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CONSERVATION EASEMENT

THIS CONSERVATION EASEMENT is made this 16th day of January, 2001, by CHIMNEY LAKES INVESTMENT COMPANY, a Florida corporation, having an address at 2021 Art Museum Drive, # 210, Jacksonville, Florida 32207 ("Grantor") in favor of the ST. JOHNS RIVER WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT, a public body existing under Chapter 373, Florida Statutes, having a mailing address at P. O. Box 1429, Palatka, Florida 32178-1429 ("Grantee").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Grantor solely owns in fee simple four parcels of land in Duval County, Florida, identified as Conservation Easement 1, Conservation Easement 2, Conservation Easement 3 and Conservation Easement 4, and legally described as such in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein (collectively the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, Grantor grants this conservation easement as a condition of permit # 4-031-64986-1 issued by Grantee; and

WHEREAS, Grantor desires to preserve the Property in its natural condition in perpetuity;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the above and the mutual covenants, terms, conditions and restrictions contained herein, and pursuant to the provisions of Section 704.06, Florida Statutes, Grantor hereby voluntarily grants and conveys to Grantee a conservation easement in perpetuity over each of the parcels constituting the Property, as described in Exhibit "A", of the nature and character and to the extent hereinafter set forth (each being a "Conservation Easement"). Grantor fully warrants title to said Property, and will warrant and defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

- 1. Purpose. The purpose of this Conservation Easement is to assure that the Property will be retained forever in its existing natural condition and to prevent any use of the Property that will impair or interfere with the environmental value of the Property.
- 2. <u>Prohibited Uses.</u> Any activity on or use of the Property inconsistent with the purpose of this Conservation Easement is prohibited. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following activities and uses are expressly prohibited:



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- a. Construction or placing buildings, roads, signs, billboards or other advertising, utilities or other structures on or above the ground.
- b. Dumping or placing soil or other substance or material as landfill or dumping or placing of trash, waste or unsightly or offensive materials.
 - c. Removing or destroying trees, shrubs, or other vegetation.
- d. Excavating, dredging or removing loam, peat, gravel, soil, rock or other material substances in such a manner as to affect the surface.
- e. Surface use, except for purposes that permit the land or water area to remain predominantly in its natural condition.
- f. Activities detrimental to drainage, flood control, water conservation, erosion control, soil conservation, or fish and wildlife habitat preservation.
 - g. Acts or uses detrimental to such retention of land or water areas.
- h. Acts or uses detrimental to the preservation of the structural integrity or physical appearance of sites or properties of historical, architectural, archaeological, or cultural significance.
- 3. Reserved Rights. Grantor reserves unto itself, and its successors and assigns, all rights accruing from its ownership of the Property including the right to engage in or permit or invite others to engage in all uses of the Property, that are not expressly prohibited herein and are not inconsistent with the purpose of this Conservation Easement.
- 4. <u>Rights of Grantee</u>. To accomplish the purposes stated herein, Grantor conveys the following rights to Grantee:
- a. To enter upon and inspect the Property in a reasonable manner and at reasonable times to determine if Grantor or its successors and assigns are complying with the covenants and prohibitions contained in this Conservation Easement.
- b. To proceed at law or in equity to enforce the provisions of this Conservation Easement and the covenants set forth herein, to prevent the occurrence of any of the prohibited activities set forth herein, and require the restoration of areas or features of the Property that may be damaged by any activity inconsistent with this Conservation Easement.
- 5. <u>Grantee's Discretion</u>. Grantee may enforce the terms of this Conservation Easement at its discretion, but if Grantor breaches any term of this Conservation Easement and Grantee does not exercise its rights under this Conservation Easement, Grantee's forbearance shall not be construed to be a waiver by Grantee of such term, or of any subsequent breach of the same, or any other term of this Conservation Easement, or of any of the Grantee's rights under this Conservation Easement. No delay or omission by Grantee in the exercise of any right or remedy upon any breach by Grantor shall impair such right or remedy or be construed as a waiver. Grantee shall not be obligated to Grantor, or to any other person or entity, to enforce the provisions of this Conservation Easement.

