BY-LAWS

<u>OF</u>

FOREST BROOK HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

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ARTICLE I

NAME, MEMBERSHIP, APPLICABILITY AND DEFINITIONS

Section 1. Name. The name of the Association shall be Forest Brook Homeowners Association, Inc. (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Association").

Section 2. Membership. The Association shall have one class of membership, as more fully set forth in that certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Forest Brook Recreation Facilities (said Declaration, as amended, renewed or extended from time to time, is hereinafter sometimes referred to as "the Declaration"), the terms of which pertaining to membership are specifically incorporated by reference herein.

Section 3. <u>Definitions</u>. The words used in these By-Laws shall have the same meaning as set forth in said Declaration unless the context shall prohibit.

ARTICLE II

MEETINGS, QUORUM, VOTING, PROXIES

Section 1. Place of Meetings. Meetings of the Association shall be held at the principal office of the Association or at such other suitable place convenient to the Members as may be designated by the Board of Directors.

Section 2. Annual Meetings. The Association shall meet annually at least thirty (30) days prior to the close of the fiscal year as herein provided or initially set by the Board of Directors. After the first annual meeting, the succeeding meetings shall be held on the anniversary date or within one week thereof in each year on such day as may be formally set by the Board.

Section 3. Special Meetings. It shall be the duty of the President to call a special meeting of the Association if so directed by resolution of the Board of Directors or upon a petition signed by at least twenty-five (25%) percent of the votes of the members of the Association. The notice of any special meeting shall state the time and place of such meeting and the purpose thereof. No business shall be transacted at a special meeting except as stated in the notice.

Section 4. Notice of Meetings. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to mail or to cause to be delivered to each Owner's lot a notice of each annual or special meeting of the Association stating the purpose of such meeting as well as the time and place where it is to be held; if an Owner wishes notice to be given at an address other than his or her lot, the Owner shall have designated by notice in writing to the Secretary such other address. The mailing or delivering of a notice of meeting in the manner provided in this Section shall be considered service of notice. Notices shall be served not less than 10 nor more than 30 days before a meeting.

Section 5. Adjournment of Meetings. If any meetings of the Associaton cannot be held because a quorum is not present, a majority of the Owners who are present at such meeting either in person or by proxy, may adjourn the meeting to a time not less than forty-eight (48) hours from the time the original meeting was called. At such adjourned meeting at which a quorum is present, any business which might have been transacted at the meeting originally called may be transacted without further notice.

Section 6. <u>Voting</u>. The voting rights of the members shall be as set forth in the Declaration and such voting rights provisions are specifically incorporated here.

Section 7. Proxies. A vote may be cast in person or by proxy. Proxies may be given to any person and shall be valid only for the particular meeting designated therein and must be filed in a signed writing with the Secretary before the appointed time of the meeting.

Section 8. Majority of Owners. As used in these By-Laws, the term "majority" shall mean those votes, Owners, or other group as the context may indicate totaling more than fifty (50%) percent of the whole.

Section 9. Quorum. Except as otherwise provided in these By-Laws or in the Declaration, the presence in person or by proxy of one-third of the Owners shall constitute a quorum

at all meetings of the Association. In the event a quorum is not present, another meeting may be called subject to the same notice requirement, and the required quorum at the subsequent meeting shall be one-half (1/2) of the required quorum at the first meeting. No such subsequent meeting shall be held more than sixty (60) days following the original meeting. Any provision in the Declaration concerning quorums is specifically incorporated herein.

Section 10. Conduct of Meetings. The President shall preside over all meetings of the Association and the Secretary shall keep the minutes of the meeting and record in a minute book all resolutions adopted by the meeting as well as a record of all transactions occurring thereat. Robert's Rules of Order (current edition) shall govern the conduct of all meetings of the Association when not in conflict with the Declaration or By-Laws.

ARTICLE III

BOARD OF DIRECTORS, NUMBER, POWERS, MEETINGS

Section 1. Governing Body. The affairs of the Association shall be governed by a Board of Directors.

