# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

## EXHIBIT "D"

# Certificate of Formation of Waterscape Homeowners Association, Inc.

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# CERTIFICATE OF FILING OF

Waterscape Homeowners Association, Inc. File Number: 802882809

The undersigned, as Secretary of State of Texas, hereby certifies that a Certificate of Formation for the above named Domestic Nonprofit Corporation has been received in this office and has been found to conform to the applicable provisions of law.

ACCORDINGLY, the undersigned, as Secretary of State, and by virtue of the authority vested in the secretary by law, hereby issues this certificate evidencing filing effective on the date shown below.

The issuance of this certificate does not authorize the use of a name in this state in violation of the rights of another under the federal Trademark Act of 1946, the Texas trademark law, the Assumed Business or Professional Name Act, or the common law.

Dated: 12/14/2017

Effective: 12/14/2017



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Rolando B. Pablos Secretary of State

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### Certificate of Formation Nonprofit Corporation

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Article 1 - Corporate Name The filing entity formed is a nonprofit corporation. The name of the entity is: Waterscape Homeowners Association, Inc. Article 2 - Registered Agent and Registered Office ✓A. The initial registered agent is an organization (cannot be corporation named above) by the name of: Parker Creek Estates, L.P. ....B. The initial registered agent is an individual resident of the state whose name is set forth below: C. The business address of the registered agent and the registered office address is: Street Address: 8200 Douglas Ave., Suite 300 Dallas TX 75225 Consent of Registered Agent A. A copy of the consent of registered agent is attached. B. The consent of the registered agent is maintained by the entity. Article 3 - Management A. Management of the affairs of the corporation is to be vested solely in the members of the corporation. B. Management of the affairs of the corporation is to be vested in its board of directors. The number of directors, which must be a minimum of three, that constitutes the initial board of directors and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first annual meeting or until their successors are elected and qualified are set forth below. Huffines Director 1: Phillip Title: Director Address: 8200 Douglas Ave., Suite 300 Dallas TX, USA 75225 Director 2: Elvio Bruni Title: Director Address: 8200 Douglas Ave., Suite 300 Dallas TX, USA 75225 Director 3: Sue Blankenship Title: Director Address: 8200 Douglas Ave., Suite 300 Dallas TX, USA 75225 Article 4 - Organization Structure A. The corporation will have members. Or B. The corporation will not have members. Article 5 - Purpose The corporation is organized for the following purpose or purposes: (a) to be and constitute the "Association" to which reference is made in the Community Charter for Waterscape, recorded or to be recorded by Parker Creek Estates, L.P., a Texas limited partnership (the "Founder"), in the Office of the County Clerk of Rockwall County, Texas, as it may be amended (the "Charter"),

to perform all obligations and duties of the Association, and to exercise all rights and powers of the Association, as specified therein, in the By-Laws of the Association ("By-Laws") and as provided by law; and

(b) to provide an entity for the furtherance of the interests of the owners of that real property that is made subject to the terms of the Charter (the "Community").

Supplemental Provisions / Information

See attached Addendum to Certificate of Formation - Waterscape Homeowners Association, Inc. - Supplemental Provisions

The attached addendum, if any, is incorporated herein by reference.]

### Addendum to Cert of Formation-Waterscape Homeowners Assn-121417-jps.pdf

### Effectiveness of Filing

A. This document becomes effective when the document is filed by the secretary of state.

OR

B. This document becomes effective at a later date, which is not more than ninety (90) days from the date of its signing. The delayed effective date is:

### Organizer

The name and address of the organizer are set forth below.

Jo Anne P. Stubblefield

233 Peachtree Street, N.E., Suite 1200, Atlanta, GA 30303

### Execution

The undersigned affirms that the person designated as registered agent has consented to the appointment. The undersigned signs this document subject to the penalties imposed by law for the submission of a materially false or fraudulent instrument and certifies under penalty of perjury that the undersigned is authorized under the provisions of law governing the entity to execute the filing instrument.

### Jo Anne P. Stubblefield

Signature of organizer.

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# CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION OF

# WATERSCAPE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

### Supplemental Provisions

- Article 6. Applicable Statute. The corporation is organized pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Nonprofit Corporation Law, as set forth in Chapters 20 and 22, and the provisions of Title 1 applicable to nonprofit corporations, of the Texas Business Organizations Code, as it may be amended (the "Act").
- Article 7. <u>Defined Terms</u>. Capitalized terms used in this Certificate of Formation and not otherwise defined in this Certificate shall have the meanings set forth in the Community Charter for Waterscape, recorded or to be recorded by Parker Creek Estates, L.P., a Texas limited partnership (the "Founder"), in the Office of the County Clerk of Rockwall County, Texas, as it may be amended (the "Charter") and in the By-Laws of Waterscape Homeowners Association, Inc., as they may be amended ("By-Laws").
- Article 8. <u>Powers</u>. The Association does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit, direct or indirect, to its members. In furtherance of its purposes, the Association shall have the following powers, which, unless indicated otherwise by the Charter or By-Laws, may be exercised by its board of directors:
- (a) all of the powers conferred upon nonprofit corporations by common law and the statutes of the State of Texas in effect from time to time;
- (b) all of the powers necessary or desirable to perform the obligations and duties and to exercise the rights and powers set out in this Certificate of Formation, the By-Laws, or the Charter, including, without limitation, the following:
- to fix and to collect assessments and other charges to be levied pursuant to the Charter;
- (2) to manage, control, operate, maintain, repair, and improve property subject to the Charter or any other property as to which the Association has a right or duty to provide such services pursuant to the Charter, By-Laws, or any covenant, easement, contract, or other legal instrument;
- (3) to enforce covenants, conditions, or restrictions affecting any property to the extent the Association may be authorized to do so under the Charter, By-Laws, or other recorded covenant;
- (4) to engage in activities which will actively foster, promote, and advance the common interests of all owners of property subject to the Charter;

