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TYPE OF RECORD:	PERMANENT
CATEGORY OF RECORD:	MAINTENANCE GUARANTEE
NAME OF CONTRACTOR:	WHITE WILLOWS DEVELOPERS
PROJECT/SUBDIVISION:	WHITE WILLOWS – FILING #1
LOCATION:	2851 D ROAD
TAX PARCEL #:	2943-191-00-006
FILE #:	VR-2001-059
CITY DEPARTMENT:	PUBLIC WORKS AND PLANNING
YEAR:	2003
EXPIRATION DATE:	NONE
DESTRUCTION DATE:	NONE

MAINTENANCE GUARANTEE

1. **Parties:** The parties to this Maintenance Guarantee ("the Guarantee" or "Guarantee") are White Willows Development ^{Home Owners} (the Developer) and the City of Grand Junction, Colorado ("the City" or "City"). Collectively the Developer and the City may be referred to as the Parties.

FOR valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

2. **Effective Date:** The Effective Date of the Guarantee will be the date that it is signed and accepted by the City.

RECITALS

The Developer has constructed, installed and is required to warrant and maintain certain improvements ("Improvements" or "the Improvements") which were made necessary by virtue of development on property within the City. The Property, known as WHITE WILLOWS - FILING 1 has been reviewed and approved under Community Development file # VAR-2001-059 and as necessary or required to construe this guarantee, that file(s) is incorporated by this reference.

The City seeks to protect the health, safety and general welfare of the community by requiring that the Improvements, once constructed, be maintained. The purpose of this guarantee is to protect the City from having to repair the Improvements at its cost. The Agreement is not executed for the benefit of materialmen, laborers or others providing work, services or material to the Developer and/or the Property or for the benefit of the owners, purchasers or users of the Property. The mutual promises, covenants and obligations contained in this guarantee are authorized by law, the Colorado Constitution, the Charter and the City's ordinances.

DEVELOPER'S OBLIGATION

3. **Improvements:** The Developer or its successor(s) or assign(s) shall maintain and guarantee the Improvements, at his/her/its own expense, against defects in workmanship and materials for a period of one year from the date of City acceptance of the Improvements. The Developer's obligation is and will be independent of any obligations of the City.

4. **Security:** To secure the performance of its obligations the Developer is required to post security in an amount of \$ 15,000 - (Line G2, Exhibit B, City Security).

4a. The Developer has posted security to guarantee the Improvements in an amount, form and with terms acceptable to the City.

4b. In addition to that security all warranties and/or guarantees (those incident to construction or as provided by the contractor and/or manufacturer of installed equipment) are hereby assigned to the City.

4c. The Developer shall to the extent necessary or required by the City take whatever action is necessary or required to assign all warranties and/or guarantees (those incident to construction or as provided by the contractor and/or manufacturer of installed equipment) to the City. A copy of those warranties or a memorandum of the same is attached as Exhibit A.

4d. The Developer for itself, its successors and assigns agrees that if the Improvements are not maintained to City standards that the City shall notify the Developer in writing of the defect(s) in accordance with paragraph 8 hereof.

5. **Standards:** The Developer shall maintain the Improvements according to the standards and specifications required by the City or as otherwise established by the City Engineer.

6. **Warranty:** The Developer hereby warrants that the Improvements, each and every one of them, will be maintained in accordance with the Standards in paragraph 5 for the period of this guarantee.

7. **Compliance with Law:** The Developer shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances and regulations in effect at the time of final approval when fulfilling its obligations under this guarantee. When necessary to protect the public health, safety or welfare, the Developer shall be subject to laws, ordinances and regulations that become effective after acceptance of the Improvements.

8. **Notice of Defect/Default:** The City shall provide timely notice to the Developer whenever routine inspection reveals that an Improvement and/or maintenance of the same does not conform to City standards and any specifications approved or required in or by the development or that an Improvement(s) is otherwise defective.

8a. As provided herein the City shall provide written notice to the Developer at the address stated in paragraph 22. Notice is and shall be deemed effective

12. Measure of Cost/Expenses: The measure of costs and or expenses chargeable by the City under this guarantee will be the reasonable cost of satisfactorily repairing and/or replacing the Improvements plus reasonable City administrative expenses (in the amount of 20% of the repair, replacement and/or warranty work) all of which may exceed the amount of the security provided for in paragraph 4. The amount of the security provided for in paragraph 4 does not set, limit, establish or provide the Developer's maximum financial obligation.

12a. City administrative expenses for which the Developer is obligated to pay include but are not limited to personnel costs, including benefits, overtime, callback, standby and other extraordinary compensation, materials, equipment, third-party contracting costs, collection costs and the value of engineering, legal and administrative staff time devoted to the repair and/or replacement of the Improvements and/or enforcement of this guarantee and all initial warranty(ies) or guarantee(s) assigned to the City by the Developer.