Section 2. Number of Directors. There shall be five (5) Directors in the Association.

Section 3. Nomination of Directors. Nominations for election, except at the first annual meeting, to the Board of Directors shall be made by a Nominating Committee. The

Nominating Committee shall consist of a Chairman, who shall be a member of the Board of Directors, and two or more members of the Association. The Nominating Committee shall be appointed by the Board of Directors not less than thirty (30) days prior to each annual meeting of the members to serve from the close of such annual meeting until the close of the next annual meeting, and such appointment shall be announced at each such annual meeting. The Nominating Committee shall make as many nominations for election to the Board of Directors as it shall in its discretion determine but in no event less than the number of vacancies or terms to be filled. Nominations shall be permitted from the floor.

Section 4. Election and Term of Office. At the initial annual meeting of the membership and at each annual meeting of the membership thereafter, Directors shall be elected. The initial term of two Directors shall be fixed at one year and the initial term of three Directors shall be fixed at two years.

At the expiration of the initial term of office of each respective member of the Board of Directors, a successor shall be elected to serve a term of two years. The members of the Board of Directors shall hold office until their respective successors shall have been elected by the Association.

Section 5. Removal of Directors. At any regular or special meeting of the Association duly called, any one or more

of the members of the Board of Directors may be removed with or without cause by a majority of the Owners of Residential Units and a successor may then and there be elected to fill the vacancy thus created. Any Director whose removal has been proposed by the Owners of Residential Units shall be given at least ten (10) days notice of the calling of the meeting and the purpose thereof and shall be given an opportunity to be heard at the meeting.

Section 6. Vacancies. Vacancies in the Board of Directors caused by any reason other than the removal of a Director by a vote of the Association shall be filled by a vote of a majority of the remaining Directors at a special meeting of the Board of Directors held for that purpose promptly after the occurrence of any such vacancy, even though the Directors present at such meeting may constitute less than a quorum; and each person so elected shall be a member of the Board of Directors for the remainder of the term of the member so removed and until a successor shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Association, at which time such Director's position would be filled in accordance with Section 3 of this Article III.

Section 7. Organization Meeting. The first meeting of the members of the Board of Directors following each annual meeting of the membership shall be held within ten (10) days thereafter at such time and place as shall be fixed by the Board and no formal notice shall be necessary to the newly

elected members of the Board of Directors in order legally to constitute such meeting, providing a majority of the whole Board of Directors shall be present thereat.

Section 8. Regular Meeting. Regular meetings of the Board of Directors may be held at such time and place as shall be determined from time to time by a majority of the Directors, but at least four such meetings shall be held during each fiscal year with at least one per quarter.

Section 9. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by the President upon five (5) days' notice to each Director, given personally or by mail or telegraph or telephone, which notice shall state the time, place and purpose of the meeting. Special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be called by the President or Secretary in like manner and on like notice upon the written request of at least two (2) Directors.

Section 10. Waiver of Notice. Any Director may, at any time, in writing, waive notice of the meeting of the Board of Directors and such waiver shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of such notice. Attendance by a Director at any meeting of the Board of Directors shall constitute a waiver of notice by her or him of the time, place and purpose of such meeting. If all Directors are present at any meeting of the Board of Directors, no notice shall be required and any business may be transacted at such meeting.

Section 11. Quorum of Board of Directors. At all meetings of the Board of Directors, a majority of the Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and the votes of a majority of the Directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall constitute the decision of the Board of Directors. If at any meeting of the Board of Directors there shall be less than a quorum present, a majority of those present may adjourn the meeting from time to time. At such adjourned meeting at which a quorum is present, any business which might have been transacted at the meeting originally called may be transacted without further notice.

Section 12. Compensation. No Director shall receive any compensation from the Association for acting as such unless approved by the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the Association.

