R2019-21: RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT THE DEDICATION OF THOSE CERTAIN ROADWAYS KNOWN AS COLE COURT AND ETHAN DRIVE LOCATED IN THE PLANTATION HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION OFF 38TH AVE N.

<u>Applicant/Purpose:</u> Plantation Heights Property Owners Association, Inc., (owners)/ to accept Cole Court & Ethan Drive into the City's road network.

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Brief:

- Seacoast Communities developed the Planation Heights Subdivision in 2004, which included the construction of two roadways.
- Planation Heights POA has acquired ownership for the roadways (50' rights-of-way) from Seacoast Communities in the Planation Heights Subdivision.
- Planation Heights POA has requested the City take ownership & maintenance for the roadways in Planation Heights Subdivision.
- Public utilities are located within, along, & above the ROW.
- Street complies w/ current standards & construction requirements.
- Owner has provided executed dedication deed for the transfer of roadway.

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Issues:

- While this proposed resolution is consistent w/ long-standing City policy & practice, there are key differences in this request that should be considered:
 - The subdivision was built roughly 20 years ago. That is a much longer period of time than is usually elapses before the City is asked to take over private street maintenance.
 - The community is not gated, but it is walled. The streets in question do not connect to any other street. The benefit to the public is very limited.

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Public Notification: Normal meeting notifications.

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Alternatives: None considered.

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Financial Impact:

- Typical costs associated w/ roadway maintenance.
- As the roads age these costs will increase.

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<u>Manager's Recommendation</u>: I recommend approval, but not without some qualms due to the limited public benefit derived from this action.

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Attachment(s):

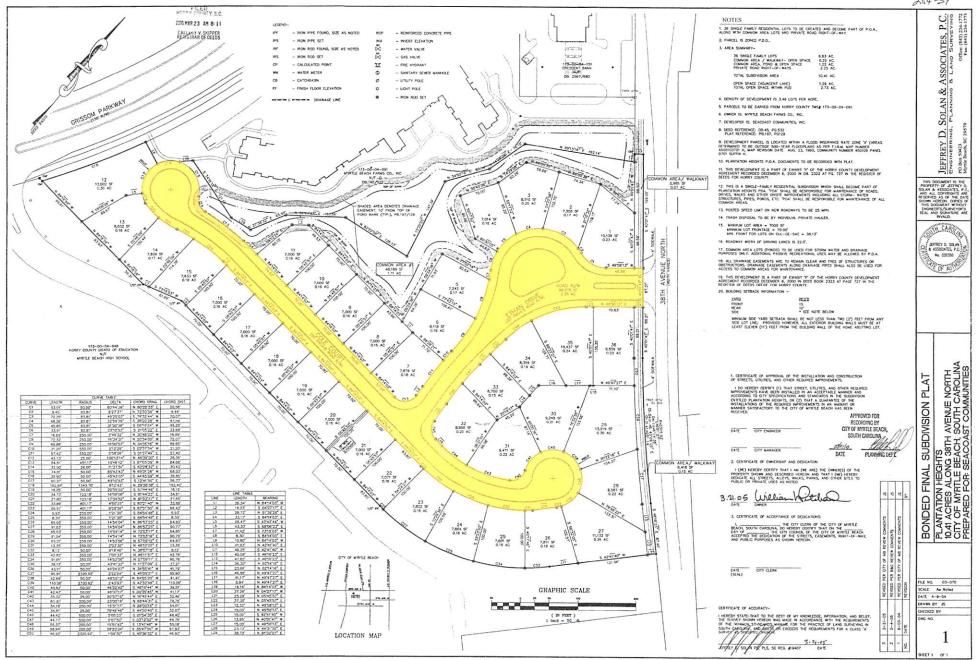
- Proposed Resolution.
- Copy of Subdivision Plat.
- Copy of executed Deed of Dedication.