13. City's Rights: When any defect or default occurs, the City may after notice and the Developer's failure and/or refusal to repair or replace the Improvements, proceed to collect the amount of the cost or expense incidental or necessary to affect the repair or replacement of the Improvements. The City will have the right to reconstruct, rebuild or otherwise maintain Improvements itself or it may contract with a third party for completion and the Developer grants to the City, its successors, assigns, agents, contractors, and employees, a nonexclusive right and easement to enter the Property for the purposes of constructing, reconstructing, maintaining and repairing such Improvements. This remedy is cumulative in nature and is in addition to any other remedy the City has at law or in equity.

14. Indemnification: The Developer expressly agrees to indemnify and hold the City, its officers, employees, agents and assigns harmless from and against all claims, costs and liabilities of every kind and nature, for injury or damage received or sustained by any person or entity in connection with, or on account of the performance or non-performance of work at the Property pursuant to this Agreement. The Developer further agrees to aid and defend the City in the event that the City is named as a defendant in an action concerning the performance or non-performance of work pursuant to this guarantee. The Developer further agrees to aid and defend the City in the event that the City is named as a defendant in an action concerning the performance of work pursuant to this guarantee except where such suit is brought by the Developer against the City. The Developer is, however, not an agent or employee of the City.

15. **No Waiver:** No waiver of any provision of this Agreement by the City will be deemed to or constitute a waiver of any other provision, nor will it be deemed to or constitute a continuing waiver unless expressly provided for by a written amendment to this Agreement signed by both the City and the Developer; nor will the waiver of any defect or default under this guarantee be deemed a waiver of any subsequent defect(s) or default(s) of the same type. The City's failure to exercise any right under this Agreement will not constitute the approval of any wrongful act by the Developer or the acceptance of any defect(s), defaults(s) or Improvement(s).

16. **Amendment or Modification:** The Parties may amend or modify the Agreement only by written instrument executed on behalf of the City by the Public Works and Utilities Director or his designee and by the Developer or his authorized officer. Such amendment or modification shall be properly notarized before it may be deemed effective.

17. **Attorney's Fees:** Should either party be required to resort to litigation to enforce the terms of this guarantee, the prevailing party, plaintiff or defendant, will be entitled to costs, including reasonable attorney's fees and expert witness fees, from the opposing party. If relief is awarded to both parties, the attorney's fees may be equitably divided between the parties by the decision-maker. The value of the City's in-house legal counsel is agreed to be \$125.00 per hour.

18. **Integration:** This guarantee, together with the exhibits and attachments thereto constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties and no statement(s), promise(s) or inducement(s) that is/are not contained in this agreement will be binding on the parties.

19. **Third Party Rights:** No person or entity who or which is not a party to this agreement will have any right of action under this agreement.

20. **Severability:** If any part, term or provision of this guarantee is held by a court or courts of competent jurisdiction to be illegal or otherwise unenforceable, such illegality or unenforceability will not affect the validity of any other part, term, or provision and the right of the parties will be construed as if the part, term or provision was never part of the agreement.

21. **Benefits:** The benefits of this agreement to the Developer are personal and may not be assigned without the express written approval of the City. Such approval may not be unreasonably withheld, but any unapproved assignment is void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the burdens of this agreement are

personal obligations of the Developer and also will be binding on the heirs, successors and assigns of the Developer and shall be a covenant(s) running with

the Property. There is no prohibition on the City to assign its rights under this agreement. The City will expressly release the original Developer's guarantee or obligations if it accepts new security from any Developer or lender who obtains the Property; however, no other act of the City will constitute a release of the original Developer from his liability under this agreement.

22. Notice: Any notice required or permitted by this Agreement will be deemed effective two calendar days after deposit with the United States Postal Service, first class, postage prepaid and addressed as follows:

If to Developer: White Willows Developers Name -Developer/Company
of Grand Junction, Inc Address (Street and Mailing)
3129-B Rd
Grand Junction Inc City, State & Zip Code
(970) 434-7688 Telephone and Fax Numbers
(970) 640-2113
_____ E-mail

If to City: Office of the City Attorney
250 North 5th Street
Grand Junction, CO 81501

Cc: Public Works and Utilities Department
250 North 5th Street
Grand Junction, CO 81501

23. Recordation: Developer will pay for all costs to record a memorandum of this guarantee in the Clerk and Recorder's Office of Mesa County, Colorado.

24. Immunity: Nothing contained in this agreement constitutes a waiver of the City's sovereign or other immunity under any applicable law.

25. Personal Jurisdiction and Venue: Personal jurisdiction and venue for any action commenced by either party to this agreement whether arising out of or relating to the agreement, will be deemed to be proper only if such action is commenced in Mesa County, Colorado. The Developer expressly waives his right to bring such action in or to remove such action to any other court whether state or federal.

