#### **RESOLUTION NO. 2023-477**

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING AN EASEMENT FOR UTILITIES ASSOCIATED WITH THE WATER SYSTEM TO SERVE HYUNDAI AT ST. JOHNS LOCATED OFF STATE ROAD 207.

### **RECITALS**

WHEREAS, Wandering Lane Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, has executed and presented to the County an Easement associated with the water system to serve Hyundai at St. Johns located off State Road 207, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", incorporated by reference and made a part hereof; and

WHEREAS, St. Johns County Utility Department has reviewed and approved the documents mentioned above, as stated in a memo attached hereto as Exhibit "B" incorporated by reference and made a part hereof.

# NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, as follows:

- Section 1. The above recitals are incorporated by reference into the body of this Resolution and such recitals are adopted as findings of fact.
- Section 2. The above described Easement for Utilities is hereby accepted by the Board of County Commissioners.
- Section 3. To the extent that there are typographical, scriveners or administrative errors that <u>do not</u> change the tone, tenor or concept of this Resolution, then this Resolution may be revised without subsequent approval by the Board of County Commissioners.
- Section 4. The Clerk of the Circuit Court is instructed to record the original Easement for Utilities in the Public Records of St. Johns County, Florida.

## PASSED AND ADOPTED this 5th day of December, 2023.

# BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

Rendition Date: DEC 0 6 2023 By:

Sarah Arnold, Chair

ATTEST: Brandon J. Patty, Clerk of the

Circuit Court & Comptroller

Deputy Clerk



#### EASEMENT FOR UTILITIES

THIS EASEMENT executed and given this 8<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023 by Wandering Lane Holdings, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, with an address of 2898 U.S. Highway 1 South, St. Augustine, FL 32086, hereinafter called "Grantor" to ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, whose address is 500 San Sebastian View, St. Augustine FL 32084, hereinafter called "Grantee".

#### WITNESSETH:

That for and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Grantor agrees as follows:

1. Grantor does hereby grant, bargain, sell, alien, remise, release, convey and confirm unto Grantee a non-exclusive permanent easement and right-of-way to install, construct, operate, maintain, repair, replace and remove pipes and mains constituting the underground water meters ("Utility Equipment") over, under and upon the real property described on Exhibit A attached hereto (the "Easement Area"); together with rights of ingress and egress to access the Easement Area as necessary for the use and enjoyment of the easement herein granted. This easement is for water and/or sewer utility services only and does not convey any right to install other utilities such as cable television service lines.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, unto Grantee, his successors and assigns for the purposes aforesaid. Said Grantor is lawfully seized of said land in fee simple and thereby has the authority to grant said easement.

The easement herein granted is subject to covenants, restrictions, easements, liens and encumbrances of record.

- (a) Grantor reserves the right and privilege to use and occupy and to grant to others the right to use and occupy (i) the surface and air space over the Easement Area for any purpose which is consistent with the rights herein granted to Grantee; and (ii) subsurface of the Easement Area for other utility services or other purposes which do not interfere with the rights herein granted to Grantee, including, without limitation, the right to install, construct, operate, maintain, repair, replace and remove telecommunications, telephone, telegraph, electric, gas and drainage facilities and foundations, footing and/or anchors for surface improvements.
- (b) All Utility Equipment will be installed, operated and maintained at all times beneath the surface of the Easement Area provided that the same may be

temporarily exposed or removed to the surface when necessary or desirable for the purpose of repairing and/or replacing the same. Provided, however, that Utility Equipment that is customarily installed above ground may be installed above ground subject to the right of Grantor, consistent with good engineering practices to approve the location of such above ground installation in its reasonable discretion.

- (c) The easement granted by this instrument may be relocated to a location acceptable to the Grantee at any time upon Grantor's request provided that Grantor bears the cost of relocating the underground water and sewer utility lines and facilities located within the Easement Area. At Grantor's request, and upon relocation of such lines at Grantor's expense, Grantee and Grantor shall execute an instrument in recordable form relocating the easement hereby granted to the new Easement Area designated by and in the title of the Grantor.
- (d) Grantee shall exercise the easement rights conveyed herein in a manner which will not unreasonably interfere with use and occupancy of residential or commercial improvements constructed upon the property adjacent to the Easement Area owned by Grantor.
- WATER SYSTEM The Grantee shall maintain water meter or meters.
   Grantor or Grantor's successors and assigns shall be responsible for maintaining any water lines located within the boundary of the Grantor's property excluding the water meter or meters.
- 3. After any installation, construction, repair, replacement or removal of any Utility Equipment as to which easement rights are granted, Grantee shall refill any holes or trenches in a proper and workmanlike manner to the condition existing prior to such installation, construction, repair, replacement or removal, but Grantee shall not be responsible for restoration of sod, landscaping, planting, pavement or other surface improvements which are required to be removed in connection with installation, construction, repair, replacement or removal of Utility Equipment. To the extent permitted by law, however, Grantee shall be responsible for damage to improvements that are caused by Grantee's negligence.
- 4. This Grant of Easement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon Grantee and its successors and assigns.
- 5. For the purposes of the terms and conditions of this Grant of Easement, "Grantor" means the owner from time to time of the Easement Area or any part thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor has caused this instrument to be executed by its duly authorized officer and its corporate seals to be hereunto affixed as of the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered In the presence of:

Witness Signature

Print Name: Andrew DiFeo

Its: Manager

Print Name

Witness Signature

Print Name

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF SAINT JOHNS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of physical presence or online notarization, this day of August, 2023, by Andrew DiFeo as Manager for Wandering Lane Holdings, LLC.