- 6. <u>Grantee's Liability</u>. Grantor will assume all liability for any injury or damage to the person or property of third parties which may occur on the Property arising from Grantor's ownership of the Property. Neither Grantors, nor any person or entity claiming by or through Grantors, shall hold Grantee liable for any damage or injury to person or personal property which may occur on the Property.
- 7. Acts Beyond Grantor's Control. Nothing contained in this Conservation Easement shall be construed to entitle Grantee to bring any action against Grantor for any injury to or change in the Property resulting from natural causes beyond Grantor's control, including, without limitation, fire, flood, storm and earth movement, or from any necessary action taken by Grantor under emergency conditions to prevent, abate or mitigate significant injury to the Property or to persons resulting from such causes.
- 8. Recordation. Grantor shall record this Conservation Easement in timely fashion in the Official Records of Duval County, Florida, and shall rerecord it at any time Grantee may require to preserve its rights. Grantor shall pay all recording costs and taxes necessary to record this Conservation Easement in the public records. Grantor will hold Grantee harmless from any recording costs or taxes necessary to record this Conservation Easement in the public records.
- 9. <u>Successors</u>. The covenants, terms, conditions and restrictions of this Conservation Easement shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective personal representatives, heirs, successors and assigns and shall continue as a servitude running in perpetuity with the Property.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor has executed this Conservation Easement on the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered in our presence as witnesses:

GRANTOR:

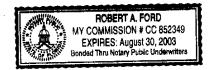
CHIMNEY LAKES INVESTMENT COMPANY, a Florida corporation

Name: Robert A.F.

President

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STATE OF FLORIDA	
COUNTY OF <u>Quiel</u>	
The foregoing instrument was acknowl 2001, byas identification.	edged before me this
	Name:
	Notary Public, State of Florida
	My Commission Expires:



CONSENT AND JOINDER OF MORTGAGEE

The undersigned, First Union National Bank ("First Union"), the mortgagee under that certain Mortgage dated January 20, 2000, recorded in Official Records Book 9527, Page 481 of the public records of Duval County, Florida, as previously modified pursuant to First Mortgage Modification Agreement and Notice of Future Advance dated November 28, 2000, and recorded in Official Records Book 9817, Page 2200 of said records, and First Union as the secured party under that certain UCC-1 Financing Statement recorded in Official Records Book 9527, Page 502 of said records, hereby consents and joins in the foregoing Deed of Conservation Easement, and subordinates its mortgage lien and UCC-1 Financing Statement encumbering all or any part of the Property (as described in the foregoing Deed of Conservation Easement) to the Deed of Conservation Easement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Consent and Joinder is executed by the undersigned this day of January, 2001.		
day of January, 2001.		
Witnesses:		
Name: Hart James Christa B Wood Name: Christa B h wad	FIRST UNION NATIONAL BANK a national banking association By: Dean Shaugand Name: Susan S. Beaugrand Title: Via President	
	"Mortgagee"	
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DUVAL		
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 17th day of January, 2001, by Susan B. Beaugeard, as Urce President of FIRST UNION NATIONAL BANK, a national banking association, who is personally known to me or produced as identification.		
	Susam G. Moore	
	Name: Notary Public, State of Contral My Commission Expires SUSAN G. MOORE COMMISSION #CC 804751 No Commission Expires Jan. 26, 2003 My Commission Expires COMMISSION #CC 804751 No Commission Expires Jan. 26, 2003 CONTRIB THROUGH CECIL W. POWILL CO.	

