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OF

TWIN KNOB RANCHES and NUGGET BENCH WATER USERS' ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I

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ADDRESS

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POWERS

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MEMBERSHIP INTEREST

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At such time as the Board in its discretion believes it to be in the best interest of the Association, it may increase the Board upon resolution.

Members of the Board and their agents acting in good faith on behalf of the Association:

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- (4) shall have no personal liability arising out of the use, misuse or condition of the subject property which might in any way be assessed against or imputed to them as a result of or by virtue of their capacity as such.

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TERMS AND REPLACEMENT

The terms of office for members of the Board shall be two (2) years. Positions on the Board of Directors shall be filled in the manner hereinafter described. At the first annual meeting of the Association, the members shall elect by majority vote the members of the initial Board. Immediately following such tri-annual meeting of the Board of Directors, the members by majority vote shall elect a new Board of Directors, as provided in Article VI above, cumulative voting being allowed.

Any vacancy created by resignation shall be filled immediately be appointment by the remaining Board members. Such appointment must be approved by a majority of the members of the Association at the next meeting of the Association, whether general or special. If the appointment is not approved, then the members shall fill the vacancy by a majority vote. At any time and for any such reason that a vacancy occurs on the Board and an agreement cannot be reached on a successor, then such vacancy shall be filled by the membership interest at large at a special meeting held for that purpose. At such election, any membership interest may nominate candidates from the floor and voting shall be by ballot and each membership interest shall have one (1) vote. The person receiving the highest number of votes shall be deemed to be elected to the vacant position on the Board of Directors.

At any meeting, whether general or special, any or all of the members of the Board any be removed and replacements elected upon a majority vote of the total membership interests outstanding and eligible to vote at that time.

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COMMITTEES

Pursuant to the Title 35, Chapter 2, M.C.A. and subject to the restrictions stated therein the Board may appoint committees to act for the Board and to exercise the authority of the Board on matters referred to them by the Board. Such committees may be dissolved at any time by the Board of Directors.

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The Board may purchase insurance policies to protect the property of the Association against casualty loss and to protect the Association and the Board members, when acting in their official capacity, from liability. The extent and specific nature of coverage shall be determined by the Board.

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Board members shall be reimbursed for any out-of-pocket expenses incurred while acting on their official capacity and may be entitled to a nominal fee for their services as members of the Board of Directors.

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A determination of invalidity of any one or more of the provisions or conditions hereof by judgment, order, or decree of a court shall not affect in any manner the other provisions hereof, which shall remain in full force and effect.

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The Board of Directors shall have the power to interpret all the provisions of these Bylaws and such interpretation shall be binding on all persons. These Bylaws may be amended from time to time, upon notice, whenever at least fifty-one (51%) of the membership interests shall have voted in favor of such amendment. Any amendments must not violate the terms of, or be inconsistent with, the Twin Knob Ranches and Nugget Bench Road Maintenance Agreement.

THESE BYLAWS were adopted by the Board of Directors for Twin Knob Ranches and

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- (4) shall have no personal liability arising out of the use, misuse or condition of the subject property which might in any way be assessed against or imputed to them as a result of or by virtue of their capacity as such.

ARTICLE XVI

TERMS AND REPLACEMENT

The terms of office for members of the Board shall be two (2) years. Positions on the Board of Directors shall be filled in the manner hereinafter described. At the first annual meeting of the Association, the members shall elect by majority vote the members of the initial Board. Immediately following such tri-annual meeting of the Board of Directors, the members by majority vote shall elect a new Board of Directors, as provided in Article VI above, cumulative voting being allowed.

Any vacancy created by resignation shall be filled immediately be appointment by the remaining Board members. Such appointment must be approved by a majority of the members of the Association at the next meeting of the Association, whether general or special. If the appointment is not approved, then the members shall fill the vacancy by a majority vote. At any time and for any such reason that a vacancy occurs on the Board and an agreement cannot be reached on a successor, then such vacancy shall be filled by the membership interest at large at a special meeting held for that purpose. At such election, any membership interest may nominate candidates from the floor and voting shall be by ballot and each membership interest shall have one (1) vote. The person receiving the highest number of votes shall be deemed to be elected to the vacant position on the Board of Directors.

At any meeting, whether general or special, any or all of the members of the Board any be removed and replacements elected upon a majority vote of the total membership interests outstanding and eligible to vote at that time.

ARTICLE XVII

COMMITTEES

Pursuant to the Title 35, Chapter 2, M.C.A. and subject to the restrictions stated therein the Board may appoint committees to act for the Board and to exercise the authority of the Board on matters referred to them by the Board. Such committees may be dissolved at any time by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XVIII

INSURANCE

The Board may purchase insurance policies to protect the property of the Association against casualty loss and to protect the Association and the Board members, when acting in their official capacity, from liability. The extent and specific nature of coverage shall be determined by the Board.

ARTICLE XIX

OFFICERS

The Board of Directors shall appoint a Secretary for the Association. The Board of Directors may, as its discretion, appoint additional officers to generally supervise and control the business of this corporation and delegate certain powers, duties and responsibilities to such officers. The manner of selection, the qualifications, salaries, the terms of office, the method of removal, the scope of duties and responsibilities, and the number of such officers shall be determined by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XX

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Board members shall be reimbursed for any out-of-pocket expenses incurred while acting on their official capacity and may be entitled to a nominal fee for their services as members of the Board of Directors.

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A determination of invalidity of any one or more of the provisions or conditions hereof by judgment, order, or decree of a court shall not affect in any manner the other provisions hereof, which shall remain in full force and effect.

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