Section 13. Conduct of Meetings. The President shall preside over all meetings of the Board of Directors and the Secretary shall keep a minute book of the Board of Directors, recording therein all resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors and a record of all transactions and proceedings occurring at such meetings. Robert's Rules of Order (current edition) shall govern the conduct of the meetings of the Board of Directors when not in conflict with the Declaration or these By-Laws.

Section 14. Powers. The Board of Directors shall be responsible for the affairs of the Association and shall have

all of the powers and duties necessary for the administration of the Association's affairs and as provided by law, may do all acts and things as are not by the Declaration, Articles, or these By-Laws directed to be done and exercised exclusively by the members. The Board shall have the power to adopt rules and regulations deemed necessary and to impose sanctions for violation thereof, including, without limitation, fines.

Section 15. Action Without a Formal Meeting. Any action to be taken at a meeting of the Directors or any action that may be taken at a meeting of the Directors may be taken without a meeting if a consent in writing, setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by all of the Directors.

ARTICLE IV

OFFICERS

Section 1. Officers. The officers of the Association shall be a President, one Vice President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. The Board of Directors may elect such other officers, including one or more Assistant Secretaries and one or more Assistant Treasurers, as it shall deem desirable, such officers to have the authority and perform the duties prescribed from time to time by the Board of Directors. Any two or more offices may be held by the same person, excepting the offices of President and Secretary. The President and Treasurer shall be elected from among the members of the Board of Directors.

Section 2. Election, Term of Office and Vacancies.

The Officers of the Association shall be elected annually by the Board of Directors at the first meeting of the Board of Directors following each annual meeting of the members as herein set forth in Article III. A vacancy in any office arising because of death, resignation, removal or otherwise may be filled by the Board of Directors for the unexpired portion of the term.

Section 3. Removal. Any officer may be removed by the Board of Directors whenever, in its judgement, the best interest of the Association will be served thereby.

Section 4. Powers and Duties. The officers of the Association shall each have such powers and duties as generally pertain to their respective offices, as well as such powers and duties as may from time to time be specifically conferred or imposed by the Board of Directors. The President shall be chief executive officer of the Association. The Treasurer shall have primary responsibility for the preparation of the budget as provided for in the Declaration and may delegate all or part of the preparation and notification duties to a finance committee, management agent, or both.

Section 5. Resignation. Any officer may resign at any time by giving written notice to the Board of Directors, the President or the Secretary. Such resignation shall take

effect on the date of the receipt of such notice or at any later time specified therein, and unless otherwise specified therein, the acceptance of such resignation shall not be necessary to make it effective.

ARTICLE V

COMMITTEES

Committees to perform such tasks and to serve for such periods as may be designated by resolution adopted by a majority of the Directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present are hereby authorized. Such committees shall perform such duties and have such powers as may be provided in the resolution. Each committee shall be composed as required by law and shall operate in accordance with the terms of the resolution of the Board of Directors designating the committee or with rules adopted by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VI

MISCELLANEOUS

Section 1. Fiscal Year. The initial fiscal year of the Association shall be set by resolution of the Board of Directors.

Section 2. Parliamentary Rules. Robert's Rules of
Order (current edition) shall govern the conduct of Association
proceedings when not in conflict with laws of the State of
Georgia, the Articles of Incorporation, the Declaration, or
these By-Laws.

Section 3. Conflicts. If there are conflicts or inconsistencies between the provisions of Georgia law, the Articles of Incorporation, the Declaration, and these By-Laws, the provisions of Georgia law, the Declaration and the Articles of Incorporation and the By-Laws (in that order) shall prevail.

Section 4. Books and Records. The books, records and papers of the Association shall at all reasonable times be subject to inspection by any member of the Association upon reasonable notice at the Association's principal place of business.

Section 5. Amendment. These By-Laws may be amended by the members of the Association at any regular or special meeting duly called for that purpose by the affirmative vote of a majority of the votes which the members of the Association in attendance in person or by proxy are entitled to cast. Notwithstanding the foregoing, those provisions of these By-Laws which are governed by said Declaration or by Georgia law may not be amended, repealed or altered except as provided in said Declaration or by applicable law.