ı 2 3 RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT THE 4 CITY OF MYRTLE BEACH **DEDICATION OF** 5 COUNTY OF HORRY THOSE CERTAIN **ROADWAYS** 6 STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA KNOWN AS COLE COURT AND 7 ETHAN DRIVE WITHIN THE 8 **PLANATION HEIGHTS** 9 SUBDIVISION OFF 38TH AVE N. 10 11 12 WHEREAS, PLANTATION HEIGHTS PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., has 13 dedicated those certain roadways known as Cole Court and Ethan Drive located in the 14 Planation Heights Subdivision off 38th Ave N. to the public. 15 16 WHEREAS, those certain roadways are shown on the following final plat: "Bonded Final 17 18 Subdivision Plat Plantation Heights, 10.41 Acres Along 38th Avenue North", prepared for Seacoast Communities dated April 09, 2004, recorded March 23, 2005, in Plat Book 204 at 19 Page 39 in the Register of Deeds Office for Horry County, South Carolina, which said roadways 20 being more particularly identified as 50' wide right-of-ways, and shown on the above mentioned 21 final plat; and, 22 23 WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it will benefit the public to accept the dedication of the 24 25 above described roadway. 26 27 NOW THERFORE, it is resolved that the City of Myrtle Beach hereby accepts dedication and responsibility of that certain roadway as described above. 28 29 SIGNED, SEALED and DATED, this 26TH day of March, 2019. 30 31 32 33 34 BRENDA BETHUNE, MAYOR 35 36 37 ATTEST: 38

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JENNIFER STANFORD, CITY CLERK



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)	
)	QUIT CLAIM DEED TO REAL ESTATE
COUNTY OF HORRY)	ROAD DEDICATION

WHEREAS, the Plantation Heights Subdivision by and thru the Plantation Heights Property Owners Association, Inc., (the "Grantor") desires to make dedication of those certain Fifty (50) Foot Private Road Right(s) of Way Plus/Minus within that certain Residential Home Development known as "Plantation Heights" and commonly known as Cole Court and Ethan Drive located within the Corporate Limits of the City of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, a South Carolina body politic (hereinafter the "Grantee"); and,

WHEREAS, the aforementioned streets being quasi-Common Areas within the Grantor's Property Owners Association (the "Association") has required the consent of two-thirds of the property owners within the Association. A copy of the consent forms executed by the thirty-four of the thirty-seven (92%) property owners has been placed of record with the City Clerk of the Grantee for public inspection upon request; and,

WHEREAS, no objections to the request to consent were received by the Association and a Resolution of the Association was passed at a duly called meeting of the Association for the purpose of discussion the dedication of the roads to the Grantee, such Resolution, also being placed of record with the City Clerk of the Grantee for public inspection upon request; and,

WHEREAS, upon investigation, it being deemed proper, the Grantee has agreed to accept the aforementioned streets into the City of Myrtle Beach public works system;

NOW THEREFORE,

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That the Grantor, in consideration of One (\$1.00) and the acceptance of the aforementioned streets known as Cole Court and Ethan Drive as will be more fully described hereafter, and other good and valuable consideration in hand paid the Grantor at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents by the Grantee, whose address is Post Office Box 2468, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina 29578 (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) has remised, released and forever quit-claimed, and by these presents do remise, release and forever quit-claim unto the said Grantee all of our right title and interest in the following described property to wit:

See attached Exhibit A for Legal Description and grant of Easement.

TOGETHER with all and singular the rights, members, hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in anywise incident or appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD all and singular the said premises before mentioned unto the said Grantee its successors and/or assigns, forever so that the said Grantor, its successors and/or assigns, nor any other person or persons, claiming under it, shall at any time hereafter, by any way or means, have, claim or demand any right or title to the aforesaid premises or appurtenances, or any part or parcel thereof, forever.

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Witness under hand and seal this24day ofJanuary in the year of our Lord two thousand						
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of America.						
WITNESSES:						
Wendy Lydn Bailey By: Patricia L. Gordon Its: President						
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA) COUNTY OF HORRY) PROBATE						
PERSONALLY appeared before me the undersigned witness and made oath that s/he saw the within named Plantation Heights Property Owners Association, Inc., by and through its President, sign, seal, and as its act and deed, deliver the within-written Deed; and that s/he with the other witness witnessed the execution thereof and that the subscribing witness is not a beneficiary of the transaction. What hum Bail						
SWORN to before me, this 24 day of January, 2019. Notary Public for South Carolina My Commission Expires 01/12/26 Ashley Beavers Notary Public State of South Carolina My Commission Expires January 12, 2026						
Accepted for Public Dedication, This, the Day of, 2019.						
By: John Pedersen City Manager						
Approved as to Form.						