Exhibit 'A" (The Pupuly)

CONSERVATION EASEMENT NO. 1:

A portion of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 32, and the Southwest 1/4 of Section 33, both in Township 3 South, Range 25 East, Duval County, Florida, being more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at the Southwest corner of Lot 61, as shown on the plat of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 7-B, as recorded in Plat Book 47, Pages 16, 16A, 16B, 16C and 16D of the Current Public Records of said County, said point being situate in the South line of said Southwest ¼ of Section 33; thence South 89°49'34" West, along said South line of the Southwest ¼ a distance of 1,331.73 feet; thence North 12°11'30" West, a distance of 44.78 feet; thence North 16°44'38" East, a distance of 74.77 feet; thence North 66°20'30" West, a distance of 24.46 feet; thence South 78°12'51" West, a distance of 50.81 feet; thence North 32°48'15" West, 53.03 feet; thence North 52°53'42" West, a distance of 76.36 feet; thence North 38°09'53" West, a distance of 65.16 feet; thence North 20°43'20" East, a distance of 53.75 feet; thence North 54°04'00" West, a distance of 144.29 feet; thence North 65°48'20" West, a distance of 84.38 feet; thence North 58°46'31" West, a distance of 32.19 feet; thence North 67°28'36" West, a distance of 63.29 feet; thence North 28°07'47" West, a distance of 30.86 feet; thence North 51°11'33" West, a distance of 33.12 feet; thence North 00°32'39" West, a distance of 17.79 feet; thence North 77°33'46" West, a distance of 12.59 feet; thence South 86°33'54" West, a distance of 43.38 feet; thence North 63°56'18" West, a distance of 39.93 feet; thence North 54°38'23" West, a distance of 73.91 feet; thence North 46°30'17" West, a distance of 41.15 feet; thence North 33°10'46" West, a distance of 48.22 feet; thence North 47°00'36" West, a distance of 38.81 feet; thence North 42°17'02" West, a distance of 64.64 feet; thence North 71°08'42" West, a distance of 40.45 feet; thence North 67°32'47" West, a distance of 40.42 feet; thence North 46°06'29" West, a distance of 29.08 feet; thence North 49°57'38' West, a distance of 35.58 feet; thence North 84°46'02" West, a distance of 50.59 feet; thence North 84°42'37" West, a distance of 44.29 feet; thence North 59°16'33" West, a distance of 64.23 feet; thence North 89°07'21" West, a distance of 99.11 feet; thence North 71°28'12" West, a distance of 82.50 feet; thence North 10°39'37" East, a distance of 58.39 feet; thence North 35°32'33" East, a distance of 80.24 feet; thence South 68°23'06" East, a distance of 60.87 feet; thence North 49°26'28" East, a distance of 48.61 feet; thence North 78°28'08" East, a distance of 53.18 feet; thence South 66°56'31" East, a distance of 68.51 feet; thence South 83°53'18" East, a distance of 57.85 feet; thence North 75°12'43" East, a distance of 85.43 feet; thence South 68°14'29" East, a distance of 49.70 feet; thence South 77°13'09" East, a distance of 46.84 feet; thence South 87°53'15" East, a distance of 70.74 feet; thence South 75°13'22" East, a distance of 28.17 feet; thence South 57°54'23" East, a distance of 42.55 feet; thence South 66°43'37" East, a distance of 46.55 feet; thence South 56°19'47" East, a distance of 45.99 feet; thence North 74°41'58" East, a distance of 40.25 feet; thence South 72°33'26" East, a distance of 50.93 feet; thence South 32°00'52" East, a distance of 21.09 feet; thence South 22°27'06" East, 60.19 feet; thence South 03°16'36" East, 77.99 feet; thence South 12°00'45" East, a distance of 20.22 feet; thence South 42°18'42" East, a distance of 23.88 feet; thence South 48°11'59" East, a distance of 35.58 feet; thence South 80°16'08" East, a distance of 41.60 feet; thence South 56°58'28" East, a distance of 121.03 feet; thence South

