

STATE OF TEXAS

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COUNTY OF BELL

KNOWN BY ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That, Salado Detailed Builders, L.L.C., being the owner of all the tracts in The Amity Estates, PHASE II does hereby adopt the following restrictions, protective covenants, and conditions for its mutual benefit and for the benefit and interest of the neighborhood where said properties are located, do hereby mutually covenants, conclude, and agree as follows:

ALL LOTS IN ALL BLOCKS OF THE AMITY ESTATES, PHASE II, BELL COUNTY, TEXAS, AS PER PLAT OF RECORD IN YEAR 2017, PLAT #52 A+B PLAT RECORDS BELL COUNTY, TEXAS.

The restrictions which will apply to this property are as follows:

A. Land Use and Building Type. Lots shall only be used for residential purposes. No building shall be erected, altered, placed or permitted to remain on any lot that exceeds two stories in height. Each dwelling must have a minimum of a two-car garage.

B. Dwelling Size. The floor area of the main structure, exclusive of open porches and garages, shall be not less than 1,800 square feet for all lots. Outside exposed walls of the residence must be 90% brick, stone, stucco, or rock. Multi-story dwellings must have a ground floor area of not less than 1,200 square feet, exclusive of open porches and garages. All roof pitches must be a minimum of 6 in 12.

C. Building Location. No building shall be located on any lot nearer than 25 feet to the front lot line, or nearer than 15 feet to any side street line. No building shall be located nearer than 10.0 feet to an interior lot line.

D. Relocation of Buildings. Construction of new buildings only shall be permitted, it being the intent of this covenant to prohibit the moving of any existing building onto a lot and remodeling or converting same into a dwelling unit in this subdivision.

E. Architectural Control. No building shall be erected, placed or altered on any lot until the construction plans and specifications and a plan showing the location of the structure have been approved by the architectural control committee as to quality of workmanship and materials, harmony of external design with existing structures, and as to location with respect to topography and finish grade elevation.

F. Architectural Control Committee Membership. The architectural control committee is composed of James Herring, Wayne Herring, Sr., and Dennis Johnson, 1507 W. Stan Schlueter Loop, Ste. 103, Killeen, Texas. A majority of the committee may designate a representative to act for it. In the event of death or resignation of any member of the committee, the remaining members shall have full authority to designate a successor. Neither the members of the committee, nor its designated representatives, shall be entitled to any compensation for

services performed pursuant to this covenant. At any time, the then record owners of a majority of the lots shall have the power through a duly recorded written instrument to change the membership of the committee or to withdraw from the committee or restore to it any of its powers and duties.

G. Committee Procedure. The committee's approval or disapproval as required in these covenants shall be in writing. In the event the committee, or its designated representatives, fails to approve or disapprove within thirty days after plans and specifications have been submitted to it, or in any event, if no suit to enjoin the construction has been commenced prior to the completion thereof, approval will not be required and the related covenants shall be deemed to have been fully complied with.

H. Tract Width. No dwelling shall be erected or placed on any tract having an area of less than 6,500 sq. ft. .

I. Fences. All fences must be constructed of all new materials, unless waived by Architectural Control Committee, and must be maintained at all times.

J. Transport Vehicles. Trucks with tonnage in excess of 1½ ton shall not be permitted to park on the property, and no vehicle of any size which normally transports inflammatory or explosive cargo may be kept on this property at any time.

K. Nuisances. No noxious or offensive activity shall be carried on upon the property, nor shall anything be done thereon which may be or may become an annoyance or nuisance.

L. Temporary Structures. No structure of a temporary character, house trailer, basement, tent shack, garage, barn or other out-building shall be used on the property at any time as a residence either temporarily or permanently. Notwithstanding the preceding, the Architectural Control Committee may approve not more than one workshop per lot.

M. Signs. No signs of any kind shall be displayed to the public view on the property except on professional sign of not more than two square feet advertising the property for sale or rent, or signs used by a builder to advertise the property during the construction and sales period.

N. Easement. Easements for installation and maintenance of utilities and drainage facilities are reserved. Within these easements, no structure, planting or other material shall be placed or permitted to remain which may damage or interfere with the installation and maintenance of utilities, or which may change or retard the flow of water through drainage channels in the easements. The easement area of each tract and all improvements in it shall be maintained continuously by the owner of the tract, except for those improvements for which a public authority of utility company is responsible. No dam or similar structure may be built on any creek or natural waterway which is established as a drainage easement. Dams may be built on creeks or natural waterways which are not so established as drainage easements, only if: (i) written permission is obtained from owners of land adjacent to such waterway on both sides; (ii) such dam will not be built so as to back water up on or inundate the land of another owner, unless a written easement is obtained from such other owner; and (iii) such dam will not cause the flooding of any roadway. The owner of property on which a dam is located shall be obligated to maintain the same and keep it in a good state of repair.

O. Oil and Mining Operations. No oil drilling, oil development operations, oil refining, quarrying or mining operations of any kind shall be permitted upon or in the property, nor shall oil wells, tanks, tunnels, mineral excavations or shafts be permitted upon or in the property. No derrick or structure designed for use in boring for oil or natural gas shall be erected, maintained or permitted upon the property.

P. Livestock and Poultry. No livestock of any kind may be kept, bred, or maintained for any commercial purposes. No animals of any kind may be kept on any tract until a permanent residence is constructed and completed.

Q. Firearms. Discharge of firearms of any kind is strictly prohibited. Hunting of any kind is absolutely prohibited.

R. Garbage and Refuse Disposal. The property shall not be used or maintained as a dumping ground for rubbish. Trash, garbage or other waste shall not be kept except in sanitary containers. All equipment for the storage or disposal of such material shall be kept in a clean and sanitary condition.

S. Subdividing. The property shall not be re-subdivided at any time, unless written permission is received from the Architectural Committee.

T. Water Supply. No individual water-supply system shall be permitted on the property.

U. Sewage Disposal. All dwelling placed on Subject Property must meet all applicable laws, rules, standards, and specifications.

V. Term. These covenants are to run with the land and shall be binding on all parties and all persons claiming under them for a period of 25 years from the date these covenants are recorded.

W. Enforcement. Enforcement shall be by proceedings at law or in equity against any person or persons violating or attempting to violate any covenant either to restrain violation or to recover damages.

X. Severability. Invalidation of any one of these covenants by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

SALADO DETAILED BUILDERS, L.L.C.

BY: 
JAMES HERRING, Member