for the benefit of the Beneficial Owners; and

(l) The collateral delivered or transferred to the District, the Trustee, or a third-party acceptable to, and acting solely as agent for, the Trustee (the "Holder of the Collateral") shall be delivered and transferred in compliance with applicable state and federal laws (other than by means of entries on provider's books) free and clear of any third-party liens or claims pursuant to a custodial agreement subject to the prior written approval of the Majority Holders and the Trustee. The custodial agreement shall provide that the Trustee must have disposition or control over the collateral of the repurchase agreement, irrespective of an event of default by the provider of such repurchase agreement.

If such investments are held by a third-party, they shall be held as agent for the benefit of the Trustee as trustee for the Beneficial Owners and not as agent for the bank serving as Trustee in its commercial capacity or any other party and shall be segregated from securities owned generally by such third party or bank;

(viii) investment agreements with a bank, insurance company or other financial institution, or the subsidiary of a bank, insurance company or other financial institution if the parent guarantees the investment agreement, which bank, insurance company, financial institution or parent has an unsecured, uninsured and unguaranteed obligation (or claims-paying ability) rated in the highest short-term rating category by Fitch, Moody's or S&P (if the term of such agreement does not exceed 365 days), or has an unsecured, uninsured and unguaranteed obligation (or claims paying ability) rated Aa2 or better by Moody's and AA or better by S&P or Fitch (if the term of such agreement is more than 365 days) or is the lead bank of a parent bank holding company with an unsecured, unsecured and unguaranteed obligation of the aforesaid ratings, provided:

(a) interest is paid on any date interest is due on the Bonds (not more frequently than quarterly) at a fixed rate (subject to adjustments for yield restrictions required by the Code) during the entire term of the agreement;

(b) moneys invested thereunder may be withdrawn without penalty, premium, or charge upon not more than two (2) Business Days' notice unless otherwise specified in a Supplemental Indenture;

(c) the same guaranteed interest rate will be paid on any future deposits made to restore the account to its required amount; and

(d) the Trustee receives an opinion of Counsel that such agreement is an enforceable obligation of such insurance company, bank, financial institution or parent;

In the event of a suspension, withdrawal, or downgrade below Aa3, AA- or AA- by Moody's, S&P or Fitch, respectively, the provider shall notify the Trustee within five (5) Business Days of such downgrade event and the provider shall at its option, within ten (10) Business Days after notice is given to the Trustee take any one of the following actions:

(1) collateralize the agreement at levels, sufficient to maintain an "AA" rated investment from S&P or Fitch and an "Aa2" from Moody's with a market to market approach, or

(2) assign the agreement to another provider, as long as the minimum rating criteria of "AA" rated investment from S&P or Fitch and an "Aa2" from Moody's with a market to market approach; or

(3) have the agreement guaranteed by a provider which results in a minimum rating criteria of an "AA" rated investment from S&P or Fitch and an "Aa2" from Moody's with a market to market approach; or

(4) repay all amounts due and owing under the agreement.

In the event the provider has not satisfied any one of the above condition within three (3) days of the date such conditions apply, then the agreement shall provide that the Trustee shall be entitled to withdraw the entire amount invested plus accrued interest without penalty or premium.

(ix) bonds, notes and other debt obligations of any corporation organized under the laws of the United States, any state or organized territory of the United States or the District of Columbia, if such obligations are, at the time of purchase, rated "A-" or better by at least two (2) of the following rating agencies: Moody's, S&P or Fitch or "AA-" or better by either S&P or Fitch or "Aa-" or better by Moody's;

(x) the Local Government Surplus Funds Trust Fund as described in Florida Statutes, Section 218.405 or the corresponding provisions of subsequent laws provided that such fund, at the time of purchase, is rated at least "AA" by S&P (without regard to gradation) or at least "Aa" by Moody's (without regard to gradation);

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(b) Bonds for the payment, redemption or purchase of which moneys and/or Defeasance Securities, the principal of and interest on which, when due, will provide sufficient moneys to fully pay such Bonds in accordance with Article XIV hereof, shall have been or shall concurrently be deposited with the Trustee; provided that, if such Bonds are being redeemed, the required notice of redemption shall have been given or provision shall have been made therefor, and that if such Bonds are being purchased, there shall be a firm commitment for the purchase and sale thereof; and

(c) Bonds in substitution for which other Bonds have been authenticated and delivered pursuant to Article II hereof.

In determining whether the Holders of a requisite aggregate principal amount of Bonds Outstanding of a Series have concurred in any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent or waiver under the provisions of the Indenture, Bonds of such Series which are actually known by a Responsible Officer of the Trustee to be held by or on behalf of the District shall be disregarded for the purpose of any such determination, unless all of the Bonds of such Series are held by or on behalf of the District; provided, however, this provision does not affect the right of the Trustee to deal in Bonds as set forth in Section 11.09 hereof.

"Participating Underwriter" shall mean any of the original underwriters of the Bonds required to comply with the Rule in connection with the offering of the Bonds.

"Paying Agent" shall mean initially U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, and thereafter any successor thereto appointed in accordance with Section 11.20 of this Master Indenture.

"Person" shall mean any individual, corporation, partnership, association, joint-stock company, trust, unincorporated organization, governmental body, political subdivision, municipality, municipal authority or any other group or organization of individuals.

"Pledged Revenues" shall mean, unless otherwise provided by Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, with respect to each Series of Bonds Outstanding, (a) all revenues received by the District from Special Assessments levied and collected on all or a portion of the District Lands with respect to the Project or portion thereof financed by such Series of Bonds, including, without limitation, amounts received from any foreclosure proceeding for the enforcement of collection of such Special Assessments or from the issuance and sale of tax certificates with respect to such Special Assessments, and (b) all moneys on deposit in the Funds and Accounts established under the Indenture for, or otherwise expressly allocated to, such Series of Bonds; provided, however, that Pledged Revenues shall not include (i) any moneys transferred to the Rebate Fund, or investment earnings thereon and (ii) "special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.022 of the Act for maintenance purposes or "maintenance special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.021(3) of the Act (it being expressly understood that the lien and pledge of the Indenture shall not apply to any of the moneys described in the foregoing clauses (i) and (ii) of this proviso).

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(xi) in addition to the deposits described in subsection (iii) above in the definition of Investment Securities, time deposits, demand deposits or certificate of deposit of any depository institution or trust company incorporated under the law of the United States of America or any State (or any domestic branch of a foreign bank) and subject to supervision and examination by Federal or State depository institution authority (including the Trustee); provided, however, that at the time of the investment, short-term unsecured debt obligations hereof shall have a credit rating in the highest rating category by S&P or Moody's; and

(xii) other investments permitted by Florida law and directed by the District.

The Trustee shall be entitled to conclusively rely that any investment directed by the District is permitted under the Indenture, and a legal investment for funds of the District.

"Landowner" shall mean any owner of District Lands encumbered by Special Assessments.

"Major Non-Recurring Expense" shall mean the cost of major replacement or reconstruction of the Project, or any part thereof, the cost of major repairs, renewals or replacements, the provision of a reserve for the payment of insurance premiums not due on an annual or more frequent basis, and the cost of studies, surveys, estimates and investigations in connection with any of the foregoing.

"Majority Holders" shall mean the Beneficial Owners of more than fifty percent (50%) of the principal amount of the applicable Series of Bonds then Outstanding.

"Majority Landowner" shall mean, for purposes of this Master Indenture, any person or entity, including all affiliated persons and/or entities thereof, which collectively own more than fifty percent (50%) of the District Lands.

"Master Indenture" shall mean, this Master Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024, by and between the District and the Trustee, as amended and or supplemented in accordance with the provisions of Article XIII hereof.

"Moody's" shall mean Moody's Investors Service, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, its successors and assigns, and, if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating agency, "Moody's" shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating agency designated by the District.

"Officers' Certificate" or "Officer's Certificate" shall mean a certificate, duly executed by a Responsible Officer and delivered to the Trustee.

"Outstanding," in connection with a Series of Bonds, shall mean, as of the time in question, all Bonds of such Series authenticated and delivered under the Indenture, except:

(a) all Bonds theretofore cancelled or required to be cancelled under Section 2.07 hereof;

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"Prepayment" shall mean the payment by any owner of Property of the amount of Special Assessments encumbering its property, in whole or in part, prior to its scheduled due date. A Landowner may make a Prepayment in kind pursuant to the provisions of Section 9.08 hereof.

"Principal Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate account within the Debt Service Fund pursuant to Section 6.04 hereof.

"Project" shall mean with respect to any Series of Bonds, the design, acquisition, construction, equipping and/or improvement of certain public infrastructure improvements consisting of, but not limited to, roadway improvements; water, sewer and irrigation systems; stormwater management; landscaping, entry features and recreational improvements; undergrounding differential costs of utilities; acquisition of certain interests in land; and related incidental costs, all as more specifically described in the Supplemental Indenture relating to such Series of Bonds; provided that a Project shall specially benefit all of the District Lands on which Special Assessments to secure such Series of Bonds have been levied.

"Project Documents" shall mean all permits, drawings, plans and specifications, contracts and other instruments and rights relating to the Project and the development assigned by the developer(s) of the District Lands to the District pursuant to a collateral assignment.

"Property Appraiser" shall mean the property appraiser of the County.

"Property Appraiser and Tax Collector Agreement" shall mean the Property Appraiser and Tax Collector Agreement described in Section 9.04 hereof.

"Rebate Fund" shall mean the Fund so designated, which is established pursuant to Section 6.11 of this Master Indenture.

"Record Date" shall mean, as the case may be, the applicable Regular or Special Record Date.

"Redemption Price" shall mean the principal amount of any Bond of a Series plus the applicable premium, if any, payable upon redemption thereof pursuant to the Indenture.

"Registered Owner" shall mean the person or entity in whose name or names any Bond is registered on the books maintained by the Registrar.

"Registrar" shall mean initially U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, which entity shall have the responsibilities set forth in Section 2.04 of this Master Indenture, and thereafter any successor thereto appointed in accordance with Section 11.20 of this Master Indenture.

"Regular Record Date" shall mean the fifteenth day (whether or not a Business Day) of the calendar month next preceding each Interest Payment Date or the date on which the principal of a Bond is to be paid, unless provided otherwise in any Supplemental Indenture.

"Regulatory Body" shall mean and include (a) the United States of America and any department of or corporation, agency or instrumentality heretofore or hereafter created, designated

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or established by the United States of America, (b) the State, any political subdivision thereof and any department of or corporation, agency or instrumentality heretofore or hereafter created, designated or established by the State, (c) the County and any department of or corporation, agency or instrumentality heretofore or hereafter created, designated or established by the County, and (d) any other public body, whether federal, state or local or otherwise having regulatory jurisdiction and authority over the District.

"Responsible Officer" shall mean (1) with respect to the District, any member of the Board or any other officer of the District, including the Secretary or other person designated by Certified Resolution of the District, a copy of which shall be on file with the Trustee, to act for any of the foregoing, either generally or with respect to the execution of any particular document or other specific matter and (2) with respect to the Trustee, Registrar or Paying Agent, any officer within the corporate trust department of the Trustee, Registrar or Paying Agent, as applicable, including any vice president, assistant vice president, assistant secretary, assistant treasurer, trust officer or any other officer who customarily performs functions similar to those performed by the persons who at the time shall be such officers, respectively, or to whom any corporate trust matter is referred because of such person's knowledge of and familiarity with the particular subject and who shall have direct responsibility for the administration of this Indenture.

"Revenue Fund" shall mean the Fund so designated which is established pursuant to Section 6.03 hereof.

"Rule" shall mean Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same may be amended from time to time.

"S&P" shall mean S&P Global Ratings, a division of S&P Global Inc., and its successors and assigns, and, if such entity shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating agency, "S&P" shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating agency designated by the District.

"Series" shall mean all of the Bonds authenticated and delivered at one time on original issuance and pursuant to any Certified Resolution of the District authorizing such Bonds as a separate Series of Bonds, or any Bonds thereafter authenticated and delivered in lieu of or in substitution for such Bonds pursuant to Article II hereof and the applicable Supplemental Indenture, regardless of variations in maturity, interest rate or other provisions; provided, however, two or more Series of Bonds may be issued simultaneously under the same Supplemental Indenture if designated as separate Series of Bonds by the District upon original issuance. Two or more Series or sub-Series of Bonds may be issued simultaneously under separate Supplemental Indentures, but under this Master Indenture. As may be provided by subsequent proceedings of the District, one or more Series of Bonds or sub-Series Bonds, whether issued at the same time or not, may be separately secured by Special Assessments imposed pursuant to separate assessment proceedings. Such Bonds or sub-Series of Bonds which are secured by separate Special Assessments will not be issued as parity bonds even if issued at the same time.

"Series Account" shall mean any Account established as to a particular Series of Bonds.

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## ARTICLE II THE BONDS

SECTION 2.01. Amounts and Terms of Bonds; Details of Bonds. The District is hereby authorized to issue in one or more Series pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Master Indenture, its obligations to be known as "Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District Special Assessment Bonds, Series \_\_\_\_" (the "Bonds"). The total principal amount of Bonds that may be issued and Outstanding under this Master Indenture is not limited, but shall be subject to any conditions and/or limitations (i) set forth in a Supplemental Indenture and (ii) under State law. The Bonds shall be issued in Authorized Denominations and within each Series shall be numbered consecutively from R-1 and upwards in each Series and in substantially the form attached set forth in the Supplemental Indenture authorizing such Bonds. All Bonds shall be issued only upon satisfaction of the conditions set forth in Article III hereof; and the Trustee shall, at the District's request, authenticate such Bonds and deliver them as specified in such request.

Each Bond shall be dated, shall have such Interest Payment Dates, shall bear interest from such date or dates and at such rate or rates until the maturity thereof, payable on such Interest Payment Dates, and shall be stated to mature (subject to the right of prior redemption), all as provided in, or pursuant to, a Supplemental Indenture.

Both the principal of and the interest on the Bonds shall be payable in any coin or currency of the United States of America which is legal tender on the respective dates of payment thereof for the payment of public and private debts. Unless otherwise provided in Section 2.11 hereof or in a Supplemental Indenture, the principal of all Bonds shall be payable at the designated corporate trust office of the Paying Agent upon the presentation and surrender of such Bonds as the same shall become due and payable.

Except to the extent otherwise provided in Section 2.11 hereof or in a Supplemental Indenture, interest on any Bond is payable on any Interest Payment Date by check or draft mailed on the Interest Payment Date to the person in whose name that Bond is registered at the close of business on the Regular Record Date for such Interest Payment Date, at his address as it appears on the Bond Register. The Bonds shall bear interest from the Interest Payment Date next preceding the date on which they are authenticated unless authenticated on an Interest Payment Date in which event they shall bear interest from such Interest Payment Date, or unless authenticated before the first Interest Payment Date in which event they shall bear interest from their date; provided, however, that if a Bond is authenticated between a Record Date and the next succeeding Interest Payment Date, such Bond shall bear interest from such succeeding Interest Payment Date; provided further, however, that if at the time of authentication of any Bond interest thereon is in default, such Bond shall bear interest from the date to which interest has been paid. Any interest on any Bond which is payable, but is not punctually paid or provided for on any Interest Payment Date (hereinafter called "Defaulted Interest") shall be paid to the Owner in whose name the Bond is registered at the close of business on a Special Record Date to be fixed by the Trustee, such date to be not more than fifteen (15) nor less than ten (10) days prior to the date of proposed payment. The Trustee shall cause notice of the proposed payment of such Defaulted Interest and the Special Record Date therefor to be given by Electronic Means or mailed, first-class, postage-prepaid, to each Owner of record as of the fifth (5th) day prior to the giving of such notices, at his address as it appears in the Bond Register on the date of the giving of such notices. The foregoing

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"Sinking Fund Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate account within the Debt Service Fund pursuant to Section 6.04 hereof.

"Special Assessments" shall mean (a) the net proceeds derived from the levy and collection of "special assessments," as provided for in Sections 190.011(14) and 190.022 of the Act against District Lands that are subject to assessment as a result of a particular Project or any portion thereof or against one or more identified Assessment Areas, and (b) the net proceeds derived from the levy and collection of "benefit special assessments," as provided for in Section 190.021(2) of the Act, against the lands within the District that are subject to assessment as a result of a particular Project or any portion thereof, and in the case of both "special assessments" and "benefit special assessments," including the interest and penalties on such assessments, pursuant to all applicable provisions of the Act and Chapter 170, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 197, Florida Statutes (and any successor statutes thereto), including, without limitation, any amount received from any foreclosure proceeding for the enforcement of collection of such assessments or from the issuance and sale of tax certificates with respect to such assessments, less (to the extent applicable) the fees and costs of collection thereof payable to the Tax Collector and less certain administrative costs payable to the Property Appraiser pursuant to the Property Appraiser and Tax Collector Agreement. "Special Assessments" shall not include "special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.022 of the Act for maintenance purposes or "maintenance special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.021(3) of the Act.

"Special Record Date" shall mean such date as shall be fixed for the payment of defaulted interest on the Bonds in accordance with Section 2.01 hereof.

"State" shall mean the State of Florida.

"Supplemental Indenture" and "indenture supplemental hereto" shall mean any indenture amending or supplementing this Master Indenture which may be entered into in accordance with the provisions of this Master Indenture.

"Tax Collector" shall mean the tax collector of the County.

"Trust Accounts" shall mean Funds and Accounts that the Trustee administers as trustee, including, but not limited to, the trusts created by the Indenture for a Series of Bonds.

The words "hereof," "herein," "hereto," "hereby," and "hereunder" (except in the form of Bond), refer to the entire Master Indenture.

Every "request," "requisition," "order," "demand," "application," "notice," "statement," "certificate," "consent," or similar action hereunder by the District shall, unless the form or execution thereof is otherwise specifically provided, be in writing signed by the Responsible Officer of the District.

All words and terms importing the singular number shall, where the context requires, import the plural number and vice versa.

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notwithstanding, but subject to the procedures set forth in Section 2.11 hereof, any Owner of Bonds of a Series in an aggregate principal amount of at least \$1,000,000 shall be entitled to have interest paid by wire transfer to such Owner to the bank account number on file with the Trustee and Paying Agent, upon requesting the same in a writing received by the Trustee and Paying Agent at least fifteen (15) days prior to the relevant Record Date, which writing shall specify the bank, which shall be a bank within the continental United States, and bank account number to which interest payments are to be wired. Any such request for interest payments by wire transfer shall remain in effect until rescinded or changed, in a writing delivered by the Owner to the Trustee and Paying Agent, and any such rescission or change of wire transfer instructions must be received by the Trustee and Paying Agent at least fifteen (15) days prior to the relevant Record Date. Unless provided otherwise in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, interest on the Bonds will be computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months. Unless provided otherwise in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, interest on overdue principal and, to the extent lawful, on overdue interest will be payable at the numerical rate of interest borne by such Bonds on the day before the default occurred.

The Trustee is hereby constituted and appointed as Paying Agent for the Bonds.

SECTION 2.02. Execution. The Bonds shall be executed by the manual or facsimile signature of the Chairperson or Vice Chairperson of the District or by any other member of the Board designated by the Chairperson for such purpose, and the corporate seal of the District shall appear thereon (which may be in facsimile) and shall be attested by the manual or facsimile signature of its Secretary or Assistant Secretary. Bonds executed as above provided may be issued and shall, upon request of the District, be authenticated by the Trustee, notwithstanding that one or both of the officers of the District whose signatures appear on such Bonds shall have ceased to hold office at the time of issuance or authentication or shall not have held office at the date of the Bonds.

SECTION 2.03. Authentication; Authenticating Agent. No Bond shall be valid until the certificate of authentication shall have been duly executed by the Trustee, and such authentication shall be proof that the Bondholder is entitled to the benefit of the trust hereby created. The Trustee shall at all times serve as Authenticating Agent.

SECTION 2.04. Registration and Registrar. The Trustee is hereby constituted and appointed as the Registrar for the Bonds. The Registrar shall act as registrar and transfer agent for the Bonds. The District shall cause to be kept at an office of the Registrar a register (herein sometimes referred to as the "Bond Register" or "Register") in which, subject to the provisions set forth in Section 2.08 below and such other regulations as the District and Registrar may prescribe, the District shall provide for the registration of the Bonds and for the registration of transfers and exchanges of such Bonds. The Trustee shall notify the District in writing of the specific office location (which may be changed from time to time, upon similar notification) at which the Bond Register is kept. Initially, and until the Trustee provides notice to the District as provided in the immediately preceding sentence, the Bond Register shall be kept at the Trustee's corporate trust office in Orlando, Florida.

SECTION 2.05. Mutilated, Destroyed, Lost or Stolen Bonds. If any Bond shall become mutilated, the District shall execute and the Trustee or Authenticating Agent, as the case may be,

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shall thereupon authenticate and deliver a new Bond of like Series, tenor and denomination in exchange and substitution for the Bond so mutilated, but only upon surrender to the Trustee or Authenticating Agent, as the case may be, of such mutilated Bond for cancellation, and the District and the Trustee or Authenticating Agent, as the case may be, may require reasonable indemnity therefor. If any Bond shall be reported lost, stolen or destroyed, evidence as to the ownership and the loss, theft or destruction thereof shall be submitted to the District and the Trustee or Authenticating Agent, as the case may be; and if such evidence shall be satisfactory to both and indemnity satisfactory to both shall be given, the District shall execute, and thereupon the Trustee or Authenticating Agent, as the case may be, shall authenticate and deliver a new Bond of like Series, tenor and denomination. The cost of providing any substitute Bond under the provisions of this Section shall be borne by the Bondholder for whose benefit such substitute Bond is provided. If any such mutilated, lost, stolen or destroyed Bond shall have matured or be about to mature, the District may, with the consent of the Trustee or Authenticating Agent, as the case may be, pay to the Owner the principal amount of and accrued interest on such Bond upon the maturity thereof and compliance with the aforesaid conditions by such Owner, without the issuance of a substitute Bond therefor.

Every substituted Bond issued pursuant to this Section 2.05 shall constitute an additional contractual obligation of the District, whether or not the Bond alleged to have been destroyed, lost or stolen shall be at any time enforceable by anyone, and shall be entitled to all the benefits of this Master Indenture and applicable Supplemental Indenture equally and proportionately with any and all other Bonds of such same Series duly issued hereunder and under such Supplemental Indenture.

All Bonds shall be held and owned upon the express condition that the foregoing provisions are exclusive with respect to the replacement or payment of mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Bonds, and shall preclude any and all other rights or remedies with respect to the replacement or payment of negotiable instruments, investments or other securities without their surrender.

**SECTION 2.06. Temporary Bonds.** Pending preparation of definitive Bonds, or by agreement with the original purchasers of all Bonds, the District may issue and, upon its request, the Trustee shall authenticate in lieu of definitive Bonds one or more temporary printed or typewritten Bonds of substantially the tenor recited above. Upon request of the District, the Trustee shall authenticate definitive Bonds in exchange for and upon surrender of an equal principal amount of temporary Bonds. Until so exchanged, temporary Bonds shall have the same rights, remedies and security heretofore as definitive Bonds. So long as Cede & Co., or any other nominee of DTC is the Registered Owner of the Bonds, the definitive Bonds shall be in typewritten form.

**SECTION 2.07. Cancellation and Destruction of Surrendered Bonds.** All Bonds surrendered for payment or redemption and all Bonds surrendered for exchange shall, at the time of such payment, redemption or exchange, be promptly transferred by the Registrar or Paying Agent or Authenticating Agent to, and cancelled and disposed of by, the Trustee in accordance with its then current procedures. The Trustee shall deliver to the District a certificate of destruction (or other evidence of destruction) in respect of all Bonds destroyed in accordance with this Section.

**SECTION 2.08. Registration, Transfer and Exchange.** As provided in Section 2.04 hereof, the District shall cause a Bond Register in respect of the Bonds to be kept at the designated office of the Registrar.

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Credit Facilities which involve liens on Pledged Revenues on a parity with that of the Bonds or portion thereof which is supported by such Credit Facilities.

**SECTION 2.11. Qualification for The Depository Trust Company.** To the extent provided in a Supplemental Indenture or authorized and directed by a Resolution of the District authorizing the issuance of a Series of Bonds, the Trustee shall be authorized to enter into agreements with The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC") and other depository trust companies, including, but not limited to, agreements necessary for wire transfers of interest and principal payments with respect to the Bonds, utilization of electronic book entry data received from DTC, and other depository trust companies in place of actual delivery of Bonds and provision of notices with respect to Bonds registered by DTC and other depository trust companies (or any of their designees identified to the Trustee) by overnight delivery, courier service, telegram, teletype or other similar means of communication.

So long as there shall be maintained a book-entry-only system with respect to a Series of Bonds, the following provisions shall apply:

Unless provided otherwise in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, each Series of Bonds shall initially be registered in the name of Cede & Co. as nominee for DTC, which will act initially as securities depository for the Bonds and so long as the Bonds are held in book-entry-only form, Cede & Co. shall be considered the Registered Owner for all purposes hereof. On original issue, such Bonds shall be deposited with DTC (or a custodian designated by DTC), which shall be responsible for maintaining a book-entry-only system for recording the ownership interest of its participants ("Direct Participants") and other institutions that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). The Direct Participants and Indirect Participants will be responsible for maintaining records with respect to the beneficial ownership interests of individual purchasers of the Bonds ("Beneficial Owners").

Principal and interest on the Bonds registered in the name of Cede & Co. prior to and at maturity shall be payable directly to Cede & Co. in care of DTC without the need for presentment of such Bonds. Disbursal of such amounts to Direct Participants shall be the responsibility of DTC. Payments by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners shall be the responsibility of Direct Participants and Indirect Participants and not of DTC, the Trustee or the District. DTC shall, acting pursuant to its rules and procedures, reflect in its book entry system partial redemptions of the Bonds and the Trustee shall (i) either exchange the Bond or Bonds held by DTC for a new Bond or Bonds in the appropriate principal amount, if such Bond is presented to the Trustee by DTC, or (ii) obtain from DTC a written confirmation of the reduction in the principal amount of the Bonds held by DTC or the District.

The Bonds registered in the name of Cede & Co. shall initially be issued in the form of one fully registered Bond for each maturity of each Series registered in the name of Cede & Co. and shall be held in such form until maturity. Individuals may purchase beneficial interests in Authorized Denominations in book-entry-only form, without certificated Bonds, through Direct Participants and Indirect Participants.

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Upon surrender for registration of transfer of any Bond at the designated office of the Registrar, and upon compliance with the conditions for the transfer of Bonds set forth in this Section 2.08, the District shall execute and the Trustee (as Authenticating Agent and/or Registrar as described in Section 2.03 and Section 2.04 hereof) shall authenticate and deliver, in the name of the designated transferees, one or more new Bonds of a like aggregate principal amount and of the same Series and maturity.

At the option of the Bondholder, Bonds may be exchanged for other Bonds of a like aggregate principal amount and of the same Series and maturity, upon surrender of the Bonds to be exchanged at any such office of the Registrar. Whenever any Bonds are so surrendered for exchange, the District shall execute and the Trustee (as Authenticating Agent and/or Registrar as described in Section 2.03 and Section 2.04 hereof) shall authenticate and deliver the Bonds which the Bondholder making the exchange is entitled to receive.

All Bonds issued upon any transfer or exchange of Bonds shall be valid obligations of the District, evidencing the same debt and entitled to the same benefits under this Master Indenture and applicable Supplemental Indenture as the Bonds of such Series surrendered upon such transfer or exchange.

Every Bond presented or surrendered for transfer or exchange shall be duly endorsed or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Trustee, Paying Agent or the Registrar, duly executed by the Bondholder or his attorney duly authorized in writing.

Transfers and exchanges shall be made without charge to the Bondholder, except that the District or the Trustee may require payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge that may be imposed in connection with any transfer or exchange of Bonds.

Neither the District nor the Registrar on behalf of the District shall be required (i) to issue, transfer or exchange any Bond during a period beginning at the opening of business fifteen (15) days before the day of giving of a notice of redemption of Bonds selected for redemption and ending at the close of business on the day of giving such notice, or (ii) to transfer or exchange any Bond so selected for redemption in whole or in part.

**SECTION 2.09. Persons Deemed Owners.** The District, the Trustee, any Paying Agent, the Registrar, or the Authenticating Agent shall deem and treat the person in whose name any Bond is registered as the absolute Owner thereof (whether or not such Bond shall be overdue and notwithstanding any notation of ownership or other writing thereon made by anyone other than the District, the Trustee, any Paying Agent, the Registrar or the Authenticating Agent) for the purpose of receiving payment of or on account of the principal or Redemption Price of and interest on such Bond, and for all other purposes, and the District, the Trustee, any Paying Agent, the Registrar and the Authenticating Agent shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary. All such payments so made to any such Owner, or upon his order, shall be valid and, to the extent of the sum or sums so paid, effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability for moneys payable upon any such Bond.

**SECTION 2.10. Limitation on Incurrence of Certain Indebtedness.** The District will not issue Bonds of any Series, except upon the conditions and in the manner provided or as otherwise permitted in the Indenture, provided that the District may enter into agreements with issuers of

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**DURING THE PERIOD FOR WHICH CEDE & CO. IS REGISTERED OWNER OF THE BONDS, ANY NOTICES TO BE PROVIDED TO ANY REGISTERED OWNER WILL BE PROVIDED TO CEDE & CO. DTC SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTICES TO DIRECT PARTICIPANTS AND DIRECT PARTICIPANTS SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTICES TO INDIRECT PARTICIPANTS, AND DIRECT PARTICIPANTS AND INDIRECT PARTICIPANTS SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTICES TO BENEFICIAL OWNERS.**

The District shall enter into a blanket letter of representations with DTC providing for such book-entry-only system. Such agreement may be terminated at any time by either DTC or the District. In the event of such termination, the District shall select another securities depository, and in that event all references herein to DTC or Cede & Co. shall be deemed to be references to their respective successors. If the District does not replace DTC, the Trustee will register and deliver to the Beneficial Owners replacement Bonds in the form of fully registered Bonds in accordance with the instructions from Cede & Co.

In the event DTC, any successor of DTC or the District elects to discontinue the book-entry only system in conformity with the requirements of DTC, the Trustee shall deliver bond certificates in accordance with the instructions from DTC or its successor and after such time Bonds may be exchanged for an equal aggregate principal amount of Bonds in other Authorized Denominations and of the same maturity and Series upon surrender thereof at the corporate trust office of the Trustee.

### ARTICLE III ISSUE OF BONDS

**SECTION 3.01. Issue of Bonds.** Subject to the provisions of Section 2.01 hereof, the District may issue one or more Series of Bonds hereunder and under Supplemental Indentures from time to time for the purpose of financing the Costs of acquisition or construction of the Project or to refund all or a portion of a Series of Bonds (and to pay the costs of the issuance of such Bonds and to pay the amounts required to be deposited with respect to such Bonds in the Funds and Accounts established under the Indenture). In connection with the issuance of a Series of Bonds the Trustee shall, at the written request of the District, authenticate the Bonds and deliver or cause them to be authenticated and delivered, as specified in the request, but only upon receipt of:

(1) a Certified Resolution of the District (a) approving a Supplemental Indenture under which the Series of Bonds are to be issued; (b) providing the terms of the Bonds and directing the payments to be made into the Funds and Accounts in respect thereof as provided in Articles V and VI hereof; (c) authorizing the execution and delivery of the Series of Bonds to be issued; and (d) if the purpose is to effectuate a refunding, authorizing the redemption, if any, of the Bonds to be refunded and the defeasance thereof, and the execution and delivery of an escrow agreement, if applicable, and other matters contained in Article XIV hereof;

(2) a written opinion or opinions of Counsel to the District, which shall also be addressed to the Trustee, to the effect that (a) all conditions prescribed herein as precedent to the issuance of the Bonds have been fulfilled; (b) the Bonds have been validly authorized and executed by the District and when authenticated and delivered pursuant to

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the request of the District will be valid obligations of the District entitled to the benefit of the trust created hereby and will be enforceable in accordance with their terms except as enforcement thereof may be affected by bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency, moratorium and other similar laws relating to creditors' rights generally and subject to equitable principles, whether in a proceeding at law or in equity; (c) any consents of any Regulatory Bodies required in connection with the issuance of the Bonds or in connection with the acquisition of the improvements included in a Project have been obtained or, based on certifications of the Consulting Engineer, can be reasonably expected to be obtained on or prior to the date such consents are required; (d) if the acquisition of any real property or interest therein is included in the purpose of such issue, (i) the District has or can acquire good and marketable title thereto free from all liens and encumbrances except such as will not materially interfere with the proposed use thereof or (ii) the District has or can acquire a valid, subsisting and enforceable leasehold, easement, right-of-way or other interest in real property sufficient to effectuate the purpose of the issue (which opinion may be stated in reliance on the opinion of other Counsel satisfactory to the signer or on a title insurance policy issued by a reputable title company) (clauses (c) and (d) shall not apply in the case of the issuance of a refunding Series of Bonds); and (e) whether a certificate described in Section 3.01(14) hereof is required to be delivered and that such certificate conforms to the requirements of such section;

(3) an opinion of Counsel to the District, which shall also be addressed to the Trustee, to the effect that: (a) the District has good right and lawful authority under the Act to undertake the Project, subject to obtaining such licenses, orders or other authorizations as are, at the date of such opinion, required to be obtained from any agency or regulatory body; (b) that the Special Assessment proceedings have been taken in accordance with Florida law and that the District has taken all action necessary to levy and impose the Special Assessments; (c) that the Special Assessments are legal, valid, and binding liens upon the property against which the Special Assessments are made, coequal with the lien of all state, county, district and municipal ad valorem taxes and superior in priority to all other liens, titles and claims against said property then existing or thereafter created, until paid; (d) this Master Indenture and the applicable Supplemental Indenture have been duly and validly authorized, approved, and executed by the District; (e) the issuance of the Series of Bonds has been duly authorized and approved by the Board; and (f) this Master Indenture and the applicable Supplemental Indenture (assuming due authorization, execution and delivery by the Trustee) constitutes a binding obligation of the District, enforceable against the District in accordance with its terms except as enforcement thereof may be affected by bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency, moratorium and other similar laws relating to creditors' rights generally and subject to equitable principles, whether in a proceeding at law or in equity;

(4) a Consulting Engineer's certificate addressed to the District and the Trustee setting forth the estimated cost of the Project, and in the case of an acquisition by the District of all or a portion of the Project that has been completed, stating, in the signer's opinion, (a) that the portion of the Project improvements to be acquired from the proceeds of such Bonds have been, or are reasonably expected to be, completed in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor; (b) the Project improvements have been, or are reasonably expected to be, constructed in a sound workmanlike manner and in accordance

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(14) if at the time of issuance of a Series of Bonds a majority of the members of the Board of Supervisors of the District are not elected by qualified electors pursuant to the Act, a certificate of the Majority Landowner and any other developer(s) of the District Lands in form and substance satisfactory to the District and Bond Counsel (a "Developer's Certificate") which provides: (a) the number of residential units expected to be constructed and developed on the District Lands owned thereby, together with a representation to the effect that the person or entity executing the Developer's Certificate expects to proceed with due diligence and all reasonable speed to construct and sell the residential units to members of the general public who are unrelated to the Majority Landowner or developer, as appropriate, including an estimate of the timing expected with respect to such construction and sale, (b) certifications that (i) the District was not organized and will not be operated to perpetuate private control by the Majority Landowner, any developer or other nongovernmental persons and (ii) upon completion of the relevant portion of the District Lands, it is expected that at least 250 of the owners or occupants of such residential units will qualify as a "qualified elector" within the meaning of Section 190.006 of the Act, and therefore will be eligible to vote for the members of the Board of Supervisors of the District, (c) a representation of the Majority Landowner that during the development period of the District Lands, and until such time as a majority of the members of the Board of Supervisors of the District are elected by qualified electors pursuant to the Act, the Majority Landowner expects to elect a majority of the members of the Board of Supervisors of the District, will require that all members of the Board of Supervisors elected thereby comply with all provisions of the Act, and that all members of the Board so elected by the Majority Landowner will act only in furtherance of the public purposes described in the Act, (d) a representation that the Project is and will continue to be facilities that: (i) are permitted to be financed under the Act, (ii) will be owned by the District or such other governmental entity, (iii) will carry out an essential governmental function for the benefit of the general public, including residents of the Development, and (iv) will be available to the general public either free of charge or at reasonable rates that are generally applicable and uniformly applied, and no portion of the Project will consist of commercial or industrial facilities, or improvements to property that will be owned by the Majority Landowner or developer or any other nongovernmental person, (e) as of the date of issuance of the Series of Bonds, the Majority Landowner or other developer(s) does not expect to be required to make any payment under any applicable "true-up" agreement, and (f) a representation that the Majority Landowner or developer, as appropriate, executing the Developer's Certificate understands that Bond Counsel will rely on the representations and certifications provided therein in giving its opinion that interest on the Series of Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes;

(15) in the case of the issuance of a refunding Series of Bonds, an Officer's Certificate of the District stating: (a) the intended use of the proceeds of the refunding Series of Bonds; (b) the Bonds to be refunded; (c) any other amounts available for such purpose; (d) that the proceeds of the issue plus the other amounts, if any, stated to be available for the purpose will be sufficient to refund the Bonds to be refunded in accordance with the refunding plan and in compliance with Article XIV of this Master Indenture, including, without limitation, to pay the Costs of issuance of such Bonds, and (e) that notice of redemption, if applicable, of the Bonds to be refunded has been duly given or that provision has been made therefor, as applicable;

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with industry standards; (c) the purchase price to be paid by the District for the Project improvements is no more than the lesser of (i) the fair market value of such improvements and (ii) the actual Costs of construction of such components of the Project; and (d) the plans and specifications for the Project improvements have been approved by all Regulatory Bodies required to approve them (specifying such Regulatory Bodies) or such approval can reasonably be expected to be obtained; provided, however, that in lieu of the information required in clause (a), there may be delivered to the Trustee satisfactory evidence of the acceptance of operational and maintenance responsibility of each component of the Project by one or more governmental entities (the foregoing shall not be applicable in the case of the issuance of a refunding Series of Bonds);

(5) a certificate of the District's assessment consultant that the benefit from the proposed Project equals or exceeds the amount of Special Assessments; that the Special Assessments are fairly and reasonably allocated across the lands subject to the Special Assessments; and that the Special Assessments are sufficient to pay the Debt Service Requirement on the Bonds;

(6) a copy of the Supplemental Indenture for such Bonds, certified by the Secretary or Assistant Secretary of the District as being a true and correct copy thereof;

(7) the proceeds of the sale of such Bonds together with any required equity deposit by a Landowner or other third party;

(8) any Credit Facility authorized by the District in respect to such Bonds;

(9) one or more Certified Resolutions of the District relating to the levy of Special Assessments in respect of the Project, and evidencing that the District has undertaken and, to the extent then required under applicable law, completed all necessary proceedings, including, without limitation, the approval of assessment rolls, the holding of public hearings, the adoption of resolutions and the establishment of all necessary collection procedures, in order to levy and collect Special Assessments upon the District Lands in an amount sufficient to pay the Debt Service Requirement on the Bonds to be issued;

(10) an executed opinion of Bond Counsel;

(11) a written direction of the District to the Trustee to authenticate and deliver such Bonds;

(12) a copy of a Final Judgment of validation and a Certificate of No Appeal with respect to the Bonds that are subject to validation, or an opinion of Counsel to the District that the Bond are not subject to validation;

(13) a collateral assignment from the developer(s) of the District Lands to the District of the Project Documents;

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(16) in the case of the issuance of a refunding Series of Bonds, a written opinion of Bond Counsel to the effect that the issuance of such Bonds will not adversely affect the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on any Bonds issued pursuant to the Indenture (to the extent that upon original issuance thereof such Bonds were issued as Bonds the interest on which is excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes); and

(17) such other documents, certifications and opinions as shall be required by the Supplemental Indenture, by the Participating Underwriter or the initial purchaser of a Series of Bonds or by the District.

At the option of the District, any or all of the matters required to be stated in the Certified Resolution described in (1) above may instead be stated in a Supplemental Indenture, duly approved by a Certified Resolution of the District. Execution of a Series of the Bonds by the District and payment to the Trustee of the net proceeds from the original issuance of the Series of Bonds shall be conclusive evidence of satisfaction of the conditions precedent, set forth in this Article, as to the District, the Participating Underwriter and the initial purchaser of the respective Series of Bonds.

#### ARTICLE IV ACQUISITION AND CONSTRUCTION OF PROJECT

SECTION 4.01. Project to Conform to Plans and Specifications; Changes. The District will proceed to complete any Project or portion thereof for which any Series of Bonds is being issued in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor, as such plans and specifications may be amended from time to time, and subject to the specific requirements of the Supplemental Indenture for such Series of Bonds.

SECTION 4.02. Compliance Requirements. The District will comply with all present and future laws, acts, rules, regulations, orders and requirements lawfully made and applicable in fact to any acquisition or construction hereby undertaken and shall obtain all necessary approvals under federal, state and local laws, acts, rules and regulations necessary for the acquisition, completion and operation of any Project or portion thereof for which any Series of Bonds is being issued and shall complete any Project or portion thereof in conformity with such approvals, laws, rules and regulations. Prior to the completion of the Project, in the event that any Landowner of the District Lands shall fail to pay, when due, any Special Assessments levied against lands within the District owned by such Landowner or any affiliated entity thereof, the District shall immediately take all necessary actions within its control, to the extent it has legally available funds for such purpose, to complete the Project including, without limitation, taking control of the Project Documents.

#### ARTICLE V ACQUISITION AND CONSTRUCTION FUND

SECTION 5.01. Acquisition and Construction Fund. The Trustee shall establish an Acquisition and Construction Fund into which shall be deposited the proceeds from each Series of Bonds issued under the Indenture (unless otherwise specified herein or in the applicable



Supplemental Indenture for a Series of Bonds) and from which Costs may be paid as set forth herein and in the applicable Supplemental Indenture. Unless otherwise specified in the applicable Supplemental Indenture, a separate Series Account shall be established in the Acquisition and Construction Fund with respect to each Series of Bonds issued hereunder and the proceeds of each Series of Bonds (other than Bonds issued to refund all or a portion of the Bonds) shall be deposited into the corresponding Series Account in the Acquisition and Construction Fund. The amounts in any Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund, until applied as hereinafter provided, shall be held for the security of the Series of Bonds hereunder in respect of which such Series Account was established. Separate subaccounts within any Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund shall be maintained by the Trustee in respect of each Series of Bonds upon request of the District whenever, in the opinion of the District, it is appropriate to have a separate written accounting in respect of the Costs of any designated portion of the Project. Payments shall be made from the appropriate Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund to pay any unpaid Costs of Issuance of the Series of Bonds in question, including without limitation, legal, engineering, and consultants' fees and to pay amounts to be reimbursed to the District for Costs advanced, and thereafter to pay Costs of planning, financing, acquisition, construction, reconstruction, equipping and installation of the Project or portion thereof.

(a) *Deposits.* In addition to the deposit of amounts received by the Trustee on the date of issuance of each Series of Bonds, the District shall pay or cause to be paid to the Trustee, for deposit into the Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund, as promptly as practicable, the following amounts:

- (i) Subject to the provisions of Section 9.23 hereof, payments made to the District from the sale, lease or other disposition of the Project or any portion thereof;
- (ii) Subject to the provisions of Section 9.14 hereof, the balance of insurance proceeds with respect to the loss or destruction of the Project or any portion thereof;
- (iii) Deposits made by any developer of the District Lands pursuant to the terms and provisions of a Funding Agreement; and
- (iv) Amounts received from a governmental entity pursuant to an interlocal agreement or other similar agreement between the District and such governmental entity providing for the payment by such governmental entity of a portion of the Costs of the Project.

Amounts in the applicable Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund shall be applied to pay the Cost of the Project or a portion thereof, as applicable, pertaining to the Series of Bonds in question; provided, however, that if any amounts remain in the Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund after the Completion Date (as defined in paragraph (c) below) of the Project or portion thereof pertaining to the Series of Bonds in question, and if such amounts are not reserved for payment of any remaining part of the Cost of the Project as directed in writing by the District, such amounts shall be transferred to the applicable Series Account of the Bond Redemption Fund for application to the redemption of Bonds of the Series to which such proceeds

otherwise with respect to a Series of Bonds, evidence and certify the same to the Tax Collector or cause the Property Appraiser to certify the same on the tax roll to the Tax Collector for collection by the Tax Collector and enforcement by the Tax Collector or the District, pursuant to the Act, Chapter 170 or Chapter 197, Florida Statutes, or any successor statutes, as applicable.