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61°40'10" East, a distance of 64.67 feet; thence South 37°06'51" East, a distance of 104.66 feet; thence South 23°50'46" East, a distance of 44.45 feet; thence South 69°12'42" East, a distance of 91.22 feet; thence South 73°16'03" East, a distance of 110.47 feet; thence South 63°16'46" East, a distance of 70.84 feet; thence South 23°27'00" East, a distance of 86.46 feet; thence South 60°31'16" East, a distance of 55.12 feet; thence South 71°23'48" East, a distance of 102.68 feet; thence South 15°41'26" East, a distance of 86.00 feet; thence South 63°00'49" East, a distance of 63.88 feet; thence South 22°40'30" East, a distance of 19.65 feet; thence North 77°09'54" East, a distance of 20.04 feet; thence South 82°47'31" East, a distance of 85.24 feet; thence South 88°26'48" East, a distance of 118.76 feet; thence South 09°57'17" East, a distance of 58.25 feet; thence North 82°50'32" East, a distance of 65.54 feet; thence North 67°07'18" East, a distance of 79.81 feet; thence North 84°51'39" East, a distance of 78.41 feet; thence North 86°29'51" East, a distance of 32.63 feet; thence North 70°30'10" East, a distance of 55.36 feet; thence South 82°45'42" East, a distance of 71.28 feet; thence North 62°07'38" East, a distance of 35.12 feet; thence North 62°43'22" East, a distance of 23.17 feet; thence North 83°45'31" East, a distance of 68.11 feet; thence North 17°41'09" East, a distance of 19.33 feet; thence South 66°41'47" East, a distance of 12.37 feet; thence North 19°14'33" East, a distance of 16.09 feet; thence North 23°59'28" East, a distance of 30.32 feet; thence North 51°30'16" East, a distance of 21.66 feet; thence North 19°50'32" East, a distance of 27.08 feet to a point situate in the Westerly boundary of said plat of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 7-B; thence South 20°52'50" East, along said last mentioned line, a distance of 224.66 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

Containing 12.82 acres, more or less.

CONSERVATION EASEMENT NO. 2:

A portion of the Southwest ¼ of Section 33, Township 3 South, Range 25 East, Duval County, Florida, being more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the Southwest corner of Lot 61, as shown on the plat of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 7-B, as recorded in Plat Book 47, Pages 16, 16A, 16B, 16C and 16D, of the Current Public Records of said County; thence North 20°52'50" West, along the Westerly boundary of said plat of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 7-B, a distance of 426.04 feet for a POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 57°13'19" West, a distance of 2.79 feet; thence North 77°39'33" West, a distance of 83.35 feet; thence North 72°11'24" West, a distance of 42.07 feet; thence North 75°12'28" West, a distance of 29.50 feet; thence South 79°40'15" West, a distance of 28.05 feet; thence South 69°50'28" West, a distance of 27.32 feet; thence North 26°53'17" West, a distance of 30.61 feet; thence South 52°47'37" West, a distance of 16.59 feet; thence South 42°47'48" West, a distance of 21.03 feet; thence South 76°38'42" West, a distance of 32.21 feet; thence North 39°09'07" West, a distance of 32.32 feet; thence North 36°19'49" West, a distance of 32.42 feet; thence North 01°14'27" East, a distance of 69.03 feet; thence North 31°59'50" West, a distance of 53.48 feet; thence North 06°24'31" West, a distance of 75.85 feet; thence North 02°11'18" East, a distance of 42.97 feet; thence North 21°10'00" East, a distance of 76.66 feet; thence North 30°42'06" East, a distance of 30.14 feet; thence North 57°27'38" East, a distance of 56.23 feet; thence North 41°50'29" East, a distance of 34.06 feet to a point situate in said Westerly boundary of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 7-B; thence South 39°51'19" East, along said Westerly boundary line, a distance of 184.47 feet to an angle point in said boundary line: thence South 20°52'50" East, continuing along said Westerly boundary line, a distance of 337.09 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

Containing 2.18 acres, more or less.