- (5) to buy or otherwise acquire, sell or otherwise dispose of, mortgage or otherwise encumber, exchange, lease, hold, use, operate, and otherwise deal in and with real, personal, and mixed property of all kinds and any right or interest therein for any purpose of the Association;
  - (6) to borrow money for any purpose;
- (7) to enter into, make, perform, or enforce contracts of every kind and description, and to do all other acts necessary, appropriate, or advisable in carrying out any purpose of the Association, with or in association with any other association, corporation, or other entity or agency, public or private;
- (8) to act as agent, trustee, or other representative of other corporations, firms, or individuals, and as such to advance the business or ownership interests of such corporations, firms, or individuals;
- (9) to adopt, alter, and amend or repeal such By-Laws as may be necessary or desirable for the proper management of the affairs of the Association; provided, however, such By-Laws may not be inconsistent with or contrary to any provisions of the Charter; and
- (10) to provide any and all services to the Community as the Board of Directors may determine to be necessary or desirable to supplement the services provided by local government.
- (c) The foregoing enumeration of powers shall not limit or restrict in any manner the exercise of other and further rights and powers which may now or hereafter be allowed or permitted by law; and the powers specified in each of the paragraphs of this Article 8 are independent powers, not to be restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph or provisions of this Article 8. None of the objects or purposes set out above shall be construed to authorize the Association to do any act in violation of the Act, and all such objects or purposes are subject to the Act.
- Article 9. <u>Membership</u>. The Association shall be a membership corporation without certificates or shares of stock. The Founder, for such period as is specified in the Charter, and each Person who is the Owner of a Unit within the Community, shall be a member of the Association ("Member") and shall be entitled to such voting rights and membership privileges as are set forth in the Charter and the By-Laws.
- Article 10. <u>Board of Directors</u>. The business and affairs of the Association shall be conducted, managed, and controlled by a Board of Directors. The Board may delegate its operating authority to such corporations, individuals, and committees as it, in its discretion, may determine.

The Board of Directors shall consist of not less than three nor more than seven directors, as determined in accordance with the By-Laws. The initial Board of Directors shall consist of three directors identified in this Certificate of Formation, who shall hold office until their successors are

elected and have qualified, or until their resignation or removal. The number, the method of selection, removal, and filling of vacancies on the Board of Directors, and the term of office of members of the Board of Directors, shall be as set forth in the By-Laws.

- Article 11. <u>Indemnification of Directors</u>. The Association shall indemnify its officers, directors and committee members as and to the extent required by the By-Laws. No amendment to or repeal of this Article shall apply to or have any effect on the liability or alleged liability of any director of the Association for or with respect to any acts or omissions of such director occurring prior to such amendment or repeal.
- Article 12. Action by Less Than Unanimous Consent. The Association and the Board of Directors shall be authorized to take action without holding a meeting or providing notice, by less than unanimous consent of the Voting Delegates or directors, as applicable, in accordance with the provisions of the By-Laws, except where a meeting is required by Texas law.
- Article 13. <u>Dissolution</u>. The Association may be dissolved only upon a resolution duly adopted by its Board of Directors and approved by the affirmative vote of Voting Delegates representing not less than two-thirds (2/3) of the Units subject to the Charter. In addition, so long as the Founder owns any property subject to the Charter or which the Founder may unilaterally make subject to the Charter pursuant to the provisions of the Charter, the written consent of the Founder shall be required. The Association is authorized, upon its winding up, to distribute its assets in a manner other than as provided by Section 22.304 of the Texas Business Organizations Code, in accordance with a plan of distribution adopted pursuant to Chapter 22 of the Texas Business Organizations Code, which plan may, but shall not be required to, provide for distribution of the remaining property of the Association for tax-exempt purposes to an organization exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or described by Section 170(c)(1) or (2) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- Article 14. Merger and Consolidation. The Association may merge or consolidate only upon a resolution duly adopted by its Board of Directors and the affirmative vote of Voting Delegates representing not less than two-thirds (2/3) of the Units subject to the Charter. In addition, so long as the Founder owns any property subject to the Charter or which it may unilaterally make subject to the Charter, the written consent of the Founder shall be required.
- Article 15. Amendments. This Certificate of Formation may be amended only upon a resolution duly adopted by the Board of Directors and approved by the affirmative vote of Voting Delegates representing at least two-thirds (2/3) of the total eligible votes of the membership; provided, the Voting Delegates shall not be entitled to vote on any amendment to this Certificate of Formation adopted for the sole purpose of complying with the requirements of any governmental or quasi-governmental entity or institutional lender authorized to fund, insure or guarantee mortgages on individual Units, which amendments may be adopted by the Board of Directors. In addition, so long as the Founder owns any property subject to the Charter or which it may unilaterally make subject to the Charter, the consent of the Founder shall be required for any amendment.