

## CITY of NOVI CITY COUNCIL

Agenda Item | April 13, 2015

**SUBJECT:** Acceptance of a warranty deed from Toll MI II Limited Partnership for the dedication of an additional 60 feet of right-of-way along Ten Mile Road for The Preserve at Island Lake (Phase 8) project located at the northeast corner of Ten Mile Road and Napier Road.

**SUBMITTING DEPARTMENT**: Department of Public Services, Engineering Division

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CITY MANAGER APPROVAL:

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

The developer of The Preserve at Island Lake (Phase 8), Toll MI II Limited Partnership, is requesting acceptance of the warranty deed conveying the master planned right-of-way for Ten Mile Road along the frontage of the site. The Preserve at Island Lake (Phase 8) is located on Ten Mile Road east of Napier Road (see attached map). The developer is offering the donation of the master planned right-of-way for Ten Mile Road as part of the approved site plan.

The enclosed warranty deed has been favorably reviewed by the City Attorney (Beth Saarela's March 19, 2015 letter, attached) and is recommended for approval.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Acceptance of a warranty deed from Toll MI II Limited Partnership for the dedication of an additional 60 feet of right-of-way along Ten Mile Road for The Preserve at Island Lake (Phase 8) project located at the northeast corner of Ten Mile Road and Napier Road.

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Mayor Gatt				
Mayor Pro Tem Staudt				
Council Member Casey				
Council Member Markham				

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Council Member Wrobel				

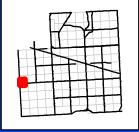




Amended By: Date:

## MAP INTERPRETATION NOTICE

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# City of Novi Engineering Division Department of Public Service

Engineering Division
Department of Public Services
26300 Lee BeGole Drive
Novi, MI 48375
cityofnovi.org



1 inch = 212 feet



OAKLAND COUNTY TREASURERS CERTIFICATE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that there are no TAX LIENS of TITLES
held by the state or any individual against the within description
and all TAXES on same are paid for five years previous to the
date of this instrument as appears by the records in the office
except as stated.

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ANDREW E. MEISNER, County Treasurer Sec. 135, Act 206, 1893 as amended 244533 LIBER 47714 FAGE 877 \$16.00 DEED - COMBINED \$4.00 REMONUMENTATION 12/23/2014 03:25:49 P.M. RECEIPT# 129764 FAID RECORDED - OAKLAND COUNTY LISA BROWN, CLERK/REGISTER OF DEEDS

## WARRANTY DEED

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that **TOLL MI II LIMITED PARTNERSHIP**, a Michigan limited partnership, whose address is 28004 Center Oaks Ct., Suite 200, Wixom, Michigan 48393 conveys and warrants to **CITY OF NOVI**, a Michigan Municipal Corporation, whose address is 45175 West Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan 48375, the following described premises situated in the City of Novi, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, to wit:

See attached Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof.

THE PROPERTY CONVEYED BY THIS DEED MAY BE LOCATED WITHIN THE VICINITY OF FARM LAND OR A FARM OPERATION. GENERALLY ACCEPTED AGRICULTURAL AND MANAGEMENT PRACTICES WHICH MAY GENERATE NOISE, DUST, ODORS, AND OTHER ASSOCIATED CONDITIONS MAY BE USED AND ARE PROTECTED BY THE MICHIGAN RIGHT TO FARM ACT.

Dated this 19th day of elecuber, 2014.

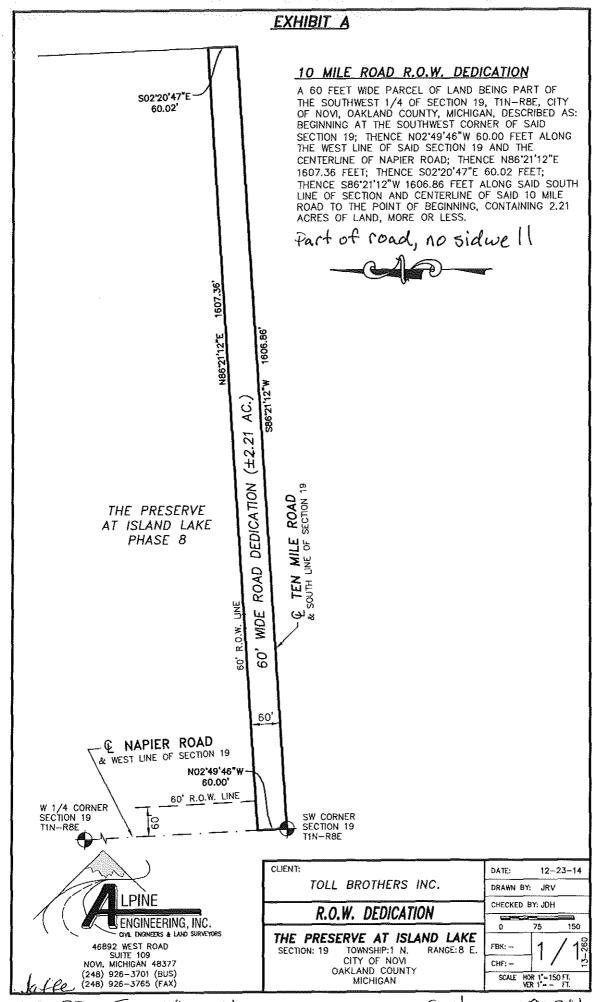
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Signed by:

		TOLL MI II LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, a Michigan limited partnership				
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MARILEE S PIETERSEN Notary Public - Michigan Oakland County My Commission Expires Dec 23, 2017 Acting in the County of Pakland  Notary Public, Oaklandounty, Michigan My commission expires: Acting in the County of Pakland						
When Recorded Return to: Maryanne Cornelius, Clerk City of Novi 45175 West Ten Mile Road Novi, MI 48375-3024	Send Subsequent Tax Bills to: City of Novi 45175 West Ten Mile Road Novi, Michigan 48375	Drafted by: Elizabeth M. Kudla 30903 Northwestern Highway Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334				
Part of Tax Parcel No. <u>22-19-300-004</u>						
Job No Recordi	ng Fee Transfer T	ax				



Return: 27777 FRANKlin Rd, Scrite 2500, Southfield, MI, 48034



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March 19, 2015

Rob Hayes, Public Services Director CITY OF NOVI 45175 Ten Mile Road Novi, Michigan 48375

Re: The Preserve at Island Lake of Novi – SP13-0069
Review for Acceptance – Utilities and Right-of-Way

Dear Mr. Hayes:

We have received and reviewed, and enclosed please find, the following documents for The Preserve at Island Lake of Novi Site Condominium:

- Sanitary Sewer System Easement
- Water System Easement
- Title Commitment
- Bill of Sale
- Maintenance and Guarantee Bond (Utilities)
- On-Site Pathway Easement
- Off-Site Sidewalk Easement with Title Search
- Warranty Deed (Twelve Mile Road Revised Description)

We have the following comments relating to the above-named documents:

#### **Water System and Sanitary Sewer System Easements**

Toll MI II, Limited Partnership seeks to convey the water and sanitary sewer system facilities serving The Preserve at Island Lake of Novi Site Condominium Development. We have reviewed and approve the format and language of the above Water and Sanitary Sewer System Easements and corresponding Bill of Sale. The exhibits have been reviewed and approved by the City's Engineering Division.

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The Maintenance and Guarantee Bond posted for utilities is in the City's standard amount for a surety bond. The amount has been approved by the City's Consulting Engineer. The Bond is in place to guarantee the materials and workmanship of the water and sanitary sewer facilities for two years from the date of acceptance.

The Water System and Sanitary Sewer System Easements may be accepted by Affidavit of the City Engineer. The Bills of Sale, Maintenance and Guarantee Bond and Title Insurance Policy should remain in the City's file.

## **Sidewalk and Pathway Easements**

The Sidewalk Easement provides a public easement for sidewalk through the general common element open space of the Condominium along Ten Mile and Napier Roads. A Bill of Sale has also been provided in connection with the Sidewalk Easement conveying the paving and boardwalk areas to the City for public use and maintenance. The exhibits have been reviewed and approved by the City's Engineering Division. Both documents are acceptable for the purposes provided.

The Pathway Easement is for a pathway connecting The Preserve sidewalk to a pathway through the open space within the Island Lake Orchards Condominium, which eventually connects to the sidewalk within the Napier Road Right-of-Way, north of The Preserve. The exhibits have been reviewed and approved by the City's Engineering Division. The Sidewalk Easement is acceptable for the purposes provided.

Once the pathway/sidewalks have been installed and inspected, both easements may be placed on an upcoming City Council Agenda for acceptance. Once accepted and executed by the City, they should be recorded with the Oakland County Register of Deeds.

#### **Warranty Deeds**

The Warranty Deed for 60-foot Right-of-Way along Ten Mile Road is in the City's standard format. There is no existing mortgage on the property therefore no discharge is required. The legal description has been reviewed and approved by the City's Engineering Division. The Warranty Deed is acceptable for the purpose provided and should be placed on an upcoming City Council Agenda for acceptance. It should be noted that the Developer has already recorded the Warranty Deed with the County and no further action is required in that regard.

#### **Termination of Bill of Sale**

Please note we are enclosing two documents titled, "Termination of Bill of Sale," for your signature and recording by the City Clerk's Office. The legal descriptions attached to both recorded documents were inaccurate to the extent that they were too broad and could be interpreted to include more improvements than the City generally accepts as public. Additionally, the City does not generally record a Bill of Sale.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns in regard to this matter.

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Very truly yours,

JOHNSON, ROSATI, SCHULTZ & JOPPICH, P.C.

ELIZABETH KUDLA SAARELA

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**Enclosures** 

C: Maryanne Cornelius, Clerk (w/Original Enclosures)

Charles Boulard, Community Development Director (w/Enclosures)

Barb McBeth, Deputy Community Development Director (w/Enclosures)

Sheila Weber, Treasurer's Office (w/Enclosures) Kristin Pace, Treasurer's Office (w/Enclosures)

Adam Wayne, Construction Engineer (w/Enclosures)

Aaron Staup, Construction Engineering Coordinator (w/Enclosures)

Sarah Marchioni, Building Permit Coordinator (w/Enclosures)

Sue Troutman, City Clerk's Office (w/Enclosures)

John Poe, Toll Bros., Inc. (w/Enclosures)

A'Jene Maxwell, Esquire (w/Enclosures)

Thomas R. Schultz, Esquire (w/Enclosures)