The District shall, within five (5) Business Days of receipt thereof, pay to the Trustee for deposit in the Series Account of the Revenue Fund established under Section 6.03 hereof all Special Assessments received by the District from the levy thereof on the District Lands subject to assessments for the payment of the related Series of Bonds; provided, however, that amounts received as Prepayments of Special Assessments shall be deposited directly into the applicable Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund established hereunder or in any account thereof established pursuant to the applicable Supplemental Indenture. The District shall notify the Trustee in writing at the time of deposit of any amounts received as Prepayments of Special Assessments and shall identify the related Series of Bonds. If necessary, the District shall direct the Landowner making such prepayment to specify what Series of Bonds such prepayments relate.

There are hereby pledged for the payment of the principal or Redemption Price of and interest on all Bonds of each Series issued and Outstanding under the Indenture and all reimbursements due to any Credit Facility Issuer for any drawing with respect to such Series of Bonds on its Credit Facility, including, without limitation, interest thereon, as required under the terms of the applicable Credit Facility Agreement, the Pledged Revenues; provided, however, that unless otherwise specifically provided herein or in a Supplemental Indenture relating to a Series of Bonds with respect to the Pledged Revenues securing such Series of Bonds, the Pledged Revenues securing a Series of Bonds shall secure only such Series of Bonds and Bonds issued on a parity therewith and shall not secure any other Bonds or Series of Bonds. The Pledged Revenues shall immediately be subject to the lien and pledge of the Indenture without any physical delivery hereof or further act; provided, however, that the lien and pledge of the Indenture shall not apply to any moneys transferred by the Trustee to the Rebate Fund. The foregoing notwithstanding, to the extent provided in the Supplemental Indenture authorizing the issuance of a Series of Bonds, such Series of Bonds may be made payable from and secured by less than all of the Pledged Revenues, and any one or more of the provisions of this Master Indenture may be made inapplicable to such Series of Bonds, all as more specifically provided in the corresponding Supplemental Indenture; provided, however, that any such provisions shall apply only to the particular Series of Bonds authorized by such Supplemental Indenture and shall not affect in any manner whatsoever any Outstanding Series of Bonds.

SECTION 6.02. Funds and Accounts Relating to the Bonds. The Funds and Accounts specified in this Article VI shall be established under this Master Indenture and each Supplemental Indenture pursuant to which a Series of Bonds is issued for the benefit of the specific Series of Bonds issued pursuant to such Supplemental Indenture and any Series issued on a parity therewith and, unless expressly otherwise provided in said Supplemental Indenture, shall not apply to Bonds Outstanding hereunder issued under any other indenture supplemental hereto or separately secured hereunder by separate Special Assessments. Unless provided otherwise by Supplemental Indenture, all moneys, including, without limitation, proceeds of a Series of Bonds, on deposit to the credit of the Funds and Accounts established hereunder and under a Supplemental Indenture (except for moneys transferred to the Rebate Fund) shall be pledged to the payment of the principal, redemption or purchase price of (as the case may be) and interest on the Series of Bonds

relate, as set forth in Section 6.06 hereof or in the applicable Supplemental Indenture, and the Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund shall be closed.

(b) *Disbursements.* Unless provided otherwise in a Supplemental Indenture, all payments from the Acquisition and Construction Fund shall be paid in accordance with the provisions of this subsection. Moneys in the appropriate Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund shall be disbursed by check, voucher, order, draft, certificate or warrant signed by any one or more officers or employees of the Trustee legally authorized to sign such items or by wire transfer to an account specified by the payee upon satisfaction of the conditions for disbursement set forth in this subsection (b). Before any such payment shall be made, the District shall file with the Trustee a fully executed requisition in the form of Exhibit B attached hereto, signed by a Responsible Officer of the District and, except for payments of cost of issuance, a certificate of the Consulting Engineer also in the form of Exhibit B attached hereto and as may be modified by terms of the related Supplemental Indenture. Upon receipt of each such requisition and accompanying certificate, the Trustee shall promptly withdraw from the appropriate Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund and pay to the person, firm or corporation named in such requisition the amount designated in such requisition. The Trustee shall have no duty to investigate the accuracy or validity of the items delivered pursuant to this section. All requisitions and certificates received by the Trustee pursuant to this Section 5.01 shall be retained in the possession of the District, subject at all reasonable times to the inspection of the Consulting Engineer, the Owner of any Bonds, and the agents and representatives thereof. The Trustee may conclusively rely that properly signed requisitions and certificates that are in the form required by this subsection (b) and the applicable Supplemental Indenture are, on their face, sufficient to disburse funds from the Acquisition and Construction Fund.

(c) *Completion of Project.* On the date of completion of the Project or portion thereof pertaining to the Series of Bonds in question, or if sufficient moneys are retained in the appropriate Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund to complete the Cost of the Project or portion thereof pertaining to the Series of Bonds in question, in either case as evidenced by the delivery of a certificate of the Consulting Engineer and adoption of a resolution by the Board accepting the Project or portion thereof pertaining to the Series of Bonds in question as provided by Section 170.09, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Completion Date"), the balance in the appropriate Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund not reserved by the District for the payment of any remaining part of the Cost of the Project or portion thereof pertaining to the Series of Bonds in question, as provided in such certificate and resolution, shall be transferred by the Trustee to, and deposited in, the applicable Series Account of the Bond Redemption Fund and applied as provided in Section 6.06 hereof and in the applicable Supplemental Indenture, and the Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund shall be closed.

**ARTICLE VI  
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS:  
APPLICATION THEREOF TO FUNDS AND ACCOUNTS**

SECTION 6.01. Special Assessments; Lien of Indenture on Pledged Revenues. The District hereby covenants that it shall levy Special Assessments in the amount necessary to pay the Debt Service Requirement on Bonds issued and Outstanding hereunder, and, unless provided

issued hereunder and under such Supplemental Indenture, and any Series issued on a parity therewith.

SECTION 6.03. Revenue Fund. The Trustee is hereby authorized and directed to establish a Revenue Fund and pursuant to a Supplemental Indenture a Series Account for each Series of Bonds issued hereunder, into which the Trustee shall immediately deposit any and all Special Assessments received from the levy thereof on the District Lands or any portion thereof (other than Prepayments) and any amounts received as the result of any foreclosure, sale of tax certificates or other remedial action for nonpayment of Special Assessments for the payment of the related Series of Bonds and other payments required hereunder or under the applicable Supplemental Indenture (unless such Special Assessments and/or other payments are specifically designated by the District pursuant to a Supplemental Indenture for deposit into the Rebate Fund or any other Fund or Account established hereunder or under a Supplemental Indenture) and each Series Account therein shall be held by the Trustee separate and apart from all other Funds and Accounts held under the Indenture and from all other moneys of the Trustee. The Trustee shall transfer from amounts on deposit in the Series Account in the Revenue Fund to the Funds and Accounts designated below, the following amounts, at the following times and in the following order of priority unless other times and/or priorities are established in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds:

FIRST, upon receipt but no later than the Business Day preceding the first May 1 for which there is an insufficient amount from Bond proceeds (or investment earnings thereon) on deposit in the applicable Series Interest Account of the Debt Service Fund to be applied to the payment of interest on the Bonds of a Series due on the next succeeding May 1, and no later than the Business Day next preceding each May 1 thereafter while Bonds of a Series issued under the Indenture remain Outstanding, to the applicable Series Interest Account of the Debt Service Fund, an amount equal to the interest on the related Series of Bonds becoming due on the next succeeding May 1, less any amount on deposit in such Interest Account not previously credited;

SECOND, beginning on the date set forth in the related Supplemental Indenture, and no later than the Business Day next preceding each May 1 or November 1, as designated in the applicable Supplemental Indenture thereafter while Bonds of a Series issued under the Indenture remain Outstanding, to the applicable Series Principal Account of the Debt Service Fund, an amount equal to the principal amount of Bonds of such Series maturing on the next succeeding principal payment date, less any amount on deposit in the applicable Series Principal Account not previously credited;

THIRD, beginning on the date set forth in the related Supplemental Indenture, and no later than the Business Day next preceding each May 1 or November 1, as so designated in the applicable Supplemental Indenture thereafter while Bonds of a Series issued under the Indenture remain Outstanding, to the applicable Series Sinking Fund Account of the Debt Service Fund, an amount equal to the principal amount of Bonds of such Series subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption on the next succeeding mandatory sinking fund redemption date, less any amount on deposit in the applicable Series Sinking Fund Account not previously credited;

FOURTH, upon receipt but no later than the Business Day preceding the first November 1 for which there remains an insufficient amount from Bond proceeds (or investment earnings thereon) on deposit in the applicable Series Interest Account to be applied to the payment of interest on the Bonds of a Series due on the next succeeding November 1, and no later than the Business Day next preceding each November 1 thereafter while Bonds of such Series issued under the Indenture remain Outstanding, to the applicable Series Interest Account of the Debt Service Fund, an amount equal to the interest on the Bonds of such Series becoming due on the next succeeding November 1, less any amount on deposit in the applicable Series Interest Account not previously credited;

FIFTH, upon receipt but no later than the Business Day next preceding each Interest Payment Date while Bonds of a Series issued under the Indenture remain Outstanding, to the applicable Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund, if any, an amount equal to the amount, if any, which is necessary to make the amount on deposit therein equal to the Debt Service Reserve Requirement;

SIXTH, subject to the following paragraph, the balance of any moneys remaining in a Series Account of the Revenue Fund after making the foregoing deposits shall remain therein.

Except as otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture, the Trustee shall retain any moneys held for the credit of the Revenue Fund which are not otherwise required to be deposited pursuant to this Section and apply such amounts on subsequent dates for the purposes and in the priority set forth above. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if pursuant to any Arbitrage Certificate it is necessary to make a deposit in the Rebate Fund, the District shall direct the Trustee to make such deposit thereto. Prepayments pledged to a particular Series of Bonds shall be deposited directly into the applicable Series Account of the Bond Redemption Fund as provided herein.

SECTION 6.04. Debt Service Fund. The Trustee is hereby authorized and directed to establish a Debt Service Fund which shall consist of amounts deposited therein by the Trustee and any other amounts the District may pay to the Trustee for deposit therein with respect to the related Series of Bonds. The Debt Service Fund shall be held by the Trustee separate and apart from all other Funds and Accounts held under the Indenture and from all other moneys of the Trustee. The Trustee shall establish within the Debt Service Fund pursuant to a Supplemental Indenture, a Series Principal Account, a Series Interest Account and, if applicable, a Series Sinking Fund Account for each Series of Bonds and a Series Capitalized Interest Account, which accounts shall be separate and apart from all other Funds and Accounts established under the Indenture and from all other moneys of the Trustee.

The Trustee at all times shall make available to any Paying Agent the funds in the Series Principal Account and the Series Interest Account of the Debt Service Fund to pay the principal of the applicable Series of Bonds as they mature upon surrender thereof and the interest on the applicable Series of Bonds as it becomes payable, respectively. When a Series of Bonds is redeemed, the amount, if any, in the Debt Service Fund representing interest thereon shall be applied to the payment of accrued interest in connection with such redemption.

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contrary contained in this Master Indenture, the Supplemental Indenture authorizing the issuance of a Series of Bonds may provide that the Debt Service Reserve Fund is not applicable and no account therein shall secure such Series of Bonds. The Debt Service Reserve Fund and each Series Account therein shall constitute an irrevocable trust fund to be applied solely as set forth herein and shall be held by the Trustee separate and apart from all other Funds and Accounts held under the Indenture and from all other moneys of the Trustee. Unless otherwise provided in the Supplemental Indenture authorizing the issuance of a Series of Bonds, on the date of issuance and delivery of a Series of Bonds an amount of Bond proceeds or equity equal to the Debt Service Reserve Requirement in respect of such Series of Bonds, calculated as of the date of issuance and delivery of such Series of Bonds, shall be deposited in the related Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund. Unless otherwise provided in the Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, and as long as there exists no default under the Indenture and the amount in the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund is not reduced below the then applicable Debt Service Reserve Requirement with respect to such Series of Bonds, earnings on investments in the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund shall, prior to the Completion Date of a Project, be transferred to the applicable Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund, and after the Completion Date, shall be transferred, at the written direction of the District, to the related Series Account of the Revenue Fund. Otherwise, earnings on investments in each Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund shall be retained therein until applied as set forth herein. Unless otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture, in the event that the amount in a Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund exceeds the Debt Service Reserve Requirement with respect to such Series of Bonds due to a decrease in the then applicable Debt Service Reserve Requirement as a result of a Prepayment of Special Assessments, which Special Assessments are pledged for the payment and security of such Series of Bonds, the excess amount shall be transferred from the Series Account or Subaccount of the Debt Service Reserve Fund to the applicable Series Account of the Bond Redemption Fund established for such Series of Bonds and shall constitute a credit against such Prepayment. In the event that the amount in a Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund exceeds the Debt Service Reserve Requirement with respect to such Series of Bonds due to a decrease in the then applicable Debt Service Reserve Requirement for any other reason, the excess amount shall, unless otherwise provided in the Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, be transferred from the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund to the related Series Account or subaccount of the Bond Redemption Fund.

Whenever for any reason on an Interest Payment Date, principal payment date or mandatory redemption date with respect to a related Series of Bonds secured by a Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund the amount in the related Series Interest Account, the related Series Principal Account or the related Series Sinking Fund Account, as the case may be, is insufficient to pay all amounts payable on such Series of Bonds therefrom on such payment dates, the Trustee shall, without further instructions, transfer the amount of any such deficiency from the related Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund into the related Series Interest Account, the related Series Principal Account and the related Series Sinking Fund Account, as the case may be, with priority to the related Series Interest Account and then, proportionately according to the respective deficiencies therein, to the related Series Principal Account and the related Series Sinking Fund Account, to be applied to pay the Series of Bonds secured by the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund.

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The Trustee shall apply moneys in the Series Sinking Fund Account in the Debt Service Fund for purchase or redemption of the applicable Series of Bonds in amounts and maturities set forth in the Supplemental Indenture. Whenever Bonds of a Series are to be purchased out of such Series Sinking Fund Account, if the District shall notify the Trustee in writing that the District wishes to arrange for such purchase, the Trustee shall comply with the District's arrangements provided they conform to the Indenture.

Except to the extent otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, purchases and redemptions out of the Series Sinking Fund Account shall be made as follows:

(a) The Trustee shall apply the amounts required to be transferred to the applicable Series Sinking Fund Account (less any moneys applied to the purchase of Bonds of the applicable Series pursuant to the next sentence hereof) on the mandatory sinking fund redemption date in each of the years set forth in the Supplemental Indenture to the redemption of Bonds of the related Series in the amounts, manner and maturities and on the dates set forth in the Supplemental Indenture, at a Redemption Price of 100% of the principal amount thereof. At the written direction of the District, the Trustee shall apply moneys from time to time available in the applicable Series Sinking Fund Account to the purchase of Bonds of the applicable Series which mature in the aforesaid years, at prices not higher than the principal amount thereof, in lieu of redemption as aforesaid, provided that firm purchase commitments can be made before the notice of redemption would otherwise be required to be given. In the event of purchases at less than the principal amount thereof, the difference between the amount in the Series Sinking Fund Account representing the principal amount of the Bonds so purchased and the purchase price thereof (exclusive of accrued interest) shall be transferred to the related Series Interest Account of the Debt Service Fund.

(b) Accrued interest on purchased or redeemed Bonds of a Series shall be paid from the related Series Interest Account of the Debt Service Fund.

(c) In lieu of paying the Debt Service Requirements necessary to allow any mandatory redemption of Bonds of a Series from the related Series Sinking Fund Account, the District may present to the Trustee Bonds of such Series purchased by the District pursuant to subparagraph (a) above and furnished for such purposes; provided, however, that no Bonds of such Series so purchased shall be credited towards the Debt Service Requirements in respect of the mandatory redemption of Bonds of such Series for which notice of redemption has been given pursuant to Section 8.02 of this Master Indenture. Any Bond so purchased shall be presented to the Trustee for cancellation. In such event, the Debt Service Requirements with respect to the Bonds of a Series for the period in which the purchased Bonds are presented to the Trustee shall, for all purposes hereunder, be reduced by an amount equal to the aggregate principal amount of any such Bonds so presented.

SECTION 6.05. Debt Service Reserve Fund. The Trustee is hereby authorized and directed to establish a Debt Service Reserve Fund and, if applicable, pursuant to a Supplemental Indenture a Series Account for each Series of Bonds issued hereunder. The Debt Service Reserve Fund and each Series Account therein shall be held by the Trustee subject to the provisions herein or solely for the benefit of each related Series of Bonds or sub-Series, as determined by the applicable Supplemental Indenture; provided, however, that notwithstanding anything to the

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Notwithstanding the foregoing, if permitted by the terms of the applicable Supplemental Indenture, in lieu of the required deposits into the related Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund, the District may cause to be deposited into the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund a Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy or Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit, either in lieu of any cash amount required to be deposited therein in connection with the issuance of any Series of Bonds or in substitution for the full amounts then on deposit therein or in an amount equal to the difference between the amount required to be deposited and the sum, if any, then on deposit in the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund, which Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy or Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit shall be payable (upon the giving of notice as required thereunder) on any Interest Payment Date or principal payment date on which a deficiency exists which cannot be remedied by moneys in any other Fund or Account held pursuant to the Indenture and available for such purpose. Unless otherwise provided in the Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, if any such Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy or Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit is substituted for moneys on deposit in the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund, or if at any time there are excess moneys in the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund, the excess moneys in the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund shall be transferred to and deposited in the related Series Account or Subaccount of the Revenue Fund. If a disbursement is made from a Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy or Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit, the District shall be obligated to either reinstate the maximum limits of such Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy or Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit immediately following such disbursement or to deposit into the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund, as provided in the Indenture for restoration of withdrawals from the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund, funds in the amount of the disbursement made under such Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy or Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit.

In the event that upon the occurrence of any deficiency in a Series Interest Account, a Series Principal Account or a Series Sinking Fund Account, the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund is then funded with a Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy, the Trustee shall, on an Interest Payment Date or principal payment date or mandatory redemption date to which such deficiency relates, draw upon the Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or cause to be paid under the Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy an amount sufficient to remedy such deficiency, in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy, as applicable, and any corresponding reimbursement or other agreement governing the Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy; provided, however, that if at the time of such deficiency the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund is only partially funded with a Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy, prior to drawing on the Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy, as applicable, the Trustee shall first apply any cash and securities on deposit in the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund to remedy the deficiency in accordance with the second paragraph of this Section 6.05 and, if after such application a deficiency still exists, the Trustee shall make up the balance of the deficiency by drawing on the Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy, as provided in this sentence. Amounts drawn on the Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy, as applicable, shall be applied as set forth in the second paragraph of this Section 6.05. Any amounts drawn under a Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy shall be reimbursed to

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the issuer thereof in accordance with the terms and provisions of the reimbursement or other agreement governing such Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit or Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy.

**SECTION 6.06. Bond Redemption Fund.** The Trustee is hereby authorized and directed to establish a Bond Redemption Fund and a Series Account therein for each Series of Bonds issued hereunder into which shall be deposited moneys, unless otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, in the amounts and at the times provided in Sections 5.01, 6.01, 6.03, 6.05, 9.08(d) and 9.14(c) of this Master Indenture. The Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund shall constitute an irrevocable trust fund to be applied solely as set forth in the applicable Supplemental Indenture for the related Series of Bonds and shall be held by the Trustee separate and apart from all other Funds and Accounts held under such Indenture and from all other moneys of the Trustee. All earnings on investments held in the Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund shall be retained therein and applied as set forth below.

Moneys in the Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund (including all earnings on investments held in the Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund) shall be accumulated therein to be used in the following order of priority, to the extent that the need therefor arises:

FIRST, to make such deposits into the Rebate Fund created and established under this Master Indenture as the District may direct in accordance with an arbitrage rebate agreement, such moneys thereupon to be used solely for the purposes specified in said arbitrage rebate agreement. Any moneys so transferred from the Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund to the Rebate Fund shall thereupon be free from the lien and pledge of the related Indenture;

SECOND, to be used to call for redemption pursuant to clause (b) of Section 8.01 hereof an amount of Bonds of the applicable Series equal to the amount of money transferred to the Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund pursuant to the aforesaid clauses or provisions, as appropriate, for the purpose of such extraordinary mandatory redemption on the dates and at the prices provided in such clauses or provisions, as appropriate; and

THIRD, the remainder to be utilized by the Trustee, at the direction of a Responsible Officer of the District, to call for redemption on each Interest Payment Date or other date on which Bonds of the applicable Series are subject to optional redemption pursuant to Section 8.01(a) hereof such amount of Bonds of the applicable Series as, with the redemption premium, may be practicable; provided, however, that not less than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) principal amount of Bonds of the applicable Series shall be called for redemption at one time.

Any such redemption shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Article VIII of this Master Indenture and the applicable provisions of the related Supplemental Indenture. The District shall pay all expenses in connection with such redemption.

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(a) All amounts held in the Rebate Fund shall be governed by this Section and the applicable Arbitrage Certificate. The Trustee shall be entitled to rely on the rebate calculations obtained from the rebate analyst retained by the District pursuant to any Arbitrage Certificate and the Trustee shall not be responsible for any loss or damage resulting from any good faith action taken or omitted to be taken by the District in reliance upon such calculations.

(b) Pursuant to the applicable Arbitrage Certificate, the Trustee shall remit all rebate installments and a final rebate payment to the United States. The Trustee shall have no obligation to pay any amounts required to be rebated pursuant to this Section and the applicable Arbitrage Certificate, other than at the direction of the District and from moneys held in the Rebate Fund or from other moneys provided to it by the District. Any moneys remaining in the Rebate Fund after redemption and payment of all of the Bonds and payment and satisfaction of any arbitrage rebate shall be withdrawn and paid to the District.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Indenture, including in particular Article XIV hereof, the obligation to pay arbitrage rebate to the United States and to comply with all other requirements of this Section and the Arbitrage Certificate shall survive the defeasance or payment in full of the Bonds.

(d) The Trustee shall not be deemed to have constructive knowledge of the Code or regulations, rulings and judicial decisions concerning the Code.

#### ARTICLE VII SECURITY FOR AND INVESTMENT OR DEPOSIT OF FUNDS

**SECTION 7.01. Deposits and Security Therefor.** Unless otherwise provided in the Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, all moneys received by the Trustee under a Supplemental Indenture for deposit in any Fund or Account established under this Master Indenture or such Supplemental Indenture shall be considered trust funds, shall not be subject to lien or attachment, except for the lien created by this Master Indenture and the related Supplemental Indenture, and shall be deposited with the Trustee, until or unless invested or deposited as provided in Section 7.02 hereof. All deposits of moneys received by the Trustee under this Master Indenture or such Supplemental Indenture (whether original deposits under this Section 7.01 or deposits or redeposits in time accounts under Section 7.02) shall, to the extent not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (including the FDIC Savings Association Insurance Fund) or invested as provided in Section 7.02, and to the extent required by law, be fully secured, by Investment Securities of the types set forth in the definition of Investment Securities and the provisions thereof or by any collateral that satisfies the provisions of 12 C.F.R. part 9, Section 9.10(b). If at any time the Trustee is unwilling to accept such deposits or unable to secure them as provided above, the Trustee may deposit such moneys with any other depository which is authorized to receive them and the deposits of which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (including the FDIC Savings Association Insurance Fund). All deposits in any other depository in excess of the amount covered by insurance (whether under this Section 7.01 or Section 7.02 as aforesaid) shall, to the extent required by law, be fully secured, in the same manner as required herein for deposits with the Trustee. Such security shall be deposited with a Federal Reserve Bank, with the trust department of the Trustee as authorized by law with respect to trust

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**SECTION 6.07. Drawings on Credit Facility.** With respect to Bonds in respect of which there has been issued a Credit Facility, the Trustee shall draw on the Credit Facility, in accordance with the provisions for drawing under such Credit Facility, and within the requisite time period, all as set forth in the Credit Facility Agreement or the Supplemental Indenture.

**SECTION 6.08. Procedure When Funds Are Sufficient to Pay All Bonds of a Series.** Unless otherwise provided in the Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, if at any time the moneys held by the Trustee in the Funds (other than the moneys in the Rebate Fund) and Accounts hereunder and under a Supplemental Indenture and available therefor are sufficient to pay the principal or Redemption Price of, as the case may be, and interest on all Bonds of a Series then Outstanding under such Indenture to maturity or prior redemption, together with any amounts due the District and the Trustee, Paying Agent, Registrar and Credit Facility Issuer, if any, the Trustee, at the direction of the District, shall apply the amounts in the Series Funds and Series Accounts to the payment of the aforesaid obligations and the District shall not be required to pay over any further Pledged Revenues with respect to such Series of Bonds unless and until it shall appear that there is a deficiency in the Funds and Accounts held by the Trustee.

**SECTION 6.09. Certain Moneys to Be Held for Series Bondholders Only.** Each Series of Bonds issued pursuant to this Master Indenture and the related Supplemental Indenture shall be secured by Pledged Revenues, as set forth herein, and otherwise may be secured by such additional Funds and Accounts and other security (including, but not limited to, Credit Facilities) established by the pertinent Supplemental Indenture. Moneys and investments in the various Funds and Accounts created under a Supplemental Indenture expressly and solely for the benefit of the Series of Bonds issued under such Supplemental Indenture shall be held in trust by the Trustee for the benefit of the Holders of, and Credit Facility Issuer with respect to, Bonds of that Series only.

**SECTION 6.10. Unclaimed Moneys.** In the event any Bond shall not be presented for payment when the principal of such Bond becomes due, either at maturity or at the date fixed for redemption of such Bond or otherwise, if amounts sufficient to pay such Bond have been deposited with the Trustee for the benefit of the owner of the Bond and have remained unclaimed for two (2) years after the date payment thereof becomes due shall, upon request of the District, if the District is not at the time to the actual knowledge of a Responsible Officer of the Trustee in default with respect to any covenant in this Master Indenture, any Supplemental Indenture or the Bonds contained, be paid to the District; and the Owners of the Bonds for which the deposit was made shall thereafter be limited to a claim against the District; provided, however, that the Trustee, before making payment to the District, may, at the expense of the District, cause a notice to be published in an Authorized Newspaper, stating that the money remaining unclaimed will be returned to the District after a specified date.

**SECTION 6.11. Rebate Fund.** The Trustee is hereby authorized and directed to establish a Rebate Fund. Unless provided otherwise in a Supplemental Indenture, the Trustee shall transfer moneys from the applicable Series Account in the Revenue Fund and deposit the same to the Rebate Fund, and shall make payments therefrom at the times and in the amounts as directed by the District in writing that are required to comply with the covenants in the applicable Arbitrage Certificate. If so directed by the District in writing, the Trustee shall create one or more Series Accounts within the Rebate Fund relating to one or more particular Series of Bonds.

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funds in the State, or with a bank or trust company having a combined net capital and surplus of not less than \$50,000,000.

**SECTION 7.02. Investment or Deposit of Funds.** Except to the extent otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, the Trustee shall, as directed by the District in writing, invest moneys held in any Series Account within the Debt Service Fund, any Series Account within the Debt Service Reserve Fund and any Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund created under any Supplemental Indenture only in Government Obligations and other Investment Securities. All deposits in time accounts shall be subject to withdrawal without penalty and all investments shall mature or be subject to redemption by the holder without penalty, not later than the date when the amounts will foreseeably be needed for purposes set forth herein or in the Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds. The interest and income received upon such investments and any interest paid by the Trustee or any other depository of any Fund or Account and any profit or loss resulting from the sale of securities shall be added or charged to the Fund or Account for which such investments are made; provided, however, that if the amount in any Fund or Account equals or exceeds the amount required to be on deposit therein, subject to Section 6.05 of this Master Indenture and unless otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, any interest and other income so received shall be deposited in the related Series Account of the Revenue Fund. Upon written request of the District, or on its own initiative whenever payment is to be made out of any Fund or Account, the Trustee shall sell such securities as may be requested to make the payment and restore the proceeds to the Fund or Account in which the securities were held. The Trustee shall not be accountable for any depreciation in the value of any such security or for any loss resulting from the sale thereof. If net proceeds from the sale of securities held in any Fund or Account shall be less than the amount invested and, as a result, the amount on deposit in such Fund or Account is less than the amount required to be on deposit in such Fund or Account, the amount of such deficit shall be transferred to such Fund or Account from the related Series Account of the Revenue Fund.

In the absence of written investment instructions from the District, the Trustee shall not be responsible or liable for keeping the moneys held by it hereunder invested or for any losses because such amounts were not invested. Moneys in any of the Funds and Accounts established pursuant to the Indenture, when held by the Trustee, shall be promptly invested by the Trustee in accordance with all written directions from the District and the District shall be responsible for ensuring that such instructions conform to requirements of this Master Indenture including, without limitation, Article VII hereof. The Trustee shall not be liable or responsible for any loss or entitled to any gain resulting from any investment or sale upon the investment instructions of the District or otherwise, including that set forth in the first sentence of this paragraph. The Trustee may conclusively rely upon the District's written instructions as to both the suitability and legality of all investments directed hereunder or under any Supplemental Indenture, and such written instructions shall be deemed to certify to the Trustee that the investments directed constitute Investment Securities and satisfy the requirements of any applicable Arbitrage Certificate. Ratings of investments shall be determined by the District at the time of purchase of such investments and without regard to ratings subcategories. The Trustee shall have no responsibility to monitor the ratings of investments after the initial purchase of such investments. The Trustee may make any and all such investments through its own investment department or that of its affiliates or subsidiaries, and may charge its ordinary and customary fees for such trades. Confirmations of investments are not required to be issued by the Trustee for each month in which a monthly statement is rendered. No statement need

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be rendered for any fund or account if no activity occurred in such fund or account during such month.

The District acknowledges that the legal obligation to pay the purchase price of any investment arises immediately at the time of the purchase. The Trustee may elect, but shall not be obligated, to credit the Funds and Accounts held by it with moneys representing income or principal payments due on, or sales proceeds due in respect of, investments in such Funds and Accounts, or to credit to investments intended to be purchased with such moneys, in each case before actually receiving the requisite moneys from the payment source, or to otherwise advance funds for account transactions. Notwithstanding anything else in this Master Indenture, (i) any such crediting of funds or assets shall be provisional in nature, and the Trustee shall be authorized to reverse any such transactions or advances of funds in the event that it does not receive good funds with respect thereto, and (ii) nothing in this Master Indenture shall constitute a waiver of any of the Trustee's rights as a securities intermediary under Uniform Commercial Code § 9-206.

**SECTION 7.03. Valuation of Funds.** Except for the assets on deposit in the Debt Service Reserve Fund, the Trustee shall value the assets in each of the Funds and Accounts established hereunder or under any Supplemental Indenture within ten (10) Business Days prior to each Interest Payment Date. With respect to the assets in the Debt Service Reserve Fund, including all accounts established therein, the Trustee shall value such assets forty-five (45) days prior to each Interest Payment Date. In either case, as soon as practicable after each such valuation date (but no later than ten (10) Business Days after each such valuation date), the Trustee shall provide the District a report of the status of each Fund and Account as of the valuation date. In computing the assets of any Fund or Account, investments and accrued interest thereon shall be deemed a part thereof, subject to Section 7.02 hereof. For the purpose of determining the amount on deposit to the credit of any Fund or Account established hereunder or under any Supplemental Indenture, obligations in which money in such Fund or Account shall have been invested shall be valued at the market value or the amortized cost thereof, whichever is lower, or at the redemption price thereof, to the extent that any such obligation is then redeemable at the option of the holder. The Trustee does and shall not make any representation as to the accuracy of any quotation of the market value of any investment (or the accrued interest thereon) in any Fund or Account. The Trustee shall (i) only be required to report the market value of any investment according to the price provided by pricing services and sources relied upon by the Trustee, and (ii) not have any duty to independently value any investment other than the price provided by pricing services and sources relied upon by the Trustee.

**SECTION 7.04. Brokerage Confirmations.** The District acknowledges that to the extent regulations of the Comptroller of the Currency or other applicable regulatory entity grant the District the right to receive individual confirmations of security transactions at no additional cost, as they occur, the District specifically waives receipt of such confirmations to the extent permitted by law. The Trustee will furnish the District periodic cash transaction statements that include detail for all investment transactions made by the Trustee hereunder.

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(c) **Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption.** Bonds of a Series may be subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption at a Redemption Price of 100% of the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest to the redemption date, in the years and amounts set forth in a Supplemental Indenture.

In connection with such mandatory sinking fund redemption of Bonds, amounts shall be transferred from the applicable Series Account of the Revenue Fund to the Series Sinking Fund Account of the Debt Service Fund, all as more particularly described in Section 6.03 hereof.

The principal amounts of scheduled mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts shall be reduced as specified by the District or as provided in Section 8.04 hereof by any principal amounts of the Bonds redeemed pursuant to Section 8.01(a) and (b) hereof or purchased pursuant to Section 6.04 hereof.

Upon any redemption of Bonds other than in accordance with scheduled mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts, the District shall cause to be recalculated and delivered to the Trustee revised mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts recalculated so as to amortize the Outstanding principal amount of Bonds of such Series in substantially equal annual installments of principal and interest (subject to rounding to Authorized Denominations of principal) over the remaining term of the Bonds of such Series. The mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts as so recalculated shall not result in an increase in the aggregate of the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts for all Bonds of such Series in any year. In the event of a redemption or purchase occurring less than 45 days prior to a date on which a mandatory sinking fund redemption amount is due, the foregoing recalculation shall not be made to mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts due in the year in which such redemption or purchase occurs, but shall be made to mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts for the immediately succeeding and subsequent years.

**SECTION 8.02. Notice of Redemption and of Purchase.** Except where otherwise required by a Supplemental Indenture, when required to redeem or purchase Bonds of a Series under any provision of the related Indenture or directed to do so by the District, the Trustee shall cause notice of the redemption, either in whole or in part, to be mailed at least thirty (30) but not more than sixty (60) days prior to the redemption or purchase date to all Owners of Bonds to be redeemed or purchased (as such Owners appear on the Bond Register on the fifth (5th) day prior to such mailing), at their registered addresses, but failure to mail any such notice or defect in the notice or in the mailing thereof shall not affect the validity of the redemption or purchase of the Bonds of such Series for which notice was duly mailed in accordance with this Section 8.02. Such notice shall be given in the name of the District, shall be dated, shall set forth the Bonds of such Series Outstanding which shall be called for redemption or purchase and shall include, without limitation, the following additional information:

- (a) the redemption or purchase date;
- (b) the redemption or purchase price;
- (c) CUSIP numbers, to the extent applicable, and any other distinctive numbers and letters;

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## ARTICLE VIII REDEMPTION AND PURCHASE OF BONDS

**SECTION 8.01. Redemption Dates and Prices.** Unless provided otherwise in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, the Bonds of a Series may be made subject to optional, mandatory and extraordinary redemption and purchase, either in whole or in part, by the District, prior to maturity in the amounts, at the times and in the manner provided in this Article VIII and in the related Supplemental Indenture.

(a) **Optional Redemption.** Bonds of a Series shall be subject to optional redemption at the direction of the District, at the times and upon payment of the purchase price as provided in the related Supplemental Indenture.

(b) **Extraordinary Mandatory Redemption in Whole or in Part.** Except as otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to Bonds of the related Series, Bonds of a Series are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to maturity by the District in whole, on any date, or in part, on any Interest Payment Date, at an extraordinary mandatory redemption price equal to 100% of the principal amount of the Bonds to be redeemed, plus interest accrued to the redemption date, (i) from moneys deposited into the related Series Bond Redemption Fund following the payment in full of Special Assessments on any portion of the District Lands in accordance with the provisions of Section 9.08(a) hereof; (ii) from moneys deposited into the related Series Bond Redemption Fund following the payment in full of Special Assessments on any portion of the District Lands as a result of any prepayment of Special Assessments in accordance with Section 9.08(b) hereof; (iii) when sufficient moneys are on deposit in the related Series Funds and Accounts (other than moneys in the Rebate Fund and any other excluded Fund or Account as provided in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds or moneys required to pay Costs of the Project under the applicable Supplemental Indenture) to pay and redeem all Outstanding Bonds of a Series and accrued interest thereon to the redemption date in addition to all amounts owed to Persons under the Indenture; (iv) unless otherwise provided in the Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds from moneys in excess of the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Requirement in the Series Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund transferred to the Series Bond Redemption Fund pursuant to Section 6.05 hereof; (v) from excess moneys transferred from the Series Account of the Revenue Fund to the Series Bond Redemption Fund in accordance with Section 6.03 of this Master Indenture; (vi) from moneys, if any, on deposit in the Series Bond Redemption Fund pursuant to Section 9.14(c) hereof following condemnation or the sale of any portion of the District Lands benefited by a Project to a governmental entity under threat of condemnation by such governmental entity or the damage or destruction of all or substantially all of the Project when such moneys are not to be used pursuant to Section 9.14(c) hereof to repair, replace or restore the Project; provided, however, that at least forty-five (45) days prior to such extraordinary mandatory redemption, the District shall cause to be delivered to the Trustee (x) notice setting forth the redemption date and (y) a certificate of the Consulting Engineer confirming that the repair and restoration of the Project would not be economical or would be impracticable; or (vii) from amounts transferred to the Series Account of the Bond Redemption Fund from the Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund in accordance with Section 5.01(c) hereof.

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(d) any conditions that must be satisfied for the Bonds to be redeemed on the date of redemption;

(e) if less than all Outstanding Bonds of a Series to be redeemed or purchased, the identification (and, in the case of partial redemption, the respective principal amounts) of the Bonds to be redeemed or purchased;

(f) that on the redemption or purchase date the Redemption Price or purchase price will become due and payable upon surrender of each such Bond or portion thereof called for redemption or purchase, and that interest thereon shall cease to accrue from and after said date; and

(g) the place where such Bonds are to be surrendered for payment of the redemption or purchase price, which place of payment shall be a corporate trust office of the Trustee.

If at the time of mailing of notice of an optional redemption or purchase, the District shall not have deposited with the Trustee or Paying Agent moneys sufficient to redeem or purchase all the Bonds called for redemption or purchase, such notice shall be entitled "CONDITIONAL NOTICE OF REDEMPTION" or "CONDITIONAL NOTICE OF PURCHASE," as appropriate, and shall expressly state that the redemption or purchase, as appropriate, is conditional and is subject to the deposit of the redemption or purchase moneys with the Trustee or Paying Agent, as the case may be, not later than the opening of business on the redemption or purchase date, and such notice shall be of no effect unless such moneys are so deposited.

If the amount of funds deposited with the Trustee for such redemption, or otherwise available, is insufficient to pay the Redemption Price and accrued interest on the Bonds so called for redemption on the redemption date, the Trustee shall redeem and pay on such date an amount of such Bonds for which such funds are sufficient, selecting the Bonds to be redeemed randomly from among all such Bonds called for redemption on such date, and among different maturities of Bonds in the same manner as the initial selection of Bonds to be redeemed, and from and after such redemption date, interest on the Bonds or portions thereof so paid shall cease to accrue and become payable; but interest on any Bonds or portions thereof not so paid shall continue to accrue until paid at the same rate as it would have had such Bonds not been called for redemption.

The notices required to be given by this Section 8.02 shall state that no representation is made as to correctness or accuracy of the CUSIP numbers listed in such notice or printed on the Bonds.

**SECTION 8.03. Payment of Redemption Price.** If any required (a) unconditional notice of redemption has been duly mailed or waived by the Owners of all Bonds called for redemption or (b) conditional notice of redemption has been so mailed or waived and the redemption moneys have been duly deposited with the Trustee or Paying Agent, then in either case, the Bonds called for redemption shall be payable on the redemption date at the applicable Redemption Price plus accrued interest, if any, to the redemption date. Bonds of a Series so called for redemption, for which moneys have been duly deposited with the Trustee, will cease to bear interest on the

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specified redemption date, shall no longer be secured by the related Indenture and shall not be deemed to be Outstanding under the provisions of the related Indenture.

Payment of the Redemption Price, together with accrued interest, shall be made by the Trustee or Paying Agent to or upon the order of the Owners of the Bonds called for redemption upon surrender of such Bonds. The Redemption Price of the Bonds to be redeemed, the expenses of giving notice and any other expenses of redemption, shall be paid out of the Fund from which redemption is to be made or by the District, or as specified in a Supplemental Indenture.

**SECTION 8.04. Partial Redemption of Bonds.** Except to the extent otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture, if less than all of a Series of Bonds of a maturity are to be redeemed, the Trustee shall select the particular Bonds or portions of the Bonds to be called for redemption by lot in such reasonable manner as the Trustee in its discretion may determine; provided that for so long as such Series of Bonds are held in book-entry only form as provided in Section 2.11 hereof, such selection shall be made by DTC in accordance with its procedures as from time to time in effect. In the case of any partial redemption of Bonds of a Series pursuant to Section 8.01(a), such redemption shall be effectuated by redeeming Bonds of such Series of such maturities in such manner as shall be specified by the District in writing, subject to the provisions of Section 8.01 hereof. In the case of any partial redemption of Bonds of a Series pursuant to Section 8.01(b), such redemption shall be effectuated by redeeming Bonds of such Series pro rata among the maturities, treating each date on which a mandatory sinking fund redemption amount is due as a separate maturity for such purpose, with the portion to be redeemed from each maturity being equal to the product of the aggregate principal amount of Bonds of such Series to be redeemed multiplied times a fraction the numerator of which is the principal amount of the Series of Bonds of such maturity outstanding immediately prior to the redemption date and the denominator of which is the aggregate principal amount of all Bonds of such Series outstanding immediately prior to the redemption date.

#### ARTICLE IX COVENANTS OF THE DISTRICT

**SECTION 9.01. Power to Issue Bonds and Create Lien.** The District is duly authorized under the Act and all applicable laws of the State to issue the Bonds, to adopt and execute this Master Indenture and to pledge the Pledged Revenues for the benefit of the Bonds of a Series and any Credit Facility Issuer, except to the extent otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture. The Pledged Revenues are not and shall not be subject to any other lien senior to or on a parity with the lien created in favor of the Bonds of a Series and any Credit Facility Issuer with respect to such Series. The Bonds and the provisions of this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture are and will be valid and legally enforceable obligations of the District in accordance with their respective terms. The District shall, at all times, to the extent permitted by law, defend, preserve and protect the pledge created by this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture and all the rights of the Bondholders and any Credit Facility Issuer under this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture against all claims and demands of all other Persons whomsoever.

**SECTION 9.02. Payment of Principal and Interest on Bonds.** The payment of the principal or Redemption Price of and interest on all of the Bonds of a Series issued under the related Indenture shall be secured forthwith equally and ratably by a first lien on and pledge of the

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**SECTION 9.04. Method of Collection.** Special Assessments shall be collected by the District in accordance with the provisions of the Act and Chapter 170 or Chapter 197, Florida Statutes, or any successor statutes thereto, as applicable, in accordance with the terms of this Section. Except as stated in the next succeeding sentence, the District shall use the uniform method for the levy, collection and enforcement of Special Assessments afforded by Sections 197.3631, 197.3632 and 197.3635, Florida Statutes, or any successor statutes thereto (the "Uniform Method"), and to do all things necessary to continue to use the Uniform Method or a comparable alternative method afforded by Section 197.3631, Florida Statutes. The District shall use its best efforts to enter into and/or maintain in effect one or more written agreements with the Property Appraiser and the Tax Collector, either individually or jointly (together, the "Property Appraiser and Tax Collector Agreement") in order to effectuate the provisions of this Section. The District shall ensure that any such Property Appraiser and Tax Collector Agreement remains in effect for at least as long as the final maturity of Bonds Outstanding under this Indenture. To the extent that the District is legally prevented from collecting Special Assessments pursuant to the Uniform Method, then the District shall collect and enforce Special Assessments pursuant to any available method under the Act, Chapter 170, Florida Statutes, or Chapter 197, Florida Statutes, or any successor statutes thereto.