By:

White willows developers 11-13-03
Developer of Grand Junction Inc. Date

Name (printed): Gene Patnode

Title (position): Sec - Treasurer

Attest: Gene Patnode

Secretary Date

City of Grand Junction

Pat Reid 11/18/03
Project Planner Date

Engl 11/18/03
Dept. of Public Works and Utilities Date

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6/13/2003

**DISBURSEMENT AGREEMENT
(Improvements Guarantee)**

DEVELOPER:

BANK:

PROPERTY:

DISBURSEMENT AMOUNT: For the construction of improvements to the Property in an amount not to exceed \$ 21,000.00

This Agreement is entered into by and between White Willows ("Developer"), FNBR ("Bank") and the City of Grand Junction, Colorado ("City").

RECITALS

Developer has been required by the City to construct certain improvements to White Willows Sub., Phase I ("Improvements") in accordance with the Zoning and Development Code, Improvements Agreement and subdivision approval.

The Bank has agreed to loan funds to the Developer for construction of the Improvements.

The City Engineer has approved an estimate of the costs of the Improvements and that amount or an amount not to exceed \$ 21,000, whichever is greater, shall be referred to as the "Funds."

The parties desire to secure the full and complete performance of the Developer's obligations and to secure that the Funds are disbursed only to pay for the Improvements.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE PARTIES AGREE:

1. **BANK PROMISES.** Bank shall dedicate or set aside the Funds on behalf of Developer and for the City's benefit within twenty-four hours of execution of this Disbursement Agreement.

Bank warrants that the Funds are to be held in trust solely to secure Developer's obligations under the Improvements Agreement; that the Bank shall act as agent of the City in holding the Funds; that the Funds will not be paid out or disbursed to, or on behalf of, the Developer except as set forth in this document and/or as set forth in the Improvements Agreement; and that the Bank may not modify or revoke its obligation to disburse funds to or on behalf of the Developer or the City. The Bank warrants that the Funds are and will be available exclusively for payment of the costs of satisfactory completion of the Improvements.

2. **DISBURSEMENT PROCEDURES.** The Funds shall be advanced for payment of costs incurred for the construction of Improvements on the Property in accordance with the Improvements List/Detail attached to the Improvements Agreement, the terms of which are incorporated by this reference. All disbursements must comply with the following procedures:

(a) **Request for Advance.** Developer shall deliver to the Bank a written request for the disbursement of funds on forms acceptable to the Bank. Such requests shall be signed by Developer, Developer's General Contractor, Project Engineer and Architect, if applicable, and the City Engineer. By signing the request for disbursement the Developer is certifying that all costs for which the advance is being requested have been incurred in connection with the construction of the Improvements on the Property; that all work performed and materials supplied are in accordance with the plans and specifications submitted to and approved by the City; that the work has been performed in a workmanlike manner; that no funds are being requested for work not completed, nor for material not installed; the Project Engineer has inspected the Improvements for which payment is requested; and that such improvements have been completed in accordance with all terms, specifications and conditions of the approved plans. Attached hereto is the list of those individuals, and their respective signatures, required to sign the above described request(s) for disbursement of funds.

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(b) **Documentation, Waivers and Checks.** Each request for disbursement of funds shall be accompanied by: (i) one original and one copy of each invoice to be paid; (ii) checks drawn on Developer's construction loan account with the Bank, made payable to the payee(s) and for the amount of each invoice presented for payment; (iii) lien waivers in a form approved by the Bank prepared for signature by each payee; and (iv) postage paid envelopes addressed to each payee for the mailing of checks presented to the Bank.

The Bank shall verify its receipt of all lien waivers relating to any prior disbursements, which lien waivers shall be properly executed and contain no alterations or modifications from those lien waivers that have been previously presented to the Bank.

Upon approval by Developer, the Project Engineer and the Bank of the invoices being presented to the Bank, the Bank shall advance funds into the checking account designated for the payment of the invoices and mail the checks to the payee(s) in the envelopes presented to the Bank, together with lien waivers and copies of supporting invoices.

Under no circumstances shall the Bank make a disbursement for the payment of an invoice if it in good faith believes that: (i) the work has not been completed; (ii) the work has not been completed in a workmanlike manner; (iii) written approval has not been received from the Project Engineer; or (iv) any lien waiver has been altered or modified or has not been returned to the Bank.

(c) **Default.** Upon default of the Developer on any obligation to the Bank or under the Improvements Agreement, the Bank shall disburse no funds to, or at the direction of, the Developer except to the City under the terms of the Improvements Agreement. The Bank shall immediately notify the City, in writing, of any event of default or event of default as provided for in the Improvements Agreement and/or as provided herein.