BRITTANY NIXON
Commission # HH 027412
Expires August 3, 2024
Bonded Thru Budget Notary Services

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Personally Known or Produced Identification

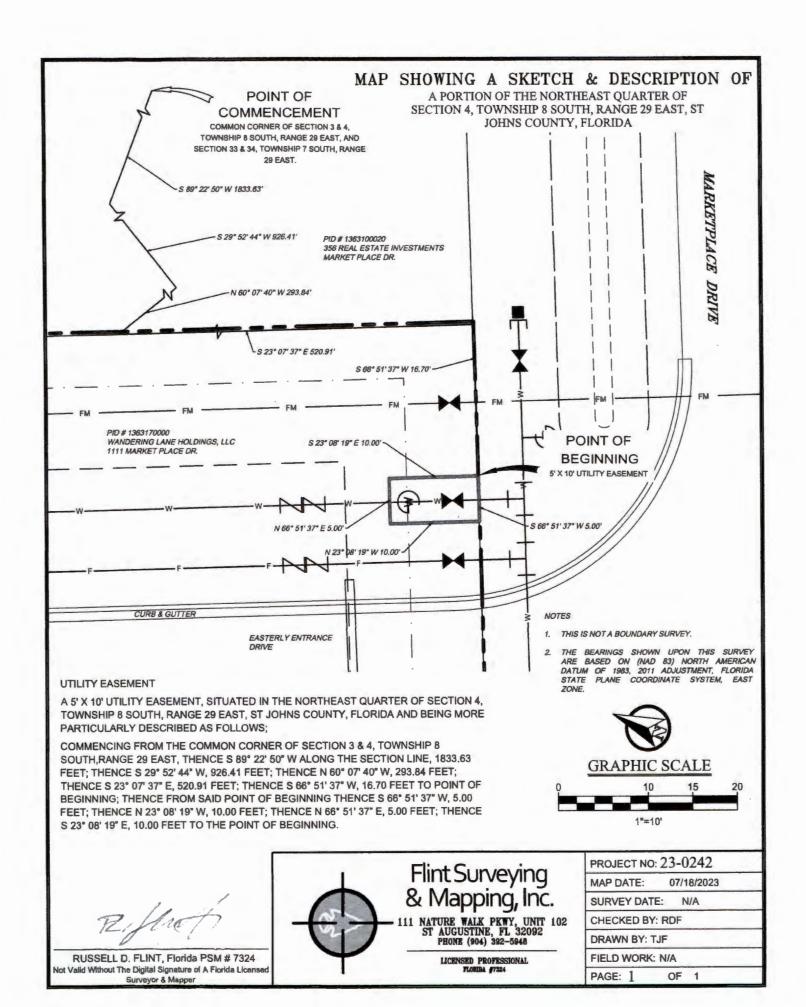
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### EXHIBIT "A" to the Easement

#### EASEMENT AREA

A 5' X 10' UTILITY EASEMENT, SITUATED IN THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 4,TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, ST JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS;

COMMENCING FROM THE COMMON CORNER OF SECTION 3 & 4, TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH,RANGE 29 EAST, THENCE S 89° 22' 50" W ALONG THE SECTION LINE, 1833.63 FEET; THENCE S 29° 52' 44" W, 926.41 FEET; THENCE N 60° 07' 40" W, 293.84 FEET; THENCE S 23° 07' 37" E, 520.91 FEET; THENCE S 66° 51' 37" W, 16.70 FEET TO POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING THENCE S 66° 51' 37" W, 5.00 FEET; THENCE N 23° 08' 19" W, 10.00 FEET; THENCE N 66° 51' 37" E, 5.00 FEET; THENCE S 23° 08' 19" E, 10.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.





# ST. JOHNS COUNTY UTILITIES

1205 State Road 16 St. Augustine, Florida 32084

### INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO:

Debbie Taylor, Real Estate Manager

FROM:

Melissa Caraway, Utility Review Coordinator

DATE:

November 1, 2023

SUBJECT:

Hyundai at St. Johns Marketplace (ASBULT 2023000102)

Please present the Easement to the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) for final approval and acceptance of Hyundai at St. Johns Marketplace.

After acceptance by BCC, please provide the Utility Department with a copy of the executed resolution for our files.

Your support and cooperation as always are greatly appreciated.







2023 Aerial Imagery

Date: 11/9/2023

Hyundai at St. Johns Marketplace

Easement for Utilities



Land Management Systems (904) 209-1276

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