Notwithstanding the immediately preceding paragraph or any other provision in this Master Indenture to the contrary, upon the occurrence of an Event of Default, if the Trustee, acting at the direction of the Majority Holders of a Series of Bonds, requests that the District not use the Uniform Method to collect the Special Assessments levied by the District for the purpose of paying the Debt Service Requirements such Series of Bonds, but instead collect and enforce the Special Assessments levied by the District for the purpose of paying the Debt Service Requirements such Series of Bonds to another available method under the Act, Chapter 170, Florida Statutes, or Chapter 197, Florida Statutes, or any successor statutes thereto, then the District shall collect and enforce said Special Assessments in the manner and pursuant to the method so requested by the Trustee. Any Special Assessments that are not collected pursuant to the Uniform Method shall be billed directly to the applicable Landowner and be payable not later than thirty (30) days prior to each Interest Payment Date.

**SECTION 9.05. Delinquent Special Assessments.** Subject to the provisions of Section 9.04 hereof, if the owner of any lot or parcel of land assessed for a particular Project shall be delinquent in the payment of any Special Assessment, then such Special Assessment shall be enforced pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 197, Florida Statutes, or any successor statute thereto, including but not limited to the sale of tax certificates and tax deeds as regards such delinquent Special Assessment. In the event the provisions of Chapter 197, Florida Statutes, and any provisions of the Act with respect to such sale are inapplicable by operation of law, then upon the delinquency of any Special Assessment the District shall, to the extent permitted by law, utilize any other method of enforcement as provided by Section 9.04 hereof, including, without limitation, declaring the entire unpaid balance of such Special Assessment to be in default and, at its own expense, cause such delinquent property to be foreclosed, pursuant to the provisions of Section 170.10, Florida Statutes, in the same method now or hereafter provided by law for the foreclosure of mortgages on real estate and Sections 190.026 and 170.10, Florida Statutes, or otherwise as provided by law. The District covenants not to use the provisions of Chapter 173, Florida Statutes.

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Pledged Revenues, except to the extent otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture; and Pledged Revenues in an amount sufficient to pay the principal or Redemption Price of and interest on the Bonds of a Series authorized by the related Indenture are hereby irrevocably pledged to the payment of the principal or Redemption Price of and interest on the Bonds of a Series authorized under the related Indenture, as the same become due and payable. The District shall promptly pay the interest on and the principal or Redemption Price of every Bond issued hereunder according to the terms thereof, but shall be required to make such payment only out of the Pledged Revenues.

THE BONDS AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS MASTER INDENTURE AND THE RELATED SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE AND THE OBLIGATIONS EVIDENCED THEREBY SHALL NOT CONSTITUTE A LIEN UPON ANY PROPERTY OF THE DISTRICT, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE PROJECT OR ANY PORTION THEREOF IN RESPECT OF WHICH ANY SUCH BONDS ARE BEING ISSUED, OR ANY PART THEREOF, BUT SHALL CONSTITUTE A LIEN ONLY ON THE PLEDGED REVENUES AS SET FORTH IN THIS MASTER INDENTURE AND ANY SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE. NOTHING IN THE BONDS AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS MASTER INDENTURE AND ANY SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE SHALL BE CONSTRUED AS OBLIGATING THE DISTRICT TO PAY THE BONDS OR THE REDEMPTION PRICE THEREOF OR THE INTEREST THEREON EXCEPT FROM THE PLEDGED REVENUES, OR AS PLEDGING THE FAITH AND CREDIT OF THE DISTRICT, THE COUNTY, THE STATE OR ANY OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF, OR AS OBLIGATING THE DISTRICT, THE COUNTY, THE STATE OR ANY OF ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY OR CONTINGENTLY, TO LEVY OR TO PLEDGE ANY FORM OF TAXATION WHATEVER THEREFOR.

#### SECTION 9.03. Special Assessments; Re-Assessments.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds, the District shall levy Special Assessments, and evidence and certify the same to the Tax Collector or cause the Property Appraiser to certify the same on the tax roll to the Tax Collector for collection by the Tax Collector and enforcement by the Tax Collector or the District pursuant to the Act, Chapter 170 or Chapter 197, Florida Statutes, or any successor statutes, as applicable, and Section 9.04 hereof, to the extent and in an amount sufficient to pay Debt Service Requirements on all Outstanding Bonds.

(b) If any Special Assessment shall be either in whole or in part annulled, vacated or set aside by the judgment of any court, or if the District shall be satisfied that any such Special Assessment is so irregular or defective that the same cannot be enforced or collected, or if the District shall have omitted to make such Special Assessment when it might have done so, the District shall either (i) take all necessary steps to cause a new Special Assessment to be made for the whole or any part of said improvement or against any property benefited by said improvement, or (ii) in its sole discretion, make up the amount of such Special Assessment from any legally available moneys, which moneys shall be deposited into the applicable Series Account in the Revenue Fund. In case such second Special Assessment shall be annulled, the District shall obtain and make other Special Assessments until a valid Special Assessment shall be made.

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**SECTION 9.06. Sale of Tax Certificates and Issuance of Tax Deeds; Foreclosure of Special Assessment Liens.** If the Special Assessments levied and collected under the Uniform Method described in Section 9.04 are delinquent, then the applicable procedures for issuance and sale of tax certificates and tax deeds for nonpayment shall be followed in accordance with Chapter 197, Florida Statutes and related statutes. Alternatively, if the Uniform Method is not utilized, and if any property shall be offered for sale for the nonpayment of any Special Assessment, and no person or persons shall purchase the same for an amount at least equal to the full amount due on the Special Assessment (principal, interest, penalties and costs, plus attorneys' fees, if any), the property may then be purchased by the District, to the extent the District has available funds, for an amount equal to the balance due on the Special Assessment (principal, interest, penalties and costs, plus attorneys' fees, if any), and the District shall thereupon receive, in its corporate name or in the name of a special purpose entity nominee of the District, the title to the property for the benefit of the Registered Owners, provided that the Trustee shall have the right acting at the direction of the Majority Holders, but shall not be obligated, to direct the District with respect to any action taken pursuant to this Section. The District, either through its own actions or actions caused to be done through the Trustee, shall have the power and shall use its best efforts to lease or sell such property and deposit all of the net proceeds of any such lease or sale into the related Series Account of the Revenue Fund. Not less than ten (10) days prior to the filing of any foreclosure action or any sale of tax deed as herein provided, the District shall cause written notice thereof to be mailed to the Registered Owners of the Series of Bonds secured by such delinquent Special Assessments. Not less than thirty (30) days prior to the proposed sale of any lot or tract of land acquired by foreclosure by the District, it shall give written notice thereof to such Registered Owners. The District, either through its own actions or actions caused to be done through the Trustee, agrees that it shall be required to take the measure provided by law for sale of property acquired by it as trustee for the Registered Owners within thirty (30) days after the receipt of the request therefor signed by the Registered Owners of the Majority Holders of the Outstanding Bonds of the Series payable from Special Assessments assessed on such property. The District and the Trustee, if directed by the Majority Holders shall, or if the Trustee or the District shall so elect may, place title of property received upon foreclosure or deed in lieu of foreclosure into a special purpose entity controlled by the Trustee or such other entity acceptable to the Majority Holders of the Bonds of a Series so effected by such foreclosure, for the benefit of the Registered Owners. If the District determines, after consultation with District Counsel, that there is an Obligated Person, as defined under the Rule, then in addition to the District, the decision to file a foreclosure action shall be made by the Majority Holders of the Bonds so secured by the delinquent Special Assessments and such decision shall be communicated to the District and Trustee in writing.

**SECTION 9.07. Books and Records with Respect to Special Assessments.** In addition to the books and records required to be kept by the District pursuant to the provisions of Section 9.17 hereof, the District shall keep books and records for the collection of the Special Assessments on the District Lands, which such books, records and accounts shall be kept separate and apart from all other books, records and accounts of the District. The District Manager or the District Manager's designee, at the end of each Fiscal Year, shall prepare a written report setting forth the collections received, the number and amount of delinquencies, the proceedings taken to enforce collections and cure delinquencies and an estimate of time for the conclusion of such legal proceedings. As soon as practicable after such report shall become available, a copy of such report shall be mailed to any Registered Owner upon its written request.

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SECTION 9.08. Removal of Special Assessment Liens. Except as otherwise provided in a Supplemental Indenture with respect to a related Series of Bonds, the following procedures shall apply in connection with the removal of Special Assessment liens:

(a) At any time from the date of levy of Special Assessments on a parcel of District Lands through the date that is thirty (30) days after the related Project has been completed and the Board has adopted a resolution accepting such Project as provided by Section 170.09, Florida Statutes, as amended, any owner of property subject to the Special Assessments may, at its option, require the District to release and extinguish the lien upon its property by virtue of the levy of the Special Assessments that relate to a Series of Bonds by paying to the District the entire amount of such Special Assessment on such property, without interest. The District shall promptly notify the Trustee in writing of any Prepayment made under such circumstances. Accrued interest on the principal amount of any Bonds that would be redeemed as a result of such Prepayment made within thirty (30) days after the Board has adopted a resolution accepting the Project shall be derived from moneys on deposit in the Capitalized Interest Account and, if no moneys remain, from moneys on deposit in the Interest Account, and, if no moneys remain therein, from moneys on deposit in the Debt Service Reserve Account.

(b) Upon receipt of a Prepayment as described in the immediately preceding paragraph, the District shall immediately, but in any event within two (2) Business Days following the receipt of such Prepayment moneys, pay the amount so received to the Trustee, and the District shall take such action as is necessary to record in the official records of the District that the Special Assessment has been paid in full or in part and that such Special Assessment lien is thereby released and extinguished if paid in full or such Special Assessment lien shall be reduced if the Landowner only made a partial Prepayment. Upon receipt of any such moneys from the District the Trustee shall immediately deposit the same into the Bond Redemption Fund to be applied to the redemption of Bonds in accordance with Section 8.01(b)(i) hereof. In connection with such Prepayment, the Trustee shall calculate the credit authorized pursuant to Section 6.05 hereof, and transfer such credit to the Bond Redemption Fund to be used together with such Prepayment for the redemption of Bonds in accordance with Section 8.01(b)(i) hereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the foregoing, and consistent with the proceedings of the District relating to the imposition and levy of the Special Assessments, the owner of property (including the Developer) may at any time require the District to release and extinguish the lien upon its property by virtue of the levy of the Special Assessments by paying to the District the entire amount of the Special Assessment, plus accrued interest to the next succeeding Interest Payment Date (or the second succeeding Interest Payment Date if such Prepayment is made within forty-five (45) calendar days before an Interest Payment Date), attributable to the property subject to Special Assessment owned by such owner. In lieu of such Prepayment with cash, an owner of property within the District may surrender to the District for cancellation to completely extinguish the lien on such property or reduce the lien equally on every portion of such property, a principal amount of Outstanding Bonds of a Series that is secured by Special Assessments levied against such property.

(d) In addition to the Prepayments described in paragraphs (a) and (b) above, any Landowner, or any Person on behalf of a Landowner, may present to the District, Bonds of a Series purchased in the open market for cancellation and such cancellation of such purchased

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SECTION 9.11. Operation, Use and Maintenance of Project. The District shall establish and enforce reasonable rules and regulations governing the use of the Project owned by the District, and the operation thereof, such rules and regulations to be adopted in accordance with the Act, and the District shall operate, use and maintain the Project owned by the District in accordance with the Act and all other applicable federal and State laws, rules and regulations; the District shall maintain and operate the Project owned by the District in an efficient and economical manner, shall at all times maintain the same in good repair and in sound operating condition and shall make all necessary repairs, renewals and replacements.

SECTION 9.12. Observance of and Compliance with Valid Requirements. The District shall pay all municipal or governmental charges lawfully levied or assessed upon any Project or any part thereof or upon any revenues when the same shall become due, and the District shall duly observe and comply with all valid requirements of any municipal or governmental authority relative to the Project. The District shall not, except as otherwise permitted in Sections 9.23 and 9.24 of this Article, create or suffer to be created any lien or charge upon any Project or upon Pledged Revenues, except the lien and charge of the Bonds on the Pledged Revenues.

SECTION 9.13. Payment of Operating or Maintenance Costs by State or Others. The District may permit the United States of America, the State, the County, or any of their agencies, departments or political subdivisions to pay all or any part of the cost of maintaining, repairing and operating the Project out of funds other than Pledged Revenues.

SECTION 9.14. Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance; Maintenance of Insurance; Use of Insurance and Condemnation Proceeds.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (d) of this Section, the District will carry or cause to be carried, in respect of each Project, comprehensive general liability insurance (covering bodily injury and property damage) issued by one or more insurance companies authorized and qualified to do business under the laws of the State, in such amounts as is customary for similar operations, or as is more specifically set forth herein below.

(b) At all times, to the extent commercially available, the District shall maintain a practical insurance program, with reasonable terms, conditions, provisions and costs which the District Manager determines will afford adequate protection against loss caused by damage to or destruction of any component of the Project owned by the District. Limits for such coverage will be subject to the Consulting Engineer's recommendations which are to be provided in an annual report, as required by Section 9.21 hereof. The District shall also, at all times, maintain a practical comprehensive general liability insurance program with respect to the Project for such coverage, with such reasonable terms, conditions, provisions and costs as the District Manager determines will afford adequate protection against bodily injury and property damage.

All insurance policies of the District relating to the Project shall be carried with companies authorized to do business in the State, with a Best rating of no less than "A" as to management and Class "V" as to financial strength; provided, however, that if, in the opinion of the District Manager, adequate insurance protection under reasonable terms, conditions, provisions and cost cannot be purchased from an insurance company with the above-designated ratings, then the District Manager, on behalf of the District, may secure such insurance protection as the District

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Bonds shall constitute an optional Prepayment; provided that no Special Assessments shall be deemed paid by a Landowner until such time as the Bonds presented for cancellation by a Landowner as an In Kind Payment are surrendered to the Trustee, as proxy for the District, accompanied by a written direction to the Trustee to cancel and destroy said Bonds. Except as provided in the next succeeding sentence, such Landowner shall receive the benefit of a reduction, in whole or in part, of the lien of the Special Assessments levied by the District against the lands of such Landowner equal to principal amount of the Bonds surrendered as an In Kind Payment in accordance with the provisions hereof. If the amount credited to the Series Account in the Debt Service Reserve Account would exceed the Debt Service Reserve Requirement for the remaining Outstanding Bonds of a Series as a result of such optional Prepayment described in this paragraph (c), such excess amount shall, prior to the Completion Date of a Project, be transferred to the applicable Series Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund, and after the Completion Date, shall constitute a credit against the amount of Prepayment to be applied as a result of such cancellation of Bonds of a Series. The actual amount of such excess shall be applied for the partial extraordinary redemption of the Outstanding Bonds of a Series after such cancellation pursuant to Section 8.01(b)(ii) hereof. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, in the event that the amount of the In Kind Payment made by any Landowner is less than the amount of Special Assessments levied against such property, then the In Kind Payment shall be applied pro rata to reduce the principal amount of Special Assessments levied by the District on all District Lands owned by said Landowner encumbered by Special Assessments securing the Series of Bonds so tendered by the Landowner as an In Kind Payment.

(e) Upon receipt of a Prepayment or an In Kind Payment as described in (a), (b) or (c) above, the District shall immediately pay the amount so received or remit the Bonds tendered as an In Kind Payment to the Trustee, and the District shall take such action as is necessary to record in the official records of the District that the Special Assessment has been paid or otherwise satisfied and that such Special Assessment lien is thereby released and extinguished. Except as otherwise provided by a Supplemental Indenture, upon receipt of any such moneys from the District the Trustee shall immediately deposit the same into the applicable Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund to be applied to the redemption of Bonds in accordance with Section 8.01(b)(i) or (ii) hereof, as the case may be.

SECTION 9.09. Deposit of Special Assessments. The District covenants to cause any Special Assessments collected or otherwise received by it to be deposited with the Trustee within five (5) Business Days after receipt thereof for deposit into the related Series Account of the Revenue Fund (except that amounts received as Prepayments of Special Assessments shall be designated by the District as such upon delivery to the Trustee and shall be deposited directly into the related Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund).

SECTION 9.10. Construction to be on District Lands. The District covenants that no part of the Project will be constructed on, over or under lands other than (i) lands good and marketable title to which is owned by the District or other appropriate entity in fee simple, (ii) lands on, over or under which the District or other appropriate entity shall have acquired perpetual easements for the purposes of the Project, or (iii) lands, including public streets and highways, the right to the use and occupancy of which for such purposes shall be vested in the District or other appropriate entity by law or by valid franchises, licenses, easements or rights of way or other legally effective permissions or approval.

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determines to be in its best interests and otherwise consistent with this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture; provided further, however, that the District may act as a self-insurer in accordance with the requirements of subsection (d) hereof. All policies providing the insurance coverages required by this Section shall designate the District as the loss-payee and shall be made payable to the District.

(c) All proceeds received from property damage or destruction insurance and all proceeds received from the condemnation of the Project or any part thereof are hereby pledged by the District as security for the related Series of Bonds and shall be deposited at the option of the District, but subject to the limitations hereinafter described, either (i) into a separate subaccount within the Acquisition and Construction Fund to be established by the Trustee for such purpose, and used to remedy the loss, damage or taking for which such proceeds are received, either by repairing the damaged property or replacing the destroyed or taken property, as soon as practicable after the receipt of such proceeds, or (ii) into the related Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund for the purpose of purchasing or redeeming Bonds according to the provisions set forth in Article VIII hereof. The District shall not be entitled to deposit insurance proceeds or condemnation awards into the separate fund described above in clause (i) of this paragraph (and such proceeds and awards shall be deposited directly into the related Series Account within the Bond Redemption Fund pursuant to clause (ii) of this paragraph) unless there shall have been filed with the District within a reasonable time after the damage, destruction or condemnation (A) a certificate from the Consulting Engineer that the proceeds of the insurance or condemnation awards deposited into such separate fund, together with other funds available for such purposes, will be sufficient to repair, rebuild, replace or restore such property to substantially the same condition as it was in prior to its damage, destruction or condemnation (taking into consideration any changes, alterations and modifications that the District may desire), (B) an opinion from the Consulting Engineer that the Project can be repaired, rebuilt, replaced or restored within two (2) years following the damage, destruction or condemnation thereof and (C) an opinion of the Consulting Engineer that, in each of the three (3) Fiscal Years following completion of such repair, rebuilding, replacement or restoration, the District will be in compliance with its obligations hereunder. If the certificate described in clause (A) of this paragraph is not rendered because such proceeds or awards are insufficient for such purposes, the District may deposit any other legally available funds in such separate fund in an amount required to enable the Consulting Engineer to render its certificate. If the insurance proceeds or condemnation awards deposited in such separate fund are more than sufficient to repair the damaged property or to replace the destroyed or taken property, the balance thereof remaining shall be deposited to the credit of the related Series Account in the Revenue Fund.

(d) The District shall be entitled to provide all or a portion of the insurance coverage required by subsections (a) and (b) of this Section through Qualified Self Insurance, provided that the requirements hereinafter set forth in this subsection (d) are satisfied. "Qualified Self Insurance" means insurance maintained through a program of self insurance or insurance maintained with a company or association in which the District has a material interest or of which the District has control, either singly or with others.

Each plan of Qualified Self Insurance shall be in written form, shall provide that upon the termination of such plan reserves will be established or insurance acquired in amounts adequate to cover any potential retained liability in respect of the period of self insurance, and shall be

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reviewed annually by the District Manager or registered actuary who shall deliver to the District a report on the adequacy of the reserves established thereunder in light of claims made. If the District Manager or registered actuary determines that such reserves are inadequate in light of the claims made, he shall make recommendations as to the amount of reserves that should be established and maintained, and the District shall comply with such recommendations.

(e) Copies of all recommendations and approvals made by the Consulting Engineer under the provisions of this Section shall be filed with the District Manager.

**SECTION 9.15. Collection of Insurance Proceeds.** Copies of all insurance policies referred to in Section 9.14 of this Article shall be available at the offices of the District at all reasonable times to the inspection of the Holders of the Bonds and their agents and representatives duly authorized in writing. The District covenants that it will take such action as may be necessary to demand, collect and sue for any insurance money which may become due and payable under any policy of insurance required under this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture, whether such policy is payable to the District or to the Trustee. The Trustee is hereby authorized in its own name to demand, collect, sue and receive any insurance money which may become due and payable under any policies payable to it.

Any appraisal or adjustment of any loss or damage under any policy of insurance required under the Indenture, whether such policy is payable to the District or to the Trustee, and any settlement or payment of indemnity under any such policy which may be agreed upon by the District and any insurer shall be evidenced by a certificate, signed by the District Manager approved by the Consulting Engineer, and filed with the Trustee. The Trustee shall in no way be liable or responsible for the collection of insurance moneys in case of any loss or damage.

**SECTION 9.16. Use of Revenues for Authorized Purposes Only.** None of the Pledged Revenues shall be used for any purpose other than as provided in this Master Indenture and the related Supplemental Indenture and no contract or contracts shall be entered into or any action taken by the District or the Trustee which will be inconsistent with the provisions of this Master Indenture and the related Supplemental Indenture.

**SECTION 9.17. Books, Records and Annual Reports.** The District shall keep proper books of record and account in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (separate from all other records and accounts) consistently applied and consistent with the provisions of this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture, in which complete and correct entries shall be made of its transactions relating to the Project, and which, together with all other books and records of the District, including, without limitation, insurance policies, relating to the Project, shall at all times be subject during regular business hours to the inspection of the Trustee.

The District shall annually, within 270 days after the close of each Fiscal Year, file with any rating agency that shall have then in effect a rating on any of the Bonds, any Bondholder that shall have, in writing, requested a copy thereof, and otherwise as provided by law, a copy of an annual report for such year, prepared in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles by a Certified Public Accountant, relating to its operations and including, without limitation, statements in reasonable detail of financial condition as of the end of such Fiscal Year

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9.14 hereof and the amount that should be set aside monthly for the purpose of paying insurance premiums which fall due less often than monthly.

Promptly after the receipt of such reports by the District, copies thereof shall be mailed by the District to all Bondholders who shall have filed their names and addresses with the Secretary of the Board for such purpose.

**SECTION 9.22. Audit Reports.** The District covenants to keep accurate records and books of account with respect to the Project, and covenants that, no later than 270 days after the end of each Fiscal Year, it will cause an audit to be made by a Certified Public Accountant covering all receipts and moneys then on deposit with or in the name of the Trustee or the District and any security held therefor and any investments thereof. Copies of such audit reports shall be filed with the District Manager and the Secretary of the Board, and mailed by said Secretary to the Consulting Engineer and to all Bondholders who shall have filed their names and addresses with him for such purpose.

**SECTION 9.23. Covenant Against Sale or Encumbrance; Exceptions.** The District covenants that, (a) except for those improvements comprising the Project that are to be conveyed by the District to the County, the State Department of Transportation or another governmental entity, as to which no assessments of the District will be imposed and (b) except as in this Section permitted, it will not sell, lease or otherwise dispose of or encumber the Project, or any part thereof. Subject to the provisions of Section 9.29 hereof, the District may, however, from time to time, sell any machinery, fixtures, apparatus, tools, instruments or other movable property acquired by it from the proceeds of a Series of Bonds or from Pledged Revenues if the District Manager shall determine, with the approval of the Consulting Engineer, that such items are no longer needed or are no longer useful in connection with the construction, maintenance and operation of the related Project, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied to the replacement of the properties so sold or disposed of or, at the written direction of the District shall be deposited to the credit of the related Series Account in the Acquisition and Construction Fund.

Upon any sale of property relating to the Project, the aggregate of which in any thirty (30) day period exceeds Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) under the provisions of this Section, the District shall provide written notice to the Trustee of the property so sold and the amount and disposition of the proceeds thereof.

Subject to obtaining an opinion of Bond Counsel that such action will not adversely affect the exclusion of interest on the Bonds for federal income tax purposes, the District may lease or grant easements, franchises or concessions for the use of any part of the Project not incompatible with the maintenance and operation thereof, if the Consulting Engineer shall approve such lease, easement, franchise or concession in writing, and the net proceeds of any such lease, easement, franchise or concession (after the making of provision for payment from said proceeds of all costs incurred in financing, constructing, operating, maintaining or repairing such leases, easements, franchises or concessions) shall be deposited as received to the credit of related Series Account in the Acquisition and Construction Fund.

**SECTION 9.24. No Loss of Lien on Pledged Revenue.** The District shall not do or omit to do, or suffer to be done or omit to be done, any matter or thing whatsoever whereby the lien of

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and income and expenses for such Fiscal Year relating to the Project, and a summary, with respect to each Fund and Account established under the Indenture, of the receipts therein and disbursements therefrom during such Fiscal Year, and the amounts held therein at the end of such Fiscal Year.

**SECTION 9.18. [Reserved].**

**SECTION 9.19. Employment of Certified Public Accountant.** The District shall employ or cause to be employed as required a Certified Public Accountant to perform accounting and auditing functions and duties required by the Act and this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture.

**SECTION 9.20. Establishment of Fiscal Year Annual Budget.** The District has established a Fiscal Year beginning October 1 of each year and ending September 30 of the following year. The reports and budget of the District shall relate to such Fiscal Year unless and until, in accordance with applicable law, a different Fiscal Year is established by Certified Resolution of the District and is filed with the Trustee.

On or before the first day of each Fiscal Year the District shall adopt a final Annual Budget with respect to the Project for such Fiscal Year for the payment of anticipated operating and maintenance expenses and shall supply a copy of such budget promptly upon the approval thereof to any Bondholders who shall have so requested in writing and shall have filed their names and addresses with the Secretary of the Board for such purpose. If for any reason the District shall not have adopted the Annual Budget with respect to the Project on or before the first day of any Fiscal Year, the Annual Budget for the preceding Fiscal Year shall, until the adoption of the new Annual Budget, be deemed in force for the ensuing Fiscal Year. The District may at any time adopt an amended or supplemental Annual Budget for the remainder of the current Fiscal Year, and when such amended or supplemental Annual Budget is approved it shall be treated as the official Annual Budget under this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture. Copies of such amended or supplemental Annual Budget shall be mailed by the District to any Bondholders who shall have so requested in writing and shall have filed their names and addresses with the Secretary of the Board for such purpose.

**SECTION 9.21. Employment of Consulting Engineer; Consulting Engineer's Report.**

(a) The District shall, for the purpose of performing and carrying out the duties imposed on the Consulting Engineer by this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture, employ one or more Independent engineers or engineering firms or corporations having a statewide and favorable repute for skill and experience in such work.

(b) The District shall cause the Consulting Engineer to make an inspection of any portions of the Project owned by the District at least once in each Fiscal Year and, on or before the first day of July in each Fiscal Year, to submit to the Board a report setting forth (i) its findings as to whether such portions of the Project owned by the District have been maintained in good repair, working order and condition, (ii) its recommendations as to the proper maintenance, repair and operation of the Project during the ensuing Fiscal Year and an estimate of the amount of money necessary for such purpose and (iii) the insurance to be carried under the provisions of Section

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the Bonds on the Pledged Revenues or any part thereof, or the priority thereof, would be lost or impaired; provided, however, that this Section shall not prohibit the Trustee from transferring moneys to the Rebate Fund held by the Trustee under any arbitrage rebate agreement.

**SECTION 9.25. Compliance With Other Contracts and Agreements.** The District shall comply with and abide by all of the terms and conditions of any and all contracts and agreements which the District enters into in connection with the Project and the issuance of the Bonds.

**SECTION 9.26. Issuance of Additional Obligations.** The District shall not issue any obligations other than the Bonds payable from Pledged Revenues, nor voluntarily create or cause to be created any debt, lien, pledge, assignment, encumbrance or other charge, payable from Pledged Revenues, except in the ordinary course of business.

**SECTION 9.27. Extension of Time for Payment of Interest Prohibited.** The District shall not directly or indirectly extend or assent to an extension of time for payment of any claim for interest on any of the Bonds and shall not directly or indirectly be a party to or approve any arrangement therefor by purchasing or funding or in any manner keeping alive any such claim for interest; no claim for interest which in any way, at or after maturity, shall have been transferred or pledged apart from the Bonds to which it relates or which shall in any manner have been kept alive after maturity by extension or by purchase thereof by or on behalf of the District, shall be entitled, in case of a default hereunder, to any benefit or security under this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture except after the prior payment in full of the principal of all Bonds and claims for interest appertaining thereto not so transferred, pledged, kept alive or extended.

**SECTION 9.28. Further Assurances.** The District shall not enter into any contract or take any action by which the rights of the Trustee or the Bondholders may be impaired and shall, from time to time, execute and deliver such further instruments and take such further action as may be required to carry out the purposes of this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture.

**SECTION 9.29. Use of Bond Proceeds to Comply with Internal Revenue Code.** The District covenants to the Holders of the Bonds that it will not make or direct the making of any investment or other use of the proceeds of any Bonds issued hereunder, the interest on which is intended to be excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes ("Tax-Exempt Bonds") which would cause such Bonds to be "arbitrage bonds" as that term is defined in Section 148 of the Code or "private activity bonds" as that term is defined in Section 141, of the Code, and that it will comply with the requirements of such Code sections and related regulations throughout the term of such Tax-Exempt Bonds. The District hereby further covenants and agrees to comply with the procedures and covenants contained in any Arbitrage Certificate executed in connection with the issuance of each Series of Tax-Exempt Bonds for so long as compliance is necessary in order to maintain the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on each Series of Tax-Exempt Bonds.

**SECTION 9.30. Corporate Existence and Maintenance of Properties.** For so long as any Bonds are Outstanding hereunder, unless otherwise provided by the Act, the District shall maintain its corporate existence as a local unit of special purpose government under the Act and shall provide for or otherwise require all Projects, and all parts thereof owned by the District to be (a) continuously operated, repaired, improved and maintained as shall be necessary to provide

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adequate service to the lands benefited thereby; and (b) in compliance with all valid and applicable laws, acts, rules, regulations, permits, orders, requirements and directions of any competent public authority.

SECTION 9.31. Bankruptcy or Insolvency of Landowner. For purposes of this Section 9.31, (a) each Series of Bonds secured by and payable from Special Assessments levied against property owned by any Insolvent Taxpayer (defined below) are collectively referred to herein as the "Affected Bonds" and (b) the Special Assessments levied against any Insolvent Taxpayer's property and pledged under one or more Supplemental Indentures as security for the Affected Bonds are collectively referred to herein as the "Affected Special Assessments."

The provisions of this Section 9.31 shall be applicable both before and after the commencement, whether voluntary or involuntary, of any case, proceeding or other action by or against any owner of any tax parcel subject to the Affected Special Assessments (an "Insolvent Taxpayer") under any existing or future law of any jurisdiction relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, assignment for the benefit of creditors, or relief of debtors (a "Proceeding"). For as long as any Affected Bonds remain Outstanding, in any Proceeding involving the District, any Insolvent Taxpayer, the Affected Bonds or the Affected Special Assessments, the District shall be obligated to act in accordance with any direction from the Trustee with regard to all matters directly or indirectly affecting at least three percent (3%) of the Outstanding aggregate principal amount of the Affected Bonds or for as long as any Affected Bonds remain Outstanding, in any proceeding involving the District, any Insolvent Taxpayer, the Affected Bonds or the Affected Special Assessments or the Trustee. The District agrees that it shall not be a defense to a breach of the foregoing covenant that it has acted upon advice of counsel in not complying with this covenant.

The District acknowledges and agrees that, although the Affected Bonds were issued by the District, the Owners of the Affected Bonds are categorically the party with the ultimate financial stake in the transaction and, consequently, the party with a vested and pecuniary interest in a Proceeding. In the event of any Proceeding involving any Insolvent Taxpayer: (a) the District hereby agrees that it shall follow the direction of the Trustee in making any election, giving any consent, commencing any action or filing any motion, claim, obligation, notice or application or in taking any other action or position in any Proceeding or in any action related to a Proceeding that affects, either directly or indirectly, the Affected Special Assessments, the Affected Bonds or any rights of the Trustee under the Indenture; (b) the District hereby agrees that it shall not make any election, give any consent, commence any action or file any motion, claim, obligation, notice or application or take any other action or position in any Proceeding or in any action related to a Proceeding that affects, either directly or indirectly, the Affected Special Assessments, the Affected Bonds or any rights of the Trustee under the Indenture that is inconsistent with any direction from the Trustee; (c) to the extent permitted by law, the Trustee shall have the right, but is not obligated to, (i) vote in any such Proceeding and all claims of the District, or (ii) file any motion, pleading, plan or objection in any such Proceeding on behalf of the District, including without limitation, motions seeking relief from the automatic stay, dismissal of the Proceeding, valuation of the property belonging to the Insolvent Taxpayer, termination of exclusivity, and objections to disclosure statements, plans of liquidation or reorganization, and motions for use of cash collateral, seeking approval of sales or post-petition financing. If the Trustee chooses to exercise any such rights, the District shall be deemed to have appointed the Trustee as its agent and granted to the Trustee an irrevocable power of attorney coupled with an interest, and its proxy,

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SECTION 10.02. Events of Default Defined. Each of the following shall be an "Event of Default" under the Indenture, with respect to a Series of Bonds:

- (a) if payment of any installment of interest on any Bond of such Series is not made when it becomes due and payable; or
- (b) if payment of the principal or Redemption Price of any Bond of such Series is not made when it becomes due and payable at maturity or upon call or presentation for redemption; or
- (c) if the District, for any reason, fails in, or is rendered incapable of, fulfilling its obligations under the Indenture or under the Act, as determined by the Majority Holders of such Series of Bonds; or
- (d) if the District proposes or makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors or enters into a composition agreement with all or a material part of its creditors, or a trustee, receiver, executor, conservator, liquidator, sequester or other judicial representative, similar or dissimilar, is appointed for the District or any of its assets or revenues, or there is commenced any proceeding in liquidation, bankruptcy, reorganization, arrangement of debts, debtor rehabilitation, creditor adjustment or insolvency, local, state or federal, by or against the District and if such is not vacated, dismissed or stayed on appeal within ninety (90) days; or
- (e) if the District defaults in the due and punctual performance of any other covenant in the Indenture or in any Bond of such Series issued pursuant to the Indenture and such default continues for sixty (60) days after written notice requiring the same to be remedied shall have been given to the District by the Trustee, which may give such notice in its discretion and shall give such notice at the written request of the Majority Holders of the Outstanding Bonds of such Series; provided, however, that if such performance requires work to be done, actions to be taken, or conditions to be remedied, which by their nature cannot reasonably be done, taken or remedied, as the case may be, within such sixty (60) day period, no Event of Default shall be deemed to have occurred or exist if, and so long as the District shall commence such performance within such sixty (60) day period and shall diligently and continuously prosecute the same to completion; or
- (f) written notice shall have been received by the Trustee from a Credit Facility Issuer securing Bonds of such Series that an event of default has occurred under the Credit Facility Agreement, or there shall have been a failure by said Credit Facility Issuer to make said Credit Facility available or to reinstate the interest component of said Credit Facility in accordance with the terms of said Credit Facility, to the extent said notice or failure is established as an event of default under the terms of a Supplemental Indenture; or
- (g) if at any time the amount in the Debt Service Reserve Fund or any account therein is less than the Debt Service Reserve Requirement as a result of the Trustee withdrawing an amount therefrom to satisfy the Debt Service Requirement on the Bonds of any Series and such amount has not been restored within thirty (30) days of such withdrawal; or
- (h) if, at any time following issuance of the related series of Bonds, more than twenty percent (20%) of the "maintenance special assessments" levied by the District on the

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for the purpose of exercising any and all rights and taking any and all actions available to the District in connection with any Proceeding of any Insolvent Taxpayer, including without limitation, the right to file and/or prosecute any claims, to propose and prosecute a plan, to vote to accept or reject a plan, and to make any election under Section 1111(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and (d) the District shall not challenge the validity or amount of any claim submitted in such Proceeding by the Trustee in good faith or any valuations of the lands owned by any Insolvent Taxpayer submitted by the Trustee in good faith in such Proceeding or take any other action in such Proceeding, which is adverse to Trustee's enforcement of the District claim and rights with respect to the Affected Special Assessments or receipt of adequate protection (as that term is defined in the Bankruptcy Code). Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the District agrees that the Trustee shall have the right (i) to file a proof of claim with respect to the Affected Special Assessments, (ii) to deliver to the District a copy thereof, together with evidence of the filing with the appropriate court or other authority, and (iii) to defend any objection filed to said proof of claim.

Notwithstanding the provisions of the immediately preceding paragraphs, nothing in this Section 9.31 shall preclude the District from becoming a party to a Proceeding in order to enforce a claim for "maintenance special assessments," and the District shall be free to pursue such a claim in such manner as it shall deem appropriate. Any actions taken by the District in pursuance of its claim for "maintenance special assessments" in any Proceeding shall not be considered an action adverse or inconsistent with the Trustee's rights or consents with respect to the Affected Special Assessments, whether such claim is pursued by the District or the Trustee; provided, however, that the District shall not oppose any relief sought by the Trustee under the authority granted to the Trustee in this Section.

SECTION 9.32. Continuing Disclosure. The District hereby covenants and agrees that it will comply with and carry out all of the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Agreement. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture, failure of the District or a Landowner (if obligated pursuant to the Continuing Disclosure Agreement) to comply with the Continuing Disclosure Agreement shall not be considered an Event of Default; however, the Trustee may (and, at the request of any participating underwriter or the Holders of at least 25% aggregate principal amount in Outstanding Bonds of a Series and receipt of indemnity to its satisfaction, shall) or any Holder of the Bonds or Beneficial Owner may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking specific performance by court order, to cause the District to comply with its obligations under this Section 9.32. For purposes of this Section, "Beneficial Owner" means any person which (a) has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or consent with respect to, or to dispose of ownership of, any Bonds (including persons holding Bonds through nominees, depositories or other intermediaries), or (b) is treated as the owner of any Bonds for federal income tax purposes.

## ARTICLE X EVENTS OF DEFAULT AND REMEDIES

SECTION 10.01. Events of Default and Remedies. Except to the extent otherwise provided in the Supplemental Indenture authorizing a Series of Bonds, events of default and remedies with respect to each Series of Bonds shall be as set forth in this Master Indenture.

District Lands upon which the Special Assessments are levied to secure one or more Series of Bonds pursuant to Section 190.021(3), Florida Statutes, as amended, and collected directly by the District have become due and payable and have not been paid, when due; or

- (i) more than twenty percent (20%) of the "maintenance special assessments" levied by the District on District Lands upon which the Special Assessments are levied to secure one or more Series of Bonds pursuant to Section 190.021(3), Florida Statutes, as amended, and collected directly by the District have become due and payable and have not been paid, when due.

The Trustee shall not be required to rely on any official action, admission or declaration by the District before recognizing that an Event of Default under (c) above has occurred.

SECTION 10.03. No Acceleration; Redemption. No Series of Bonds issued under this Master Indenture shall be subject to acceleration. Upon occurrence and continuance of an Event of Default, no optional redemption or extraordinary mandatory redemption of the Bonds pursuant to Article VIII hereof shall occur unless all of the Bonds of the Series where an Event of Default has occurred will be redeemed or if 100% of the Holders of such Series of Bonds agree to such redemption. Provided however nothing in this Section 10.03 shall prevent a pro rata default distribution pursuant to Section 10.12 herein.

SECTION 10.04. Foreclosure of Assessment Lien. Notwithstanding Section 9.06 of this Master Indenture or any other provision of this Master Indenture to the contrary, the following provisions shall apply with respect to the Special Assessments securing a Series of Bonds and such Series of Bonds.

If any property shall be offered for sale for the nonpayment of any Special Assessment and no person or persons shall purchase such property for an amount equal to the full amount due on the Special Assessments (principal, interest, penalties and costs, plus attorneys' fees, if any), the property may then be purchased by the District for an amount equal to the balance due on the Special Assessments (principal, interest, penalties and costs, plus attorneys' fees, if any), from any legally available funds of the District and the District shall receive in its corporate name or in the name of a special purpose entity title to the property for the benefit of the Owners of the applicable Series of Bonds; provided that the Trustee shall have the right, acting at the written direction of the Majority Holders, but shall not be obligated, to direct the District with respect to any action taken pursuant to this Section. The District, either through its own actions, or actions caused to be taken through the Trustee, shall have the power and shall lease or sell such property, and deposit all of the net proceeds of any such lease or sale into the Revenue Account. The District, either through its own actions, or actions caused to be taken through the Trustee, agrees that it shall be required to take the measures provided by law for sale of property acquired by it as Trustee for the Owners of the applicable Series of Bonds within sixty (60) days after the receipt of the request therefor signed by the Trustee or the Majority Holders.

SECTION 10.05. Legal Proceedings by Trustee. If any Event of Default with respect to a Series of Bonds has occurred and is continuing, the Trustee, in its discretion may, and upon the written request of the Majority Holders of the Outstanding Bonds of such Series and receipt of indemnity to its satisfaction shall, in its capacity as Trustee:



(a) by mandamus, or other suit, action or proceeding at law or in equity, enforce all rights of the Holders of the Bonds of such Series, including, without limitation, the right to require the District to carry out any agreements with, or for the benefit of, the Bondholders of the Bonds of such Series and to perform its or their duties under the Act;

(b) bring suit upon the Series of Bonds;

(c) by action or suit in equity require the District to account as if it were the trustee of an express trust for the Holders of the Bonds of such Series;

(d) by action or suit in equity enjoin any acts or things which may be unlawful or in violation of the rights of the Holders of the Bonds of such Series; and

(e) by other proceeding in law or equity, exercise all rights and remedies provided for by any other document or instrument securing such Series of Bonds.

SECTION 10.06. Discontinuance of Proceedings by Trustee. If any proceeding taken by the Trustee on account of any Event of Default is discontinued or is determined adversely to the Trustee, the District, the Trustee, the Paying Agent and the Bondholders shall be restored to their former positions and rights hereunder as though no such proceeding had been taken.

SECTION 10.07. Bondholders May Direct Proceedings. Subject to Section 10.08 below, the Majority Holders of the Outstanding Bonds of a Series then subject to remedial proceedings under this Article X shall have the right to direct the method and place of conducting all remedial proceedings by the Trustee under the Indenture, provided that such directions shall not be otherwise than in accordance with law or the provisions of the Indenture.

SECTION 10.08. Limitations on Actions by Bondholders. No Bondholder shall have any right to pursue any remedy hereunder unless (a) the Trustee shall have been given written notice of an Event of Default, (b) the Majority Holders of the Outstanding Bonds of the applicable Series shall have requested the Trustee, in writing, to exercise the powers hereinabove granted or to pursue such remedy in its or their name or names, (c) the Trustee shall have been offered indemnity satisfactory to it against costs, expenses and liabilities (including attorneys' fees, costs and expenses), and (d) the Trustee shall have failed to comply with such request within a reasonable time.

SECTION 10.09. Trustee May Enforce Rights Without Possession of Bonds. All rights under the Indenture and a Series of Bonds may be enforced by the Trustee without the possession of any of the Bonds of such Series or the production thereof at the trial or other proceedings relative thereto, and any proceeding instituted by the Trustee shall be brought in its name for the ratable benefit of the Holders of the Bonds of such Series.

SECTION 10.10. Remedies Not Exclusive. Except as limited under Section 15.01 of this Master Indenture, no remedy contained in the Indenture with respect to a Series of Bonds is intended to be exclusive of any other remedy or remedies, and each remedy is in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity or by statute.

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been issued (but subject to subsection (a) hereof and Section 11.04 hereof) and the Certified Resolution of the District authorizing the issuance of such Bonds to which such Credit Facility relates.

SECTION 10.13. Trustee's Right to Receiver; Compliance with Act. During the continuance of an Event of Default, the Trustee shall be entitled as of right to the appointment of a receiver and the Trustee, the Bondholders and any receiver so appointed shall have such rights and powers and be subject to such limitations and restrictions as are contained in the Act and other applicable law of the State. When the Trustee incurs costs or expenses (including legal fees, costs and expenses) or renders services after the occurrence of an Event of Default, such costs and expenses and the compensation for such services are intended to constitute expenses of administration under any federal or state bankruptcy, insolvency, arrangement, moratorium, reorganization or other debtor relief law.

