

ASSOCIATION DISCLOSURE PACKET NOTICE

Note to prospective purchasers: The lot you are considering purchasing is in a development which is subject to the provisions of the Virginia Property Owners' Association Act. Living in a community association carries with it certain rights, responsibilities and benefits.

Some of the benefits include the right to use common areas, which may include swimming pools, parks, playgrounds and other recreational facilities. In order to finance the operation of the community, each owner is responsible for and obligated to pay regular assessments, and if necessary, special assessments to ensure that the financial requirements are met. Failure to pay any of these assessments may result in a lien being placed on your property.

The use of common areas, financial obligations of lot owners' and other information concerning the rights, responsibilities and benefits resulting from the purchase of a lot in this common interest community are subject to the provisions of governing documents that typically include a declaration, bylaws, articles of incorporation and rules and regulations. These documents play an important role in association living and should be reviewed carefully prior to your purchase.

Some decisions of your association will be made by the board of directors, while others will be made by a vote of all association members, made up of the other lot owners in your development. You will be bound by all decisions of the association and the board of directors. The documents cited above contain information concerning the selection of members of the board of directors, meetings, voting requirements, and other important information you should become familiar with. **REMEMBER:** Failure to comply with the governing documents of your association can result in legal action being taken against you.

You may wish to become active in your association, either by running for the board of directors or by serving on a committee. Your involvement is important, as you will be bound by all decisions of the association and the board of directors.

The name of your association is: _____

Lot number and address: _____

Assessments and/or Mandatory Fees you are responsible for:

Assessments: _____ per _____

Special assessments: _____

Other entity or facility: _____

Other fees: _____

Failure to pay any of the above Assessments and/or mandatory Fees may result in nonjudicial foreclosure on your property or the following: _____

ALL DOCUMENTS AND INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS DISCLOSURE PACKET PLAY AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN LIVING WITHIN A COMMON INTEREST COMMUNITY AND SHOULD BE REVIEWED CAREFULLY PRIOR TO YOUR PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY. A LIST OF THOSE DOCUMENTS YOU ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROPERTY OWNERS' ASSOCIATION ACT IS PRINTED ON THE BACK OF THIS NOTICE.

Recipient Name (print): _____

Recipient signature: _____

Date: _____

This form was developed by the Virginia Real Estate Board in accordance with § 54.1-2105.1 of the Code of Virginia and is to accompany the association packet required by Section 55-512 of the *Code of Virginia*.