(d) **Disbursement to City.** In the event the Improvements are not satisfactorily and timely constructed, or upon any default or event of default, the City Engineer shall notify the Bank to immediately cease disbursement of funds to the Developer and disburse the full amount of the remaining undisbursed funds to the City. Upon such notice, the Bank shall promptly honor the demand of the City Engineer to disburse the Funds to the City or a third party or parties designated in writing by the City. Upon final completion and acceptance of the performance required under the Improvements Agreement, the City shall refund to the Bank any funds disbursed, if any, which are not actually expended to pay all costs, expenses and liabilities, including attorney fees, incurred in completing the Improvements.

3. **DEVELOPER CONSENT:** The Developer, by the signature of Gene Petrone (name & title), consents to disbursements and other actions authorized and provided for by the terms of this Agreement and/or the Improvements Agreement.

4. **LIABILITY FOR LOSS:** If the Bank fails to disburse funds in accordance with the procedures set forth, and the City suffers loss or damage, the Bank shall be liable to the City for the City's direct and consequential damages and all fees, costs and expenses, including attorneys fees.

5. **BINDING EFFECT:** This Agreement shall be binding on the heirs, successors, receivers and assigns of all parties and shall terminate when the City has accepted the Improvements and has recorded a release of the Improvements Agreement.

6. **IMMUNITY:** Nothing contained in this Agreement constitutes a waiver of the City's sovereign immunity under applicable state law.

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Dated this 14th day of November, 2003

(BANK) First National Bank of the Rockies
By: Bruce L. Penny, Vice President
Title: BRUCE L. PENNY, VICE PRESIDENT
2452 Hwy 6850, Grand Junction, CO. 81501
Address

(DEVELOPER)
By: Gene Patnode (Sec-Treas)
Title
3129-B-Rd-H.J-81503
Address

CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION
By: [Signature]
Director of Community Development

Pursuant to the terms of the foregoing Disbursement Agreement (Improvements Guarantee) by and between Gene Patnode Developer, First National Bank of the Rockies as Bank, and the City of Grand Junction, the following are the individuals authorized to sign written requests for the disbursement of the Funds:

DEVELOPER:
White Willows Developers Fnc.
(name) (signature)
Gene Patnode 11/14/03
(name) (signature)

(name) (signature)

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DEVELOPER'S GENERAL CONTRACTOR:

(name) (signature)

DEVELOPER'S PROJECT ENGINEER:

VISTA ENGR CORP. Paul M. O'Connell 11/14/03
(name) (signature)

DEVELOPER'S ARCHITECT:

(name) (signature)

CITY ENGINEER:

ERIC HAHN [Signature] 11/10/03
(name) (signature)

File Name: disburse
revised: September 18, 2003

**RECORDING MEMORANDUM
Exhibit D**

City of Grand Junction
Community Development Department
File: # VAR-2001-C

VR-2001-259
White Skilrows
2851 N. Rd.
2943-191-00-006

This memorandum relates to and confirms that c Agreement and/or Maintenance Guarantee concern The Agreement is by and between Gene Patnode and the City of Grand Junction (City) pertaining to (Project), located at D ROAD

(Subject subdivision is more particularly depicted a at Plat Book 19, Pages 39-41.)

The Developer of the Project was required by law to install and construct certain public and private improvements, the completion of which was guaranteed by a Development Improvements Agreement and/or Maintenance Guarantee. The Project is required to be constructed in accordance with the approval by the City pursuant to and in accordance with the Zoning and Development Code all as more fully detailed and described in City of Grand Junction development file # VAR-2001-059.

The Developer and the City of Grand Junction by and through the signatures of the undersigned have determined and agreed to the type, quality and amount of improvements required and/or necessitated by the approval of the Project and that the improvements are guaranteed by and through the Development Improvements Agreement and /or Maintenance Guarantee. Furthermore, the Developer and the City agree that the Development Improvements Agreement and/or Maintenance Guarantee are contractual in nature and that the obligations under the Development Improvements Agreement and/or Maintenance Guarantee shall not be assigned except as provided in the agreement(s).

By virtue of this notice being recorded in the land records of the Mesa County Clerk and Recorder, subsequent owners and/or those that claim by, through or under the Developer are on notice of the Developer's obligations under the agreement(s).

NOW THEREFORE, the Developer and an official of the City of Grand Junction, both possessing and representing by their signatures that they possess sufficient authority, do hereby memorialize the relative, rights and obligations contained in the Development Improvement Agreement and/or Maintenance Guarantee herein characterized.

DEVELOPER:

By: Gene Patnode 11-13-03
Date

(Print Name) Gene Patnode

CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION:

In accordance with the above, I hereby certify that the Development Improvement Agreement and/or Maintenance Guarantee are made of record by this memorandum and that the same may be inspected and/or copied at the City of Grand Junction, Community Development Department, 250 N. 5th Street, Grand Junction Colorado.

Pat Ceil 11/18/03
Community Development Department Date