SECTION 10.14. Trustee and Bondholders Entitled to all Remedies under Act. It is the purpose of this Article to provide such remedies to the Trustee and Bondholders as may be lawfully granted under the provisions of the Act and other applicable laws of the State; if any remedy herein granted shall be held unlawful, the Trustee and the Bondholders shall nevertheless be entitled to every other remedy provided by the Act and other applicable laws of the State. It is further intended that, insofar as lawfully possible, the provisions of this Article X shall apply to and be binding upon any receiver appointed in accordance with Section 10.13 hereof.

SECTION 10.15. Credit Facility Issuer's Rights Upon Events of Default. Anything in the Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, if any Event of Default, other than Events of Default described in Section 10.02(a) or (b) hereof, has occurred and is continuing while a Credit Facility securing all or a portion of such Bonds of a Series Outstanding is in effect, the Credit Facility Issuer shall have the right, in lieu of the Owners of the Series of Bonds (or portion thereof) secured by said Credit Facility, by an instrument in writing, executed and delivered to the Trustee, together with indemnification satisfactory to the Trustee against costs, expenses and liabilities, to direct the time, method and place of conducting all remedial proceedings available to the Trustee under the Indenture, or exercising any trust or power conferred on the Trustee by the Indenture. Said direction shall be controlling to the extent the direction of Owners of the Series of Bonds (or portion thereof) secured by said Credit Facility would have been controlling under this Article. If the Credit Facility Issuer shall be in default in the performance of its obligations under the Credit Facility, said Credit Facility Issuer shall have no rights under this Section.

#### ARTICLE XI THE TRUSTEE; THE PAYING AGENT AND REGISTRAR

SECTION 11.01. Acceptance of Trust. The Trustee accepts and agrees to execute the trusts hereby created, but only upon the additional terms set forth in this Article XI, to all of which the parties hereto the Bondholders and any Credit Facility Issuer agree. The Trustee shall act as Trustee under this Master Indenture. Subject to the provisions of Section 11.03 hereof, the Trustee shall have only such duties as are expressly set forth herein, and no duties shall be implied on the part of the Trustee.

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SECTION 10.11. Delays and Omissions Not to Impair Rights. No delay or omission in respect of exercising any right or power accruing upon any Event of Default shall impair such right or power or be a waiver of such Event of Default, and every remedy given by this Article X may be exercised from time to time and as often as may be deemed expedient.

SECTION 10.12. Application of Moneys in Event of Default. Any moneys received by the Trustee or the Paying Agent, as the case may be, in connection with any proceedings brought under this Article X with respect to a Series of Bonds shall be applied in the following order of priority:

(a) to the payment of the costs of the Trustee and Paying Agent incurred in connection with actions taken under this Article X with respect to such Series of Bonds, including counsel fees, costs and expenses and any disbursements of the Trustee and the Paying Agent and payment of unpaid fees owed to the Trustee and the Paying Agent.

(b) unless the principal of all the Bonds of such Series shall have become or shall have been declared due and payable:

FIRST, to payment of all installments of interest then due on the Bonds of such Series in the order of maturity of such installments of interest, and, if the amount available shall not be sufficient to pay in full any particular installment, then to the payment ratably, according to the amounts due on such installment, to the persons entitled thereto, without any preference or priority of one installment of interest over any other installment; and

SECOND, to payment to the persons entitled thereto of the unpaid principal or Redemption Price of any of the Bonds of such Series which shall have become due in the order of their due dates, with interest on such Bonds from the respective dates upon which they become due and, if the amount available shall not be sufficient to pay in full the principal or Redemption Price coming due on such Bonds on any particular date, together with such interest, then to the payment ratably, according to the amount of principal due on such date, to the persons entitled thereto without any preference or priority of one such Bond of a Series over another or of any installment of interest over another.

(c) if the principal of all Bonds of a Series shall have become or shall have been declared due and payable, to the payment of principal or Redemption Price (as the case may be) and interest then owing on the Bonds of such Series and in case such moneys shall be insufficient to pay the same in full, then to the payment of principal or Redemption Price and interest ratably, without preference or priority of one Bond of such Series over another or of any installment of interest over any other installment of interest.

Any surplus remaining after the payments described above shall be paid to the District or to the Person lawfully entitled to receive the same or as a court of competent jurisdiction may direct.

For purposes of the application of moneys described above, to the extent payments of principal of and interest on a Series of Bonds shall have been made under a Credit Facility relating thereto, the Credit Facility Issuer shall be entitled to moneys in the related Series Accounts in the Debt Service Fund in accordance with the agreement pursuant to which such Credit Facility has

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The Trustee further agrees, upon written direction of the District, to assist the District in complying with the procedures and covenants of the District contained in any arbitrage rebate agreement to which the District is a party and which specifically pertain to the Trustee for so long as compliance is necessary in order to maintain the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on the Bonds, to the extent applicable.

SECTION 11.02. No Responsibility for Recitals. The recitals, statements and representations in this Master Indenture or in the Bonds, save only the Trustee's Certificate of Authentication, if any, upon the Bonds, have been made by the District and not by the Trustee and the Trustee shall be under no responsibility for the correctness thereof. The Trustee makes no representations to the value or condition of the security for the Bonds or any part thereof, or as to the title thereto or as to the security afforded thereby, or as to the validity or sufficiency of this Indenture or of the Bonds. The Trustee shall not be accountable for the use or application by the District of the proceeds of the Bonds or of any money paid to or upon the order of the District in accordance with any provision of this Master Indenture or Supplemental Indenture. The Trustee shall be under no responsibility to approve, evaluate or determine the independence of any consultant, engineer, counsel, expert or other skilled person selected by the District for any of the purposes expressed in this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture.

SECTION 11.03. Trustee May Act Through Agents; Answerable Only for Willful Misconduct or Negligence. The Trustee may execute any powers hereunder and perform any duties required of it through attorneys, agents, officers or employees, and shall be entitled to advice of Counsel concerning all questions hereunder and the advice of such Counsel or any opinion of Counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection in respect of any action taken, suffered or omitted by the Trustee hereunder in good faith and in reliance thereon; the Trustee shall not be answerable for the default or misconduct of any attorney or agent selected and supervised by it with reasonable care. The Trustee shall not be answerable for the exercise of any discretion or power under this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture nor for anything whatever in connection with the trust hereunder, except only its own negligence or willful misconduct or breach of its obligations hereunder. The Trustee shall not be accountable for the use or application of any of the Bonds or the proceeds thereof or for the use or application of any money paid over by the Trustee in accordance with the provisions of this Indenture. The permissive right of the Trustee to do things enumerated in this Indenture shall not be construed as a duty. The Trustee shall have no responsibility with respect to any information, statement or recital in any official statement, offering memorandum or any other disclosure material prepared or distributed with respect to the Bonds and shall have no responsibility for compliance with any state or federal securities laws in connection with the Bonds. None of the provisions of this Indenture shall require the Trustee to expend or risk its own funds or otherwise to incur any liability, financial or otherwise, in the performance of any of its duties hereunder, or in the exercise of any of its rights or powers if it shall have reasonable grounds for believing that repayment of such funds or indemnity satisfactory to it against such risk or liability is not assured to it. The Trustee shall not be responsible or liable for any failure or delay in the performance of its obligations under this Indenture arising out of or caused, directly or indirectly, by circumstances beyond its reasonable control, including, without limitation, acts of God; earthquakes; fire; flood; hurricanes or other storms; wars; terrorism; similar military disturbances; sabotage; epidemic; pandemic; riots; interruptions, loss or malfunctions of utilities, computer (hardware or software) or communications services; accidents; labor disputes; acts of civil or military authority or governmental action; it

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being understood that the Trustee shall use commercially reasonable efforts which are consistent with accepted practices in the banking industry to resume performance as soon as reasonably practicable under the circumstances.

SECTION 11.04. Compensation and Indemnity. The District shall pay the Trustee reasonable compensation for its services hereunder, and also all its reasonable expenses and disbursements, and shall, to the extent permitted by law, indemnify and hold the Trustee harmless against any liabilities which it may incur in the proper exercise and performance of its powers and duties hereunder, except with respect to its own willful misconduct, negligence or breach of its obligations hereunder. If the District defaults in respect of the foregoing obligations, the Trustee may deduct the amount owing to it from any moneys held by the Trustee or coming into its hands but exclusive of the Rebate Fund and moneys from a drawing on any Credit Facility, which right of payment shall be prior to the right of the holders of the Bonds. The Trustee shall promptly provide to the District a periodic report of any moneys the Trustee has deducted for amounts owing to it. This Section 11.04 shall survive the termination of this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture and, as to any Trustee, its removal or resignation as Trustee. No provision of this Master Indenture shall require the Trustee to expend or risk its own funds.

SECTION 11.05. No Duty to Renew Insurance. The Trustee shall be under no duty to effect or to renew any insurance policy nor shall it incur any liability for the failure of the District to require or effect or renew insurance or to report or file claims of loss thereunder. The Trustee shall be under no obligation to review any insurance policy or inquire as to the sufficiency of such policy or the qualifications of the company issuing same.

SECTION 11.06. Notice of Default; Right to Investigate. The Trustee shall give written notice by first-class mail to registered Holders of a Series of Bonds of all defaults known to a Responsible Officer of the Trustee, unless such defaults have been remedied (the term "defaults" for purposes of this Section and Section 11.07 being defined to include the events specified as "Events of Default" in Article X hereof, but not including any notice or periods of grace provided for therein); provided that, except in the case of a default in payment of principal or interest or Redemption Price, the Trustee may withhold such notice so long as it in good faith determines that such withholding is in the interest of the Bondholders. The Trustee shall not be deemed to have notice of any default other than a payment default under this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture or a notification by a Credit Facility Issuer of a default under its Credit Facility, unless a Responsible Officer of the Trustee is notified in writing of such default by the Majority Holders of the Outstanding Bonds of a Series. The Trustee may, however, at any time require of the District full information as to the performance of any covenant hereunder, and if information satisfactory to it is not forthcoming, the Trustee may make or cause to be made, at the expense of the District, an investigation into the affairs of the District.

SECTION 11.07. Obligation to Act on Defaults. The Trustee shall be under no obligation to take any action in respect of any default or otherwise, unless it is requested in writing to do so by the Majority Holders of the Outstanding Bonds which are or would be, upon the taking of such action, subject to remedial proceedings under Article X of this Master Indenture if in its opinion such action may tend to involve expense or liability, and unless it is also furnished with indemnity satisfactory to it.

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The Trustee may also be removed at any time for any breach of trust or for acting or proceeding in violation of, or for failing to act or proceed in accordance with, any material provision of this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture with respect to the duties and obligations of the Trustee by any court of competent jurisdiction upon the application of the District or the Majority Holders of the Bonds then Outstanding.

SECTION 11.13. Appointment of Successor Trustee. If the Trustee or any successor Trustee resigns or is removed or dissolved, or if its property or business is taken under the control of any state or federal court or administrative body, a vacancy shall forthwith exist in the office of the Trustee, and the District shall appoint a successor and shall mail notice of such appointment by first-class mail to each Bondholder as its name and address appear on the Bond Register, and to the Paying Agent, Registrar, Credit Facility Issuer, if any, and any rating agency that shall then have in effect a rating on any of the Bonds. If no appointment of a successor Trustee shall be made pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this Master Indenture prior to the date specified in the notice of resignation or removal as the date when such resignation or removal was to take effect, the Majority Holders of all Bonds then Outstanding may appoint a successor Trustee.

SECTION 11.14. Qualification of Successor. A successor Trustee shall be a bank or trust company with trust powers, having a combined net capital and surplus of at least \$50,000,000.

SECTION 11.15. Instruments of Succession. Subject to Section 11.16 hereof, any successor Trustee shall, subject to Section 11.16 hereof, execute, acknowledge and deliver to the District an instrument accepting such appointment hereunder and thereupon, such successor Trustee, without any further act, deed, or conveyance, shall become fully vested with all the estates, properties, rights, powers, trusts, duties and obligations of its predecessor in trust hereunder, with like effect as if originally named Trustee herein. The Trustee ceasing to act hereunder, after deducting all amounts owed to the Trustee, shall pay over to the successor Trustee all moneys held by it hereunder and, upon written request of the successor Trustee, the Trustee ceasing to act and the District shall execute and deliver an instrument or instruments prepared by the District transferring to the successor Trustee all the estates, properties, rights, powers and trusts hereunder of the predecessor Trustee, except for its rights to indemnity under Section 11.04 hereof.

SECTION 11.16. Merger of Trustee. Any corporation into which any Trustee hereunder may be merged or with which it may be consolidated, or any corporation resulting from any merger or consolidation to which any Trustee hereunder shall be a party, or any corporation which shall have purchased or to which the Trustee shall have transferred substantially all of the bond administration business of the corporate trust department shall be the successor Trustee under this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures, without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of the parties hereto, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding; provided, however, that any such successor corporation continuing to act as Trustee hereunder shall meet the requirements of Section 11.14 hereof, and if such corporation does not meet the aforesaid requirements, a successor Trustee shall be appointed pursuant to this Article XI. The Trustee may not resign as the Paying Agent or the Registrar without resigning as Trustee.

SECTION 11.17. Extension of Rights and Duties of Trustee to Paying Agent and Registrar. The provisions of Sections 11.02, 11.03, 11.04, 11.08, 11.09, 11.10 and 11.16 hereof are hereby made applicable to the Paying Agent and the Registrar, as appropriate, and any Person

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SECTION 11.08. Reliance by Trustee. The Trustee may act on any requisition, resolution, notice, telegram, electronic mail, facsimile transmission, request, consent, waiver, certificate, statement, affidavit, voucher, bond, or other paper or document which it in good faith believes to be genuine and to have been passed, signed or given by the persons purporting to be authorized (which in the case of the District shall be a Responsible Officer of the District) or to have been prepared and furnished pursuant to any of the provisions of this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture; the Trustee shall be under no duty to make any investigation as to any statement contained in any such instrument, but may accept the same as conclusive evidence of the accuracy of such statement.

SECTION 11.09. Trustee May Deal in Bonds. The Trustee may in good faith buy, sell, own, hold and deal in any of the Bonds and may join in any action which any Bondholders may be entitled to take with like effect as if the Trustee were not a party to this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture. The Trustee may also engage in or be interested in any financial or other transaction with the District; provided, however, that if the Trustee determines that any such relation is in conflict with its duties under this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture, it shall eliminate the conflict or resign as Trustee.

SECTION 11.10. Construction of Ambiguous Provisions. The Trustee may construe any ambiguous or inconsistent provisions of this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture, and except as otherwise provided in Article XIII of this Master Indenture, any construction by the Trustee shall be binding upon the Bondholders. The Trustee shall give prompt notice to the District of any intention to make such construction.

SECTION 11.11. Resignation of Trustee. The Trustee may resign and be discharged of the trusts created by this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures by written resignation filed with the Secretary of the District not less than sixty (60) days before the date when such resignation is to take effect. Notice of such resignation shall be sent by first-class mail to each Bondholder as its name and address appears on the Bond Register and to any Paying Agent, Registrar and Credit Facility Issuer, if any, at least sixty (60) days before the resignation is to take effect. Such resignation shall take effect on the day specified in the Trustee's notice of resignation unless a successor Trustee is previously appointed, in which event the resignation shall take effect immediately on the appointment of such successor; provided, however, that notwithstanding the foregoing, such resignation shall not take effect until a successor Trustee has been appointed. If a successor Trustee has not been appointed within ninety (90) days after the Trustee has given its notice of resignation, the Trustee may petition any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a temporary successor Trustee to serve as Trustee until a successor Trustee has been duly appointed. Notice of such resignation shall also be given to any rating agency that shall then have in effect a rating on any of the Bonds.

SECTION 11.12. Removal of Trustee. The Trustee may be removed at any time by either (a) the District, if no default exists under this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture, or (b) an instrument or concurrent instruments in writing, executed by the Majority Holders of the Bonds then Outstanding and filed with the District. A photographic copy of any instrument or instruments filed with the District under the provisions of this paragraph, duly certified by a Responsible Officer of the District, shall be delivered promptly by the District to the Trustee and to any Paying Agent, Registrar and Credit Facility Issuer, if any.

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servicing as Paying Agent and/or Registrar, hereby enters into and agrees to comply with the covenants and agreements of this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures applicable to the Paying Agent and Registrar, respectively.

SECTION 11.18. Resignation of Paying Agent or Registrar. The Paying Agent or Registrar may resign and be discharged of the duties created by this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures by executing an instrument in writing resigning such duties and specifying the date when such resignation shall take effect, and filing the same with the District, the Trustee, and any rating agency that shall then have in effect a rating on any of the Bonds, not less than forty-five (45) days before the date specified in such instrument when such resignation shall take effect, and by giving written notice of such resignation not less than three (3) weeks prior to such resignation date to the Bondholders, mailed to their addresses as such appear in the Bond Register. Such resignation shall take effect on the date specified in such instrument and notice, but only if a successor Paying Agent or Registrar shall have been appointed as hereinafter provided, in which event such resignation shall take effect immediately upon the appointment of such successor Paying Agent or Registrar. If the successor Paying Agent or Registrar shall not have been appointed within a period of ninety (90) days following the giving of notice, then the Paying Agent or Registrar shall be authorized to petition any court of competent jurisdiction to appoint a successor Paying Agent or Registrar as provided in Section 11.22 hereof.

SECTION 11.19. Removal of Paying Agent or Registrar. The Paying Agent or Registrar may be removed at any time prior to any Event of Default by the District by filing with the Paying Agent or Registrar to be removed, and with the Trustee, an instrument or instruments in writing executed by the District appointing a successor, or an instrument or instruments in writing designating, and accompanied by an instrument or appointment by the District of, such successor. Such removal shall be effective thirty (30) days (or such longer period as may be set forth in such instrument) after delivery of the instrument; provided, however, that no such removal shall be effective until the successor Paying Agent or Registrar appointed hereunder shall execute, acknowledge and deliver to the District an instrument accepting such appointment hereunder.

SECTION 11.20. Appointment of Successor Paying Agent or Registrar. In case at any time the Paying Agent or Registrar shall be removed, or be dissolved, or if its property or affairs shall be taken under the control of any state or federal court or administrative body because of insolvency or bankruptcy, or for any other reason, then a vacancy shall forthwith and ipso facto exist in the office of the Paying Agent or Registrar, as the case may be, and a successor shall be appointed by the District; and in case at any time the Paying Agent or Registrar shall resign, then a successor shall be appointed by the District. After any such appointment, notice of such appointment shall be given by the District to the predecessor Paying Agent or Registrar, the successor Paying Agent or Registrar, the Trustee, the Credit Facility Issuer, if any, any rating agency that shall then have in effect a rating on any of the Bonds, and all Bondholders. Any new Paying Agent or Registrar so appointed shall immediately, and without further act, supersede the predecessor Paying Agent or Registrar.

SECTION 11.21. Qualifications of Successor Paying Agent or Registrar. Every successor Paying Agent or Registrar (a) shall be a commercial bank or trust company (i) duly organized under the laws of the United States or any state or territory thereof, (ii) authorized by law to perform all the duties imposed upon it by this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures and

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(iii) capable of meeting its obligations hereunder, and (b) shall have a combined net capital and surplus of at least \$50,000,000.

SECTION 11.22. Judicial Appointment of Successor Paying Agent or Registrar. In case at any time the Paying Agent or Registrar shall resign and no appointment of a successor Paying Agent or Registrar shall be made pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this Master Indenture prior to the date specified in the notice of resignation as the date when such resignation is to take effect, the retiring Paying Agent or Registrar may forthwith apply to a court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor Paying Agent or Registrar. Such court may thereupon, after such notice, if any, as it may deem proper and prescribe, appoint a successor Paying Agent or Registrar. Notice of such appointment shall be given by the Successor Registrar or Paying Agent to the District, the Trustee, the Credit Facility Issuer, if any, any rating agency that shall then have in effect a rating on any of the Bonds, and all Bondholders. In the absence of such an appointment, the Trustee shall become the Registrar or Paying Agent, or and shall so notify the District, any rating agency that shall have issued a rating on the Bonds, and all Bondholders.

SECTION 11.23. Acceptance of Duties by Successor Paying Agent or Registrar. Any successor Paying Agent or Registrar shall become duly vested with all the estates, property, rights, powers, duties and obligations of its predecessor hereunder, with like effect as if originally named Paying Agent or Registrar herein. Upon request of such Paying Agent or Registrar, such predecessor Paying Agent or Registrar and the District shall, after payment of its fees and expenses, execute and deliver an instrument transferring to such successor Paying Agent or Registrar all the estates, property, rights and powers hereunder, except for its rights under Section 11.04 hereof, as applicable, pursuant to Section 11.17 hereof, of such predecessor Paying Agent or Registrar and such predecessor Paying Agent or Registrar shall pay over and deliver to the successor Paying Agent or Registrar all moneys and other assets at the time held by it hereunder.

SECTION 11.24. Successor by Merger or Consolidation. Any corporation into which any Paying Agent or Registrar hereunder may be merged or converted or with which it may be consolidated, or any corporation resulting from any merger or consolidation to which any Paying Agent or Registrar hereunder shall be a party, or any corporation which shall have purchased, or to which the Paying Agent or Registrar shall have transferred, substantially all of the bond administration business of the corporate trust department shall be the successor Paying Agent or Registrar under this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of the parties thereto, anything in this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding.

SECTION 11.25. Patriot Act Requirements of Trustee. To help the government fight the funding of terrorism and money laundering activities, Federal law requires all financial institutions to obtain, verify and record information that identifies each person who opens an account. For a non-individual person such as a business entity, a charity, a trust or other legal entity, the Trustee will ask for documentation to verify such non-individual person's formation and existence as a legal entity. The Trustee may also ask to see financial statements, licenses, identification and authorization documents from individuals claiming authority to represent the entity or other relevant documentation.

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(d) to make such changes as may be necessary in order to reflect amendments to Chapters 170, 190 and 197, Florida Statutes, so long as, in the written opinion of counsel to the District delivered to the Trustee, such changes either: (i) do not have a material adverse effect on the Holders of the Bonds; or (ii) if such changes do have an adverse effect, that they nevertheless are required to be made as a result of such amendments.

SECTION 13.02. Amendments With Bondholders' Consent. Subject to the provisions of Section 13.01 hereof, this Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture may be amended from time to time by a Supplemental Indenture approved by the Majority Holders of the Bonds then Outstanding in the case of the Master Indenture, and of the Series of Bonds then Outstanding and secured by such Supplemental Indenture in the case of an amendment of a Supplemental Indenture including, but not limited to, any material amendment to the Special Assessments and related proceedings which secure a Series of Bonds; provided that with respect to (a) the interest payable upon any Bonds, (b) the dates of maturity or redemption provisions of any Bonds, (c) this Article XIII and (d) the security provisions hereunder or under any Supplemental Indenture, which may only be amended by approval of the Owners of all Bonds to be so amended.

SECTION 13.03. Trustee Authorized to Join in Amendments and Supplements; Reliance on Counsel. The Trustee is authorized to join in the execution and delivery of any Supplemental Indenture or amendment permitted by this Article XIII and in so doing may request, at the expense of the District, and receive and rely on a written opinion of Counsel that such Supplemental Indenture or amendment is so permitted and has been duly authorized by the District and that all things necessary to make it a valid and binding agreement have been done.

#### ARTICLE XIV DEFESANCE

SECTION 14.01. Defeasance. When interest on, and principal or Redemption Price (as the case may be) of, the Bonds of a Series or any portion thereof to be defeased have been paid, or there shall have been deposited with the Trustee or such other escrow agent designated in a Certified Resolution of the District (the "Escrow Agent") moneys sufficient, or Defeasance Securities, the principal of and interest on which, when due, together with any moneys remaining uninvested, will provide sufficient moneys to fully pay (i) such Bonds of a Series or portion thereof to be defeased, and (ii) any other sums payable hereunder by the District, the right, title and interest of the Trustee with respect to such Bonds of a Series or portion thereof to be defeased shall thereupon cease, the lien of the Indenture on the Pledged Revenues, and the Funds and Accounts established under the Indenture shall be defeased and discharged, and the Trustee, on demand of the District, shall release the Indenture as to such Bonds of a Series or portion thereof to be so defeased and shall execute such documents to evidence such release as may be reasonably required by the District and shall turn over to the District or to such Person, body or authority as may be entitled to receive the same all balances remaining in any Series Funds and Accounts upon the defeasance in whole of all of the Bonds of a Series.

SECTION 14.02. Deposit of Funds for Payment of Bonds. If the District deposits with the Escrow Agent moneys sufficient, or Defeasance Securities, the principal of and interest on which, when due, together with any moneys remaining uninvested, will provide sufficient moneys to pay the principal or Redemption Price of any Bonds of a Series becoming due, either at maturity or by

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SECTION 11.26. Signatures. All notices, approvals, consents, requests and any communications hereunder must be in writing (provided that any communication sent to Trustee hereunder must be in the form of a document that is signed manually or by way of a digital signature provided by the District (or such other digital signature provider as specified in writing to the Trustee by the authorized representative), in English.

#### ARTICLE XII ACTS OF BONDHOLDERS; EVIDENCE OF OWNERSHIP OF BONDS

SECTION 12.01. Acts of Bondholders; Evidence of Ownership of Bonds. Any action to be taken by Bondholders may be evidenced by one or more concurrent written instruments of similar tenor signed or executed by such Bondholders in person or by an agent appointed in writing. The fact and date of the execution by any person of any such instrument may be provided by acknowledgment before a notary public or other officer empowered to take acknowledgments or by an affidavit of a witness to such execution. Any action by the Owner of any Bond shall bind all future Owners of the same Bond in respect of anything done or suffered by the District, Trustee, Paying Agent or Registrar in pursuance thereof. So long as Bonds are registered in the name of the Cede & Co., as the nominee of DTC, the Trustee may recognize actions taken by Beneficial Owners of such Bonds as if such actions were taken by Bondholders of a related portion of the Bonds when such actions are received in compliance with an omnibus proxy of DTC or otherwise pursuant to the rules of the DTC or when other proof of beneficial ownership and indemnification satisfactory to the Trustee are delivered to the Trustee by Beneficial Owners.

#### ARTICLE XIII AMENDMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTS

SECTION 13.01. Amendments and Supplements Without Bondholders' Consent. This Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indenture may be amended or supplemented, from time to time, without the consent of the Bondholders, by a Supplemental Indenture authorized by a Certified Resolution of the District filed with the Trustee, for one or more of the following purposes:

(a) to add additional covenants of the District or to surrender any right or power herein conferred upon the District;

(b) for any purpose not inconsistent with the terms of the related Indenture, or to cure any ambiguity or to cure, correct or supplement any defective provision (whether because of any inconsistency with any other provision hereof or otherwise) of the related Indenture, in such manner as shall not impair the security hereof or thereof or adversely affect the rights and remedies of the Bondholders;

(c) to provide for the execution of any and all contracts and other documents as may be required in order to effectuate the conveyance of any Project to the State, the County, or any department, agency or branch thereof, or any other unit of government of the State, provided, however, that the District shall have caused to be delivered to the Trustee an opinion of Bond Counsel stating that such conveyance shall not impair the security hereof or adversely affect the rights and remedies of the Bondholders; and

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redemption or otherwise, together with all interest accruing thereon to the date of maturity or such prior redemption, and reimburses or causes to be reimbursed or pays or causes to be paid the other amounts required to be reimbursed or paid under Section 14.01 hereof, interest on such Bonds of a Series shall cease to accrue on such date of maturity or prior redemption and all liability of the District with respect to such Bonds of a Series shall likewise cease, except as hereinafter provided; provided, however, that (a) if any Bonds are to be redeemed prior to the maturity thereof, notice of the redemption thereof shall have been duly given in accordance with the provisions of Section 8.02 hereof, or irrevocable provision satisfactory to the Trustee shall have been duly made for the giving of such notice, and (b) in the event that any Bonds are not by their terms subject to redemption within the next succeeding sixty (60) days following a deposit of moneys with the Escrow Agent, in accordance with this Section, the District shall have given the Escrow Agent, in form satisfactory to the Escrow Agent, irrevocable instructions to mail to the Owners of such Bonds at their addresses as they appear on the Bond Register, a notice stating that a deposit in accordance with this Section has been made with the Escrow Agent and that the Bonds to which such notice relates are deemed to have been paid in accordance with this Section and stating such maturity or redemption date upon which moneys are to be available for the payment of the principal or Redemption Price (as the case may be) of, and interest on, said Bonds of a Series. Thereafter such Bonds shall be deemed not to be Outstanding hereunder and the Owners of such Bonds shall be restricted exclusively to the funds so deposited for any claim of whatsoever nature with respect to such Bonds, and the Escrow Agent shall hold such funds in trust for such Owners. At the time of the deposit referred to above, there shall be delivered to the Escrow Agent a verification from a firm of independent certified public accountants stating that the principal of and interest on the Defeasance Securities, together with the stated amount of any cash remaining on deposit with the Escrow Agent, will be sufficient without reinvestment to pay the remaining principal of, redemption premium, if any, and interest on such defeased Bonds.

Money so deposited with the Escrow Agent which remains unclaimed two (2) years after the date payment thereof becomes due shall, upon request of the District, if the District is not at the time to the knowledge of the Escrow Agent in default with respect to any covenant in the Indenture or the Bonds of the Series contained, be paid to the District; and the Owners of the Bonds for which the deposit was made shall thereafter be limited to a claim against the District; provided, however, that the Escrow Agent, before making payment to the District, may, at the expense of the District, cause a notice to be published in an Authorized Newspaper, stating that the money remaining unclaimed will be returned to the District after a specified date.

#### ARTICLE XV MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

SECTION 15.01. Limitations on Recourse. No personal recourse shall be had for any claim based on this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture or the Bonds against any member of the Board of the District, officer, employee or agent, past, present or future, of the District or of any successor body as such, either directly or through the District or any such successor body, under any constitutional provision, statute or rule of law or by the enforcement of any assessment or penalty or otherwise.

The Bonds of each Series are payable solely from the Pledged Revenues, and any other moneys held by the Trustee under the Indenture for such purpose. There shall be no other recourse

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under the Bonds, the Indenture or otherwise, against the District or any other property now or hereafter owned by it.

SECTION 15.02. Payment Dates. In any case where an Interest Payment Date or the maturity date of the Bonds or the date fixed for the redemption of any Bonds shall be other than a Business Day, then payment of interest, principal or Redemption Price need not be made on such date but may be made on the next succeeding Business Day, with the same force and effect as if made on the due date, and no interest on such payment shall accrue for the period after such due date if payment is made on such next succeeding Business Day.

SECTION 15.03. No Rights Conferred on Others. Nothing herein contained shall confer any right upon any Person other than the parties hereto and the Holders of the Bonds.

SECTION 15.04. Illegal Provisions Disregarded. If any term of Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture or the Bonds or the application thereof for any reason or circumstances shall to any extent be held invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions or the application of such terms or provisions to Persons and situations other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby, and each remaining term and provision hereof and thereof shall be valid and enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

SECTION 15.05. Substitute Notice. If for any reason it shall be impossible to make publication of any notice required hereby in a newspaper or newspapers, then such publication in lieu thereof as shall be made with the approval of the Trustee shall constitute a sufficient publication of such notice.

SECTION 15.06. Notices. Any notice, demand, direction, request or other communication authorized or required by this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture to be given to or filed with the District or the Trustee (each a "Notice") shall be in writing and shall be delivered, by First Class Mail, postage prepaid, or by overnight delivery service, addressed as follows:

(a) As to the District -

Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District  
c/o Inframark, LLC  
2005 Pan Am Circle, Suite 300  
Tampa, Florida 33607  
Attention: District Manager

with a copy to -

Straley Robin Vericker P.A.  
1510 W. Cleveland Street  
Tampa, Florida 33606  
Attention: District Counsel

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signatures believed by the Trustee to comply with the ESIGN ACT of 2000 or other applicable law shall be deemed original signatures for all purposes. The District agrees to assume all risks arising out of its use of Electronic Means or digital signatures, including without limitation the risk of the Trustee acting on unauthorized instructions, and the risk of interception and misuse by third parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Trustee may in any instance and in its sole discretion require that an original document bearing a manual signature be delivered to the Trustee in lieu of, or in addition to, any document delivered by Electronic Means or signed via electronic signature.

SECTION 15.07. Controlling Law. This Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State.

SECTION 15.08. Successors and Assigns. All the covenants, promises and agreements in this Master Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures contained by or on behalf of the District or by or on behalf of the Trustee shall bind and inure to the benefit of their respective successors and assigns, whether so expressed or not.

SECTION 15.09. Headings for Convenience Only. The table of contents and descriptive headings in this Master Indenture are inserted for convenience only and shall not control or affect the meaning or construction of any of the provisions hereof.

SECTION 15.10. Counterparts. This Master Indenture and any Supplemental Indentures may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered shall be an original; but such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

SECTION 15.11. Appendices and Exhibits. Any and all appendices or exhibits referred to in and attached to this Master Indenture are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof for all purposes.

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(b) As to the Trustee -

U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association  
225 E. Robinson Street, Suite 250  
Orlando, Florida 32801  
Attention: Global Corporate Trust

Except as otherwise provided in this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture, any Notice shall be deemed received only upon actual delivery at the address set forth above. Notices delivered after 5:00 p.m. (at the place of delivery) or on a non-Business Day, shall be deemed received on the next Business Day. If any time for giving Notice contained in this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture would otherwise expire on a non-Business Day, the Notice period shall be extended to the next succeeding Business Day. Counsel for the District and counsel for the Trustee may deliver Notice on behalf of the District and the Trustee, respectively. Any party or other person to whom Notices are to be sent or copied may notify the other parties and addressees of any change in name or address to which Notices shall be sent by providing the same on five (5) days written notice to the parties and addressees set forth herein.

All documents received by the Trustee under the provisions of this Master Indenture or any Supplemental Indenture and not required to be redelivered shall be retained in its possession, subject at all reasonable times to the inspection of the District, any Consultant, any Bondholder and the agents and representatives thereof as evidenced in writing.

The Trustee agrees to accept and act upon Notices sent by the District by Electronic Means, provided, however, that the District shall provide to the Trustee an incumbency certificate listing designated persons with the authority to provide such Notices ("Authorized Officers"), which incumbency certificate shall be amended whenever a person is to be added or deleted from the listing. As used herein, "Electronic Means" means a portable document format ("pdf") or other replicating image attached to an unsecured email, facsimile transmission, secure electronic transmission (containing applicable authorization codes, passwords and/or authentication keys issued by the Trustee), or another method or system specified by the Trustee as available for use in connection with its services hereunder. The District acknowledges that the Trustee cannot determine the actual identity of the sender of a Notice delivered by Electronic Means and that the Trustee shall be entitled in good faith to conclusively presume that Notices that purport to have been sent by an Authorized Officer have in fact been sent by such Authorized Officer. The District shall be responsible for ensuring that only its Authorized Officers transmit such Notices to the Trustee, and the District and its Authorized Officers are responsible to safeguard the use and confidentiality of applicable user and authorization codes, passwords and authentication keys provided by the Trustee, if any. If the District elects to give the Trustee Notices by Electronic Means and the Trustee in its discretion elects to act upon such Notices, the Trustee's understanding of such instructions shall be deemed controlling. The Trustee shall not be liable for any losses, costs or expenses arising directly or indirectly from the Trustee's reliance upon and compliance with such instructions notwithstanding such instructions conflict or are inconsistent with a subsequent written instruction. Notices to the Trustee must be in writing in English and must be in the form of a document that is signed manually or by way of an electronic signature (including electronic images of handwritten signatures and digital signatures provided by DocuSign, Orbit, Adobe Sign or any other electronic signature provider acceptable to the Trustee). Electronic

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District has caused this Master Indenture to be executed by the Chairperson of its Board and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, attested by the Secretary or Assistant Secretary of its Board and U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association has caused this Master Indenture to be executed by one of its authorized signatories, all as of the day and year first above written.

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**

[SEAL]

Attest:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary, Board of Supervisors

**U.S. BANK TRUST COMPANY, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION**, as Trustee, Paying Agent and Registrar

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Vice President

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EXHIBIT A

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

The present boundaries of Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District are as follows:

DESCRIPTION: A parcel of land lying in Sections 1 and 12, Township 25 South, Range 19 East and Sections 6 and 7, Township 25 South, Range 20 East, Pasco County, Florida, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGIN at the Southeast corner of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 6, same being the Northeast corner of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 7; thence S. 02°04'26" W., along the Easterly boundary of aforementioned, Section 7, a distance of 799.50 feet thence leaving said Easterly boundary of aforementioned, Section 7, S. 89°59'38" W., a distance of 1191.61 feet; thence N. 40°21'25" W., a distance of 210.01 feet; thence N. 69°56'07" W., a distance of 186.01 feet; thence S. 18°34'38" W., a distance of 710.02 feet; thence S. 13°15'40" W., a distance of 269.02 feet; thence S. 29°48'43" W., a distance of 63.32 feet; thence S. 50°35'31" W., a distance of 909.69 feet; thence N. 32°39'43" W., a distance of 749.15 feet; thence S. 89°54'40" W., a distance of 768.59 feet; thence S. 00°05'20" E., a distance of 961.30 feet to a point of intersection with the North Right-of-Way of STATE ROAD NO. 52, per Florida Department of Transportation Right-of-Way Map, Section 14120-XXXX; thence S. 89°16'35" W., along said North Right-of-Way, a distance of 124.01 feet; thence leaving said North Right-of-Way, N. 00°05'20" W., a distance of 962.68 feet; thence S. 89°54'40" W., a distance of 1377.01 feet to the Southeast corner of that certain property as described in Official Records Book 9546, Page 3713, of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along the Easterly and Northerly boundary of said certain property the following two (2) courses: 1) N. 00°26'05" E., a distance of 272.34 feet; 2) N. 89°49'06" W., a distance of 1591.89 feet to a point of intersection with the Easterly Right-of-Way of BELLAMY BROTHERS BOULEVARD, according to Map Book 3, Pages 68 through 80, inclusive of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along said Easterly Right-of-Way the following four (4) courses: 1) N. 00°40'57" W., a distance of 1.47 feet; 2) N. 00°12'50" W., a distance of 527.15 feet; 3) N. 00°27'42" E., a distance of 847.79; 4) N. 00°54'26" E., a distance of 147.21 feet to the Southwesterly corner of that certain property described in Official Records Book 8089, Page 1327, of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along the Southerly, Easterly and Northerly boundary the following three (3) courses: 1) thence departing said Easterly Right-of-Way, S. 89°45'28" E., a distance of 798.33 feet; 2) N. 00°19'40" E., a distance of 1327.30 feet; 3) S. 89°49'11" W., a distance of 798.84 feet to a point of intersection with said Easterly Right-of-Way of BELLAMY BROTHERS BOULEVARD; thence along said Easterly Right-of-Way the following four (4) courses: 1) N. 00°18'40" E., a distance of 84.27 feet; 2) N. 00°20'21" E., a distance of 682.49 feet; 3) N. 00°23'09" E., a distance of 780.36 feet; 4) N. 00°17'59" W., a distance of 325.33 feet to the Southwesterly corner of that certain property described in Official Records Book 5959, Page 179, of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along the Southerly boundary of said certain property, the following thirteen (13) courses: 1) thence departing said Easterly Right-of-Way, N. 79°02'48" E., a distance of 30.64 feet; 2) N. 71°59'47" E., a distance of 78.56 feet; 3) N. 69°26'40" E., a distance of 95.76 feet; 4) N. 63°26'08" E., a distance of 100.24 feet; 5) N. 78°30'14" E., a distance of 112.46 feet; 6) N. 84°57'29" E., a distance of 127.51 feet; 7) S. 89°05'25" E., a distance of 117.69 feet; 8) S. 83°23'10" E., a distance of 129.75 feet; 9) N. 87°47'52" E., a distance of 145.81 feet; 10) S. 89°59'59" E., a distance of 175.59 feet; 11) N. 85°05'02" E., a distance of 174.36 feet; 12) N. 82°01'13" E., a distance of 201.82 feet; 13) N. 72°48'22" E., a distance of 144.08 feet to a point of intersection with the Easterly boundary of said certain property as described in Official Records Book 5959, Page 179, same being the Westerly boundary of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 6, Township 25 South, Range 20 East, Pasco County, Florida; thence N. 00°16'21" E., along said Easterly boundary, same being said Westerly boundary of the Northwest 1/4 of aforementioned Section 6, a distance of 553.69 feet to the Southwesterly corner of that certain property as described in Official Records Book 8141, Page 1478 of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence S. 89°12'01" E., along said Southerly boundary and the Southerly boundary of that certain property as described in Official Records Book 7615, Page 1502 of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida, a distance of 2634.90 feet; thence along said Southerly and Westerly boundary of said certain property the following five (5) courses: 1) S. 00°57'46" W., a distance of 1322.64 feet; 2) S. 00°56'47" W., a distance of 1325.85 feet; 3) S. 89°11'06" E., a distance of 1313.40 feet; 4) thence S. 00°58'56" W., a distance of 1326.83 feet; 5) S. 89°07'51" E., a distance of 1312.58 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

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receive payment of, any of the moneys payable to the Payee set forth above, which has not been released or will not be released simultaneously with the payment hereof.

The undersigned hereby further certifies that such requisition contains no item representing payment on account of any retained percentage which the District is at the date of such certificate entitled to retain.

Attached hereto or on file with the District are copies of the invoice(s) from the vendor of the property acquired or the services rendered, with respect to which disbursement is hereby requested.

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

By: Responsible Officer

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EXHIBIT B

FORM OF REQUISITION

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS, SERIES 20[ ]

The undersigned, a Responsible Officer of the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District (the "District") hereby submits the following requisition for disbursement under and pursuant to the terms of the Master Trust Indenture from the District to U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as trustee (the "Trustee"), dated as of 1, 20, as supplemented by that certain Supplemental Trust Indenture dated as of 1, 20 (the "Indenture") (all capitalized terms used herein shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in the Indenture):

- (1) Requisition Number:
(2) Name of Payee pursuant to Acquisition Agreement:
(3) Amount Payable:
(4) Purpose for which paid or incurred (refer also to specific contract if amount is due and payable pursuant to a contract involving progress payments, or, state Costs of Issuance, if applicable):
(5) Fund or Account and subaccount, if any, from which disbursement to be made:

The undersigned hereby certifies that:

- 1. obligations in the stated amount set forth above have been incurred by the District,
or
this requisition is for Costs of Issuance payable from the Acquisition and Construction Fund that have not previously been paid;
2. each disbursement set forth above is a proper charge against the Acquisition and Construction Fund;
3. each disbursement set forth above was incurred in connection with the acquisition and/or construction of the Project;
4. each disbursement represents a Cost of the Project which has not previously been paid.

The undersigned hereby further certifies that there has not been filed with or served upon the District notice of any lien, right to lien, or attachment upon, or claim affecting the right to

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CONSULTING ENGINEER'S APPROVAL FOR NON-COST OF ISSUANCE REQUESTS ONLY

If this requisition is for a disbursement for other than Costs of Issuance, the undersigned Consulting Engineer hereby certifies that this disbursement is for a Cost of the Project and is consistent with: (i) the applicable acquisition or construction contract; (ii) the plans and specifications for the portion of the Project with respect to which such disbursement is being made; and (iii) the report of the Consulting Engineer, as such report shall have been amended or modified on the date hereof. The Consulting Engineer further certifies and agrees that for any requisition (a) the portion of the Project that is the subject of this requisition is complete, and (b) the purchase price to be paid by the District for the portion of the Project to be acquired with this disbursement is no more than the lesser of (i) the fair market value of such improvements and (ii) the actual cost of construction of such improvements.

