

Section 5.30 Utilities.

All facilities for permanent utilities service shall be kept or maintained underground, or in the original condition at such time the Lot and improvements thereupon are first conveyed to the Owner.

Section 5.31 No Subdivision.

No Lot shall be further subdivided or split into other parcels or additional Lots. No Lots shall be combined together to make a larger Lot (i.e. two Lots into one).

ARTICLE 6 ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW

ISSUE #1

Section 6.1 Required Approval.

No structures, including Residences, outbuildings, accessory buildings, tennis courts, swimming pools, antennas (except as otherwise permitted in this Declaration), flag poles (except as otherwise permitted by the Act), fences, walls, exterior lighting, landscaping, or any other improvements shall be constructed, erected, relocated, ~~removed or installed on a Lot, nor shall any painting, alteration or change to the~~ exterior of the improvements, the exterior of a Residence, to a Lot or to any structure or any attachment to the exterior of a Residence (including paint, awnings, patios, decks, or shutters) be commenced unless complete plans and specifications shall have been first submitted to and approved in writing by the Architectural Review Committee (“Committee”) as may be outlined in the Rules and Regulations. The Committee may require that applications of Owners and their plans and specifications show exterior design, height, materials, color, location of the structure or addition to the structure or proposed improvement (plotted horizontally and vertically), location and size of driveways, walls, windbreaks, and grading plan, as well as such other materials and information as may be required by the Committee.

Section 6.2 Acknowledgment of Owners.

Owners acknowledge, accept and agree to the following:

- (a) Owners will not commence construction or installation of an improvement until they have submitted improvement plans and specifications and received written approval from the Committee;

MARKUP #1 ->

MARKUP #1 · CONFLICTS WITH FED LAW

BOARD & COUNSEL REVIEW

Sec. 6.1 (p. 31): Blanket ban, sub-1-meter size cap, or prior approval requirement on satellite dishes or antennas is preempted by federal FCC OTARD regulations.

Statutory / Legal Reference: 47 C.F.R. § 1.4000 (FCC OTARD Rule)

Statutory Comparison: The FCC Over-the-Air Reception Devices rule (47 C.F.R. § 1.4000, as expanded by the 2021 OTARD Report and Order, FCC 21-10) preempts community association restrictions that prohibit, charge application fees for, require prior architectural approval for, or impose sub-1-meter (39.37-inch) diameter caps on the installation, maintenance, or use of television broadcast antennas, direct-broadcast satellite dishes 1 meter or less in diameter, and fixed wireless broadband antennas (including hub and relay antennas) situated on property within the exclusive use or control of the owner/tenant.

CURRENT WORDING IN DOCUMENT:

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SAMPLE DISCUSSION WORDING (FOR HOA ATTORNEY REVIEW):

Provided that this restriction shall not prohibit or require prior approval for any owner or occupant installing an antenna, fixed wireless broadband hub/relay device, or satellite dish of one meter (39.37 inches) or less in diameter within areas under the owner's or occupant's exclusive use or control, in accordance with FCC OTARD regulations (47 C.F.R. § 1.4000).