Thomas Ellenburg City Attorney

STATE OF	SOUTH CAR	ROLINA)		
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PERSONAL	LLY appeare	ed before m	e the undersigned, who being d	uly sworn, deposes and says:	
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misdemear	nor and, upo	on conviction	on, must be fined not more than	affidavit who willfully furnishes a false or fraudule one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than o Responsible Person Connected with the Patricia L. Gordon – President of Grantor	one year, or both.
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Ashley Beavers
Notary Public
State of South Carolina
My Commission Expires January 12, 2026

EXHIBIT A

ALL AND SINGULAR, those certain pieces, parcels, or tracts, of land located within the boundaries of the Right-of-Way of Ethan Drive and Cole Court as shown on that certain Subdivision Plat of Plantation Heights entitled "Bonded Final Subdivision Plat Plantation Heights 10.41 Acres Along 38th Avenue North, City of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina" prepared for Seacoast Communities by Jeffrey D. Solan & Associates, P.C. dated April 9, 2004, and last revised March 21, 2005, and recorded March 23, 2005, in Plat Book 204 at Page in the records of the Register of Deeds for Horry County, South Carolina.

LESS AND EXCEPTING, any portion therein shown and designated as "Common Area/Walkway 6,418 SF, 0.15AC", "Common Area/Walkway 2,2985 SF, 0.07AC", "Common Area #1 48,199 SF, 1.11AC", and that area designated as a landscaping buffer within the Right-of-Way for Ethan Drive as well as any mail kiosk area whether within the road Right-of-Way or not.

NOTWITHSTANDING, the grant herein includes for the benefit of the Grantee, its successors and assigns, a perpetual non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress over and across the properties described above, such including Ethan Drive, Cole Court, and the aforementioned Common Area/Walkway(s) and Common Area#1 for the purpose of ingress/egress and the right to construct, repair, and maintain utility lines and equipment including, but not limited to, water, sewer, electricity, telephone, cable, television, gas, and the right to direct storm water drainage and to construct, repair, and maintain drainage pipes and other drainage facilities.

This being a portion of the same property conveyed to Grantor herein by Deed recorded in Deed Book 3081 at Page 373 and more accurately and further shown in Plat Book 204 at Page 39, such being recorded March 23, 2005, in the records of Horry County, South Carolina.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)	
)	INDEMNITY and HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT
COUNTY OF HORRY)	

This Agreement is executed this <u>24</u> day of January, 2019 by the Plantation Heights Property Owners Association, Inc. (hereinafter, "the Association").

Whereas, the Association has requested the City of Myrtle Beach (hereinafter "the City") to assume the maintenance and other municipal obligations associated with the assumption of the roads within the development commonly known as Plantation Heights; and,

Whereas, the City has agreed to the request of the Association subject to the Association agreeing to provide the indemnity and hold harmless found herein below; and,

Whereas, the Association's Board of Directors met on or about May, 22, 2018, and by unanimous consent agreed to provide such documents as may be necessary by the City to affect the assumption of the roads by the City.

NOW THEREFORE.

For and in consideration of City's agreement to assume the maintenance and other typical municipal obligations commensurate with Ethan Drive and Cole Court within the Plantation Heights Development, the Association hereby provides a complete and unconditional release and hold harmless in conjunction with the City's assumption of the maintenance of the roads and storm water management within Plantation Heights. The Association in doing so, acknowledges that it shall retain sole responsibility for the upkeep and maintenance of the mailbox kiosk(s) within the development regardless of the location within the road right-of-way as well as retaining all responsibility for maintenance of all neighborhood signage, entry-way features, and lighting standards; it being noted that should the Association request the City to make replacement of any lighting or street signs, such shall be replaced with City standard sign/pole replacements. Furthermore, the Association shall indemnify and hold the City harmless from any matters related to encroachments related to the community wall that encroaches into the road right-of-way. Lastly, the Association does this date agree to release and hold harmless the City from any loss, cost, or expense it may incur as a result of any circumstance related to or in conjunction with any matter occurring prior to the City's assumption of the rights-of-way described within the attached Deed (see Exhibit "A").

In witness whereof, this document has been executed on the date first above written.

Plantation Heights Property Owners Association, Inc.

Wendy Lynn Bailey

By: Patricia L. Gordon

Its: President

Acknowledgment

County of Horry

Inder S.C. Codes 30-5-30(c)

I, Ashley Beavers

Patricia L. Gordon, personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of January 2019.

Notary Public of South Carolina

My Commission Expires: 01/12/26

Ashley Beavers Notary Public State of South Carolina My Commission Expires January 12, 2026