Consulting Engineer

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**FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL TRUST INDENTURE**

between

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT  
(PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA)**

and

**U.S. BANK TRUST COMPANY, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,**

as Trustee

**Dated as of December 1, 2024**

**Authorizing and Securing  
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**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT  
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS, SERIES 2024  
(SERIES 2024 PROJECT)**

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THIS FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL TRUST INDENTURE (the "Supplemental Trust Indenture"), dated as of December 1, 2024 between the **HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT** (together with its successors and assigns, the "Issuer" or the "District"), a local unit of special-purpose government organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, and **U.S. BANK TRUST COMPANY, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION**, a national banking association duly organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America and having a designated corporate trust office in Orlando, Florida, as trustee (said national banking association and any bank or trust company becoming successor trustee under this Supplemental Trust Indenture being hereinafter referred to as the "Trustee");

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, the District is a local unit of special purpose government duly organized and existing under the provisions of the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Act") created pursuant to Ordinance No. 23-18 enacted by the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida (the "County"), which became effective on May 25, 2023, for the purposes of delivering community development services and facilities to property to be served by the District; and

**WHEREAS**, the premises governed by the District (the "District Lands") (as further described in **Exhibit A** attached to the hereinafter-defined Master Indenture) currently consist of approximately 591.886 gross acres of land located entirely within the County; and

**WHEREAS**, the District has been created for the purpose of delivering certain community development services and facilities for the benefit of the District Lands; and

**WHEREAS**, the District has determined to undertake the acquisition and/or construction of public infrastructure improvements and community facilities as set forth in the Act for the special benefit of the District Lands (the "Project"), as described in the Supplemental Report of the District Engineer dated May 20, 2024 (the "Engineer's Report"), prepared by Stantec Consulting Services, Inc. (the "District Engineer"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors of the District (the "Board") has previously adopted Resolution No. 2023-23 on June 5, 2023 (the "Authorizing Resolution"), authorizing the issuance of not to exceed \$118,700,000 in aggregate principal amount of its Special Assessment Bonds (the "Bonds") to finance all or a portion of the planning, design, acquisition and construction costs of the Project pursuant to the Act for the special benefit of the District Lands or portions thereof and approving the form of and authorizing the execution and delivery of a Master Indenture by and between the District and the Trustee to be dated as of the first day of the month in which Bonds are issued thereunder (the "Master Indenture"); and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Authorizing Resolution, as supplemented by Resolution No. 2024-03 adopted by the Board of the District on May 21, 2024, the District has authorized the issuance, sale and delivery of its \$\_\_\_\_\_ Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project) (the "Series 2024 Bonds"), as a first Series of Bonds under the Master Indenture, and has further authorized the execution and delivery of this Supplemental Trust Indenture (collectively with the Master Indenture, the "Indenture") to

(ii)

secure the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds and to set forth the terms of the Series 2024 Bonds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of the District has duly adopted Resolution Nos. 2023-31 and 2023-32 pursuant to Sections 170.03, 170.07 and 170.08, Florida Statutes, defining assessable property to be benefited by the Series 2024 Project (hereinafter defined), defining the portion of the Cost of the Series 2024 Project with respect to which Series 2024 Special Assessments (hereinafter defined) will be imposed and the manner in which such Series 2024 Special Assessments shall be levied against such benefited property within the District Lands, directing the preparation of an assessment roll calling for a public hearing of the District at which owners of property to be subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments may be heard as to the propriety and advisability of undertaking the Series 2024 Project, as to the cost thereof, the manner of payment therefor, and the amount to be assessed against each property improved by the Series 2024 Project, and stating the intent of the District to issue the Series 2024 Bonds (as herein defined) secured by such Series 2024 Special Assessments to finance the costs of the acquisition and construction of the Series 2024 Project and the Board of the District has duly adopted Resolution No. 2023-34 following a public hearing conducted in accordance with the Act, to fix and establish the Series 2024 Special Assessments and the benefited property against which such Series 2024 Special Assessments will be levied (collectively the "Assessment Resolution"); and

**WHEREAS**, EPG West Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, and its wholly owned subsidiary EPG Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company (collectively, the "Landowner") is the owner of the approximately 591.886 acres of District Lands that are planned to be developed as 802 units constituting a residential community being constructed within the District Lands and will construct or cause the District to construct all of the public infrastructure necessary to serve the District Lands (such public infrastructure being further described in Exhibit A attached hereto and being herein referred to as the "Series 2024 Project"); and

**WHEREAS**, in the manner provided herein, the net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds will be used for the purposes of (i) providing funds to pay all or a portion of the costs of the planning, financing, acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Series 2024 Project, (ii) funding a deposit to the Series 2024 Reserve Account in the amount of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement, and (iii) paying the costs of issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Series 2024 Bonds will be secured by a pledge of Series 2024 Pledged Revenues (as herein defined) to the extent provided herein.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THIS SUPPLEMENTAL TRUST INDENTURE WITNESSETH**, that to provide for the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds, the security and payment of the principal or redemption price thereof (as the case may be) and interest thereon, the rights of the Bondholders and the performance and observance of all of the covenants contained herein and in said Series 2024 Bonds, and for and in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained and of the purchase and acceptance of the Series 2024 Bonds by the Holders thereof, from time to time, and of the acceptance by the Trustee of the trusts hereby created, and intending to be legally bound hereby, the District does hereby assign, transfer, set over and pledge to U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as Trustee, its successors in trust and its assigns

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"Assessment Resolutions" shall mean Resolution Nos. 2023-31, 2023-32 and 2023-34 of the District adopted on August 15, 2023, August 15, 2023, and September 19, 2023, respectively, as amended and supplemented from time to time.

"Authorized Denomination" shall mean, with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, on the date of issuance denominations of \$5,000 and any integral multiple thereof; provided, however, if any initial Beneficial Owner (as hereinafter defined) does not purchase at least \$100,000 of the Series 2024 Bonds at the time of initial delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds, such Beneficial Owner must either execute and deliver to the District and the Underwriter on the date of delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds the investor letter in the form attached hereto as Exhibit D or otherwise establish to the satisfaction of the Underwriter that such Beneficial Owner is an "accredited investor," as described in Rule 501(a) under Regulation D of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

"Closing Date" shall mean [ \_\_\_\_\_ ], 2024.

"Collateral Assignment" shall mean the certain rights granted on instruments executed by the Landowner in favor of the District whereby certain of the material documents necessary to complete the development of the District Lands are collaterally assigned to the District as security for the Landowner's obligation to pay the Series 2024 Special Assessments imposed against lands within the District owned by the Landowner from time to time.

"Completion Agreement" shall mean the Agreement between the District and the Landowner regarding the completion of certain improvements dated as of the Closing Date.

"Continuing Disclosure Agreement" shall mean the Continuing Disclosure Agreement for the benefit of the owners of the Series 2024 Bonds, dated as of the Closing Date, by and among the District, the dissemination agent named therein, and the Landowner, in connection with the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

"Declaration of Consent" shall mean that certain instrument executed by the Landowner declaring consent to the jurisdiction of the District and the imposition of the Series 2024 Special Assessments.

"Defeasance Securities" shall mean, with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, to the extent permitted by law, (a) cash deposits, and (b) direct obligations of the United States of America (including obligations issued or held in book entry form on the books of the Department of Treasury) which are non-callable and non-prepayable.

"District Manager" shall mean Inframark, LLC, and its successors and assigns.

"Indenture" shall mean collectively, the Master Indenture and this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Interest Payment Date" shall mean May 1 and November 1 of each year, commencing May 1, 2025.

forever, and grants a lien on all of the right, title and interest of the District in and to the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues as security for the payment of the principal, redemption or purchase price of (as the case may be) and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds issued hereunder, all in the manner hereinafter provided, and the District further hereby agrees with and covenants unto the Trustee as follows:

**TO HAVE AND TO HOLD** the same and, to the extent the same may be lawfully granted, any other revenues, property, contracts or contract rights, accounts receivable, chattel paper, instruments, general intangibles or other rights and the proceeds thereof, which may, by delivery, assignment or otherwise, be subject to the lien created by the Indenture with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds.

**IN TRUST NEVERTHELESS**, for the equal and ratable benefit and security of all present and future Holders of the Series 2024 Bonds issued and to be issued under this Supplemental Trust Indenture, without preference, priority or distinction as to lien or otherwise (except as otherwise specifically provided in this Supplemental Trust Indenture) of any one Series 2024 Bond over any other Series 2024 Bond, all as provided in the Indenture.

**PROVIDED, HOWEVER**, that if the District, its successors or assigns, shall well and truly pay, or cause to be paid, or make due provision for the payment of the principal or redemption price of the Series 2024 Bonds issued, secured and Outstanding hereunder and the interest due or to become due thereon, at the times and in the manner mentioned in such Series 2024 Bonds and the Indenture, according to the true intent and meaning thereof and hereof, and the District shall well and truly keep, perform and observe all the covenants and conditions pursuant to the terms of the Indenture to be kept, performed and observed by it, and shall pay or cause to be paid to the Trustee all sums of money due or to become due to it in accordance with the terms and provisions hereof, then upon such final payments this Supplemental Trust Indenture and the rights hereby granted shall cease and terminate, otherwise this Supplemental Trust Indenture to be and remain in full force and effect.

## ARTICLE I DEFINITIONS

In this Supplemental Trust Indenture capitalized terms used without definition shall have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Master Indenture and, in addition to certain terms defined in the recitals above, the following terms shall have the meanings specified below, unless otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires:

"Acquisition Agreement" shall mean that certain Agreement by and between the District and the Landowner regarding the acquisition of certain work product, improvements and real property dated as of the Closing Date.

"Arbitrage Certificate" shall mean that certain Arbitrage Certificate, including arbitrage rebate covenants, of the District, dated as of the Closing Date, relating to certain restrictions on arbitrage under the Code with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds.

"Landowner" shall mean EPG West Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, and its wholly owned subsidiary EPG Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, and their respective successors and assigns.

"Majority Holders" means the Beneficial Owners of more than fifty percent (50%) in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds.

"Master Indenture" shall mean the Master Trust Indenture, dated as of December 1, 2024, by and between the District and the Trustee, as supplemented and amended with respect to matters pertaining solely to the Master Indenture or the Series 2024 Bonds (as opposed to supplements or amendments relating to any Series of Bonds other than the Series 2024 Bonds as specifically defined in this Supplemental Trust Indenture).

"Paying Agent" shall mean U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, and its successors and assigns as Paying Agent hereunder.

"Prepayment" shall mean the payment by any owner of property of the amount of Series 2024 Special Assessments encumbering its property, in whole or in part, prior to its scheduled due date, including optional prepayments. The term "Prepayment" also means any proceeds received as a result of accelerating and/or foreclosing the Series 2024 Special Assessments. "Prepayments" shall include, without limitation, Series 2024 Prepayment Principal.

"Project" shall mean all of the public infrastructure deemed necessary for the development of the District Lands including, but not limited to, the Series 2024 Project.

"Quarterly Redemption Date" shall mean each February 1, May 1, August 1, and November 1 of any calendar year.

"Redemption Price" shall mean the principal amount of any Series 2024 Bond plus the applicable premium, if any payable upon redemption thereof pursuant to this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Registrar" shall mean U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association and its successors and assigns as Registrar hereunder.

"Regular Record Date" shall mean the fifteenth day (whether or not a Business Day) of the calendar month next preceding each Interest Payment Date or the date on which the principal of an Series 2024 Bond is to be paid.

"Reserve Release Condition #1" with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds shall mean collectively (i) all of the outstanding principal portion of the Series 2024 Special Assessments has been assigned to lands that have been closed with homebuilders, and (ii) there shall be no Events of Default under the Indenture with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, each as certified by the District Manager. The District shall present the Trustee with the certifications of the District Manager regarding the satisfaction of Reserve Release Condition #1, and the Trustee may rely conclusively upon such certifications and shall have no duty to verify the same.

"Reserve Release Condition #2" with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds shall mean collectively (i) all of the outstanding principal portion of the Series 2024 Special Assessments has been assigned to homes that have been built and have received a certificate of occupancy, and (ii) there shall be no Events of Default under the Indenture with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, each as certified by the District Manager. The District shall present the Trustee with the certifications of the District Manager regarding the satisfaction of Reserve Release Condition #2, and the Trustee may rely conclusively upon such certifications and shall have no duty to verify the same.

"Resolution" shall mean, collectively, (i) Resolution No. 2023-18 of the District adopted on June 5, 2023, pursuant to which the District authorized the issuance of not exceeding \$118,700,000 aggregate principal amount of its Bonds to finance the construction or acquisition of the Project, and (ii) Resolution No. 2024-03 of the District adopted on May 21, 2024 (the "Delegation Resolution"), pursuant to which the District authorized, among other things, the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds to pay all or a portion of the costs of the planning, financing, the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Series 2024 Project, specifying the details of the Series 2024 Bonds and awarding the Series 2024 Bonds to the purchasers of the Series 2024 Bonds.

"Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate Account within the Acquisition and Construction Fund pursuant to Section 4.01(a) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate Account within the Bond Redemption Fund pursuant to Section 4.01(g) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Bonds" shall mean the \$ \_\_\_\_\_ aggregate principal amount of Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project), to be issued as fully registered Bonds in accordance with the provisions of the Master Indenture and this Supplemental Trust Indenture and secured and authorized by the Master Indenture and this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate Account within the Acquisition and Construction Fund pursuant to Section 4.01(a) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount" shall mean the subaccount so designated, established as a separate subaccount under the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account pursuant to Section 4.01(g) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Interest Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate Account within the Debt Service Fund pursuant to Section 4.01(d) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Optional Redemption Subaccount" shall mean the subaccount so designated, established as a separate subaccount under the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account pursuant to Section 4.01(g) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

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or ten percent (10%) of maximum annual debt service, as the case may be, shall be calculated as of the date of the original issuance and delivery and recalculated in connection with each extraordinary mandatory redemption of the Series 2024 Bonds from Series 2024 Prepayment Principal as set forth herein (but not upon the optional or mandatory sinking fund redemption thereof) and such excess amount shall be released from the Series 2024 Reserve Account and, other than as provided in the immediately preceding sentence, transferred to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount in accordance with the provisions of Sections 4.01(f) and 4.05(a) hereof. Amounts on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account may, upon final maturity or redemption of all Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds, be used to pay principal of and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds at that time. Initially, the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement shall be equal to \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

"Series 2024 Revenue Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate Account within the Revenue Fund pursuant to Section 4.01(b) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate Account within the Debt Service Fund pursuant to Section 4.01(e) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Special Assessments" shall mean the Special Assessments levied on the assessable lands within the District as a result of the District's acquisition and/or construction of the Series 2024 Project, corresponding in amount to the debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds and designated as such in the methodology report relating thereto.

"Substantially Absorbed" means the date at least 90% of the principal portion of the Series 2024 Special Assessments have been assigned to residential units within the District Lands that have received certificates of occupancy. The District shall present the Trustee with a certification that the Series 2024 Special Assessments are Substantially Absorbed and the Trustee may rely conclusively upon such certification and shall have no duty to verify if the Series 2024 Special Assessments are Substantially Absorbed.

"True-Up Agreement" shall mean the Agreement dated as of the Closing Date, by and between the District and the Landowner relating to the true-up of Series 2024 Special Assessments.

"Underwriter" shall mean FMSBonds, Inc., the underwriter of the Series 2024 Bonds.

The words "hereof," "herein," "hereto," "hereby," and "hereunder" (except in the form of Series 2024 Bonds), refer to the entire Indenture.

Every "request," "requisition," "order," "demand," "application," "notice," "statement," "certificate," "consent," or similar action hereunder by the District shall, unless the form or execution thereof is otherwise specifically provided, be in writing signed by the Chairperson or Vice Chairperson and the Treasurer or Assistant Treasurer or the Secretary or Assistant Secretary or Responsible Officer of the District.

All words and terms importing the singular number shall, where the context requires, import the plural number and vice versa.

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"Series 2024 Pledged Revenues" shall mean with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds (a) all revenues received by the District from Series 2024 Special Assessments levied and collected on the assessable lands within the District benefitted by the Series 2024 Project, including, without limitation, amounts received from any foreclosure proceeding for the enforcement of collection of such Series 2024 Special Assessments or from the issuance and sale of tax certificates with respect to such Series 2024 Special Assessments, and (b) all moneys on deposit in the Funds and Accounts established under the Indenture created and established with respect to or for the benefit of the Series 2024 Bonds; provided, however, that Series 2024 Pledged Revenues shall not include (A) any moneys transferred to the Series 2024 Rebate Fund and investment earnings thereon, (B) moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund, and (C) "special assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.022 of the Act for maintenance purposes or "maintenance assessments" levied and collected by the District under Section 190.021(3) of the Act (it being expressly understood that the lien and pledge of the Indenture shall not apply to any of the moneys described in the foregoing clauses (A), (B) and (C) of this proviso).

"Series 2024 Prepayment Principal" shall mean the portion of a Prepayment corresponding to the principal amount of Series 2024 Special Assessments being prepaid pursuant to Section 4.05 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture or as a result of an acceleration of the Series 2024 Special Assessments pursuant to Section 170.10, Florida Statutes, if such Series 2024 Special Assessments are being collected through a direct billing method.

"Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount" shall mean the subaccount so designated, established as a separate subaccount under the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account pursuant to Section 4.01(g) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Project" shall mean the public infrastructure described in Exhibit A attached hereto benefitting the District Lands, comprising the residential community thereon.

"Series 2024 Rebate Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate Account within the Rebate Fund pursuant to Section 4.01(j) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Reserve Account" shall mean the Account so designated, established as a separate Account within the Debt Service Reserve Fund pursuant to Section 4.01(f) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture.

"Series 2024 Reserve Requirement" or "Reserve Requirement" shall (i) initially be an amount equal to the maximum annual debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds; (ii) upon the occurrence of Reserve Release Condition #1, fifty percent (50%) of the maximum annual debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds; and (iii) upon the occurrence of Reserve Release Condition #2, ten percent (10%) of the maximum annual debt service on the Series 2024 Bonds. Upon satisfaction of each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2, such resulting excess amount shall be released from the Series 2024 Reserve Account and transferred to the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account in accordance with the provisions of Sections 4.01(a) and 4.01(f) hereof. For the purpose of calculating the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement, maximum annual debt service, fifty percent (50%) of maximum annual debt service,

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## ARTICLE II THE SERIES 2024 BONDS

**SECTION 2.01. Amounts and Terms of Series 2024 Bonds; Issue of Series 2024 Bonds.** No Series 2024 Bonds may be issued under this Supplemental Trust Indenture except in accordance with the provisions of this Article and Articles II and III of the Master Indenture.

(a) The total principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds that may be issued under this Supplemental Trust Indenture is expressly limited to \$[\_\_\_\_\_]. The Series 2024 Bonds shall be numbered consecutively from R-1 and upwards.

(b) Any and all Series 2024 Bonds shall be issued substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, with such appropriate variations, omissions and insertions as are permitted or required by the Indenture and with such additional changes as may be necessary or appropriate to conform to the provisions of the Resolution. The District shall issue the Series 2024 Bonds upon execution of this Supplemental Trust Indenture and satisfaction of the requirements of Section 3.01 of the Master Indenture; and the Trustee shall, at the District's request, authenticate such Series 2024 Bonds and deliver them as specified in the request.

**SECTION 2.02. Execution.** The Series 2024 Bonds shall be executed by the District as set forth in the Master Indenture.

**SECTION 2.03. Authentication.** The Series 2024 Bond shall be authenticated as set forth in the Master Indenture. No Series 2024 Bond shall be valid until the certificate of authentication shall have been duly executed by the Trustee, as provided in the Master Indenture.

**SECTION 2.04. Purpose, Designation and Denominations of, and Interest Accruals on, the Series 2024 Bonds.**

(a) The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued hereunder in order to provide funds for the purposes of (i) paying all or a portion of the costs of the planning, financing, acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Series 2024 Project, (ii) funding a deposit to the Series 2024 Reserve Account in the amount of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement, and (iii) paying the costs of issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds. The Series 2024 Bonds shall be designated "Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project)" and shall be issued as fully registered Bonds without coupons in Authorized Denominations.

(b) The Series 2024 Bonds shall be dated as of the date of initial delivery. Interest on the Series 2024 Bonds shall be payable on each Interest Payment Date to maturity or prior redemption. Interest on the Series 2024 Bonds shall be payable from the most recent Interest Payment Date next preceding the date of authentication thereof to which interest has been paid, unless the date of authentication thereof is a May 1 or November 1 to which interest has been paid, in which case from such date of authentication, or unless the date of authentication thereof is prior to May 1, 2025, in which case from the date of initial delivery or unless the date of authentication thereof is between a Record Date and the next succeeding Interest Payment Date, in which case from such Interest Payment Date.

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(c) Except as otherwise provided in Section 2.07 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture in connection with a book-entry-only system of registration of the Series 2024 Bonds, the principal or Redemption Price of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the designated corporate trust office of the Paying Agent upon presentation of such Series 2024 Bonds. Except as otherwise provided in Section 2.07 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture in connection with a book entry only system of registration of the Series 2024 Bonds, the payment of interest on the Series 2024 Bonds shall be made on each Interest Payment Date to the Registered Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds by check or draft drawn on the Paying Agent and mailed on the applicable Interest Payment Date to each Registered Owner as such Registered Owner appears on the Bond Register maintained by the Registrar as of the close of business on the Regular Record Date, at his address as it appears on the Bond Register. Any interest on any Series 2024 Bond which is payable, but is not punctually paid or provided for on any Interest Payment Date (hereinafter called "Defaulted Interest") shall be paid to the Registered Owner in whose name the Series 2024 Bond is registered at the close of business on a Special Record Date to be fixed by the Trustee, such date to be not more than fifteen (15) nor less than ten (10) days prior to the date of proposed payment. The Trustee shall cause notice of the proposed payment of such Defaulted Interest and the Special Record Date therefor to be mailed, first-class, postage-prepaid, to each Registered Owner of record as of the fifth (5th) day prior to such mailing, at his address as it appears in the Bond Register not less than ten (10) days prior to such Special Record Date. The foregoing notwithstanding, any Registered Owner of Series 2024 Bonds in an aggregate principal amount of at least \$1,000,000 shall be entitled to have interest paid by wire transfer to such Registered Owner to the bank account number on file with the Paying Agent, upon requesting the same in a writing received by the Paying Agent at least fifteen (15) days prior to the relevant Record Date, which writing shall specify the bank, which shall be a bank within the continental United States, and bank account number to which interest payments are to be wired. Any such request for interest payments by wire transfer shall remain in effect until rescinded or changed, in a writing delivered by the Registered Owner to the Paying Agent, and any such rescission or change of wire transfer instructions must be received by the Paying Agent at least fifteen (15) days prior to the relevant Record Date.

**SECTION 2.05. Debt Service on the Series 2024 Bonds.**

(a) The Series 2024 Bonds will mature on May 1 in the years and in the principal amounts, and bear interest at the rates as set forth below, subject to the right of prior redemption in accordance with their terms.

Year	Amount	Interest Rate
	\$	%

(b) Interest on the Series 2024 Bonds will be computed in all cases on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months. Interest on overdue principal and, to the extent lawful, on overdue interest will be payable at the numerical rate of interest borne by the Series 2024 Bonds on the day before the default occurred.

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notices to Indirect Participants, and Direct Participants and Indirect Participants shall be responsible for notices to Beneficial Owners.

The District and the Trustee, if appropriate, shall enter into a blanket letter of representations with DTC providing for such book-entry-only system. Such agreement may be terminated at any time by either DTC or the District in accordance with the procedures of DTC. In the event of such termination, the District shall select another securities depository and in that event, all references herein to DTC or Cede & Co., shall be deemed to be for reference to such successor. If the District does not replace DTC, the Trustee will register and deliver to the Beneficial Owners replacement Series 2024 Bonds in the form of fully registered Series 2024 Bonds in accordance with the instructions from Cede & Co.

In the event DTC, any successor of DTC or the District, but only in accordance with the procedures of DTC, elects to discontinue the book-entry only system, the Trustee shall deliver bond certificates in accordance with the instructions from DTC or its successor and after such time Series 2024 Bonds may be exchanged for an equal aggregate principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds in other Authorized Denominations upon surrender thereof at the designated corporate trust office of the Trustee.

**SECTION 2.08. Appointment of Registrar and Paying Agent.** The District shall keep, at the designated corporate trust office of the Registrar, books (the "Bond Register") for the registration, transfer and exchange of the Series 2024 Bonds, and hereby appoints U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as its Registrar to keep such books and make such registrations, transfers, and exchanges as required hereby. U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association hereby accepts its appointment as Registrar and its duties and responsibilities as Registrar hereunder. Registrations, transfers and exchanges shall be without charge to the Bondholder requesting such registration, transfer or exchange, but such Bondholder shall pay any taxes or other governmental charges on all registrations, transfers and exchanges.

The District hereby appoints U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association as Paying Agent for the Series 2024 Bonds. U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association hereby accepts its appointment as Paying Agent and its duties and responsibilities as Paying Agent hereunder.

**SECTION 2.09. Conditions Precedent to Issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.** In addition to complying with the requirements set forth in the Master Indenture in connection with the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds, all the Series 2024 Bonds shall be executed by the District for delivery to the Trustee and thereupon shall be authenticated by the Trustee and delivered to the District or upon its order, but only upon the further receipt by the Trustee of:

- (a) Certified copies of the Assessment Resolutions;
- (b) Executed originals of the Master Indenture and this Supplemental Trust Indenture;
- (c) Opinions of Counsel required by the Master Indenture;
- (d) A certificate of an Authorized Officer to the effect that, upon the authentication and delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds, the District will not be in default in the

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**SECTION 2.06. Disposition of Series 2024 Bond Proceeds.** From the net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds received by the Trustee in the amount of \$[ ] (par amount of \$[ ]), [plus/minus [net] original issue premium/discount] of \$[ ], less underwriter's discount of \$[ ] which is retained by the underwriter of the Series 2024 Bonds):

(a) \$[ ], which is an amount equal to the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement, shall be deposited in the Series 2024 Reserve Account of the Debt Service Reserve Fund;

(b) \$[ ], shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund for payment of the costs of issuing the Series 2024 Bonds; and

(c) \$[ ], representing the balance of the net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds, shall be deposited in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund which the District shall cause to be applied only to the payment of costs of the Series 2024 Project in accordance with Section 4.01(a) hereof, Article V of the Master Indenture and the terms of the Acquisition Agreement.

**SECTION 2.07. Book-Entry Form of Series 2024 Bonds.** The Series 2024 Bonds shall be issued as one fully registered bond for each maturity of Series 2024 Bonds and deposited with The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), New York, New York, which is responsible for establishing and maintaining records of ownership for its participants.

As long as the Series 2024 Bonds are held in book-entry-only form, Cede & Co. shall be considered the Registered Owner for all purposes hereof and in the Master Indenture. The Series 2024 Bonds shall not be required to be presented for payment. DTC shall be responsible for maintaining a book-entry-only system for recording the ownership interest of its participants ("Direct Participants") and other institutions that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). The Direct Participants and Indirect Participants will be responsible for maintaining records with respect to the beneficial ownership interests of individual purchasers of the Series 2024 Bonds ("Beneficial Owners").

Principal and interest on the Series 2024 Bonds registered in the name of Cede & Co. prior to and at maturity shall be payable directly to Cede & Co. in care of DTC. Disbursal of such amounts to Direct Participants shall be the responsibility of DTC. Payments by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners shall be the responsibility of Direct Participants and Indirect Participants and not of DTC, the Trustee or the District.

Individuals may purchase beneficial interests in Authorized Denominations in book-entry-only form, without certificated Series 2024 Bonds, through Direct Participants and Indirect Participants.

During the period for which Cede & Co. is Registered Owner of the Series 2024 Bonds, any notices to be provided to any Beneficial Owner will be provided to Cede & Co. DTC shall be responsible for notices to Direct Participants and Direct Participants shall be responsible for

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payment of the terms and provisions of the Master Indenture or this Supplemental Trust Indenture;

(e) Copies of executed investor letters in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit D** if such investor letter is required, as determined by the Underwriter; and

(f) Executed copies of the Arbitrage Certificate, the True-Up Agreement, the Acquisition Agreement, Declaration of Consent, the Completion Agreement, the Continuing Disclosure Agreement and the Collateral Assignment.

Payment to the Trustee of the net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be conclusive evidence that the foregoing conditions have been met to the satisfaction of the District and the Underwriter.

[END OF ARTICLE II]

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**ARTICLE III  
REDEMPTION OF SERIES 2024 BONDS**

**SECTION 3.01. Redemption Dates and Prices.** The Series 2024 Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity in the amounts, at the times and in the manner provided in the form thereof set forth as Exhibit B to this Supplemental Trust Indenture. Series 2024 Bonds may be purchased as provided in Article VIII of the Master Indenture.

If at the time of mailing the notice of any redemption, the District shall not have deposited with the Trustee or Paying Agent moneys sufficient to redeem all the Series 2024 Bonds called for redemption, such notice shall state that it is subject to the deposit of the redemption moneys with the Trustee or Paying Agent, as the case may be, not later than the redemption date, and such notice shall be of no effect unless such moneys are so deposited. All payments of the Redemption Price of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be made on the dates hereinafter required.

Except as otherwise provided in this Section 3.01 and in Exhibit B hereto, if less than all the Series 2024 Bonds of a maturity are to be redeemed pursuant to an extraordinary mandatory redemption, the Trustee shall select the Series 2024 Bonds or portions of the Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed by lot. Partial redemptions of Series 2024 Bonds shall, to the extent possible, be made in such a manner that the remaining Series 2024 Bonds held by each Bondholder shall be in Authorized Denominations, except for the last remaining Series 2024 Bond.

Upon any redemption of Series 2024 Bonds other than in accordance with scheduled mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts, the District shall cause to be recalculated and delivered to the Trustee revised mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts recalculated so as to amortize the Outstanding principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds in substantially equal annual installments of principal and interest (subject to rounding to Authorized Denominations of principal) over the remaining term of the Series 2024 Bonds. The mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts as so recalculated shall not result in an increase in the aggregate of the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts for all Series 2024 Bonds in any year. In the event of a redemption or purchase occurring less than forty-five (45) days prior to a date on which a mandatory sinking fund redemption amount is due, the foregoing recalculation shall not be made to the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts due in the year in which such redemption occurs, but shall be made to the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts for the immediately succeeding and subsequent years.

**SECTION 3.02. Notice of Redemption.** When required to redeem Series 2024 Bonds under any provision of this Supplemental Trust Indenture or directed to redeem Series 2024 Bonds by the District, the Trustee shall give or cause to be given to Registered Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed, notice of the redemption, as set forth in Article VIII of the Master Indenture.

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Pursuant to the Master Indenture, the Trustee shall establish a separate account within the Acquisition and Construction Fund designated as the "Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account." Net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account in the amount set forth in Section 2.06 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture. Upon presentation to the Trustee of written direction of an Authorized Officer of the District, the Trustee shall withdraw moneys from the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account to pay the costs of issuing the Series 2024 Bonds. Six months after the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds, any moneys remaining in the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account in excess of the amounts requested to be disbursed by the District shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Interest Account and the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account shall be closed. Any deficiency in the amount allocated to pay the cost of issuing the Series 2024 Bonds shall be paid from excess Series 2024 Pledged Revenues on deposit in the Series 2024 Revenue Account, as provided in Section 4.02. After no funds remain therein, the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account shall be closed.

(b) Pursuant to Section 6.03 of the Master Indenture, the Trustee shall establish a separate Account within the Revenue Fund designated as the "Series 2024 Revenue Account." Series 2024 Special Assessments (except for Prepayments of Series 2024 Special Assessments which shall be identified as such by the District to the Trustee and deposited in the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount) shall be deposited by the Trustee into the Series 2024 Revenue Account which shall be applied as set forth in Section 6.03 of the Master Indenture and Section 4.02 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture. The Trustee may conclusively rely that unless expressly indicated in writing by the District as a Prepayment upon deposit thereof with the Trustee, payments of Series 2024 Special Assessments otherwise received by the Trustee, are to be deposited into the Series 2024 Revenue Account.

(c) [RESERVED].

(d) Pursuant to Section 6.04 of the Master Indenture and Section 4.02 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture, the Trustee shall establish a separate Account within the Debt Service Fund designated as the "Series 2024 Interest Account." Moneys deposited into the Series 2024 Interest Account pursuant to Section 6.04 of the Master Indenture and Sections 2.06 and 4.02 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture, shall be applied for the purposes provided therein and used to pay interest on the Series 2024 Bonds.

(e) Pursuant to Section 6.04 of the Master Indenture, the Trustee shall establish a separate account within the Debt Service Fund designated as the "Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account." Moneys shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account as provided in Section 6.04 of the Master Indenture and Section 4.02 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture, and applied for the purposes provided therein and as set forth in Exhibit B hereto.

(f) Pursuant to Section 6.05 of the Master Indenture, the Trustee shall establish a separate Account within the Debt Service Reserve Fund designated as the "Series 2024 Reserve Account." Net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Reserve Account in the amount set forth in Section 2.06 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture, and such moneys, together with any other moneys deposited into the Series 2024 Reserve Account shall be applied for the purposes provided in the Master Indenture and in this Section 4.01(f) and Section 4.05 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture. Notwithstanding any provisions in the Master Indenture

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**ARTICLE IV  
ESTABLISHMENT OF CERTAIN FUNDS AND ACCOUNTS;  
ADDITIONAL COVENANTS OF THE DISTRICT; PREPAYMENTS;  
REMOVAL OF SERIES 2024 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT LIENS**

**SECTION 4.01. Establishment of Certain Funds and Accounts.**

(a) The Trustee shall establish a separate account within the Acquisition and Construction Fund designated as the "Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account." Net proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account in the amount set forth in Section 2.06 of this Supplemental Trust Indenture, together with any moneys transferred or deposited thereto, including moneys transferred from the Series 2024 Reserve Account after satisfaction of each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2, and such moneys shall be applied as set forth in this Section 4.01(a) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture, Section 5.01 of the Master Indenture, and the Acquisition Agreement. Funds on deposit in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall only be requested by the District to be applied to the Costs of the Series 2024 Project. Upon satisfaction of each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2, the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account in excess of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement shall then be transferred to the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account and applied as provided in this Section 4.01(a). All investment earnings on moneys in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall remain on deposit therein and used for the purposes set forth herein.

After the Completion Date for the Series 2024 Project, and after retaining costs to complete the Series 2024 Project, any moneys remaining in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall be transferred to the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount, as directed in writing by the District, or the District Manager on behalf of the District, to the Trustee. After no funds remain therein, the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall be closed. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall not be closed until after each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2 shall have occurred and the excess funds from the Series 2024 Reserve Account shall have been transferred to the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account and applied in accordance with this Section 4.01(a) and Section 4.01(f) hereof. The Trustee shall not be responsible for determining the amounts in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account allocable to the respective components of the Series 2024 Project.

The Trustee shall make no such transfers from the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account to the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount if an Event of Default exists with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds of which the Trustee has notice as described in Section 11.06 of the Master Indenture or of which the Trustee has actual knowledge as described in Section 11.06 of the Master Indenture. Except as provided in Exhibit B hereto with respect to mandatory redemption of the Series 2024 Bonds after the Completion Date or Section 5.06 hereof regarding use of the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account following an Event of Default, the Trustee shall withdraw moneys from the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account only upon presentation to the Trustee of a properly signed requisition in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit C.

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to the contrary, the District covenants not to substitute the cash and Investment Securities on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account with a Debt Service Reserve Insurance Policy or a Debt Service Reserve Letter of Credit. Except as provided in the next paragraph, all investment earnings on moneys in the Series 2024 Reserve Account shall remain on deposit therein.

On each March 15 and September 15 (or, if such date is not a Business Day, on the Business Day next preceding such day), the Trustee shall determine the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account and transfer any excess therein above the Reserve Requirement for the Series 2024 Bonds caused by investment earnings to the Series 2024 Revenue Account in accordance with Section 4.02 hereof.

In the event of a prepayment of Series 2024 Special Assessments in accordance with Section 4.05(a) of this Supplemental Trust Indenture, forty-five (45) days before the next Quarterly Redemption Date, the District shall provide written direction to the Trustee, as described in Section 4.05(a) hereof, recalculating the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement to take into account the amount of Series 2024 Bonds that will be outstanding as a result of such prepayment of Series 2024 Special Assessments, and directing the Trustee to transfer the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account in excess of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement, resulting from Series 2024 Prepayment Principal, to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount to be applied toward the extraordinary redemption of Series 2024 Bonds in accordance with the extraordinary mandatory redemption provisions set forth in Exhibit B hereto, as a credit against the Series 2024 Prepayment Principal otherwise required to be made by the owner of such property subject to Series 2024 Special Assessments, and upon receipt of such direction the Trustee shall effect such transfer. Upon satisfaction of each of Reserve Release Condition #1 and Reserve Release Condition #2, the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account in excess of the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement shall then be transferred to the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account and applied as provided in Section 4.01(a) hereof.

Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, amounts on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account shall be transferred by the Trustee, in the amounts directed in writing by the Majority Holders of the Series 2024 Bonds to the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount, if as a result of the application of Article X of the Master Indenture, the proceeds received from lands sold subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments and applied to redeem a portion of the Series 2024 Bonds is less than the principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds indebtedness attributable to such lands.

(g) Pursuant to Section 6.06 of the Master Indenture, the Trustee shall establish a separate Series Bond Redemption Account within the Bond Redemption Fund designated as the "Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account" and within such Account, an "Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount," an "Series 2024 Optional Redemption Subaccount," and an "Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount." Except as otherwise provided in this Supplemental Trust Indenture regarding Prepayments or in connection with the optional redemption of the Series 2024 Bonds, moneys to be deposited into the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account as provided in Section 6.06 of the Master Indenture shall be deposited to the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount.

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(h) Moneys that are deposited into the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount (including all earnings on investments held therein) shall be used to call for the extraordinary mandatory redemption of Series 2024 Bonds in accordance with **Exhibit B** hereto.

(i) Moneys in the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount (including all earnings on investments held in such Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount) shall be accumulated therein to be used to call for extraordinary mandatory redemption in accordance with **Exhibit B** hereto an amount of Series 2024 Bonds equal to the amount of money transferred to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount of the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account for the purpose of such extraordinary mandatory redemption as provided in **Exhibit B**. In addition, and together with the moneys transferred from the Series 2024 Reserve Account pursuant to paragraph (f) above, if the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount is not sufficient to redeem a principal amount of the Series 2024 Bonds in an Authorized Denomination, the Trustee upon written direction from the District, shall be authorized to withdraw amounts from the Series 2024 Revenue Account to deposit to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount to round-up the amount to the nearest Authorized Denomination. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no transfers from the Series 2024 Revenue Account shall be directed by the District to pay interest on and/or principal of the Series 2024 Bonds for extraordinary mandatory redemption if, as a result, the deposits required under Section 4.02 FIRST through FIFTH cannot be made in full.

(j) The District hereby directs the Trustee to establish a separate account in the Rebate Fund designated as the "Series 2024 Rebate Account." Moneys shall be deposited into the Series 2024 Rebate Account, as provided in the Arbitrage Certificate and applied for the purposes provided therein.

(k) Moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Optional Redemption Subaccount shall be used to optionally redeem all or a portion of the Series 2024 Bonds in accordance with Section 3.01(a) hereof and **Exhibit B** hereto.

**SECTION 4.02. Series 2024 Revenue Account.** The Trustee shall transfer from amounts on deposit in the Series 2024 Revenue Account to the Funds and Accounts designated below, the following amounts, at the following times and in the following order of priority:

FIRST, upon receipt but no later than the Business Day next preceding each Interest Payment Date, commencing May 1, 2025, to the Series 2024 Interest Account of the Debt Service Fund, an amount equal to the interest on the Series 2024 Bonds becoming due on the next succeeding Interest Payment Date, less any amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Interest Account not previously credited;

SECOND, no later than the Business Day next preceding each May 1, commencing May 1, 20\_\_, to the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account, an amount equal to the principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds subject to sinking fund redemption on such May 1, less any amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account not previously credited;

THIRD, upon receipt but no later than the Business Day next preceding each Interest Payment Date while Series 2024 Bonds remain Outstanding, to the Series 2024

Reserve Account, an amount equal to the amount, if any, which is necessary to make the amount on deposit therein equal to the Reserve Requirement for the Series 2024 Bonds;

FOURTH, notwithstanding the foregoing, at any time the Series 2024 Bonds are subject to redemption on a date which is not a May 1 or November 1 Interest Payment Date, the Trustee shall be authorized to transfer to the Series 2024 Interest Account, the amount necessary to pay interest on the Series 2024 Bonds subject to redemption on such date; and

FIFTH, subject to the foregoing paragraphs, the balance of any moneys remaining after making the foregoing deposits shall be first deposited into the Series 2024 Costs of Issuance Account upon the written request of the District to cover any deficiencies in the amount allocated to pay the cost of issuing the Series 2024 Bonds and next, any balance in the Series 2024 Revenue Account shall remain on deposit in such Series 2024 Revenue Account, unless needed for the purposes of rounding the principal amount of an Series 2024 Bond subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption pursuant to Section 4.01(i) hereof to an Authorized Denomination, or unless pursuant to the Arbitrage Certificate, it is necessary to make a deposit into the Series 2024 Rebate Fund, in which case, the District shall direct the Trustee to make such deposit thereto.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event of redemption of Series 2024 Bonds from Prepayments on deposit in the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount, the Trustee is further authorized, upon written direction from the District, to transfer from the Series 2024 Revenue Account to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount sufficient funds to cause the redemption of the next closest Authorized Denomination of Series 2024 Bonds, as provided in Section 4.01(i) hereinabove.

**SECTION 4.03. Power to Issue Series 2024 Bonds and Create Lien.** The District is duly authorized under the Act and all applicable laws of the State to issue the Series 2024 Bonds, to execute and deliver the Indenture and to pledge the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues for the benefit of the Series 2024 Bonds to the extent set forth herein. The Series 2024 Pledged Revenues are not and shall not be subject to any other lien senior to or on a parity with the lien created in favor of the Series 2024 Bonds, except as otherwise permitted under Section 5.04 hereof. The Series 2024 Bonds and the provisions of the Indenture are and will be valid and legally enforceable obligations of the District in accordance with their respective terms. The District shall, at all times, to the extent permitted by law, defend, preserve and protect the pledge created by the Indenture and all the rights of the Holders of the Series 2024 Bonds under the Indenture against all claims and demands of all persons whomsoever.

**SECTION 4.04. Series 2024 Project to Conform to the Engineer's Report.** Simultaneously with the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds, the District will promptly proceed to construct or acquire the Series 2024 Project as described in **Exhibit A** hereto and in the Engineer's Report relating thereto, all pursuant to the terms and provisions of the Acquisition Agreement.

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**SECTION 4.05. Prepayments; Removal of Series 2024 Special Assessment Liens.**

(a) At any time any owner of property subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments may, at its option, or as a result of acceleration of the Series 2024 Special Assessments because of non-payment thereof, shall, or by operation of law, require the District to reduce or release and extinguish the lien upon its property by virtue of the levy of the Series 2024 Special Assessments by paying or causing there to be paid, to the District all or a portion of the Series 2024 Special Assessment, which shall constitute Series 2024 Prepayment Principal, plus, except as provided below, accrued interest to the next succeeding Quarterly Redemption Date (or the first succeeding Quarterly Redemption Date that is at least forty-five (45) days after such Prepayment, if such Prepayment is made within forty-five (45) calendar days before the next succeeding Quarterly Redemption Date, as the case may be), attributable to the property subject to Series 2024 Special Assessments owned by such owner. To the extent that such Prepayments are to be used to redeem Series 2024 Bonds pursuant to the extraordinary mandatory redemption provisions set forth in **Exhibit B** hereto, in the event the amount on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account will exceed the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement for the Series 2024 Bonds as a result of a Prepayment in accordance with this Section 4.05(a) and the resulting extraordinary mandatory redemption of Series 2024 Bonds, the excess amount shall be transferred from the Series 2024 Reserve Account to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount, as a credit against the Series 2024 Prepayment Principal otherwise required to be paid by the owner of such lot or parcel, upon written instructions of the District to the Trustee together with a certificate of a Responsible Officer of the District stating that, after giving effect to such transfers sufficient moneys will be on deposit in the Series 2024 Reserve Account to equal or exceed the Series 2024 Reserve Requirement.

(b) Upon receipt of Series 2024 Prepayment Principal as described in paragraph (a) above, subject to satisfaction of the conditions set forth therein, the District shall immediately pay the amount so received to the Trustee, and the District shall take such action as is necessary to record in the official improvement lien book of the District that the Series 2024 Special Assessment has been paid in whole or in part and that such Series 2024 Special Assessment lien is thereby reduced, or released and extinguished, as the case may be.