CONSERVATION EASEMENT NO. 3:

A portion of the Southwest ¼ of Section 33, Township 3 South, Range 25 East, Duval County, Florida, being more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the Southwest corner of Lot 61, as shown on the plat of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 7-B, as recorded in Plat Book 47, Pages 16, 16A, 16B, 16C and 16D, of the Current Public Records of said County; thence North 20°52'50" West, along the Westerly boundary of said plat of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 7-B, a distance of 763.13 feet to an angle point in said boundary line; thence North 39°51'19" West, a distance of 249.95 feet to an angle point said Westerly boundary line; thence South 76°40'08" West, departing from said Westerly boundary line, a distance of 406.82 feet for a POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 19°44'16" East, a distance of 50.69 feet; thence South 53°44'04" East, a distance of 88.22 feet; thence South 36°06'29" East, a distance of 70.19 feet; thence South 36°13'56" East, a distance of 53.58 feet; thence South 13°24'34" East, a distance of 25.49 feet; thence South 52°39'10" East, a distance of 121.05 feet; thence South 42°42'07" East, a distance of 33.22 feet; thence South 07°38'32" West, a distance of 31.20 feet; thence South 02°56'36" West, a distance of 42.69 feet; thence South 25°35'20" East, a distance of 59.08 feet; thence South 53°56'27" West, a distance of 71.52 feet; thence South 84°47'49" West, a distance of 39.22 feet; thence North 53°06'08" West, a distance of 18.11 feet; thence South 67°46'58" West, a distance of 43.84 feet; thence North 75°17'20" West, a distance of 51.60 feet; thence North 47°51'02" West, a distance of 34.09 feet; thence North 56°17'25" West, a distance of 30.77 feet; thence North 54°49'58" West, a distance of 110.23 feet; thence North 27°54'51" West, a distance of 119.21 feet; thence North 11°24'56" West, a distance of 96.42 feet; thence North 05°50'50" East, a distance of 82.97 feet; thence North 35°14'53" East, a distance of 143.18 feet; thence South 54°45'07" East, a distance of 26.35 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

Containing 2.73 acres, more or less.

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CONSERVATION EASEMENT NO. 4:

A portion of the Southwest ¼ of Section 33, Township 3 South, Range 25 East, Duval County, Florida, being more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the Southwest corner of Lot 26, as shown on the plat of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 15, as recorded in Plat Book 46, Pages 92, 92A, 92B, 92C and 92D, of the Current Public Records of said County; thence North 10°34'47" East, along the Westerly boundary of said plat of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 15, a distance of 136.11 feet for a POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 44°31'16" West, departing from said Westerly boundary line, a distance of 108.56 feet; thence North 52°44'53" West, a distance of 26.81 feet; thence North 07°32'52" West, a distance of 52.55 feet; thence North 19°20'49" West, a distance of 50.21 feet; thence North 23°38'07" West, a distance of 56.77 feet; thence North 02°08'35" West, a distance of 32.44 feet; thence South 89°41'09" West, a distance of 42.86 feet; thence North 57°49'28" West, a distance of 17.43 feet; thence South 48°40'37" West, a distance of 41.36 feet; thence North 20°36'15" West, a distance of 129.51 feet; thence North 17°39'25" West, a distance of 46.27 feet; thence North 12°48'40" East, a distance of 117.21 feet; thence North 47°27'23" East, a distance of 75.83 feet; thence North 52°55'47" East, a distance of 80.04 feet; thence North 24°46'39" East, a distance of 93.48 feet; thence North 49°41'04" East, a distance of 79.59 feet; thence North 14°51'27" East, a distance of 48.34 feet; thence North 36°27'29" East, a distance of 44.48 feet; thence North 45°11'29" East, a distance of 59.76 feet; thence North 65°16'55" East, a distance of 88.57 feet; thence South 89°35'20" East, a distance of 60.80 feet to a point situate in said Westerly boundary line of Argyle Forest Chimney Lakes Unit 15; thence South 10°34'47" West, along said last mentioned line, a distance of 952.15 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

Containing 4.94 acres, more or less.

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