## GUARANTY PERFORMANCE/MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. (owner/principal, hereinafter referred to as "Principal"), and Markel Insurance Company (surety), a company entitled and licensed to do business as a surety in the State of Georgia and Hall County, (hereinafter referred to as "Surety"), are held and bound unto Hall County, Georgia in the sum of \$609,086.00 \* (hereinafter referred to as "bonded amount") for payment of which we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators and assigns.

WHEREAS, Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. (principal) is owner of the Subdivision known as Falcon Landing Phase 1 Subdivision, which subdivision is shown on a plat prepared by

Patton Land Surve	/ing	LLC, Georgia Registered Surveyor Number
2647	, and	

WHEREAS, Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. (principal) wishes to induce the Board of Commissioners of Hall County, Georgia to approve the street system shown on the Final Plat of Falcon Landing Phase 1 Subdivision for recording purposes, and

WHEREAS, Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. (principal) wishes to induce the Board of Commissioners of Hall County, Georgia to accept the streets shown on the Final Plat of Falcon Landing Phase 1 Subdivision for public maintenance (not applicable to private developments); Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. (principal) and Markel Insurance Company (surety) agree in consideration of the foregoing,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. (principal) agrees that all construction of the street system of Falcon Landing Phase 1 Subdivision will be completed and maintained for fifteen (15) months according to the terms and requirements as shown on the recorded Final Plat and of the Subdivision Regulations in force in Hall County, Georgia.

Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. (principal), and Markel Insurance Company (surety) agree to the following:

Sidewalks will be completed throughout entire subdivision as shown on recorded final plat within one (1) year of signing of said final plat. One inch of "F" mix asphalt may be placed anytime prior to final platting or up to one (1) year after final plat approval. In addition, Principal and Surety agree that if either the sidewalks, cuts, fills, sub-grades, shoulders, pavement, grassing, storm water management facilities, or traffic signs in Falcon Landing Phase 1 Subdivision are improperly maintained or are found to be defective from faults in design, materials or workmanship as shown on the recorded Final Plat, or as set out in the Subdivision Regulations in force in Hall County, Georgia, then upon demand from Hall County, Markel Insurance Company (surety) shall pay the bond amount to Hall County.

## **Terms of Guaranty:**

Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. (principal) and Markel Insurance Company (surety) shall be bound by the provisions of this agreement until a properly authorized letter is received by Markel Insurance Company (surety) from Hall County authorizing release of Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc. (principal) and Markel Insurance Company (surety) from this Guaranty Agreement.

NOTWITHSTANDING the above provisions, this Guaranty Performance/Maintenance Agreement is hereby issued on 3/25/24 (Date) and expires on 3/25/26

(Date, minimum 24 months from date of issuance), and the Issuer will have no more liability after that date. When the indicated expiration date falls on Sunday or a legal holiday, or for any reason the Issuer is not open for business, the expiration date shall be extended to the next succeeding business day. Jurisdiction for any civil litigation necessary for collection of bond claims hereunder shall be in the Superior Court of Hall County, Georgia.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have hereunto signed their names and affixed their seals, this 25th day of March, 2024.



Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc.

PRINCIPAL

(Corporate Officer or other authorized representative)

Principal's Address: 2221 E Lamar Blvd, Suite 790 Arlington, TX 76006



•	Markel Insurance Company SURETY
	By: Mah Wittle
	Noah William Pierce, Attorney-In-Fact
	Surety's Address:
	4521 Highwoods Parkway
	Glen Allen, VA 23060
•	Approved:
	Hall County
	By:

(Chairman)

\* The amount of the bond equals 30 percent of all completed infrastructure including base, paving, grassing, stormwater management facilities, and sidewalks plus 100 percent of the cost of all incomplete infrastructure such as remaining sidewalks and asphalt topping. The unit cost data used in the calculations will be based upon the latest Georgia Department of Transportation (GADOT) Item Mean Summary, or the latest Hall County contract data, whichever is higher.

## JOINT LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That SureTec Insurance Company, a Corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Texas and having its principal office in the County of Harris, Texas and Markel Insurance Company (the "Company"), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the state of Illinois, and having its principal administrative office in Glen Allen, Virginia, does by these presents make, constitute and appoint:

Catherine Thompson, Amy R. Waugh, Jynell Marie Whitehead, Noah William Pierce, Bryan M. Caneschi, Gentry Stewart, Kyle Williams

Their true and lawful agent(s) and attorney(s)-in-fact, each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to make, execute, seal and deliver for and on their own behalf, individually as a surety or jointly, as co-sureties, and as their act and deed any and all bonds and other undertaking in surety ship provided, however, that the penal sum of any one such instrument executed hereunder shall not exceed the sum of:

Fifty Million and 00/100 Dollars (\$50,000,000.00)

This Power of Attorney is granted and is signed and sealed under and by the authority of the following Resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of SureTec Insurance Company and Markel Insurance Company:

"RESOLVED, That the President, any Senior Vice President, Vice President, Assistant Vice President, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer or Assistant Treasurer and each of them hereby is authorized to execute powers of attorney, and such authority can be executed by use of facsimile signature, which may be attested or acknowledged by any officer or attorney, of the company, qualifying the attorney or attorneys named in the given power of attorney, to execute in behalf of, and acknowledge as the act and deed of the SureTec Insurance Company and Markel Insurance Company, as the case may be, all bond undertakings and contracts of suretyship, and to affix the corporate seal thereto."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Markel Insurance Company and SureTec Insurance Company have caused their official seal to be hereunto affixed and these presents to be signed by their duly authorized officers on the 1st day of September , 2023 .

SureTec Insurance Company

By: Michael C. Keimig, President

State of Texas County of Harris: A CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACTOR

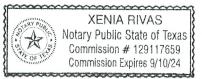
SEAL SEAL

Markel Insurance Company

Lindey Jennings, Vice President

On this 1st day of September , 2023 A. D., before me, a Notary Public of the State of Texas, in and for the County of Harris, duly commissioned and qualified, came THE ABOVE OFFICERS OF THE COMPANIES, to me personally known to be the individuals and officers described in, who executed the preceding instrument, and they acknowledged the execution of same, and being by me duly sworn, disposed and said that they are the officers of the said companies aforesaid, and that the seals affixed to the proceeding instrument are the Corporate Seals of said Companies, and the said Corporate Seals and their signatures as officers were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority and direction of the said companies, and that Resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of said Companies referred to in the preceding instrument is now in force.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my Official Seal at the County of Harris, the day and year first above written.



Xenia Rivas, Notary Public
My commission expires 9/10/2024

We, the undersigned Officers of SureTec Insurance Company and Markel Insurance Company do herby certify that the original POWER OF ATTORNEY of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy is still in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands, and affixed the Seals of said Companies, on the 25th day of March 2024

SureTec Insurance Company

M. Brent Beaty, Assistant Secretary

Markel Insurance Company

Andrew Marquis, Assistant Secretary

Any Instrument Issued in excess of the penalty stated above is totally void and without any validity. 3310020 For verification of the authority of this Power you may call (713)812-0800 on any business day between 8:30 AM and 5:00 PM CST.