The Trustee may conclusively rely on the District's determination of what moneys constitute Prepayments. The Trustee shall notify the District of the amount in the Series 2023 Prepayment Account forty-five (45) days prior to each Quarterly Redemption Date.

[END OF ARTICLE IV]

**ARTICLE V  
COVENANTS AND DESIGNATIONS OF THE DISTRICT**

**SECTION 5.01. Collection of Series 2024 Special Assessments.** Pursuant to the terms and provisions of the Master Indenture, and except as provided in the next succeeding sentence, the District shall collect the Series 2024 Special Assessments relating to the acquisition and construction of the Series 2024 Project through the Uniform Method of Collection (the "Uniform Method") afforded by Chapter 197, Florida Statutes. Pursuant to the terms and provisions of the Master Indenture, the District shall, pursuant to the provisions of the Assessment Resolutions, directly collect the Series 2024 Special Assessments levied in lieu of the Uniform Method with respect to any lands within Series 2024 Area that have not been platted, or the timing for using the Uniform Method will not yet allow for using such method, unless the Trustee at the direction of the Majority Holders directs the District otherwise. In addition, and not in limitation of, the covenants contained elsewhere in this Supplemental Trust Indenture and in the Master Indenture, the District covenants to comply with the terms of the proceedings heretofore adopted with respect to the Series 2024 Special Assessments, and to levy and collect the Series 2024 Special Assessments and any required true-up payments set forth in the assessment methodology or True-Up Agreement in such manner as will generate funds sufficient to pay Debt Service on the Series 2024 Bonds when due. All Series 2024 Special Assessments that are collected directly by the District shall be due and payable by the Landowner not later than thirty (30) days prior to each Interest Payment Date. The assessment methodology shall not be materially amended without the written consent of the Majority Holders.

**SECTION 5.02. Continuing Disclosure.** Contemporaneously with the execution and delivery hereof, the District and the Landowner have executed and delivered a Continuing Disclosure Agreement to assist the Underwriter in complying with the requirements of Rule 15c2-12 promulgated under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. The District covenants and agrees to comply with the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Agreement applicable to it; however, as set forth therein, failure to so comply shall not constitute an Event of Default hereunder, but shall instead be enforceable by mandamus or any other means of specific performance.

**SECTION 5.03. Investment of Funds and Accounts.** The provisions of Section 7.02 of the Master Indenture shall apply to the investment and reinvestment of moneys in the Series 2024 funds, accounts and subaccounts therein created hereunder.

**SECTION 5.04. Additional Bonds.** The District covenants not to issue any other Bonds or other debt obligations secured by the Series 2024 Special Assessments. In addition, the District covenants not to issue any other Bonds or debt obligations for capital projects, secured by Special Assessments on the assessable lands within the District that are subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments until the Series 2024 Special Assessments are Substantially Absorbed. The District shall present the Trustee with a certification that the Series 2024 Special Assessments are Substantially Absorbed, and the Trustee may rely conclusively upon such certification and shall have no duty to verify if the Series 2024 Special Assessments are Substantially Absorbed. In the absence of such written certification, the Trustee is entitled to assume that the Series 2024 Special Assessments have not been Substantially Absorbed. Such covenants shall not prohibit the District from issuing refunding Bonds secured by the Series 2024 Special Assessments or any Bonds or other obligations secured by other Special Assessments (i) if such Special Assessments are levied

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on District Lands not subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments, (ii) if such Bonds or other obligations are issued to finance a capital project that is necessary to remediate any natural disaster, catastrophic damage or failure with respect to the Series 2024 Project, or (iii) upon the written consent of the Majority Holders.

**SECTION 5.05. Requisite Holders for Direction or Consent.** Anything in the Master Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, any direction or consent or similar provision which requires the Holders of more than fifty percent (50%) in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds shall in each case be deemed to refer to, and shall mean, the Majority Holders.

**SECTION 5.06. Acknowledgement Regarding Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account Moneys Following an Event of Default.** In accordance with the provisions of the Indenture, the Series 2024 Bonds are payable solely from the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues and any other moneys held by the Trustee under the Indenture for such purpose. Anything in the Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, the District hereby acknowledges that the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues include, without limitation, all amounts on deposit in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund then held by the Trustee and that, upon the occurrence of an Event of Default with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, (i) the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues may not be used by the District (whether to pay costs of the Series 2024 Project or otherwise) without the consent of the Majority Holders, and (ii) the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues may be used by the Trustee, at the direction or with the approval of the Majority Holders, to pay costs and expenses incurred in connection with the pursuit of remedies under the Indenture, provided, however notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary the Trustee is also authorized to utilize the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues to pay fees and expenses as provided in Section 10.12 of the Master Indenture.

During the continuance of an Event of Default specified in Subsections 10.02(a), 10.02(b) or 10.02(g) of the Master Indenture (a "Payment Related Default"), disbursements from the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account shall be made only with the consent of the Majority Holders, except as provided below. During the continuance of a Payment Related Default, the Majority Holders shall have the right to provide direction to the District to terminate, suspend, or proceed under any contracts for construction of the Series 2024 Project entered into prior to the occurrence of such Payment Related Default. The Majority Holders may provide such direction at any time during the continuance of such Payment Related Default and shall not be deemed to have waived their right to do so through inaction or delay and may change such direction from time to time.

(i) Until such time as the Majority Holders provide such direction to the District, disbursements may be made without the consent of the Majority Holders for Costs incurred by the District under construction contracts entered into by the District prior to the occurrence of such Payment Related Default.

(ii) Upon direction by the Majority Holders to proceed under any such contract(s), no consent of the Majority Holders shall be required for disbursements for Costs incurred by the District thereunder until the date of suspension or termination of such contract directed by the Majority Holders described in subparagraph (iii) below.

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#### ARTICLE VI THE TRUSTEE; THE PAYING AGENT AND REGISTRAR

**SECTION 6.01. Acceptance of Trust.** The Trustee accepts and agrees to execute the trusts hereby created and agrees to perform such trusts upon the terms and conditions set forth in the Indenture. The Trustee agrees to act as Paying Agent, Registrar and Authenticating Agent for the Series 2024 Bonds.

**SECTION 6.02. Trustee's Duties.** The Trustee shall not be responsible in any manner for the due execution of this Supplemental Trust Indenture by the District or for the recitals contained herein (except for the certificate of authentication on the Series 2024 Bonds), all of which are made solely by the District. Nothing contained herein shall limit the rights, benefits, privileges, protection and entitlement inuring to the Trustee under the Master Indenture.

[END OF ARTICLE VI]

(iii) Upon direction by the Majority Holders to suspend or terminate such construction contract(s), disbursements for Costs incurred by the District thereunder shall only be made (x) for disbursements for Costs incurred by the District under construction contracts entered into by the District prior to the occurrence of such Payment Related Default and which Costs relate to work performed before the earliest date on which the District is entitled to suspend or terminate such construction contract at the direction of the Majority Holders, or (y) with the consent of the Majority Holders.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, during the continuance of a Payment Related Default, the consent of the Majority Holders shall be required for disbursements for Costs under contracts for the acquisition of Series 2024 Project improvements from the Landowner or its affiliates.

[END OF ARTICLE V]

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#### ARTICLE VII MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

**SECTION 7.01. Interpretation of Supplemental Trust Indenture.** This Supplemental Trust Indenture amends and supplements the Master Indenture with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds, and all of the provisions of the Master Indenture, to the extent not inconsistent herewith, are incorporated in this Supplemental Trust Indenture by reference. To the maximum extent possible, the Master Indenture and the Supplemental Trust Indenture shall be read and construed as one document.

**SECTION 7.02. Amendments.** Any amendments to this Supplemental Trust Indenture shall be made pursuant to the provisions for amendment contained in the Master Indenture.

**SECTION 7.03. Counterparts.** This Supplemental Trust Indenture may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered shall be an original, but such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

**SECTION 7.04. Appendices and Exhibits.** Any and all schedules, appendices or exhibits referred to in and attached to this Supplemental Trust Indenture are hereby incorporated herein and made a part of this Supplemental Trust Indenture for all purposes.

**SECTION 7.05. Payment Dates.** In any case in which an Interest Payment Date or the maturity date of the Series 2024 Bonds or the date fixed for the redemption of any Series 2024 Bonds shall be other than a Business Day, then payment of interest, principal or Redemption Price need not be made on such date but may be made on the next succeeding Business Day, with the same force and effect as if made on the due date, and no interest on such payment shall accrue for the period after such due date if payment is made on such next succeeding Business Day.

**SECTION 7.06. No Rights Conferred on Others.** Nothing herein contained shall confer any right upon any Person other than the parties hereto and the Holders of the Series 2024 Bonds, and no other person is intended to be a third party beneficiary hereof to be entitled to assert or preserve any claim hereunder.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District has caused this Supplemental Trust Indenture to be executed by the Chairperson of its Board of Supervisors and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by the Secretary of its Board of Supervisors and U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association has caused this Supplemental Trust Indenture to be executed by one of its authorized signatories, all as of the day and year first above written.

EXHIBIT A

DESCRIPTION OF SERIES 2024 PROJECT

[SEAL]

Attest:

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary, Board of Supervisors

U.S. BANK TRUST COMPANY,  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
as Trustee, Paying Agent and Registrar

\_\_\_\_\_  
Vice President

Infrastructure	Master Costs	Parcel A (212 Lots)	Parcel B (252 Lots)	Parcel C (262 Lots)	Parcel TH (76 Lots)	Total (802 Lots)
Collector Roads	\$ 2,750,000	--	--	--	--	\$ 2,750,000
District Subdivision Roads	--	\$1,346,544	\$1,815,000	\$ 1,850,000	--	\$ 5,011,544
Water Management and Control	8,245,000	3,026,250	3,341,250	2,311,000	--	16,923,750
Sewer and Wastewater	2,240,000	1,040,000	1,410,000	1,100,000	\$ 175,000	5,965,000
Water Supply	1,150,000	580,000	775,000	615,000	--	3,120,000
Underground of Electric Service	675,000	--	--	--	--	675,000
Hardscapes, Landscape and Entry	4,300,000	--	--	--	--	4,300,000
Offsite Utility Improvements	5,330,000	--	--	--	--	5,330,000
Amenity	5,000,000	--	--	--	--	5,000,000
Environmental	750,000	--	--	--	--	750,000
Professional/Permitting Fees	2,900,000	560,000	640,000	465,000	80,000	4,645,000
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$33,340,000</b>	<b>\$6,552,794</b>	<b>\$7,981,250</b>	<b>\$6,341,250</b>	<b>\$255,000</b>	<b>\$54,470,294</b>

As more particularly described in the Supplemental Report of the District Engineer dated May 20, 2024, prepared by Stantec Consulting Services, Inc.

EXHIBIT B

[FORM OF SERIES 2024 BONDS]

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
STATE OF FLORIDA  
PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA  
HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT  
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BOND, SERIES 2024  
(SERIES 2024 PROJECT)

Interest Rate \_\_\_\_\_%      Maturity Date May 1, 20\_\_      Date of Original Issuance December [\_\_\_], 2024      CUSIP \_\_\_\_\_

Registered Owner: CEDE & CO.

Principal Amount:

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS that the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District (the "District"), for value received, hereby promises to pay to the Registered Owner shown above or registered assigns, on the Maturity Date set forth above, from the sources hereinafter mentioned, the Principal Amount set forth above, with interest thereon at the Interest Rate per annum set forth above, computed on 360-day year of twelve 30-day months. Principal of and interest on this Bond are payable by U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, in Orlando, Florida, as paying agent (said U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association and/or any bank or trust company to become successor paying agent being herein called the "Paying Agent"), made payable to the Registered Owner and mailed on each Interest Payment Date commencing May 1, 2025 to the address of the Registered Owner as such name and address shall appear on the registry books of the District maintained by U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as Registrar (said U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association and any successor Registrar being herein called the "Registrar") at the close of business on the fifteenth day of the calendar month preceding each Interest Payment Date or the date on which the principal of a Bond is to be paid (the "Record Date"), provided however presentation is not required for payment while the Series 2024 Bonds are registered in book-entry only form. Such interest shall be payable from the most recent Interest Payment Date next preceding the date of authentication hereof to which interest has been paid, unless the date of authentication hereof is a May 1 or November 1 to which interest has been paid, in which case from the date of authentication hereof, or unless such date of authentication is prior to May 1, 2025, in which case from the date of initial delivery, or unless the date of authentication hereof is between a Record Date and the next succeeding Interest Payment Date, in which case from such Interest Payment Date. Any such interest not so punctually paid or duly provided for shall forthwith cease to be payable to the Registered Owner on such Record Date and may be paid to the person in whose name this Bond is registered at the close of business on a Special Record Date for the payment of such defaulted interest to be fixed by the Paying Agent, notice whereof shall be given to Bondholders of record as of the fifth (5th) day prior to such mailing, at their registered addresses, not less than ten (10) days prior to such Special Record Date,

or may be paid, at any time in any other lawful manner, as more fully provided in the Indenture (defined below). Any capitalized term used in this Bond and not otherwise defined shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in the Indenture.

THE SERIES 2024 BONDS ARE LIMITED OBLIGATIONS OF THE DISTRICT PAYABLE SOLELY OUT OF THE SERIES 2024 PLEDGED REVENUES PLEDGED THEREFOR UNDER THE INDENTURE, AND NEITHER THE PROPERTY, THE FULL FAITH AND CREDIT, NOR THE TAXING POWER OF THE DISTRICT, PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA (THE "COUNTY"), THE STATE OF FLORIDA (THE "STATE"), OR ANY OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF, IS PLEDGED AS SECURITY FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE SERIES 2024 BONDS, EXCEPT THAT THE DISTRICT IS OBLIGATED UNDER THE INDENTURE TO LEVY AND TO EVIDENCE AND CERTIFY, OR CAUSE TO BE CERTIFIED, FOR COLLECTION, SERIES 2024 SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS (AS DEFINED IN THE INDENTURE) TO SECURE AND PAY THE SERIES 2024 BONDS. THE SERIES 2024 BONDS DO NOT CONSTITUTE AN INDEBTEDNESS OF THE DISTRICT, THE CITY, THE COUNTY, THE STATE, OR ANY OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF WITHIN THE MEANING OF ANY CONSTITUTIONAL OR STATUTORY PROVISION OR LIMITATION.

This Bond is one of an authorized issue of Series 2024 Bonds of the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District, a community development district duly created, organized and existing under Chapter 190, Florida Statutes (the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980), as amended (the "Act"), Ordinance No. 23-18 enacted by the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida, which became effective on May 25, 2023, designated as "Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project)" (the "Series 2024 Bonds"), in the aggregate principal amount of [\_\_\_\_\_] and 00/100 Dollars (\$[\_\_\_\_\_]) of like date, tenor and effect, except as to number. The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued under authority of the laws and Constitution of the State, including particularly the Act, to pay, among other things, the costs of constructing and/or acquiring a portion of the Series 2024 Project (as defined in the herein referred to Indenture). The Series 2024 Bonds shall be issued as fully registered Series 2024 Bonds in Authorized Denominations, as set forth in the Indenture. The Series 2024 Bonds are issued under and secured by a Master Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024 (the "Master Indenture"), as supplemented by a Supplemental Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024 (the "Supplemental Trust Indenture" and together with the Master Indenture, the "Indenture"), each by and between the District and the Trustee, executed counterparts of which are on file at the designated corporate trust office of the Trustee in Orlando, Florida.

Reference is hereby made to the Indenture for the provisions, among others, with respect to the custody and application of the proceeds of the Series 2024 Bonds issued under the Indenture, the operation and application of the Debt Service Fund and other Funds and Accounts (each as defined in the Indenture) charged with and pledged to the payment of the principal of and the interest on the Series 2024 Bonds, the levy and the evidencing and certifying for collection, of the Series 2024 Special Assessments, the nature and extent of the security for the Series 2024 Bonds, the terms and conditions on which the Series 2024 Bonds are issued, the rights, duties and obligations of the District and of the Trustee under the Indenture, the conditions under which such Indenture may be amended without the consent of the Registered Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds,

the conditions under which such Indenture may be amended with the consent of the Majority Holders, and as to other rights and remedies of the Registered Owners of the Series 2024 Bonds.

The Registered Owner of this Bond shall have no right to enforce the provisions of the Indenture or to institute action to enforce the covenants therein, or to take any action with respect to any event of default under the Indenture or to institute, appear in or defend any suit or other proceeding with respect thereto, except as provided in the Indenture.

It is expressly agreed by the Registered Owner of this Bond that such Registered Owner shall never have the right to require or compel the exercise of the ad valorem taxing power of the District, the County, the State or any other political subdivision thereof, or taxation in any form of any real or personal property of the District, the County, the State or any other political subdivision thereof, for the payment of the principal of and interest on this Bond or the making of any other sinking fund and other payments provided for in the Indenture, except for Series 2024 Special Assessments to be assessed and levied by the District as set forth in the Indenture.

By the acceptance of this Bond, the Registered Owner hereof assents to all the provisions of the Indenture. Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined have the meanings given to such terms in the Indenture.

This Bond is payable from and secured by Series 2024 Pledged Revenues, as such term is defined in the Indenture, all in the manner provided in the Indenture. The Indenture provides for the levy and the evidencing and certifying, of non-ad valorem assessments in the form of Series 2024 Special Assessments to secure and pay the Series 2024 Bonds.

The Series 2024 Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity in the amounts, at the times and in the manner provided below. All payments of the Redemption Price of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be made on the dates specified below. Upon any redemption of Series 2024 Bonds other than in accordance with scheduled mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts, the District shall cause to be recalculated and delivered to the Trustee revised mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts recalculated so as to amortize the Outstanding principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds in substantially equal annual installments of principal and interest (subject to rounding to Authorized Denominations of principal) over the remaining term of the Series 2024 Bonds. The mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts as so recalculated shall not result in an increase in the aggregate of the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts for all Series 2024 Bonds in any year. In the event of a redemption or purchase occurring less than forty-five (45) days prior to a date on which a mandatory sinking fund redemption amount is due, the foregoing recalculation shall not be made to mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts due in the year in which such redemption or purchase occurs, but shall be made to mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts for the immediately succeeding and subsequent years.

Optional Redemption

The Series 2024 Bonds may, at the option of the District, be called for redemption prior to maturity as a whole or in part, at any time, on or after \_\_\_\_\_, 1, 20\_\_ (less than all Series 2024 Bonds of a maturity to be selected by lot), at a Redemption Price equal to the principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed, plus accrued interest from the most recent Interest Payment

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Year	Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Amount
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\* Maturity.

The Series 2024 Bonds maturing on May 1, 20\_\_ are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption from the moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account on May 1 in the years and in the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts set forth below at a Redemption Price of 100% of their principal amount plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

Year	Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Amount
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\* Maturity

The Series 2024 Bonds maturing on May 1, 20\_\_ are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption from the moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account on May 1 in the years and in the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts set forth below at a Redemption Price of 100% of their principal amount plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

Year	Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption Amount
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\* Maturity

Except as otherwise provided in the Indenture, if less than all of the Series 2024 Bonds subject to redemption shall be called for redemption, the particular such Series 2024 Bonds or

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Date through which interest has been paid to the redemption date from moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Optional Redemption Subaccount of the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account. If such optional redemption shall be in part, the District shall select such principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds to be optionally redeemed from each maturity so that debt service on the remaining Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds is substantially level.

Extraordinary Mandatory Redemption in Whole or in Part

The Series 2024 Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to maturity by the District in whole or in part, on any date (other than in the case of clause (i) below, which extraordinary mandatory redemption in part must occur on a Quarterly Redemption Date), at a Redemption Price equal to 100% of the principal amount of the Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed, plus interest accrued to the redemption date, as follows:

(i) From Series 2024 Prepayment Principal deposited into the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount of the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account following the payment in whole or in part of Series 2024 Special Assessments on any assessable property within the District in accordance with the provisions of Section 4.05(a) of the Supplemental Trust Indenture, together with any excess moneys transferred by the Trustee from the Series 2024 Reserve Account to the Series 2024 Prepayment Subaccount as a result of such Series 2024 Prepayment and pursuant to Sections 4.01(f) and 4.05(a) of the Supplemental Trust Indenture. If such redemption shall be in part, the District shall select such principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed from each maturity so that debt service on the remaining Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds is substantially level; or

(ii) From moneys, if any, on deposit in the Series 2024 Funds, Accounts and Subaccounts (other than the Series 2024 Rebate Fund and the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account) sufficient to pay and redeem all Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds and accrued interest thereon to the redemption date or dates in addition to all amounts owed to Persons under the Master Indenture; or

(iii) Upon the Completion Date, from any funds remaining on deposit in the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account not otherwise reserved to complete the Series 2024 Project and transferred to the Series 2024 General Redemption Subaccount of the Series 2024 Bond Redemption Account. If such redemption shall be in part, the District shall select such principal amount of Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed from each maturity so that debt service on the remaining Outstanding Series 2024 Bonds is substantially level.

Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption

The Series 2024 Bonds maturing on May 1, 20\_\_ are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption from the moneys on deposit in the Series 2024 Sinking Fund Account on May 1 in the years and in the mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts set forth below at a Redemption Price of 100% of their principal amount plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

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portions of such Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed shall be selected by lot by the Registrar as provided in the Indenture.

Notice of each redemption of the Series 2024 Bonds is required to be mailed by the Registrar, postage prepaid, not less than thirty (30) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the redemption date to each Registered Owner of the Series 2024 Bonds to be redeemed at the address of such Registered Owner recorded on the bond register maintained by the Registrar. The District may provide that the any optional redemption of Series 2024 Bonds issued under the Indenture may be subject to certain conditions; provided that the notice of such conditional optional redemption must expressly state that such optional redemption is conditional and describe the conditions for such redemption. On the date designated for redemption, notice having been given and money for the payment of the Redemption Price being held by the Paying Agent, all as provided in the Indenture, the Series 2024 Bonds or such portions thereof so called for redemption shall become and be due and payable at the Redemption Price provided for the redemption of such Series 2024 Bonds or such portions thereof on such date, interest on such Series 2024 Bonds or such portions thereof so called for redemption shall cease to accrue, such Series 2024 Bonds or such portions thereof so called for redemption shall cease to be entitled to any benefit or security under the Indenture and the Registered Owners thereof shall have no rights in respect of such Series 2024 Bonds or such portions thereof so called for redemption except to receive payments of the Redemption Price thereof so held by the Paying Agent. Further notice of redemption shall be given by the Registrar to certain registered securities depositories and information services as set forth in the Indenture, but no defect in said further notice nor any failure to give all or any portion of such further notice shall in any manner defeat the effectiveness of a call for redemption if notice thereof is given as above prescribed.

The Registered Owner of this Bond shall have no right to enforce the provisions of the Indenture or to institute action to enforce the covenants therein, or to take any action with respect to any Event of Default under the Indenture, or to institute, appear in or defend any suit or other proceeding with respect thereto, except as provided in the Indenture.

In certain events, on the conditions, in the manner and with the effect set forth in the Indenture, the principal of all the Series 2024 Bonds then Outstanding under the Indenture may become and may be declared due and payable before the stated maturity thereof, with the interest accrued thereon.

Modifications or alterations of the Indenture or of any Indenture supplemental thereto may be made only to the extent and in the circumstances permitted by the Indenture.

Any moneys held by the Trustee or Paying Agent in trust for the payment and discharge of any Bond which remain unclaimed for two (2) years after the date when such Bond has become due and payable, either at its stated maturity date or by call for earlier redemption shall be paid to the District, thereupon and thereafter no claimant shall have any rights against the Trustee or Paying Agent to or in respect of such moneys.

If the District deposits or causes to be deposited with the Trustee funds or Government Obligations (as defined in the Master Indenture) sufficient to pay the principal or Redemption Price of any Series 2024 Bond becoming due at maturity or by call for redemption in the manner

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set forth in the Indenture, together with the interest accrued to the due date, or date of redemption, as applicable, the lien of such Series 2024 Bonds as to the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds shall be discharged, except for the rights of the Registered Owners thereof with respect to the funds so deposited as provided in the Indenture.

This Bond shall have all the qualities and incidents, including negotiability, of investment securities within the meaning and for all the purposes of the Uniform Commercial Code of the State.

This Bond shall initially be issued in the name of Cede & Co. as nominee for DTC, and so long as this Bond is held in book-entry-only form Cede & Co. shall be considered the Registered Owner for all purposes hereof, including the payment of the principal of and interest on this Bond. Payment to Direct Participants shall be the responsibility of DTC. Payments by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to individual Beneficial Owners shall be the responsibility of Direct Participants and Indirect Participants and not of DTC, the District or the Trustee.

The District shall keep books for the registration of the Series 2024 Bonds at the designated corporate trust office of the Registrar in Orlando, Florida. Subject to the restrictions contained in the Indenture, the Series 2024 Bonds may be transferred or exchanged by the Registered Owner thereof in person or by his attorney duly authorized in writing only upon the books of the District kept by the Registrar and only upon surrender thereof together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar duly executed by the Registered Owner or his duly authorized attorney. In all cases in which the privilege of transferring or exchanging Series 2024 Bonds is exercised, the District shall execute and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver a new Bond or Series 2024 Bonds in authorized form and in like aggregate principal amount in accordance with the provisions of the Indenture. Every Bond presented or surrendered for transfer or exchange shall be duly endorsed or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Trustee, Paying Agent or the Registrar, duly executed by the Bondholder or his attorney duly authorized in writing. Transfers and exchanges shall be made without charge to the Bondholder, except that the District or the Trustee may require payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge that may be imposed in connection with any transfer or exchange of Series 2024 Bonds.

The District, the Trustee, the Paying Agent and the Registrar shall deem and treat the person in whose name any Bond shall be registered upon the books kept by the Registrar as the absolute owner thereof (whether or not such Bond shall be overdue) for the purpose of receiving payment of or on account of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond as the same becomes due, and for all other purposes. All such payments so made to any such Registered Owner or upon his order shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid, and neither the District, the Trustee, the Paying Agent, nor the Registrar shall be affected by any notice to the contrary.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, to happen, and to be performed, precedent to and in the issuance of this Bond exist, have happened and have been performed in regular and due form and time as required by the laws and Constitution of the State of Florida applicable thereto, including particularly the Act, and that the issuance of

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this Bond, and of the issue of the Series 2024 Bonds of which this Bond is one, is in full compliance with all constitutional and statutory limitations or provisions.

This Bond shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose or be entitled to any benefit or security under the Indenture until it shall have been authenticated by execution of the Trustee, or such other authenticating agent as may be appointed by the Trustee under the Indenture, of the certificate of authentication endorsed hereon.

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District has caused this Bond to be signed by the facsimile signature of the Chairperson of its Board of Supervisors and a facsimile of its seal to be imprinted hereon, and attested by the facsimile signature of the Secretary of its Board of Supervisors, all as of the date hereof.

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

(SEAL)

Attest:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary, Board of Supervisors

**CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION**

This Bond is one of the Series 2024 Bonds delivered pursuant to the within mentioned Indenture.

Date of Authentication: \_\_\_\_\_

**U.S. BANK TRUST COMPANY,  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
as Trustee**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signatory

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**STATEMENT OF VALIDATION**

This Bond is one of a series of Bonds which were validated by judgment of the Circuit Court of the Sixth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Pasco County, rendered on the September 27, 2023.

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

(SEAL)

Attest:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary, Board of Supervisors

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**ABBREVIATIONS**

The following abbreviations, when used in the inscription on the face of the within Bond, shall be construed as though they were written out in full according to applicable laws or regulations:

- TEN COM - as tenants in common
- TEN ENT - as tenants by the entireties
- JT TEN - as joint tenants with rights of survivorship and not as tenants in common

UNIFORM TRANSFER MIN ACT - \_\_\_\_\_ Custodian \_\_\_\_\_  
(Cust) (Minor)  
Under Uniform Transfer to Minors Act \_\_\_\_\_  
(State)

Additional abbreviations may also be used though not in the above list.

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**ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

FOR VALUE RECEIVED the undersigned sells, assigns and transfers unto

\_\_\_\_\_  
(please print or typewrite name and address of assignee)

the within Bond and all rights thereunder, and hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints

\_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney to transfer the within Bond on the books kept for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

Signature Guarantee:

**NOTICE:** Signature(s) must be guaranteed by a member firm of the New York Stock Exchange or a commercial bank or trust company

**NOTICE:** The signature to this assignment must correspond with the name of the Registered Owner as it appears upon the face of the within Bond in every particular, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatsoever.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Please insert social security or other identifying number of Assignee.

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**EXHIBIT C**

**FORM OF REQUISITION**

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT  
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS, SERIES 2024  
(SERIES 2024 PROJECT)  
(Acquisition and Construction)**

The undersigned, a Responsible Officer of the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District (the "District") hereby submits the following requisition for disbursement under and pursuant to the terms of the Master Trust Indenture by and between the District and U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as trustee (the "Trustee"), dated as of December 1, 2024 as supplemented by that certain First Supplemental Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024 (collectively, the "Indenture") (all capitalized terms used herein shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in the Indenture):

- (A) Requisition Number:
- (B) Identify Acquisition Agreement, if applicable;
- (C) Name of Payee pursuant to Acquisition Agreement:
- (D) Amount Payable:
- (E) Purpose for which paid or incurred (refer also to specific contract if amount is due and payable pursuant to a contract involving progress payments):
- (F) Fund or Account and subaccount, if any, from which disbursement to be made:  
*Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account of the Acquisition and Construction Fund.*

The undersigned hereby certifies that:

1. obligations in the stated amount set forth above have been incurred by the District,
2. each disbursement set forth above is a proper charge against the Series 2024 Acquisition and Construction Account; and
3. each disbursement set forth above was incurred in connection with the Costs of the Series 2024 Project.

The undersigned hereby further certifies that there has not been filed with or served upon the District notice of any lien, right to lien, or attachment upon, or claim affecting the right to receive payment of, any of the moneys payable to the Payee set forth above, which has not been released or will not be released simultaneously with the payment hereof.

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The undersigned hereby further certifies that such requisition contains no item representing payment on account of any retained percentage which the District is at the date of such certificate entitled to retain.

Attached hereto or on file with the District are copies of the invoice(s) or applicable contracts from the vendor of the property acquired or the services rendered, as well as applicable conveyance instruments (e.g. deed(s), bill(s) of sale, easement(s), etc.) with respect to which disbursement is hereby requested.

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Responsible Officer

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**CONSULTING ENGINEER'S APPROVAL ONLY**

The undersigned Consulting Engineer hereby certifies that this disbursement is for a Cost of the Series 2024 Project and is consistent with: (i) the applicable acquisition or construction contract; (ii) the plans and specifications for the portion of the Series 2024 Project; and (iii) the report of the Consulting Engineer, as such report shall have been amended or modified on the date hereof.

The Consulting Engineer further certifies and agrees that for any requisition (a) the portion of the Series 2024 Project that is the subject of this requisition is complete, (b) the Series 2024 Project improvements are constructed in a sound workmanlike manner and in accordance with industry standards; (c) the purchase price to be paid by the District for the portion of the Series 2024 Project to be acquired with this disbursement is no more than the lesser of (i) the fair market value of such improvements and (ii) the actual cost of construction of such improvements, (d) the plans and specifications for such portion of the Series 2024 Project improvements have been approved by all regulatory bodies required to approve them or such approval can reasonably be expected to be obtained; (e) all currently required approvals and permits for the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, installation and/or equipping of the portion of the Series 2024 Project for which disbursement is made have been obtained from all applicable regulatory bodies; and (f) for that portion of the Series 2024 Project being acquired, all contractors, subcontractors, and materialmen that have provided services or materials in connection with the portion of the Series 2024 Project for which disbursement is made hereby have been paid.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Consulting Engineer

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**EXHIBIT D  
FORM OF INVESTOR LETTER**

[Date]

Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District  
2005 Pan Am Circle, Suite #300  
Tampa, Florida 33607

FMSbonds, Inc.  
20660 W. Dixie Highway  
North Miami Beach, FL 33180

Re: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The undersigned is authorized to sign this letter [on behalf of Name of Non-Individual Investor], as the beneficial owner (the "Investor") of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ of the above-referenced Bonds [state maturing on, bearing interest at the rate of \_\_\_% per annum and CUSIP #] (herein, the "Investor Bonds").

In connection with the purchase of the Investor Bonds by the Investor, the Investor hereby makes the following representations upon which you may rely:

1. The Investor has authority to purchase the Investor Bonds and to execute this letter, any other instruments and documents required to be executed by the Investor in connection with the purchase of the Investor Bonds.

2. The Investor is an "accredited investor" as described in Rule 501 under Regulation D of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and therefore, has sufficient knowledge and experience in financial and business matters, including purchase and ownership of municipal and other tax-exempt obligations including those which are not rated or credit-enhanced, to be able to evaluate the risks and merits of the investment represented by the Bonds. Please check the appropriate box below to indicate the type of accredited investor:

- a bank, insurance company, registered investment company, business development company, or small business investment company;
- an employee benefit plan, within the meaning of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act, if a bank, insurance company, or registered investment adviser makes the investment decisions, or if the plan has total assets in excess of \$5 million;
- a charitable organization, corporation, or partnership with assets exceeding \$5 million;
- a business in which all the equity owners are "accredited investors;"

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a natural person who has individual net worth, or joint net worth with the person's spouse, that exceeds \$1 million at the time of the purchase, excluding the value of the primary residence of such person except that mortgage indebtedness on the primary residence shall not be included as a liability;

a natural person with income exceeding \$200,000 in each of the two most recent years or joint income with a spouse exceeding \$300,000 for those years and a reasonable expectation of the same income level in the current year; or

a trust with total assets in excess of \$5,000,000, not formed for the specific purpose of acquiring the Investor Bonds whose purchase is directed by a sophisticated person.

3. The Investor has been supplied with an (electronic) copy of the Preliminary Limited Offering Memorandum dated November 19, 2024 of the District and relating to the Bonds (the "Offering Document") and has reviewed the Offering Document and represents that such Offering Document has provided full and meaningful disclosure in order to make an informed decision to invest in the Investor Bonds.

Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined have the meanings given to such terms in the Indenture.

Very truly yours,

[Name], [Type of Entity]

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Or

\_\_\_\_\_  
[Name], an Individual

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**APPENDIX C**

**PROPOSED FORM OF APPROVING OPINION OF BOND COUNSEL**

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[Date of Delivery]

Board of Supervisors of Hillcrest Preserve  
Community Development District  
Pasco County, Florida

Re: \$[\_\_\_\_\_] Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District (Pasco County,  
Florida) Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as bond counsel in connection with the issuance by Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District (the "District") of its \$[\_\_\_\_\_] original principal amount of Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project) (the "Series 2024 Bonds"), issued and delivered on this date pursuant to the constitution and laws of the State of Florida, particularly, the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended, and other applicable provisions of law (collectively, the "Act") and by Ordinance No. 23-18, duly enacted by the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida, on May 25, 2023. The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued pursuant to the Act, Resolution Nos. 2023-23 and 2024-03 adopted by the Board of Supervisors (the "Board") of the District on June 5, 2023 and May 21, 2024, respectively (collectively, the "Resolution"). The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued and secured under that certain Master Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024 (the "Master Indenture"), as supplemented by that certain First Supplemental Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024 (the "Supplemental Indenture" and, together with Master Indenture, the "Indenture"), each by and between the District and U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as trustee (the "Trustee"). Capitalized terms used herein without definitions have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Indenture.

The Series 2024 Bonds are being issued for the primary purpose of financing the Series 2024 Project. To secure the payment of the Series 2024 Bonds, and subject to the terms of the Indenture, the District has pledged to the holders of the Series 2024 Bonds, and granted a lien to the holders of the Series 2024 Bonds on, the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues.

In connection with this opinion, we have examined the Act, certified copies of the Resolution, the Indenture, the Arbitrage Certificate, a transcript of the proceedings related to the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds and such other documents and opinions as we have deemed necessary to render this opinion, and are relying on certain findings, covenants and agreements of

the District set forth therein and such certified copies of the proceedings of the District and such other documents and opinions as we have deemed necessary to render this opinion. As to questions of fact material to our opinion, we have relied upon representations of the District furnished to us, without undertaking to verify such representations by independent investigation. We have also relied upon certain certifications and representations provided by EPG Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, and EPG West Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, as landowners of all the real property subject to the Series 2024 Special Assessments constituting the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues, without undertaking to verify such representations by independent investigation.

Based on the foregoing, and subject to the qualifications and limitations stated in this letter, we are of the opinion that:

1. The District has the power to authorize, execute and deliver the Indenture, to perform its obligations thereunder and to issue the Series 2024 Bonds.

2. The Indenture has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the District. The Indenture creates a valid pledge of the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds and constitutes a valid and binding obligation of the District enforceable against the District in accordance with its terms.

3. The issuance and sale of the Series 2024 Bonds have been duly authorized by the District and, assuming the due authentication thereof, the Series 2024 Bonds constitute valid and binding limited obligations of the District, payable in accordance with, and as limited by, the terms of the Indenture.

4. The Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (herein, the "Code"), includes requirements that the District must continue to meet after the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds in order that interest on the Series 2024 Bonds not be included in gross income for federal income tax purposes. The failure of the District to meet these requirements may cause interest on the Series 2024 Bonds to be included in gross income for federal income tax purposes retroactive to their date of issuance. The District has covenanted in the Indenture to take the actions required by the Code to maintain the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on the Series 2024 Bonds. In rendering the opinion expressed below, we have assumed continuing compliance with the covenants that must be met after the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds in order that interest on the Series 2024 Bonds not be included in gross income for federal income tax purposes.

Based on the foregoing, under existing statutes, regulations, rulings and court decisions, subject to the assumptions stated in the preceding paragraph, interest on the Series 2024 Bonds is excludable under Section 103 of the Code from the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes. Furthermore, we are of the opinion that interest on the Series 2024 Bonds is not treated as a preference item in calculating the federal alternative minimum tax. However,

interest on the Series 2024 Bonds will be taken into account in computing the alternative minimum tax imposed on certain corporations under the Code to the extent that such interest is included in the "adjusted financial statement income" of such corporations.

5. The Series 2024 Bonds and interest thereon are not subject to taxation under the laws of the State of Florida except as to estate taxes and taxes imposed by Chapter 220, Florida Statutes, on interest, income or profits on debt obligations owned by corporations as defined in Chapter 220.

We express no opinion regarding other federal or any state tax consequences resulting from the ownership, receipt or accrual of interest on, or disposition of the Series 2024 Bonds.

In rendering the foregoing opinions, we have assumed the accuracy and truthfulness of all public records and of all certifications, documents and other proceedings examined by us that have been executed or certified by public officials acting within the scope of their official capacities and have not verified the accuracy or truthfulness thereof. We have also assumed the genuineness of the signatures appearing upon such public records, certifications, documents and proceedings.

The opinions set forth herein are subject to state and federal laws relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and similar laws, and to equitable principles, affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally, and to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases.

We wish to call to your attention that the Series 2024 Bonds are limited obligations of the District payable solely from the Series 2024 Pledged Revenues, and neither the full faith and credit nor the taxing power of the District, Pasco County, Florida, the State of Florida or any other political subdivision thereof is pledged as security for the payment of the Series 2024 Bonds. The Series 2024 Bonds do not constitute an indebtedness of the District within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provision or limitation.

Our opinions expressed herein are predicated upon present laws, facts and circumstances, and we assume no affirmative obligation to update the opinions expressed herein if such laws, facts or circumstances change after the date hereof.

Respectfully submitted,

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**APPENDIX D**

**PROPOSED FORM OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT**

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## CONTINUING DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT

This Continuing Disclosure Agreement (this "Disclosure Agreement") dated as of [\_\_\_\_], 2024 is executed and delivered by the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District (the "Issuer" or the "District"), EPG Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company and EPG West Hillcrest Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company (collectively, the "Landowner"), and Inframark, LLC, a Texas limited liability company, as Dissemination Agent (as defined herein) in connection with the Issuer's Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project) (the "Bonds"). The Bonds are secured pursuant to a Master Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024 (the "Master Indenture") and a First Supplemental Trust Indenture dated as of December 1, 2024 (the "First Supplemental Indenture" and, together with the Master Indenture, the "Indenture"), each entered into by and between the Issuer and U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, a national banking association duly organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America and having a designated corporate trust office in Orlando, Florida, as trustee (the "Trustee"). The Issuer, the Landowner and the Dissemination Agent covenant and agree as follows:

1. **Purpose of this Disclosure Agreement.** This Disclosure Agreement is being executed and delivered by the Issuer, the Landowner and the Dissemination Agent for the benefit of the Beneficial Owners (as defined herein) of the Bonds and to assist the Participating Underwriter (as defined herein) of the Bonds in complying with the Rule (as defined herein). The Issuer has no reason to believe that this Disclosure Agreement does not satisfy the requirements of the Rule and the execution and delivery of this Disclosure Agreement is intended to comply with the Rule. To the extent it is later determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, a governmental regulatory agency, or an attorney specializing in federal securities law, that the Rule requires the Issuer or other Obligated Person (as defined herein) to provide additional information, the Issuer and each Obligated Person agree to promptly provide such additional information.

The provisions of this Disclosure Agreement are supplemental and in addition to the provisions of the Indenture with respect to reports, filings and notifications provided for therein, and do not in any way relieve the Issuer, the Trustee or any other person of any covenant, agreement or obligation under the Indenture (or remove any of the benefits thereof) nor shall anything herein prohibit the Issuer, the Trustee or any other person from making any reports, filings or notifications required by the Indenture or any applicable law.

2. **Definitions.** Capitalized terms not otherwise defined in this Disclosure Agreement shall have the meaning assigned in the Rule or, to the extent not in conflict with the Rule, in the Indenture. The following capitalized terms as used in this Disclosure Agreement shall have the following meanings:

"Annual Filing Date" means the date set forth in Section 3(a) hereof by which the Annual Report is to be filed with each Repository.

"Annual Financial Information" means annual financial information as such term is used in paragraph (b)(5)(i)(A) of the Rule and specified in Section 4(a) of this Disclosure Agreement.

"Annual Report" shall mean any Annual Report provided by the Issuer pursuant to, and as described in, Sections 3 and 4 of this Disclosure Agreement.

"Assessment Area" shall mean that portion of the District lands subject to the Assessments.

"Assessments" shall mean the non-ad valorem Series 2024 Special Assessments pledged to the payment of the Bonds pursuant to the Indenture.

"Audited Financial Statements" means the financial statements (if any) of the Issuer for the prior Fiscal Year, certified by an independent auditor as prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or otherwise, as such term is used in paragraph (b)(5)(i) of the Rule and specified in Section 4(a) of this Disclosure Agreement.

"Audited Financial Statements Filing Date" means the date set forth in Section 3(a) hereof by which the Audited Financial Statements are to be filed with each Repository if the same are not included as part of the Annual Report.

"Beneficial Owner" shall mean any person which, (a) has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or consent with respect to, or to dispose of ownership of, any Bonds (including persons holding Bonds through nominees, depositories or other intermediaries), or (b) is treated as the owner of any Bonds for federal income tax purposes.

"Bond Year" means the annual period beginning on the second day of November of each year and ending on the first day of November of the following year.

"Business Day" means any day other than (a) a Saturday, Sunday or a day on which banks located in the city in which the designated corporate trust office of the Trustee is located are required or authorized by law or executive order to close for business, and (b) a day on which the New York Stock Exchange is closed.

"Disclosure Representative" shall mean (i) as to the Issuer, the District Manager or its designee, or such other person as the Issuer shall designate in writing to the Dissemination Agent from time to time as the person responsible for providing information to the Dissemination Agent; and (ii) as to each entity comprising an Obligated Person (other than the Issuer), the individuals executing this Disclosure Agreement on behalf of such entity or such person(s) as such entity shall designate in writing to the Dissemination Agent from time to time as the person(s) responsible for providing information to the Dissemination Agent.

"Dissemination Agent" shall mean the Issuer or an entity appointed by the Issuer to act in the capacity as Dissemination Agent hereunder, or any successor Dissemination Agent designated in writing by the Issuer pursuant to Section 8 hereof. Inframark, LLC has been designated as the initial Dissemination Agent hereunder.

"District Manager" shall mean Inframark, LLC, and its successors and assigns.

"EMMA" means the Electronic Municipal Market Access system for municipal securities disclosures located at <http://emma.msrb.org/>.

"EMMA Compliant Format" shall mean a format for any document provided to the MSRB (as hereinafter defined) which is in an electronic format and is accompanied by identifying information, all as prescribed by the MSRB.

"Financial Obligation" means a (a) debt obligation, (b) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation, or (c) guarantee of an obligation or instrument described in either clause (a) or (b). Financial Obligation shall not include municipal securities as to which a final official statement has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

"Fiscal Year" shall mean the period commencing on October 1 and ending on September 30 of the next succeeding year, or such other period of time provided by applicable law.

"Limited Offering Memorandum" shall mean that Limited Offering Memorandum dated [\_\_\_\_], 2024, prepared in connection with the issuance of the Bonds.

"Listed Events" shall mean any of the events listed in Section 6(a) of this Disclosure Agreement.

"MSRB" means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

"Obligated Person(s)" shall mean, with respect to the Bonds, those person(s) who either generally or through an enterprise fund or account of such persons are committed by contract or other arrangement to support payment of all or a part of the obligations on such Bonds (other than providers of municipal bond insurance, letters of credit, or other liquidity facilities), which person(s) shall include the Issuer, and for the purposes of this Disclosure Agreement, the Landowner for so long as such Landowner or its affiliates, successors or assigns (excluding residential homebuyers who are end users) are the owners of District Lands responsible for payment of at least 10% of the Assessments.

"Participating Underwriter" shall mean FMSbonds, Inc.

"Quarterly Filing Date" shall mean for the quarter ending: (i) March 31, each May 1; (ii) June 30, each August 1; (iii) September 30, each November 1; and (iv) December 31, each February 1 of the following year. The first Quarterly Filing Date shall be May 1, 2025.

"Quarterly Report" shall mean any Quarterly Report provided by any Obligated Person (other than the Issuer) pursuant to, and as described in, Section 5 of this Disclosure Agreement.

"Repository" shall mean each entity authorized and approved by the SEC (as hereinafter defined) from time to time to act as a repository for purposes of complying with the Rule. The Repositories approved by the SEC may be found by visiting the SEC's website at <http://www.sec.gov/info/municipal/nrmsir.htm>. As of the date hereof, the Repository recognized by the SEC for such purpose is the MSRB, which currently accepts continuing disclosure submissions through its EMMA web portal. As used herein, "Repository" shall include the State Repository, if any.

"Rule" shall mean Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same has and may be amended from time to time.

"SEC" means the Securities and Exchange Commission.

"State" shall mean the State of Florida.

"State Repository" shall mean any public or private repository or entity designated by the State as a state repository for the purposes of the Rule.

### 3. **Provision of Annual Reports.**

(a) Subject to the following sentence, the Issuer shall provide the Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent no later than March 31st following the close of the Issuer's Fiscal Year (the "Annual Filing Date"), commencing with the Annual Report for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 2025 which shall be due no later than March 31, 2026. The Annual Report may be submitted as a single document or as separate documents comprising a package, and may cross-reference other information as provided in Section 4 of this Disclosure Agreement; *provided that* the Audited Financial Statements of the Issuer may be submitted separately from the balance of the Annual Report, and may be submitted in accordance with State law, which currently requires such Audited Financial Statements to be provided up to, but no later than, nine (9) months after the close of the Issuer's Fiscal Year (the "Audited Financial Statements Filing Date"). The Issuer shall, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent to, provide to the Repository the components of an Annual Report which satisfies the requirements of Section 4(a) of this Disclosure Agreement within thirty (30) days after same becomes available, but in no event later than the Annual Filing Date or Audited Financial Statements Filing Date, if applicable. If the Issuer's Fiscal Year changes, the Issuer shall give notice of such change in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 6.

(b) If on the fifteenth (15<sup>th</sup>) day prior to each Annual Filing Date or the Audited Financial Statements Filing Date, as applicable, the Dissemination Agent has not received a copy of the Annual Report or Audited Financial Statements, as applicable, the Dissemination Agent shall contact the Disclosure Representative by telephone and in writing (which may be via email) to remind the Issuer of its obligation to provide the Annual Report or Audited Financial Statements, as applicable, pursuant to Section 3(a). Upon such reminder, the Disclosure Representative shall either (i) provide the Dissemination Agent with an electronic copy of the Annual Report or the Audited Financial Statements, as applicable, in accordance with Section 3(a) above, or (ii) advise the Dissemination Agent in writing that the Issuer will not be able to file the Annual Report or Audited Financial Statements, as applicable, within the times required under this Disclosure Agreement, state the date by which the Annual Report or the Audited Financial Statements for such year, as applicable, will be provided and instruct the Dissemination Agent that a Listed Event as described in Section 6(a)(xvii) has occurred and to immediately send a notice to the Repository in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit A.

(c) If the Dissemination Agent has not received an Annual Report by 12:00 noon on the first (1<sup>st</sup>) Business Day following the Annual Filing Date for the Annual Report or the

Audited Financial Statements by 12:00 noon on the first (1<sup>st</sup>) Business Day following the Audited Financial Statements Filing Date for the Audited Financial Statements, then a Listed Event as described in Section 6(a)(xvii) shall have occurred and the Dissemination Agent shall immediately send a notice to the Repository in substantially the form attached as Exhibit A.

(d) The Dissemination Agent shall:

(i) determine each year prior to the Annual Filing Date the name, address and filing requirements of the Repository; and

(ii) promptly upon fulfilling its obligations under subsection (a) above, file a notice with the Issuer stating that the Annual Report or Audited Financial Statements has been provided pursuant to this Disclosure Agreement, stating the date(s) it was provided and listing all Repositories with which it was filed.

(e) All documents, reports, notices, statements, information and other materials provided to the MSRB under this Disclosure Agreement shall be provided in an EMMA Compliant Format.

#### 4. **Content of Annual Reports.**

(a) Each Annual Report shall be in the form set in Schedule A attached hereto and shall contain the following Annual Financial Information with respect to the Issuer:

(i) All fund balances in all Funds, Accounts and subaccounts for the Bonds and the total amount of Bonds Outstanding, in each case as of December 31st following the end of the most recent prior Fiscal Year.

(ii) The method by which Assessments are being levied (whether on-roll or off-roll) and the amounts being levied by each method in the Assessment Area for the current Fiscal Year, and a copy of the assessment roll (on roll and off roll) for the Assessments certified for collection in the Assessment Area for the current Fiscal Year.

(iii) The method by which Assessments were levied (whether on-roll or off-roll) and the amounts levied by each method in the Assessment Area for the most recent prior Fiscal Year.

(iv) The amount of Assessments collected in the Assessment Area from the property owners during the most recent prior Fiscal Year.

(v) If available, the amount of delinquencies in the Assessment Area greater than one hundred fifty (150) days, and, in the event that delinquencies amount to more than ten percent (10%) of the amounts of the Assessments due in any year, a list of delinquent property owners.

(vi) If available, the amount of tax certificates sold for lands within the Assessment Area, if any, and the balance, if any, remaining for sale from the most recent Fiscal Year.

(vii) The amount of principal and interest to be paid on the Bonds in the current Fiscal Year.

(viii) The most recent Audited Financial Statements of the Issuer.

(ix) In the event of any amendment or waiver of a provision of this Disclosure Agreement, a description of such amendment or waiver in the next Annual Report, and in each case shall include, as applicable, a narrative explanation of the reason for the amendment or waiver and its impact on the type (or, in the case of a change in accounting principles, on the presentation) of financial information or operating data being presented by the Issuer. In addition, if the amendment relates to the accounting principles to be followed in preparing financial statements: (i) notice of such change shall be given in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 6(b); and (ii) the Annual Report for the year in which the change is made should present a comparison (in narrative form and also, if feasible, in quantitative form) between the financial statements as prepared on the basis of the new accounting principles and those prepared on the basis of the former accounting principles.

To the extent any of the items set forth in subsections (i) through (vii) above are included in the Audited Financial Statements referred to in subsection (viii) above, they do not have to be separately set forth (unless Audited Financial Statements are being delivered later than March 31st after the close of the Issuer's Fiscal Year pursuant to Section 3(a) hereof). Any or all of the items listed above may be incorporated by reference from other documents, including limited offering memorandums and official statements of debt issues of the Issuer or related public entities, which have been submitted to the MSRB or the SEC. If the document incorporated by reference is a final limited offering memorandum or official statement, it must be available from the MSRB. The Issuer shall clearly identify each such other document so incorporated by reference.

(b) Any Annual Financial Information containing modified operating data or financial information is required to explain, in narrative form, the reasons for the modification and the impact of the change in the type of operating data or financial information being provided.

## 5. Quarterly Reports.

(a) Each Obligated Person (other than the Issuer), or the Landowner on behalf of any other Obligated Person that fails to execute an Assignment (as hereinafter defined), shall provide an electronic copy of the Quarterly Report to the Dissemination Agent no later than five (5) days prior to the Quarterly Filing Date. Promptly upon receipt of an electronic copy of the Quarterly Report, but in any event no later than the applicable Quarterly Filing Date, the Dissemination Agent shall provide a Quarterly Report to the Repository.

(b) Each Quarterly Report shall contain an update of the following information to the extent available with respect to the Assessment Area only:

(i) The number of lots planned.

### Lot Ownership Information

(ii) The number of lots owned by the Landowner.



- (iii) The number of lots owned by the Builder(s).
- (iv) The number of lots owned by homebuyers.

Lot Status Information

- (v) The number of lots developed.
- (vi) The number of lots platted.

Home Sales Status Information

- (vii) The number of homes sold (but not closed) with homebuyers during quarter.
- (viii) The number of homes sold (and closed) with homebuyers during quarter.
- (ix) The total number of homes sold and closed with homebuyers (cumulative).

Material Changes/Transfers

(x) Material changes to any of the following: (1) builder contracts, if applicable, (2) the number of lots planned to be developed, (3) permits/approvals, and (4) existing mortgage debt of the Obligated Person or the incurrence of new mortgage debt by the Obligated Person since the date hereof.

(xi) Any sale, assignment or transfer of ownership of lands by the Obligated Person to a third party which will in turn become an Obligated Person hereunder.

(c) If an Obligated Person sells, assigns or otherwise transfers ownership of real property in the Assessment Area (a "Transferor Obligated Person") to a third party (a "Transferee"), which will in turn be an Obligated Person for purposes of this Disclosure Agreement as a result thereof (a "Transfer"), the Transferor Obligated Person hereby agrees to use its best efforts to contractually obligate such Transferee to agree to comply with the disclosure obligations of an Obligated Person hereunder for so long as such Transferee is an Obligated Person hereunder, to the same extent as if such Transferee were a party to this Disclosure Agreement (an "Assignment"). The Transferor Obligated Person shall notify the District and the Dissemination Agent in writing of any Transfer within five (5) Business Days of the occurrence thereof. Nothing herein shall be construed to relieve the Landowner from its obligations hereunder except to the extent a written Assignment from a Transferee is obtained and delivered to the Dissemination Agent and then only to the extent of such Assignment.

**6. Reporting of Listed Events.**

(a) This Section 6 shall govern the giving of notices of the occurrence of any of the following Listed Events:

- (i) Principal and interest payment delinquencies;
- (ii) Non-payment related defaults, if material;
- (iii) Unscheduled draws on the Series 2024 Reserve Account reflecting financial difficulties;
- (iv) Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;\*
- (v) Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;\*
- (vi) Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other material events affecting the tax status of the Bonds;
- (vii) Modifications to rights of Bond holders, if material;
- (viii) Bond calls, if material, and tender offers;
- (ix) Defeasances;
- (x) Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material;
- (xi) Rating changes;\*
- (xii) Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the Issuer or any Obligated Person (which is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent or similar officer for the Issuer or any Obligated Person in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Issuer or any Obligated Person, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Issuer or any Obligated Person);
- (xiii) Consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the Issuer or any Obligated Person or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Issuer or any Obligated Person, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive

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\* Not applicable to the Bonds at their date of issuance.

agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material;

(xiv) Appointment of a successor or additional Trustee or the change of name of the Trustee, if material;

(xv) Incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the Issuer or Obligated Person, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the Issuer or Obligated Person, any of which affect security holders, if material;

(xvi) Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of the Financial Obligation of the Issuer or Obligated Person, any of which reflect financial difficulties;

(xvii) Failure to provide (A) any Annual Report or Audited Financial Statements as required under this Disclosure Agreement that contains, in all material respects, the information required to be included therein under Section 4(a) of this Disclosure Agreement, or (B) any Quarterly Report that contains, in all material respects, the information required to be included therein under Section 5(b) of this Disclosure Agreement, which failure shall, in all cases, be deemed material under federal securities laws; and

(xviii) Any amendment to the accounting principles to be followed in preparing financial statements as required pursuant to Section 4(a)(ix) hereof.

(b) The Issuer shall give, or cause to be given, notice of the occurrence of any of the above subsection (a) Listed Events to the Dissemination Agent in writing in sufficient time in order to allow the Dissemination Agent to file notice of the occurrence of such Listed Event in a timely manner not in excess of ten (10) Business Days after its occurrence, with the exception of the Listed Events described in Section 6(a)(xvii) and (xviii), which notice will be given in a timely manner. Such notice shall instruct the Dissemination Agent to report the occurrence pursuant to subsection (d) below. Such notice by the Issuer to the Dissemination Agent shall identify the Listed Event that has occurred, include the text of the disclosure that the Issuer desires to make, contain the written authorization of the Issuer for the Dissemination Agent to disseminate such information, and identify the date the Issuer desires for the Dissemination Agent to disseminate the information (provided that such date is in compliance within the filing dates provided within this Section 6(b)).

(c) Notwithstanding anything contained in Section 6(b) above, each Obligated Person other than the Issuer shall notify the Issuer and the Dissemination Agent of the occurrence of a Listed Event described in subsections (a)(x), (xii), (xiii), (xv), (xvi), or (xvii) that has occurred with respect to such Obligated Person in compliance with the notification and filing requirements provided in Section 6(b).

(d) If the Dissemination Agent has been instructed by the Issuer to report the occurrence of a Listed Event, the Dissemination Agent shall immediately file a notice of such occurrence with each Repository.

7. **Termination of Disclosure Agreement.** This Disclosure Agreement shall terminate upon the defeasance, prior redemption or payment in full of all of the Bonds.

8. **Dissemination Agent.** Upon termination of the Dissemination Agent's services as Dissemination Agent, whether by notice of the Issuer or the Dissemination Agent, the Issuer agrees to appoint a successor Dissemination Agent or, alternatively, agrees to assume all responsibilities of Dissemination Agent under this Disclosure Agreement for the benefit of the Holders of the Bonds. If at any time there is not any other designated Dissemination Agent, the District shall be deemed to be the Dissemination Agent. The initial Dissemination Agent shall be Inframark, LLC. The acceptance of such designation is evidenced by the execution of this Disclosure Agreement by a duly authorized signatory of Inframark, LLC. Inframark, LLC, may terminate its role as Dissemination Agent at any time upon delivery of sixty (60) days prior written notice to the District and each Obligated Person. The District may terminate the agreement hereunder with the Dissemination Agent at any time upon delivery of sixty (60) days prior written notice to the Dissemination Agent and each Obligated Person.

9. **Amendment; Waiver.** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Disclosure Agreement, the Issuer and the Dissemination Agent may amend this Disclosure Agreement, and any provision of this Disclosure Agreement may be waived, if such amendment or waiver is supported by an opinion of counsel expert in federal securities laws, acceptable to the Issuer, to the effect that such amendment or waiver would not, in and of itself, cause the undertakings herein to violate the Rule if such amendment or waiver had been effective on the date hereof but taking into account any subsequent change in or official interpretation of the Rule.

Notwithstanding the above provisions of this Section 9, no amendment to the provisions of Section 5(b) hereof may be made without the consent of each Obligated Person, if any.

10. **Additional Information.** Nothing in this Disclosure Agreement shall be deemed to prevent the Issuer from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Disclosure Agreement or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Agreement. If the Issuer chooses to include any information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure Agreement, the Issuer shall have no obligation under this Disclosure Agreement to update such information or include it in any future Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event.

11. **Default.** In the event of a failure of the Issuer, the Disclosure Representative, any Obligated Person or the Dissemination Agent to comply with any provision of this Disclosure Agreement, the Trustee may (and, at the request of any Participating Underwriter or the Beneficial Owners of at least twenty-five percent (25%) aggregate principal amount of Outstanding Bonds and receipt of indemnity satisfactory to the Trustee, shall), or any beneficial owner of a Bond may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandamus or specific performance by court order, to cause the Issuer, the Disclosure Representative, any Obligated Person or a Dissemination Agent, as the case may be, to comply with its obligations under this Disclosure Agreement. A default under this Disclosure Agreement by any Obligated Person shall not be deemed a default by the Issuer hereunder and no default hereunder shall be deemed an Event

of Default under the Indenture, and the sole remedy under this Disclosure Agreement in the event of any failure of the Issuer, the Disclosure Representative, any Obligated Person, or a Dissemination Agent, to comply with this Disclosure Agreement shall be an action to compel performance.

12. **Duties of Dissemination Agent.** The Dissemination Agent shall have only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Disclosure Agreement between the District, the Landowner and such Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent shall have no obligation to notify any other party hereto of an event that may constitute a Listed Event. The District, each Obligated Person and the Disclosure Representative covenant that they will supply, in a timely fashion, any information reasonably requested by the Dissemination Agent that is necessary in order for the Dissemination Agent to carry out its duties under this Disclosure Agreement. The District, each Obligated Person and the Disclosure Representative acknowledge and agree that the information to be collected and disseminated by the Dissemination Agent will be provided by the District, Obligated Person(s), the Disclosure Representative and others. The Dissemination Agent's duties do not include authorship or production of any materials, and the Dissemination Agent shall have no responsibility hereunder for the content of the information provided to it by the District, any Obligated Person or the Disclosure Representative as thereafter disseminated by the Dissemination Agent. Any filings under this Disclosure Agreement made to the MSRB through EMMA shall be in an EMMA Compliant Format.

13. **Beneficiaries.** This Disclosure Agreement shall inure solely to the benefit of the Issuer, the Landowner, the Dissemination Agent, the Trustee, the Participating Underwriter and the Owners of the Bonds (the Dissemination Agent, the Trustee, Participating Underwriter and Owners of the Bonds being hereby deemed express third party beneficiaries of this Disclosure Agreement), and shall create no rights in any other person or entity.

14. **Tax Roll and Budget.** Upon the request of the Dissemination Agent, the Trustee or any Bondholder, the Issuer, through its District Manager, if applicable, agrees to provide such party with a certified copy of its most recent tax roll provided to the Pasco County Tax Collector and the Issuer's most recent adopted budget.

15. **Governing Law.** The laws of the State of Florida and Federal law shall govern this Disclosure Agreement and venue shall be any state or federal court having jurisdiction in Pasco County, Florida.

16. **Counterparts.** This Disclosure Agreement may be executed in several counterparts and each of which shall be considered an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument. A scanned copy of the signatures delivered in a PDF format may be relied upon as if the original had been received.

17. **Trustee Cooperation.** The Issuer represents that the Dissemination Agent is a bona fide agent of the Issuer and the Issuer instructs the Trustee to deliver to the Dissemination Agent at the expense of the Issuer, any information or reports readily available to and in the possession of the Trustee that the Dissemination Agent requests in writing.

18. **Binding Effect.** This Disclosure Agreement shall be binding upon each party to this Disclosure Agreement and upon each successor and assignee of each party to this Disclosure Agreement and shall inure to the benefit of, and be enforceable by, each party to this Disclosure Agreement and each successor and assignee of each party to this Disclosure Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, as to the Landowner or any assignee or successor thereto that becomes an Obligated Person pursuant to the terms of this Disclosure Agreement, only successors or assignees to such parties who are, by definition, Obligated Persons, shall be bound or benefited by this Disclosure Agreement.

[Signature Page Follows]

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned has executed this Disclosure Agreement as of the date and year set forth above.

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT, AS ISSUER AND  
OBLIGATED PERSON**

[SEAL]

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Carlos de la Ossa, Chairperson  
Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary

**EPG HILLCREST HOLDINGS, LLC, AS  
OBLIGATED PERSON**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**EPG WEST HILLCREST HOLDINGS, LLC,  
AS OBLIGATED PERSON**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**INFRAMARK, LLC, and its successors and  
assigns, AS DISSEMINATION AGENT**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**CONSENTED TO AND AGREED TO BY:**

**DISTRICT MANAGER**

**INFRAMARK, LLC, AS DISTRICT  
MANAGER**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_



Acknowledged and agreed to for purposes of  
Sections 11, 13 and 17 only:

**U.S. BANK TRUST COMPANY, NATIONAL  
ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT A**

**FORM OF NOTICE TO REPOSITORIES OF FAILURE  
TO FILE [ANNUAL REPORT]  
[AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS][QUARTERLY REPORT]**

Name of Issuer: Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District

Name of Bond Issue: \$[\_\_\_\_\_] original aggregate principal amount of Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Project)

Obligated Person(s): Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District;  
\_\_\_\_\_.

Original Date of Issuance: [\_\_\_\_\_] , 2024

CUSIP Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the [Issuer][Obligated Person] has not provided an [Annual Report] [Audited Financial Statements] [Quarterly Report] with respect to the above-named Bonds as required by [Section 3] [Section 5] of the Continuing Disclosure Agreement dated [\_\_\_\_\_] , 2024, by and between the Issuer, the Landowner and the Dissemination Agent named therein. The [Issuer][Obligated Person] has advised the undersigned that it anticipates that the [Annual Report] [Audited Financial Statements] [Quarterly Report] will be filed by \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, as Dissemination Agent

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

cc: Issuer  
Trustee

**SCHEDULE A**

**FORM OF DISTRICT'S ANNUAL REPORT (Due 3/31)**

**1. Fund Balances**

<b>Combined Trust Estate Assets</b>	<b><u>Quarter Ended – 12/31</u></b>
Acquisition and Construction Fund	
Revenue Fund	
Reserve Fund	
Prepayment Fund	
Other	
<b>Total Bonds Outstanding</b>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	

**2. Assessment Certification and Collection Information**

1. For the Current District Fiscal Year – Manner in which Assessments are collected (On Roll vs. Off Roll)

	<b><u>\$ Certified</u></b>
On Roll	\$ _____
Off Roll	\$ _____
TOTAL	\$ _____

2. Attach to Report the following:

- A. On Roll – Copy of certified assessment roll for the District's current Fiscal Year
- B. Off Roll – List of folios for all off roll Assessments, together with annual Assessment assigned to each folio

**3. For the immediately ended Bond Year, provide the levy and collection information**

<b><u>Total Levy</u></b>	<b><u>\$ Levied</u></b>	<b><u>\$ Collected</u></b>
On Roll	\$ _____	\$ _____
Off Roll	\$ _____	\$ _____
TOTAL		

4. If available, the amount of delinquencies in the Assessment Area greater than one hundred fifty (150) days, and, in the event that delinquencies amount to more than ten percent (10%) of the amount of the Assessments due in any year, a list of delinquent property owners

5. If available, the amount of tax certificates sold for lands within the Assessment Area, if any, and the balance, if any, remaining for sale from the most recent Fiscal Year

6. The amount of principal and interest to be paid on the Bonds in the current Fiscal Year

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**APPENDIX E**

**ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY REPORT**

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HILLCREST PRESERVE  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT  
DISTRICT

MASTER ASSESSMENT  
METHODOLOGY REPORT

Report Date:

August 14, 2023

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## I. INTRODUCTION

This Master Assessment Methodology Report (the “Master Report”) details the basis of the benefit allocation and assessment methodology to support the financing plan to complete the public infrastructure required within the Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District (the “District”). The private assessable lands (“Assessable Property”) benefitting from the public infrastructure are generally described within Exhibit A of this Master Report and further described within the Engineer’s Report, dated June 5, 2023 (the “Engineer’s Report”). The objective of this Master Report is to:

1. Identify the District’s capital improvement program (“CIP”) for the project to be financed, constructed and/or acquired by the District; and
2. Determine a fair and equitable method of spreading the associated costs to the benefiting Assessable Property within the District pre- and post-development completion; and
3. Provide a basis for the placement of a lien on the Assessable Property within the District benefitting from the CIP, as outlined by the Engineer’s Report.

The basis of benefit received by Assessable Property relates directly to the proposed CIP. It is the District’s CIP that will create the public infrastructure that enables Assessable Property within the District to be developed and improved under current allowable densities. The CIP includes water management and control, water supply, sewer and wastewater management, roads, parks and recreation, and landscaping/hardscaping/irrigation. The Engineers Report identified estimated cost to complete the CIP, inclusive of associated “soft costs” such as legal/engineering services with contingencies to account for commodity and service market fluctuations. This report will further address additional financing costs associated with funding the CIP. Without the required improvements in the CIP, the development of the Assessable Property could not be undertaken within the current development standards. The main objective of this Master Report is to establish a basis on which to quantify and allocate the special benefit provided by the CIP proportionally to the Assessable Property within the District. A detailed allocation methodology and finance plan will be utilized to equitably distribute CIP costs upon the Assessable Property within the District based upon the level of proportional benefit received.

This Master Report outlines the assignment of benefit, assessment methodology and financing structure for bonds to be issued by the District. As a result of the methodology application, the maximum long-term assessment associated with the current CIP is identified. The District will issue Special Assessment Bonds (the “Bonds”), in one or more series consisting of various amounts of principal debt and maturities to finance the construction and/or acquisition of all or a portion of the CIP.

It is anticipated that the methodology consultant will prepare individual supplemental reports applying the allocation methodology contained herein for the imposition and collection of long-term special assessments on a first platted, first assigned basis for repayment of a specific series of Bonds. The methodology consultant may

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distribute supplemental reports in connection with updates and/or revisions to the finance plan. Such supplemental reports will be created to stipulate amended terms, interest rates, developer contributions if any, issuance costs and will detail the resulting changes in the level of funding allocated to the various trust accounts and subaccounts. The Bonds will be repaid from and secured by non-ad valorem assessments levied on those Assessable Properties benefiting from the public improvements within the District. Non-ad valorem assessments will be levied each year to provide the funding necessary to pay debt service on the Bonds and to fund operations and maintenance costs related to the capital improvements maintained by the District.

In summary, this Master Report will determine the benefit, apportionment and financing structure for the Bonds to be issued by the District in accordance with Chapters 170, 190 and 197, Florida Statutes, as amended, to establish a basis for the levying and collecting of special assessments based on the benefits received and is consistent with our understanding and experience with case law on this subject.

## II. DEFINED TERMS

“Assessable Property:” – All private property within the District that receives a special benefit from the CIP.

“Capital Improvement Program” (CIP) – The public infrastructure development program as outlined by the Master Engineer’s Report dated June 5, 2023.

“Developer” – EPG Hillcrest Development, LLC.

“Development Plan” – The end-use configuration of Platted Units and Product Types for Unplatted Parcels within the District, Table 2.

“District” – Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District, encompasses 591.89 +/- acres, Pasco County Florida.

“Engineer Report” – Master Engineer’s Report, dated June 5, 2023.

“Equivalent Assessment Unit” (EAU) – A weighted value assigned to dissimilar residential lot product types to differentiate assignment of benefit and lien values.

“Maximum Assessments” – The maximum amount of special assessments and liens to be levied against benefiting assessable properties.

“Platted Units” – Private property subdivided as a portion of gross acreage by virtue of the platting process.

“Product Type” – Classification assigned by the District Engineer to dissimilar lot products for the development of the vertical construction. Determined in part as to differentiated sizes, setbacks and other factors.

“Unplatted Parcels” – Gross acreage intended for subdivision and platting pursuant to the Development Plan.

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### III. DISTRICT OVERVIEW

The District area encompasses 591.89 +/- acres and is located entirely within Pasco County, Florida, located between Bellamy Brothers Boulevard and I-75, south of Darby Road and north of State Road 52. The primary developer of the Assessable Property is EPG Hillcrest Development, LLC (the “Developer”), who has created the overall development plan as outlined and supported by the Engineer’s Report. The development plan for the District contemplates multiple phases consisting of approximately 802 residential units. The public improvements as described in the Engineer’s Report include, but are not limited to, water management and control, water supply, sewer and wastewater management, roads, parks and recreation, and landscaping/hardscaping/irrigation.

### IV. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

The District and Developer are undertaking the responsibility of providing the public infrastructure necessary to develop the District’s CIP. As designed, the CIP is an integrated system of facilities. Each infrastructure facility works as a system to provide special benefit to District lands, i.e.: all benefiting landowners of the Assessable Property within the District benefit the same from the first few feet of infrastructure as they do from the last few feet. The CIP costs within Table 1 of this Master Report reflect cost as further detailed within the Engineer’s Report, these costs are exclusive of any financing related costs.

### V. FINANCING INFORMATION

The District intends to finance only a portion of the CIP through the issuance of the Bonds; however this report assumes the financing of 100% of the improvements to identify the full benefit and potential. As the Bonds will be issued in one or more series, the Bonds will be sized at an amount rounded to the nearest \$5,000 and will include items such debt service reserves, capitalized interest, and issuance costs.

For purposes of the Master Report, conservative allowances have been made for a debt service reserve, capitalized interest, issuance costs, and collection cost as shown on Table 6. The methodology consultant will issue supplemental report(s) which outline the provisions specific to each bond issue with the application of the assessment methodology contained herein. The supplemental report(s) will detail the negotiated terms, interest rates and costs associated with each series of Bonds representing the market rate at that point in time. The supplemental reports will outline any Developer contributions towards the completion of the CIP applied to prepay any assessments on any one or collective Assessable Properties within the District. The supplemental report(s) will also detail the level of funding allocated to the construction/acquisition account, the debt service reserve account, underwriter’s discount, issuance and collection costs. Additionally, the supplemental report(s) will apply the principles set forth in the Master Report to determine the specific assessments required to repay the Bonds.

## VI. ALLOCATION METHODOLOGY

The CIP benefits all Assessable Property within the District proportionally. The level of relative benefit can be compared through the use of defining “equivalent” units of measurement by product type to compare dissimilar development product types. This is accomplished through determining an estimate of the relationship between the product types, based on a relative benefit received by each product type from the CIP. The use of Equivalent Assessment Unit (EAU) methodologies is well established as a fair and reasonable proxy for estimating the benefit received by private benefiting properties. One (1) EAU has been assigned to the 50’ residential use product type as a baseline, with a proportional increase or decrease relative to other planned residential product types and sizes. Table 2 outlines EAUs assigned for residential product types under the current Development Plan. If future assessable property is added or product types are contemplated, this Report will be amended to reflect such change.

The method of benefit allocation is based on the special benefit received from infrastructure improvements relative to the benefiting Assessable Property by use and size in comparison to other Assessable Property within the District. According to F.S. 170.02, the methodology by which special assessments are allocated to specifically benefited property must be determined and adopted by the governing body of the District. This alone gives the District latitude in determining how special assessments will be allocated to specific Assessable Property. The CIP benefit and special assessment allocation rationale is detailed herein and provides a mechanism by which these costs, based on a determination of the estimated level of benefit conferred by the CIP, are apportioned to the Assessable Property within the District for levy and collection. The allocation of benefits and Maximum Assessments associated with the CIP are demonstrated on Table 3 through Table 5. The Developer may choose to pay down or contribute infrastructure on a portion or all of the long-term assessments as evaluated on a per parcel basis, thereby reducing the annual debt service assessment associated with any series of Bonds.

## VII. DETERMINATION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

There are three main requirements for valid special assessments. The first requirement demands that the improvements to benefited properties, for which special assessments are levied, be implemented for an approved and assessable purpose (F.S. 170.01). As a second requirement, special assessments can only be levied on those properties specially benefiting from the improvements (F.S. 170.01). Thirdly, the special assessments allocated to each benefited property cannot exceed the proportional benefit to each parcel (F.S. 170.02).

The District’s CIP contains a “system of improvements” including the funding, construction and/or acquisition of off-site improvements, stormwater management, utilities (water and sewer), roadways, landscape/hardscape and amenities; all of which are considered to be for an approved and assessable purpose (F.S. 170.01) which satisfies the first requirement for a valid special assessment, as described above.

Additionally, the improvements will result in all Assessable Property within the District receiving a direct and specific benefit, thereby making those properties legally subject to assessments (F.S. 170.01), which satisfies

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the second requirement, above. Finally, the specific benefit to the Assessable Property is equal to or exceeds the cost of the assessments levied on the Assessable Property (F.S. 170.02), which satisfies the third requirement, above.

The first requirement for determining the validity of a special assessment is plainly demonstrable; eligible improvements are found within the list provided in F.S. 170.01. However, the second and third requirements for a valid special assessment require a more analytical examination. As required by F.S. 170.02, and described in the preceding section entitled “Allocation Methodology,” this approach involves identifying and assigning value to specific benefits being conferred upon the various Assessable Property, while confirming the value of these benefits exceed the cost of providing the improvements. These special benefits include, but are not limited to, the added use of the property, added enjoyment of the property, probability of decreased insurance premiums and the probability of increased marketability and value of the property.

The determination has been made that the duty to pay the non-ad valorem special assessments is valid based on the special benefits imparted upon the various Assessable Property. These benefits are derived from the acquisition and/or construction of the District’s CIP. The allocation of responsibility for payment on the Bonds has been apportioned according to reasonable estimates of the special benefits provided consistent with each land use category. Accordingly, no acre or parcel of property within the boundary of the properties will be assessed for the payment of any non-ad valorem special assessment greater than the determined special benefit particular to that parcel of the District.

Property within the District that currently is not, or upon future development, will not be subject to the special assessments include publicly owned (State/County/City/CDD) tax-exempt parcels such as: lift stations, road rights-of-way, waterway management systems, common areas, and certain lands/amenities owned by HOA(s). To the extent it is later determined that a property no longer qualifies for an exemption, assessments will be apportioned and levied based on an EAU factor proportionate to acreage density as demonstrated in other use EAU assignment.

#### VIII. ASSIGNMENT OF ASSESSMENTS

This section sets out the manner in which special assessments will be assigned to the Assessable Property within the District. In general, the assessments will initially be assigned on a gross acreage basis, gradually absorbed and assigned on a first platted, first assigned priority.

It is useful to consider three distinct states or conditions of development within a community. The initial condition is the “undeveloped state.” At this point the infrastructure may or may not be installed but none of the units in the development program have been platted. This condition exists when the infrastructure program is financed prior to any development. While the land is in an “undeveloped state,” special assessments will be assigned on an equal acre basis across all of the gross acreage within each phase, relative to the special assessment lien levied as identified within Exhibit “A” of this Master Report. Debt will not be solely assigned to properties

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within each phase which have development rights but will be assigned to undevelopable properties to ensure integrity of development plans, rights and entitlements.

The second condition is “on-going development”. At this point, if not already in place, the installation of infrastructure has begun. Additionally, the development program has started to take shape. As lands subject to special assessments within each phase are platted and fully developed, they are assigned specific assessments in relation to the estimated benefit that each unit receives from the CIP, with the balance of the debt assigned on a per acre basis as described in the preceding paragraph. This generally describes the flow for a “first platted, first assigned basis” of assessments against product types per parcel, therefore each fully developed, platted unit would be assigned a par debt assessment as set forth in Table 7. It is not contemplated that any unassigned debt would remain once all of the lots associated with the improvements are platted and fully developed; if such a condition was to occur; the true-up provisions in section IX of this Master Report would be applicable.

The third condition is the “completed development state.” In this condition the entire development program for the District has been platted and the total par value of the Bonds has been assigned as specific assessments to each of the platted lots within each phase of the District based on the methodology described herein.

#### IX. TRUE-UP MODIFICATION

During the construction period of phases of development, it is possible that the number of residential units built may change, thereby necessitating a modification to the per unit allocation of assessment principal. In order to ensure the District’s debt does not build up on the unplatted land, the District shall apply the following test as outlined within this “true up methodology”.

The debt per acre remaining on the unplatted developable land within the District is never allowed to increase above its ceiling debt per acre. The ceiling level of debt per acre is calculated as the total amount of debt for each Bond issue divided by the number of developable acres encumbered by those Bonds. Thus, every time the test is applied, the debt encumbering the remaining un-platted developable acres must remain equal to, or lower than the ceiling level of debt per acre as established by Exhibit A.

True-up tests shall be performed upon the acceptance of each recorded plat submitted to subdivide developed lands within the District. If upon the completion of any true-up analyses it is found that the debt per gross acre exceeds the established maximum ceiling debt per acre, or there is not sufficient development potential in the remaining acreage in the District to produce the densities required to adequately service Bond debt, the District would require the immediate remittance of a density reduction payment, plus accrued interest as applicable in an amount sufficient to reduce the remaining debt per acre to the ceiling amount per acre, thus allow the remaining gross acreage to adequately service bond debt upon planned development. The final test shall be applied at the platting of 100% of the development units within each phase of the District. Should additional coverage be identified at or prior to the final true up as a result of changes in the development plan, the District

will reserve the right to either use excess to issue more debt or pay down the existing principal amounts within outstanding Bonds proportionally.

True-up payment provisions may be suspended if the landowner can demonstrate, to the reasonable satisfaction of the District and bondholders, that there is sufficient development potential in the remaining acreage within the District to produce the densities required to adequately service Bond debt. The Developer and District will enter into a true-up agreement to evidence the obligations described in this Section VIII.

All assessments levied run with the land and it is the responsibility of the District to enforce the true-up provisions and collect any required true-up payments due. The District will not release any liens on property for which true-up payments are due, until provision for such payment has been satisfactorily made.

#### X. ADDITIONAL STIPULATIONS

Inframark was retained by the District to prepare a methodology to fairly allocate the special assessments related to the District's CIP. Certain financing, development and engineering data was provided by members of District Staff and/or the Developer. The allocation Methodology described herein was based on information provided by those professionals. Inframark makes no representations regarding said information transactions beyond restatement of the factual information necessary for compilation of this report. For additional information on the Bond structure and related items, please refer to the Offering Statement associated with this transaction.

Inframark does not represent the District as a Municipal Advisor or Securities Broker nor is Inframark registered to provide such services as described in Section 15B of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Similarly, Inframark does not provide the District with financial advisory services or offer investment advice in any form.

TABLE 1

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT BUILDOUT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM COSTS			
DESCRIPTION	2023-2024 PHASE 1	2025-2026 PHASE 2	TOTAL PROJECT COSTS
Stormwater Management	\$ 10,512,438.00	\$ 10,512,438.00	\$ 21,024,876.00
Utilities	\$ 8,852,578.00	\$ 8,852,578.00	\$ 17,705,156.00
Roads (Includes ROW, Landscape/Hardscape	\$ 8,299,292.00	\$ 8,299,292.00	\$ 16,598,584.00
Amnity, Parks & Recreation	\$ 2,080,023.00	\$ 2,080,023.00	\$ 4,160,046.00
Off-Site Improvements	\$ 1,560,017.00	\$ 1,560,017.00	\$ 3,120,034.00
Professional Fees, Permitting & Cointingency	\$ 4,695,652.00	\$ 4,695,652.00	\$ 9,391,304.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 36,000,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 36,000,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 72,000,000.00</b>

TABLE 2

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT PLANNED DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM				
PRODUCT	LOT SIZE	UNITS	PER UNIT EAU <sup>(2)</sup>	TOTAL EAUs
Townhomes	N/A	76	0.560	42.56
Single Family	40	256	0.800	204.80
Single Family	50	323	1.000	323.00
Single Family	60	147	1.200	176.40
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>802</b>		<b>746.76</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> EAU factors assigned based on Product Type as identified by district engineer and do not reflect front footage of planned lots.

<sup>(2)</sup> Any development plan changes will require recalculations pursuant to the true-up provisions within this report.



TABLE 3

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM COST/BENEFIT ANALYSIS	
PROJECT COSTS	\$72,000,000
TOTAL PROGRAM EAUS	746.76
TOTAL COST/BENEFIT	<u>\$96,417</u>

Table 3 Notations:

1) Benefit is equal to or greater than cost as assigned per Equivalent Assessment Unit ("EAU") as described above.

TABLE 4

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM *NET* COST/BENEFIT ANALYSIS					
PRODUCT TYPE	EAU FACTOR	PRODUCT COUNT	EAUs	NET BENEFIT	
				PER PRODUCT TYPE	PER PRODUCT UNIT
Townhomes	0.560	76	42.56	\$4,103,487	\$53,993
40	0.800	256	204.80	\$19,746,103	\$77,133
50	1.000	323	323.00	\$31,142,536	\$96,417
60	1.200	147	176.40	\$17,007,874	\$115,700
		<u>802</u>	<u>746.76</u>	<u>\$72,000,000</u>	

Table 4 Notations:

1) Table 4 determines only the anticipated construction cost, net of finance and other related costs.

TABLE 5

CONSTRUCTION COST AND BENEFIT						
PRODUCT TYPE	EAU FACTOR	PRODUCT COUNT	EAUs	PERCENTAGE OF EAUs	TOTAL AMOUNT PER PRODUCT TYPE	TOTAL AMOUNT PER LOT
Townhomes	0.560	76	42.56	5.7%	\$4,103,487	\$53,993
40	0.800	256	204.80	27.4%	\$19,746,103	\$77,133
50	1.000	323	323.00	43.3%	\$31,142,536	\$96,417
60	1.200	147	176.40	23.6%	\$17,007,874	\$115,700
		<b>802</b>	<b>746.76</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>\$72,000,000</b>	

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT CDD ASSESSMENT ANALYSIS		
FINANCING INFORMATION - FINANCING INFORMATION BOND SERIES		
Coupon Rate <sup>(1)</sup>		8.00%
Term (Years)		33
Principal Amortization Installments		30
<b>ISSUE SIZE</b>		<b>\$111,005,000</b>
Construction Fund		\$72,000,000
Capitalized Interest (Months) <sup>(2)</sup>	36	\$26,641,200
Debt Service Reserve Fund	100%	\$9,640,965
Underwriter's Discount	2.00%	\$2,220,100
Cost of Issuance		\$500,000
Rounding		\$2,735
<b>ANNUAL ASSESSMENT</b>		
Annual Debt Service (Principal plus Interest)		\$9,640,965
Collection Costs and Discounts @ 6.00%		\$615,381
<b>TOTAL ANNUAL ASSESSMENT</b>		<b>\$10,256,346</b>
<sup>(1)</sup> Based on conservative interest rate, subject to change based on market conditions.		
<sup>(2)</sup> Based on capitalized interest 36 months.		

TABLE 7

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT CDD ASSESSMENT ANALYSIS								
ALLOCATION METHODOLOGY - SERIES LONG TERM BONDS <sup>(1)</sup>								
PRODUCT	PER UNIT	TOTAL EAU's	% OF EAU's	UNITS	PRODUCT TYPE		PER UNIT	
					TOTAL PRINCIPAL	ANNUAL ASSMT. <sup>(2)</sup>	TOTAL PRINCIPAL	ANNUAL ASSMT. <sup>(2)</sup>
Townhomes	0.560	42.56	5.70%	76	\$6,326,494	\$584,539	\$83,243	\$7,691
Single Family 40'	0.800	204.80	27.43%	256	\$30,443,280	\$2,812,818	\$118,919	\$10,988
Single Family 50'	1.000	323.00	43.25%	323	\$48,013,572	\$4,436,231	\$148,649	\$13,734
Single Family 60'	1.200	176.40	23.62%	147	\$26,221,654	\$2,422,759	\$178,379	\$16,481
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>746.76</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>111,005,000</b>	<b>10,256,346</b>		

<sup>(1)</sup> Allocation of total bond principal (i.e., assessment) based on equivalent assessment units. Individual principal and interest assessments calculated on a per unit basis. 36 month Capitalized Interest Period.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes principal, interest

EXHIBIT A

The maximum par amount of Bonds that may be borrowed by the District to pay for the public capital infrastructure improvements is \$111,005,000.00 payable in 30 annual installments of principal of \$16,305.25 per gross acre. The maximum par debt is \$187,736.77 per gross acre and is outlined below.

Prior to platting, the debt associated with the Capital Improvement Plan will initially be allocated on a per acre basis within the District. Upon platting, the principal and long term assessment levied on each benefited property will be allocated to platted lots and developed units in accordance with this Report.

ASSESSMENT ROLL			
TOTAL ASSESSMENT:	<u>\$111,005,000.00</u>		
ANNUAL ASSESSMENT:	<u>\$9,640,965.45</u>	(30 Installments)	
TOTAL GROSS ASSESSABLE ACRES +/-:	<u>591.28</u>		
TOTAL ASSESSMENT PER ASSESSABLE GROSS ACRE:	<u>\$187,736.77</u>		
ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PER GROSS ASSESSABLE ACRE:	<u>\$16,305.25</u>	(30 Installments)	
		PER PARCEL ASSESSMENTS	
<u>Landowner Name, Hillsborough County Folio ID &amp; A:</u>	<u>Gross Unplatted Assessable Acres</u>	<u>Total PAR Debt</u>	<u>Total Annual</u>
EPG Hillcrest Holdings LLC			
111 S Armenia Ave Ste 201, Tampa FL 33609			
Tampa Florida, 33609			
Folio: 01-25-19-0000-00100-0010	73.00	\$13,704,784.54	\$1,190,282.91
Folio: 01-25-19-0000-00800-0000	25.00	\$4,693,419.36	\$407,631.13
Folio: 06-25-20-0000-00400-0000	278.28	\$52,243,389.60	\$4,537,423.67
Folio: 07-25-20-0000-00100-0111	167.50	\$31,445,909.72	\$2,731,128.59
Folio: 12-25-19-0000-01200-0000	47.50	\$8,917,496.79	\$774,499.15
Totals:	<u>591.28</u>	<u>\$111,005,000.00</u>	<u>\$9,640,965.45</u>
Notation:			
Assessments shown are net of collection cost			



## Description Sketch (Not A Survey)

**DESCRIPTION:** A parcel of land lying in Sections 1 and 12, Township 25 South, Range 19 East and Sections 6 and 7, Township 25 South, Range 20 East, Pasco County, Florida, and being more particularly described as follows:


**BEGIN** at the Southeast corner of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 6, same being the Northeast corner of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 7; thence S. 02°04'26" W., along the Easterly boundary of aforementioned, Section 7, a distance of 799.50 feet thence leaving said Easterly boundary of aforementioned, Section 7, S. 89°59'38" W., a distance of 1191.61 feet; thence N.40°21'25" W., a distance of 210.01 feet; thence N.69°56'07" W., a distance of 186.01 feet; thence S. 18°34'38" W., a distance of 710.02 feet; thence S. 13°15'40" W., a distance of 269.02 feet; thence S. 29°48'43" W., a distance of 63.32 feet; thence S. 50°35'31" W., a distance of 909.69 feet; thence N.32°39'43" W., a distance of 749.15 feet; thence S. 89°54'40" W., a distance of 768.59 feet; thence S. 00°05'20" E., a distance of 961.30 feet to a point of intersection with the North Right-of-Way of STATE ROAD NO. 52, per Florida Department of Transportation Right-of-Way Map, Section 14120-XXXX; thence S. 89°16'35" W., along said North Right-of-Way, a distance of 124.01 feet; thence leaving said North Right-of-Way, N.00°05'20" W., a distance of 962.68 feet; thence S. 89°54'40" W., a distance of 1377.01 feet to the Southeast corner of that certain property as described in Official Records Book 9546, Page 3713, of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along the Easterly and Northerly boundary of said certain property the following two (2) courses; 1) N.00°26'05" E., a distance of 272.34 feet; 2) N.89°49'06" W., a distance of 1591.89 feet to a point of intersection with the Easterly Right-of-Way of BELLAMY BROTHERS BOULEVARD, according to Map Book 3, Pages 68 through 80, inclusive of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along said Easterly Right-of-Way the following four (4) courses; 1) N.00°40'57" W., a distance of 1.47 feet; 2) N.00°12'50" W., a distance of 527.15 feet; 3) N.00°27'42" E., a distance of 647.79; 4) N.00°54'26" E., a distance of 147.21 feet to the Southwesterly corner of that certain property described in Official Records Book 8089, Page 1327, of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along the Southerly, Easterly and Northerly boundary the following three (3) courses; 1) thence departing said Easterly Right-of-Way, S. 89°45'28" E., a distance of 798.33 feet; 2) N.00°19'40" E., a distance of 1327.30 feet; 3) S. 89°49'11" W., a distance of 798.84 feet to a point of intersection with said Easterly Right-of-Way of BELLAMY BROTHERS BOULEVARD; thence along said Easterly Right-of-Way the following four (4) courses; 1) N.00°18'40" E., a distance of 84.27 feet; 2) N.00°20'21" E., a distance of 682.49 feet; 3) N.00°23'09" E., a distance of 780.96 feet; 4) N.00°17'56" W., a distance of 325.33 feet to the Southwesterly corner of that certain property described in Official Records Book 5959, Page 179, of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence along the Southerly boundary of said certain property, the following thirteen (13) courses; 1) thence departing said Easterly Right-of-Way, N.79°02'48" E., a distance of 30.64 feet; 2) N.71°59'47" E., a distance of 78.56 feet; 3) N.69°26'40" E., a distance of 95.76 feet; 4) N.63°26'08" E., a distance of 100.24 feet; 5) N.78°30'14" E., a distance of 112.46 feet; 6) N.84°57'29" E., a distance of 127.51 feet; 7) S. 89°05'25" E., a distance of 117.69 feet; 8) S. 83°23'10" E., a distance of 129.75 feet; 9) N.87°47'52" E., a distance of 145.81 feet; 10) S. 89°59'59" E., a distance of 175.59 feet; 11) N.85°05'02" E., a distance of 174.36 feet; 12) N.82°01'13" E., a distance of 201.82 feet; 13) N.72°48'22" E., a distance of 144.08 feet to a point of intersection with the Easterly boundary of said certain property as described in Official Records Book 5959, Page 179, same being the Westerly boundary of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 6, Township 25 South, Range 20 East, Pasco County, Florida; thence N.00°16'21" E., along said Easterly boundary, same being said Westerly boundary of the Northwest 1/4 of aforementioned Section 6, a distance of 553.69 feet to the Southwesterly corner of that certain property as described in Official Records Book 8141, Page 1478 of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida; thence S. 89°12'01" E., along said Southerly boundary and the Southerly boundary of that certain property as described in Official Records Book 7615, Page 1502 of the Public Records of Pasco County, Florida, a distance of 2634.90 feet; thence along said Southerly and Westerly boundary of said certain property the following five (5) courses 1) S. 00°57'46" W., a distance of 1322.64 feet; 2) S. 00°56'47" W., a distance of 1325.85 feet; 3) S. 89°11'06" E., a distance of 1313.40 feet; 4) thence S. 00°58'56" W., a distance of 1326.83 feet; 5) S. 89°07'51" E., a distance of 1312.58 feet to the **POINT OF BEGINNING**.

Containing 591.886 acres, more or less.

**NOTES:**


- 1) The bearings shown hereon are based on the boundary of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 7-25-20, having a Grid bearing of S. 02°04'26" W. The Grid Bearings as shown hereon refer to the State Plane Coordinate System, North American Horizontal Datum of 1983 (NAD 83-2011 Adjustment) for the West Zone of Florida.
- 2) Information shown hereon is not complete without accompanying sketch.
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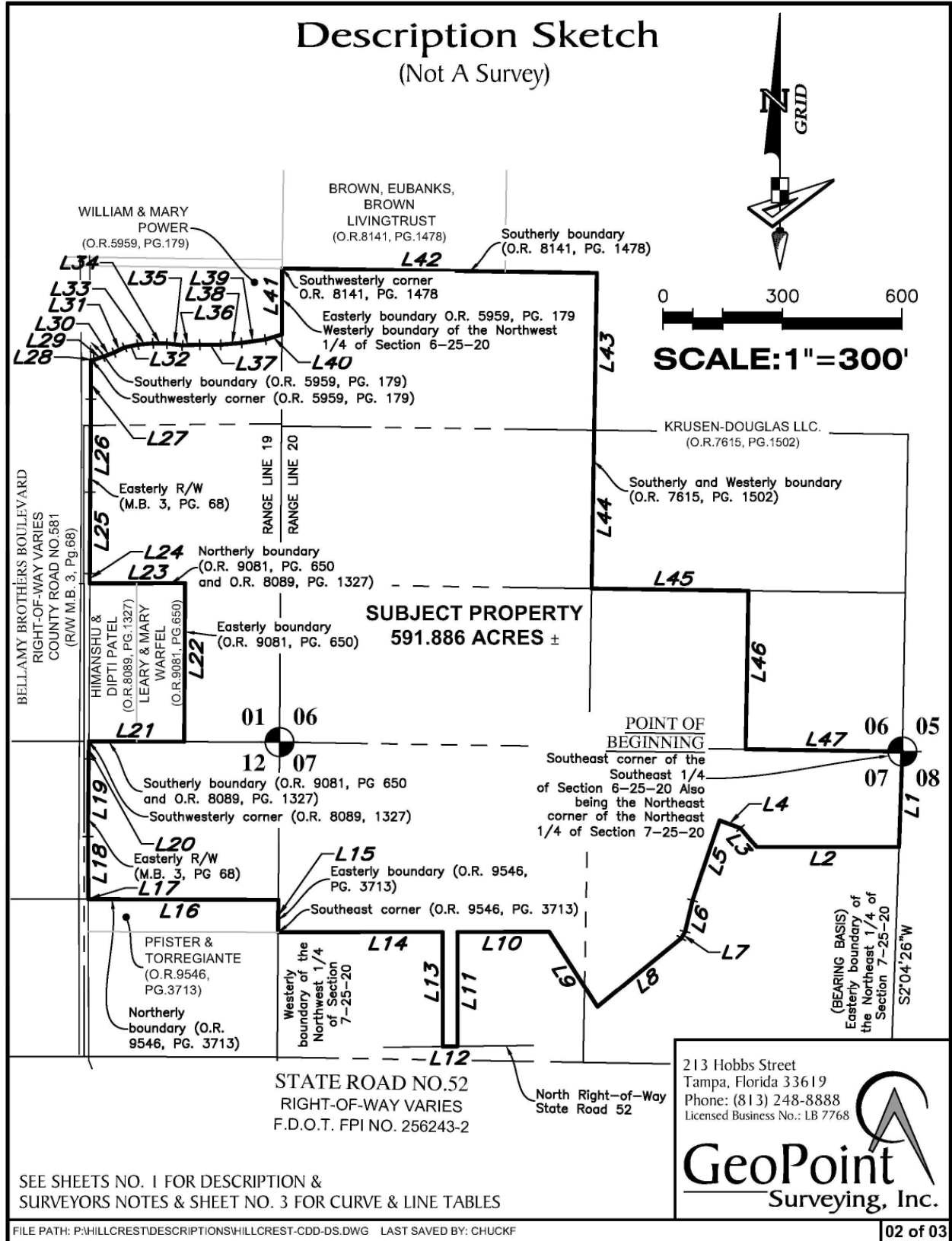
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LINE DATA TABLE		
NO.	BEARING	LENGTH
L1	S 02°04'26" W	799.50'
L2	S 89°59'38" W	1191.61'
L3	N 40°21'25" W	210.01'
L4	N 69°56'07" W	186.01'
L5	S 18°34'38" W	710.02'
L6	S 13°15'40" W	269.02'
L7	S 29°48'43" W	63.32'
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L10	S 89°54'40" W	768.59'
L11	S 00°05'20" E	961.30'
L12	S 89°16'35" W	124.01'
L13	N 00°05'20" W	962.68'
L14	S 89°54'40" W	1377.01'
L15	N 00°26'05" E	272.34'
L16	N 89°49'06" W	1591.89'
L17	N 00°40'57" W	1.47'
L18	N 00°12'50" W	527.15'
L19	N 00°27'42" E	647.79'
L20	N 00°54'26" E	147.21'

LINE DATA TABLE		
NO.	BEARING	LENGTH
L21	S 89°45'28" E	798.33'
L22	N 00°19'40" E	1327.30'
L23	S 89°49'11" W	798.84'
L24	N 00°18'40" E	84.27'
L25	N 00°20'21" E	682.49'
L26	N 00°23'09" E	780.96'
L27	N 00°17'56" W	325.33'
L28	N 79°02'48" E	30.64'
L29	N 71°59'47" E	78.56'
L30	N 69°26'40" E	95.76'
L31	N 63°26'08" E	100.24'
L32	N 78°30'14" E	112.46'
L33	N 84°57'29" E	127.51'
L34	S 89°05'25" E	117.69'
L35	S 83°23'10" E	129.75'
L36	N 87°47'52" E	145.81'
L37	S 89°59'59" E	175.59'
L38	N 85°05'02" E	174.36'
L39	N 82°01'13" E	201.82'
L40	N 72°48'22" E	144.08'

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L41	N 00°16'21" E	553.69'
L42	S 89°12'01" E	2634.90'
L43	S 00°57'46" W	1322.64'
L44	S 00°56'47" W	1325.85'
L45	S 89°11'06" E	1313.40'
L46	S 00°58'56" W	1326.83'
L47	S 89°07'51" E	1312.58'

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COMMUNITY  
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FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL  
ASSESSMENT  
METHODOLOGY REPORT

Report Date:

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## I. INTRODUCTION

This *First Supplemental Assessment Methodology Report* (the “First Supplemental Report”) serves to apply the basis of benefit allocation and assessment methodology per the Master Assessment Methodology Report (the “Master Reports”) dated August 14, 2023. This First Supplemental Report specifically supports the issuance of the Bonds (as defined below) which will fund a portion of the Series 2024 Project of the District’s Capital Infrastructure Program.

## II. DEFINED TERMS

“Series 2024 Assessment Area” – property within the District that receives a special benefit from the Series 2024 Project.

“Series 2024 Project” – The portion of the CIP relating to public infrastructure for the Series 2024 Assessment Area identified within the Engineer’s Report.

“Assessable Property” – All property within the Series 2024 Assessment Area of the District that receives a special benefit from the Series 2024 Project.

“Capital Improvement Program” (CIP) – The public infrastructure development program as outlined by the Engineer’s Report.

“Developer” – EPG Hillcrest Development, LLC.

“Development” – The end-use configuration of Platted Units and Product Types for Unplatted Parcels within the District.

“District” – Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District, encompasses 591 +/- acres, located in unincorporated Pasco County Florida, plan for 802 Units.

“Engineer’s Report” – *Master Report of the District Engineer* dated August 16, 2023, and the *Supplemental Engineer’s Report for Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District*, dated May 20, 2024.

“Equivalent Assessment Unit” (EAU) – A weighted value assigned to dissimilar residential lot product types to differentiate the assignment of benefit and lien values.

“Master Reports” or “Reports” – The Master Assessment Methodology Report dated August 14, 2023, (the “Master Reports/Reports”).

“Platted Units” – private property subdivided as a portion of gross acreage by the platting process.

“Product Type” – Classification assigned by the Developer to dissimilar Lot products and sizes for the development of the vertical construction.

“Unit(s)” – A planned or developed residential lot assigned a Product Type classification by the District Engineer.

“Unplatted Parcels” – gross acreage intended for subdivision and platting according to the Development plan.

### III. OBJECTIVE

The objective of this First Supplemental Assessment Methodology Report is to:

- A. Allocate a portion of the costs of the CIP to the Series 2024 Assessment Area;
- B. Refine the benefits, as initially defined in the Master Report, to the assessable properties that will be assessed as a result of the issuance of the Bonds (as herein defined);
- C. Determine a fair and equitable method of spreading the associated costs to the benefiting properties within the District and ultimately to the individual units therein; and
- D. Provide a basis for the placement of a lien on the assessable lands within the District that benefit from Series 2024, as outlined by the Engineer's Report.

The basis of benefit received by properties within the District's Series 2024 Assessment Area relates directly to the Series 2024 Project and is allocable to all Assessable Property within this Assessment Area. The Series 2024 Project will create the public infrastructure required to develop and improve the Assessable Property within the Series 2024 Assessment Area. Without these public improvements, which include master infrastructure improvements, stormwater, utilities (water and sewer), roadways, amenities, and off-site management, the development of lands within the Series 2024 Assessment Area could not be undertaken within the current legal development standards. This First Supplemental Report applies the methodology described in the Master Report to assign assessments to all assessable properties within the Series 2024 Assessment Area receiving benefits from the Series 2024 Project, which are required to satisfy the repayment of the Bonds.

The District will issue its Special Assessment Revenue Bonds, Series 2024 (Series 2024 Assessment Area) (the "Bonds") to finance the construction and/or acquisition of a portion of the Series 2024 Project, which will provide special benefit to the assessable parcels within the Series 2024 Assessment Area after platting. The Bonds will be repaid from and secured by non-ad valorem assessments levied on those properties benefiting from the improvements within the Series 2024 Assessment Area. Non-ad valorem assessments will be collected each year to provide the funding necessary to remit Bond debt service payments and to fund operations and maintenance costs related to the capital improvements maintained by the District.

In summary, this First Supplemental Report will determine the benefit, apportionment, and financing structure for the Bonds to be issued by the District per Chapters 170, 190, and 197, Florida Statutes, as amended, to establish a basis for the levying and collecting of special assessments based on the benefits received and is consistent with our understanding and experience with case law on this subject.

### IV. DISTRICT OVERVIEW

The district area encompasses 591 +/- acres and is located entirely within Pasco County, Florida. It is generally located between Bellamy Brother Boulevard and I-75, south of Darby Road and north of State Road 52. The primary developer of the Assessable Property is EPG Hillcrest Development, LLC (the "Developer"), who has created the overall development plan as outlined and supported by the Engineer's Report. The development plan for Series 2024 consists of 802 residential units. The public improvements as described for Series 2024 can be found in the Engineer's Report.

## V. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

The District and Developer are undertaking the responsibility of providing the public infrastructure necessary to develop the District. As designed, the Series 2024 Project represents a portion of the total CIP and is an integrated system of facilities. Each infrastructure facility works as a system to provide special benefits to assessable lands within Series 2024. The drainage and surface water management system is an example of a system that provides benefits to all planned residential lots within the Series 2024 Assessment Area. As a system of improvements, all privately benefiting landowners within the Series 2024 Assessment Area benefit the same from the first few feet of pipe as they do from the last few feet. The stormwater management system is an interrelated facility that, by its design and interconnected control structures, provides a consistent level of protection to the entire development program, and thus all landowners within the Series 2024 Assessment Area will benefit from such improvement.

The District Engineer has identified the infrastructure, and respective costs, to be acquired and/or constructed within the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project. The Series 2024 Assessment Area Project includes off-site improvements, stormwater, utilities (water and sewer), roadways, landscape, and hardscape. Approximately \$17,213,900 of the costs associated with the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project will be funded by the Bond issuance as generally described in Tables 2 and 3 of this First Supplemental Report.

## VI. DETERMINATION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

There are three main requirements for valid special assessments. The first requirement demands that the improvements to benefited properties, for which special assessments are levied, be implemented for an approved and assessable purpose (F.S. 170.01). As a second requirement, special assessments can only be levied on those properties specially benefiting from the improvements (F.S. 170.01). Thirdly, the special assessments allocated to each benefited property cannot exceed the proportional benefit to each parcel (F.S. 170.02).

The Series 2024 Assessment Area Project contains a “system of improvements” for the Development that benefits the entire District; all of which are considered to be for an approved and assessable purpose (F.S. 170.01). This satisfies the first requirement for a valid special assessment, as described above. Additionally, the improvements will result in all private developable properties receiving a direct and specific benefit, thereby making those properties legally subject to assessments (F.S. 170.01), which satisfies the second requirement above. Finally, the specific benefit to the properties is equal to or exceeds the cost of the assessments to be levied on the benefited properties (F.S. 170.02), which satisfies the third requirement above.

The first requirement for determining the validity of a special assessment is plainly demonstrable. Eligible improvements are found within the list provided in F.S. 170.01. However, certifying compliance with the second and third requirements necessary to establish a valid special assessment requires a more analytical examination. As required by F.S. 170.02 and described in the next section entitled “Allocation Methodology,” this approach involves identifying and

assigning value to specific benefits being conferred upon the various benefitting properties, while confirming the value of these benefits exceeds the cost of providing the improvements. These special benefits include but are not limited to, the added use of the property, added enjoyment of the property, the probability of decreased insurance premiums, and the probability of increased marketability and value of the property. The Development plan contains a mix of single-family and townhome sites. The method of apportioning benefit to the planned product mix can be related to development density and intensity where it “equates” the estimated benefit conferred to a specific single-family unit type. This is done to implement a fair and equitable method of apportioning benefits.

The second and third requirements are the key elements in defining a valid special assessment. A reasonable estimate of the proportionate special benefits received from the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project of the CIP is demonstrated in the calculation of an equivalent assessment unit (EAU), further described in the next section.

The determination has been made that the duty to pay the non-ad valorem special assessments is valid based on the special benefits imparted upon the benefitting property. These benefits are derived from the acquisition and/or construction of the District’s CIP. The allocation of responsibility for the payment of special assessments, being associated with the special assessment liens encumbering the District as a result of the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project, has been apportioned according to a reasonable estimate of the special benefits provided, consistent with each land use category. Accordingly, no acre or parcel of property within the boundary of the District will be assessed for the payment of any non-ad valorem special assessment greater than the determined special benefit particular to that property.

Property within the Series 2024 Assessment Area that currently is not, or upon future development, will not be subject to the special assessments include publicly owned (State/County/City/CDD) tax-exempt parcels such as lift stations, road rights-of-way, waterway management systems, common areas, and certain lands/amenities owned by the Developer and other community property. To the extent it is later determined that the property no longer qualifies for an exemption, assessments will be apportioned and levied based on an EAU factor proportionate to lot product average front footage.

## VII. ALLOCATION METHODOLOGY

Table 1 outlines EAUs assigned for residential product types under the current Development Plan for the Series 2024 Assessment Area. If future assessable property is added or product types are contemplated, this Report will be amended to reflect such a change.

The method of benefit allocation is based on the special benefit received from infrastructure improvements relative to the benefitting Assessable Property by use and size in comparison to other Assessable Property within the District. According to F.S. 170.02, the methodology by which special assessments are allocated specifically to benefited property must be determined and adopted by the governing body of the District. This alone gives the District latitude in determining how special assessments will be allocated to specific assessable properties. The CIP benefit with respect to the Series 2024

Assessment Area Project and special assessment allocation rationale is detailed herein and provides a mechanism by which these costs, based on a determination of the estimated level of benefit conferred by the CIP, are apportioned to the Assessable Property within the District for levy and collection. The allocation of benefits and maximum assessments associated with the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project are demonstrated in Table 3 through Table 4. The Developer may choose to pay down or contribute infrastructure on a portion or all of the long-term assessments as evaluated on a per-parcel basis, thereby reducing the annual debt service assessment associated with any series of bonds.

#### VIII. ASSIGNMENT OF ASSESSMENTS

This section sets out the manner in which special assessments will be assigned and to establish a lien on land per the development rights and entitlements within the District. With regards to the Assessable Property, the special assessments are initially assigned to all assessable properties within the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project of the District on a gross acreage basis until such time parcels are transferred, sold, or conveyed to a builder. As property is assigned to such parcels upon their sale, the District's debt will be re-allocated and assigned to platted lots with each parcel. Pursuant to Section 193.0235, Florida Statutes, certain privately or publicly owned "common elements" such as clubhouses, amenities, lakes, and common areas for community use and benefit are exempt from non-ad valorem assessments and liens regardless of the private ownership.

It is useful to consider three distinct states or conditions of development within a community. The initial condition is the "undeveloped state". At this point the infrastructure may or may not be installed but none of the units in the Development plan have been platted. This condition exists when the infrastructure program is financed before any development. In the undeveloped state, all of the lands within the District receive benefit from the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project and all of the assessable land within the District would be assessed to repay the Bonds. While the land is "undeveloped," special assessments will be assigned on an equal acre basis across all of the gross acreage within the District. Debt will not be solely assigned to parcels that have development rights but will and may be assigned to undevelopable parcels to ensure the integrity of development plans, rights, and entitlements.

The second condition is "on-going development". At this point, if not already in place, the installation of infrastructure has begun. Additionally, the Development plan has started to take shape. As undeveloped parcels are sold to home builders, they are assigned specific special assessments in relation to the estimated benefit that each platted unit within the District receives from the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project, with the balance of the debt assigned on a per gross acre basis as described in the preceding paragraph. Therefore, each fully developed, platted unit would be assigned an assessment according to its Product Type classification as outlined in Table 4. If the land is sold in bulk within the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project to a builder before platting, then the District will assign the remaining Series 2024 Special Assessments until absorbed and then assign the Series 2024 Special Assessments based upon the development rights conveyed and/or assigned to such parcel in the land sale based on the equivalent assessment unit (EAU) factors outlined in this Assessment Methodology. It is not contemplated that any unassigned debt would remain once all of the 802 lots associated with the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project are platted and fully developed.



The third condition is the “completed development state.” In this condition, all of the Assessable Property within the Development plan has been platted. The total par value of the Bonds has been assigned as specific assessments to each of the platted lots within the portion of the District representing 742.40 EAUs.

#### IX. FINANCING INFORMATION

The District will finance a portion of the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project through the issuance of the Bonds secured ultimately by benefiting properties within the Series 2024 Assessment Area of the District. A number of items will comprise the bond sizing such as a debt service reserve, capitalized interest, issuance costs, and rounding as shown in Table 3.

#### X. TRUE-UP MODIFICATION

During the construction period of the Development, it is possible that the number of residential units built may change, thereby necessitating a modification to the per-unit allocation of the special assessment principle. In order to ensure the District’s debt does not build up on the unplatted land, the District shall apply the following test as outlined within this “true-up methodology.”

The debt per acre remaining on the unplatted land within the Series 2024 Assessment Area may not increase above its ceiling debt per acre. The ceiling level of debt per acre is calculated as the total amount of debt for the Bonds divided by the number of developable acres within the Series 2024 Assessment Area. Thus, every time the test is applied, the debt encumbering the remaining unplatted developable land must remain equal to or lower than the ceiling level of debt per acre. If the debt per gross acre is found to be above the established maximum, the District would require a density reduction payment in an amount sufficient to reduce the remaining debt per acre to the ceiling amount based on the schedule found in Exhibit A, Preliminary Assessment Roll, which amount will include accrued interest to the first interest payment date on the Bonds which occurs at least 45 days following such debt reduction payment.

True-up tests shall be performed upon the recording of each plat submitted to subdivide developed lands within the Series 2024 Assessment Area (including any replats). If upon the completion of any true-up analyses, it is found the debt per acre exceeds the established maximum ceiling debt per acre, or there is not sufficient development potential in the remaining acreage within the Series 2024 Assessment Area to produce the EAU densities required to adequately service the Bond debt, the District shall require the remittance of a density reduction payment, plus accrued interest as applicable, in an amount sufficient to reduce the remaining debt per assessable acre to the ceiling amount per acre and to allow the remaining acreage to adequately service Bond debt upon development. The final test shall be applied at the platting of 100% of the development units within the District.



True-up payment requirements may be suspended if the landowner can demonstrate, to the reasonable satisfaction of the District, that there is sufficient development potential in the remaining acreage within the Series 2024 Assessment Area to produce the densities required to adequately service Bond debt. The Developer and District will enter into a true-up agreement to evidence the obligations described in this section.

All assessments levied run with the land and it is the responsibility of the District to enforce the true-up provisions and collect any required true-up payments due. The District will not release any liens on property for which true-up payments are due, until provision for such payment has been satisfactorily made.

#### XI. ADDITIONAL STIPULATIONS

Inframark was retained by the District to prepare a methodology to fairly allocate the special assessments related to the District's CIP relating to the Series 2024 Assessment Area Project. Certain financing, development, and engineering data was provided by members of the District Staff and/or the Developer. The allocation Methodology described herein was based on information provided by those professionals. Inframark makes no representations regarding said information transactions beyond the restatement of the factual information necessary for the compilation of this report. For additional information on the Bond structure and related items, please refer to the Offering Statement associated with this transaction.

Inframark does not represent the District as a Municipal Advisor or Securities Broker nor is Inframark registered to provide such services as described in Section 15B of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Similarly, Inframark does not provide the District with financial advisory services or offer investment advice in any form.

TABLE 1

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM				
PRODUCT	PRODUCT SIZE	UNIT	PER UNIT EAU <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	TOTAL EAUs
Townhomes	24	52	0.48	25
Townhomes	28	24	0.56	13
Single Family	40	257	0.80	206
Single Family	50	322	1.00	322
Single Family	60	147	1.20	176
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>802</b>		<b>742.40</b>

(1) EAU factors assigned based on Product Type as identified by district engineer and do not reflect front footage of planned lots.

(2) Any development plan changes will require recalculations pursuant to the true-up provisions within this report.

TABLE 2

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT PROPOSED INFRASTRUCTURE COSTS						
DESCRIPTION	Master Phase 1	Parcel A Phase 2	Parcel B Phase 3	Parcel C Phase 4	Parcel TH	TOTAL PROJECT
Collector Roads	\$ 2,750,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,750,000.00
District Subdivision Roads	\$ -	\$ 1,346,544.00	\$ 1,815,000.00	\$ 1,850,000.00	\$ -	\$ 5,011,544.00
Water Management and Control	\$ 8,245,000.00	\$ 3,026,250.00	\$ 3,341,250.00	\$ 2,311,250.00	\$ -	\$ 16,923,750.00
Sewer and Wastewater Management	\$ 2,240,000.00	\$ 1,040,000.00	\$ 1,410,000.00	\$ 1,100,000.00	\$ 175,000.00	\$ 5,965,000.00
Water Supply	\$ 1,150,000.00	\$ 580,000.00	\$ 775,000.00	\$ 615,000.00	\$ -	\$ 3,120,000.00
Irrigation Water Supply	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Undergrounding of Electrical Service	\$ 675,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 675,000.00
Hardscapes, Landscape and Entries	\$ 4,300,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,300,000.00
Offsite Improvements	\$ 5,330,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,330,000.00
Amenity	\$ 5,000,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,000,000.00
Environmental	\$ 750,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 750,000.00
Professional Services and Permit Fees	\$ 2,900,000.00	\$ 560,000.00	\$ 640,000.00	\$ 465,000.00	\$ 80,000.00	\$ 4,645,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 33,340,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 6,552,794.00</b>	<b>\$ 7,981,250.00</b>	<b>\$ 6,341,250.00</b>	<b>\$ 255,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 54,470,294.00</b>

TABLE 3

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT		
FINANCING INFORMATION - SERIES 2024 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS		
Coupon Rate <sup>(1)</sup>		5.40%
Term (Years)		30
Principal Amortization Installments		30
<b>ISSUE SIZE</b>		<b>\$19,095,000</b>
Construction Fund		\$17,213,900
Capitalized Interest (Months) <sup>(2)</sup>	0	\$0
Debt Service Reserve Fund	100.0%	\$1,299,200
Cost of Issuance		\$581,900
<b>ANNUAL ASSESSMENT</b>		
Annual Debt Service (Principal plus Interest)		\$1,299,200
Collection Costs and Discounts @	6.00%	\$82,928
<b>TOTAL ANNUAL ASSESSMENT</b>		<b>\$1,382,128</b>
<sup>(1)</sup> Interest rate subject to final pricing		
<sup>(2)</sup> Based on 0 months capitalized interest		

TABLE 4

HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT								
ALLOCATION METHODOLOGY - SERIES 2024 SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS BONDS (1)								
PRODUCT	PER UNIT EAU	TOTAL EAUs	% OF EAUs	UNITS	PRODUCT TYPE		PER UNIT	
					TOTAL PRINCIPAL	ANNUAL ASSMT. (2)	TOTAL PRINCIPAL	ANNUAL ASSMT. (2)
Townhomes	0.48	24.96	3.36%	52	\$641,987	\$43,680	\$12,346	\$840
Townhomes	0.56	13.44	1.81%	24	\$345,685	\$23,520	\$14,404	\$980
Single Family	0.80	205.60	27.69%	257	\$5,288,163	\$359,800	\$20,577	\$1,400
Single Family	1.00	322.00	43.37%	322	\$8,282,045	\$563,500	\$25,721	\$1,750
Single Family	1.20	176.40	23.76%	147	\$4,537,120	\$308,700	\$30,865	\$2,100
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>742.40</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>19,095,000</b>	<b>1,299,200</b>		

(1) Allocation of total bond principal (i.e., assessment) based on equivalent assessment units. Individual principal and interest assessments calculated on a per unit basis. 0 month Capitalized Interest Period.  
 (2) Includes principal, interest NET of collection costs.

EXHIBIT A

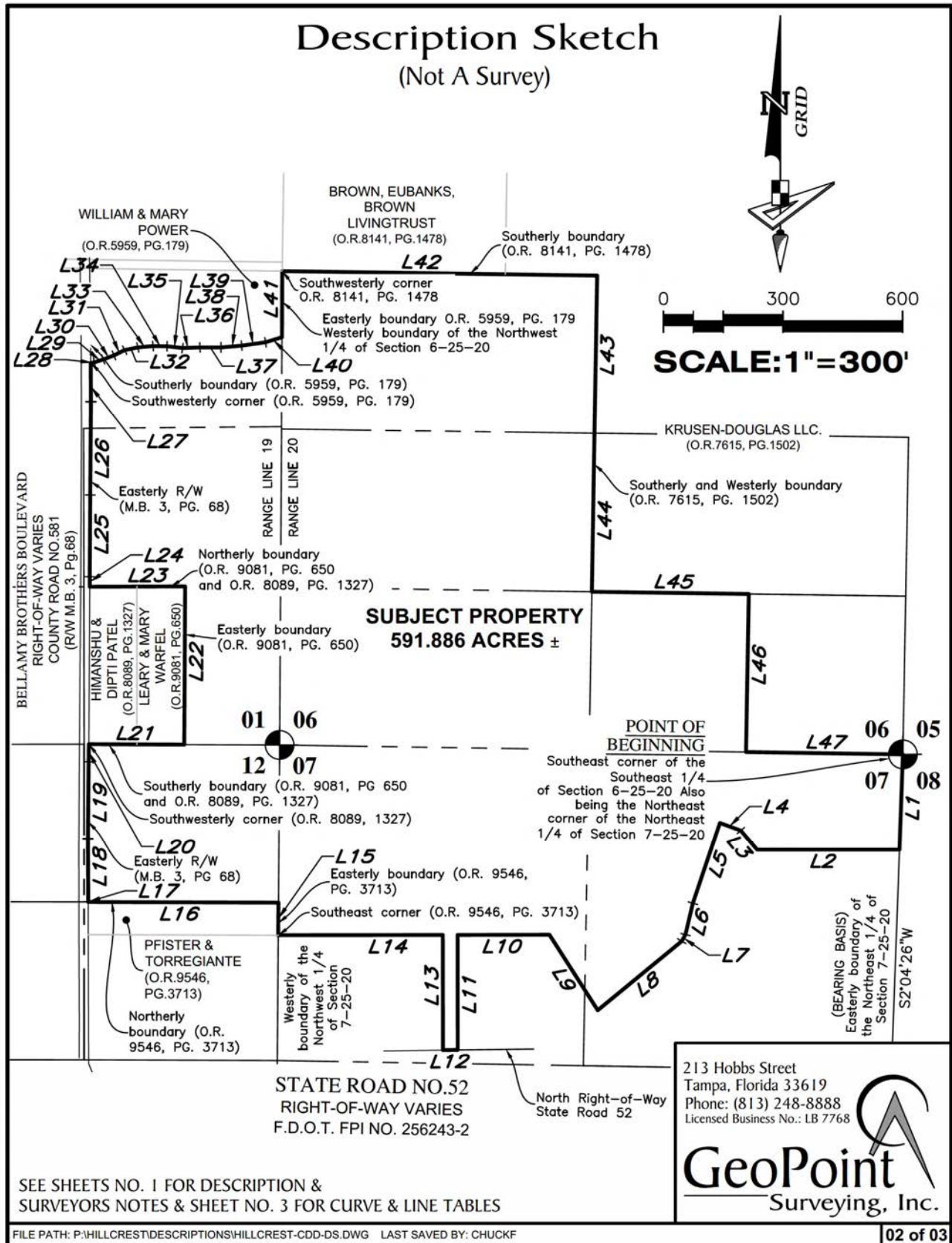
The par amount of the Series 2024 Bonds that will be borrowed by the District to pay for the public capital infrastructure improvements is \$19,095,000.00 payable in 30 annual installments of principal of \$2,197.27 per gross acre. The par debt is \$32,294.34 per gross acre and is outlined below.

Prior to platting, the debt associated with the Capital Improvement Plan will initially be allocated on a per acre basis within the District. Upon platting, the principal and long term assessment levied on each benefited property will be allocated to platted lots and developed units in accordance with this Report.

ASSESSMENT ROLL			
TOTAL ASSESSMENT:	\$19,095,000.00		
ANNUAL ASSESSMENT:	\$1,299,200.00	(30 Installments)	
TOTAL GROSS ASSESSABLE ACRES +/-:	591.28		
TOTAL ASSESSMENT PER ASSESSABLE GROSS ACRE:	\$32,294.34		
ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PER GROSS ASSESSABLE ACRE:	\$2,197.27	(30 Installments)	
		PER PARCEL ASSESSMENTS	
	Gross Unplatted Assessable Acres	Total PAR Debt	Total Annual
Landowner Name, Pasco County Folio ID & Address			
EPG Hillcrest Holdings LLC 111 S Armenia Ave Ste 201, Tampa FL 33609 Tampa Florida, 33609		\$0.00	\$0.00
Folio: 01-25-19-0000-00100-0010	73.00	\$2,357,487.15	\$160,400.49
Folio: 01-25-19-0000-00800-0000	25.00	\$807,358.61	\$54,931.67
Folio: 06-25-20-0000-00400-0000	278.28	\$8,986,870.18	\$611,455.45
Folio: 07-25-20-0000-00100-0111	167.50	\$5,409,302.70	\$368,042.21
Folio: 12-25-19-0000-01200-0000	47.50	\$1,533,981.36	\$104,370.18
Totals:	591.28	\$19,095,000.00	\$1,299,200.00









## Description Sketch (Not A Survey)

LINE DATA TABLE		
NO.	BEARING	LENGTH
L1	S 02°04'26" W	799.50'
L2	S 89°59'38" W	1191.61'
L3	N 40°21'25" W	210.01'
L4	N 69°56'07" W	186.01'
L5	S 18°34'38" W	710.02'
L6	S 13°15'40" W	269.02'
L7	S 29°48'43" W	63.32'
L8	S 50°35'31" W	909.69'
L9	N 32°39'43" W	749.15'
L10	S 89°54'40" W	768.59'
L11	S 00°05'20" E	961.30'
L12	S 89°16'35" W	124.01'
L13	N 00°05'20" W	962.68'
L14	S 89°54'40" W	1377.01'
L15	N 00°26'05" E	272.34'
L16	N 89°49'06" W	1591.89'
L17	N 00°40'57" W	1.47'
L18	N 00°12'50" W	527.15'
L19	N 00°27'42" E	647.79'
L20	N 00°54'26" E	147.21'

LINE DATA TABLE		
NO.	BEARING	LENGTH
L21	S 89°45'28" E	798.33'
L22	N 00°19'40" E	1327.30'
L23	S 89°49'11" W	798.84'
L24	N 00°18'40" E	84.27'
L25	N 00°20'21" E	682.49'
L26	N 00°23'09" E	780.96'
L27	N 00°17'56" W	325.33'
L28	N 79°02'48" E	30.64'
L29	N 71°59'47" E	78.56'
L30	N 69°26'40" E	95.76'
L31	N 63°26'08" E	100.24'
L32	N 78°30'14" E	112.46'
L33	N 84°57'29" E	127.51'
L34	S 89°05'25" E	117.69'
L35	S 83°23'10" E	129.75'
L36	N 87°47'52" E	145.81'
L37	S 89°59'59" E	175.59'
L38	N 85°05'02" E	174.36'
L39	N 82°01'13" E	201.82'
L40	N 72°48'22" E	144.08'

LINE DATA TABLE		
NO.	BEARING	LENGTH
L41	N 00°16'21" E	553.69'
L42	S 89°12'01" E	2634.90'
L43	S 00°57'46" W	1322.64'
L44	S 00°56'47" W	1325.85'
L45	S 89°11'06" E	1313.40'
L46	S 00°58'56" W	1326.83'
L47	S 89°07'51" E	1312.58'

SEE SHEETS NO. 1 FOR DESCRIPTION &  
 SURVEYORS NOTES & NO. 2 FOR SKETCH

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**APPENDIX F**  
**DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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# Hillcrest Preserve Community Development District

Financial Statements  
(Unaudited)

Period Ending  
October 31, 2024

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**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**

**Balance Sheet**

As of October 31, 2024

*(In Whole Numbers)*

<u>ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<b><u>ASSETS</u></b>	
Cash - Operating Account	\$ 9,710
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 9,710</b>
<b><u>LIABILITIES</u></b>	
Accounts Payable	\$ 6,995
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>6,995</b>
<b><u>FUND BALANCES</u></b>	
Unassigned:	2,715
<b>TOTAL FUND BALANCES</b>	<b>2,715</b>
 <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; FUND BALANCES</b>	 <b>\$ 9,710</b>

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**  
**Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances**  
For the Period Ending October 31, 2024  
General Fund (001)  
*(In Whole Numbers)*

ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	ANNUAL ADOPTED BUDGET	YEAR TO DATE ACTUAL	VARIANCE (\$) FAV(UNFAV)	YTD ACTUAL AS A % OF ADOPTED BUD
<b>REVENUES</b>				
Special Assmnts- Tax Collector	\$ 165,785	\$ -	\$ (165,785)	0.00%
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<b>165,785</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(165,785)</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>				
<b>Administration</b>				
Supervisor Fees	3,000	1,800	1,200	60.00%
ProfServ-Dissemination Agent	4,200	-	4,200	0.00%
ProfServ-Info Technology	600	25	575	4.17%
ProfServ-Recording Secretary	2,400	100	2,300	4.17%
ProfServ-Trustee Fees	6,500	-	6,500	0.00%
District Counsel	9,500	820	8,680	8.63%
District Engineer	9,500	-	9,500	0.00%
Administrative Services	4,500	167	4,333	3.71%
District Manager	25,000	1,167	23,833	4.67%
Accounting Services	18,000	375	17,625	2.08%
Auditing Services	6,000	-	6,000	0.00%
Website Compliance	1,800	-	1,800	0.00%
Postage, Phone, Faxes, Copies	500	-	500	0.00%
Rentals & Leases	600	17	583	2.83%
Public Officials Insurance	2,500	5,000	(2,500)	200.00%
Legal Advertising	3,500	211	3,289	6.03%
Bank Fees	200	-	200	0.00%
Financial & Revenue Collections	1,200	100	1,100	8.33%
Meeting Expense	4,000	-	4,000	0.00%
Website Administration	1,200	50	1,150	4.17%
Miscellaneous Expenses	250	-	250	0.00%
Office Supplies	100	-	100	0.00%
Dues, Licenses, Subscriptions	175	175	-	100.00%
<b>Total Administration</b>	<b>105,225</b>	<b>10,007</b>	<b>95,218</b>	<b>9.51%</b>
<b>Electric Utility Services</b>				
Contracts-Dispatch Services	30,000	-	30,000	0.00%
Utility - Electric	1,500	-	1,500	0.00%
<b>Total Electric Utility Services</b>	<b>31,500</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>31,500</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Other Physical Environment</b>				
Contracts-Aquatic Control	6,680	-	6,680	0.00%
Insurance - General Liability	3,200	-	3,200	0.00%
Landscape Maintenance	6,680	-	6,680	0.00%
<b>Total Other Physical Environment</b>	<b>16,560</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16,560</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Contingency</b>				
Misc-Contingency	12,500	-	12,500	0.00%
<b>Total Contingency</b>	<b>12,500</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12,500</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>165,785</b>	<b>10,007</b>	<b>155,778</b>	<b>6.04%</b>

**HILLCREST PRESERVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT**  
**Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances**  
For the Period Ending October 31, 2024  
General Fund (001)  
*(In Whole Numbers)*

ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	ANNUAL ADOPTED BUDGET	YEAR TO DATE ACTUAL	VARIANCE (\$) FAV(UNFAV)	YTD ACTUAL AS A % OF ADOPTED BUD
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
Over (under) expenditures	-	(10,007)	(10,007)	0.00%
<b>FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING (OCT 1, 2024)</b>		<b>12,722</b>		
<b>FUND BALANCE, ENDING</b>		<b><u>\$ 2,715</u></b>		



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