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### PARTIAL RELEASE OF EASEMENT AGREEMENT

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Grantor: Leatherwood Partners, LLC, a Washington limited liability company

Grantees: Padilla Bay, LLC, a Washington limited liability company, Thomas J. Paulus, a single man, as to his sole and separate property, and Suzanne J. Thomas, a single woman, as to her sole and separate property

Reference Number of Document Amended: 201204300051

Grantor's Property Partially Released by this Instrument, Abbreviated Legal Description:

Portion of 350319-1-006-0007: OPEN SPACE #38 #792933 4975 SE1/4 NE1/4 TGTHR W THAT POR OF THE NE 1/4 OF THE NE 1/4 OF SEC 19, TWP 35 N, RGE 3 E, W.M., DAF: COMM AT THE SE COR OF SD NE 1/4 OF THE NE 1/4; TH N 88 DEG 34'47" W, ALG THE S LI OF SD NE 1/4 OF THE NE 1/4, A DIS OF 320.17 FT TO THE TPOB; TH CONT N 88 DEG 34'47" W A DIS OF 277.26 FT; TH N 01 DEG 25'13" E A DIS OF 53.16 FT; TH S 88 DEG 34'47" E A DIS OF 277.26 FT, TH S I DEG 25'13" W A DIS OF 53.16 FT TO THE TPOB.

Complete Legal Description of Grantor's property is a portion of the real property described in Exhibit A of the Easement Agreement recorded under Auditor's File No. 201204300051, partially released as provided herein.

Grantees' Property Abbreviated Legal Descriptions:

Parcel 350320-2-002-0100: O/S#13 AF#766462 1973 TRNSF#807790 PORTION OF SURVEY AF#200010300004 LOCATED IN A PORTION OF THE NW1/4 NW1/4 LYING NORTHLY AND WESTERLY OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LINE: BEGINNING AT THE NW CORNER OF SAID NW1/4 NW1/4 (NW SECTION CORNER); THENCE SOUTH 0-22-15 WEST 1,330.49 FEET ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID NW1/4 NW1/4 TO THE SE CORNER THEREOF (1/4/6/TH CORNER); THENCE NORTH 89-04-38 EAST, 150 FEET ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID NW1/4 NW1/4; THENCE NORTH 0-22-15 WEST. 537.78 FEET PARALLEL WITH SAID WEST LINE OF THE NW1/4 NW1/4 TO THE CENTERLINE OF EXISTING FIELD DITCH; THENCE ALONG SAID FIELD DITCH SOUTH 81-49-43 EAST, 313.96 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 85-7-10 EAST, 350.28 FEET; THENCE LEAVING SAID FIELD DITCH, NORTH 0-22-15 WEST TO THE NORTH LINE OF THE NW1/4 NW1/4

Parcel 350318-4-005-0003: (2.0000 ac) OPEN SPACE #38 #792933 1975 SE1/4 OF SE1/4 S OF SLO

Parcel 350318-4-004-0004: (33.8500 ac) SE1/4 SE1/4 N OF SLO LESS RD OPEN SPACE #4 #776265 1974
TRNSF #807332

Parcel 350319-1-001-0002: (3.0000 ac) OPEN SPACE #4 #776265 1974 NE1/4 OF NE1/4 N OF SLO TRNSF

#807332

Parcel 350317-3-005-0200: O/S#13 AF#766462 1973 TRF#807790 THAT PORTION OF SURVEY AF#200010300004 DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: THAT PORTION OF THE SW1/4 SW1/4 LYING WEST OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LINE: BEGINNING AT THE NW CORNER OF THE SW1/4 SW1/4; THENCE NORTH 88-56-49 EAST, 798.46 FEET MORE OR LESS; THENCE SOUTH 0-22-15 EAST TO THE SOUTH LINE OF THE SW1/4 SW1/4. EXCEPT THAT PORTION LYING NORTHWESTERLY OF JOE BEARY SLOUGH.

Parcel 350317-3-005-0006: (7.3200 ac) O/S#13 AF#766462 1973 RF#807790 SW1/4 SW1/4 LYING NWLY OF JOE LEARY SLOUGH LESS ROAD

Parcel 350318-1-001-0003: (39.4000 ac) OPEN SPACE #247 #751331 1973 DK 5 NE1/4 OF NE1/4 LESS RD

Parcel 350318-0-008-0008: (8:7200 ac) OPEN SPACE #247 #751331 1973 DK5 TAX 4 BEG 670FT N OF SW C NE1/4 SE1/4 THE TAP 661 FT W OF E LI NE1/4 SE1/4 THN TO N LI NE1/4 SE1/4 TH W TO NW C NE1/4 SE1/4 TH S TPOB LESS RD

Parcel 350318-1-006-0068 (1 0000 ac) OPEN SPACE #247 #751331 1973 DK 5 1 SQ AC IN NW COR OF N1/2 OF SE1/4 OF NE1/4

Parcel 350318-1-005-0009 (8.4700 ac) OPEN SPACE #247 #751331 1973 DK 5 N1/2 OF SE1/4 OF NE1/4 LESS 1 AC & RD

Parcel 350318-1-007-0007: (19.6200 ac) OPEN SPACE #248 #751332 1973 DK 5 S1/2 OF SE1/4 OF NE1/4 LESS RD

Parcel 350318-0-007-0009: (29.9200 ac) TAX 3 BEG AT SE C OF NE1/4 SE1/4 TH W T OSW C OF NE1/4 SE1/4 TH N 670FT TH E TO PT 661.1FT W OF E LI OF NE1/4 SE1/4 TH NTO N LI OF NE1/4 SE1/4 TH E 661.1FT TO NE C OF NE1/4 SE1/4 TH S 1POB LESS RDS OPEN SPACE #4 #776265 1974 TRNSF #807332

Parcel 380317-3-003-0008: (16.6300 ac) OPEN SPACE#352 #760931 1973-TRF#807014 E1/2 NW1/4 SW1/4 LESS RD & E 6RDS

Parcel 350317-2-002-0001: (20.0000 ac) OPEN SPACE #352 #760931 1973 DK 5 W1/2 OF NE1/4 OF NW1/4 TRNSF #807014

Parcel 350317-2-004-0009: (40.0000 ac) OPEN SPACE #352 #760931 1973 DK 5 SW1/4 OF NW1/4 TRNSF #807014

Parcel 350317-2-003-0000: (40.0000 ac) OPEN SPACE #352 #760931 1973 DK 5 NW1/4 OF NW1/4 TRNSF #807014

Parcel 350317-2-006-0007: (20.0000 ac) OPEN SPACE#620 #752226 1973-TRF#834857 DK 5 W1/2 OF SE1/4 OF NW1/4

Parcel 350317-3-004-0007: (19.6300 ac) OPEN SPACE#619 #762225 1973-TRF#807015 W1/2 NW1/4 SW1/4 LESS RD

Parcel 350317-3-002-0009: (3.0000 ac) OPEN SPACE#620 #762226 1973-TRF#834857 E 6RDS OF NW1/4 SW1/4 LESS RD

Parcel 350307-4-004-0007: (39.2500 ac) OPEN SPACE#97 #760603 1973-TRF#834855 DK 5 SE1/4 OF SE1/4 LESS RD

Parcel 350308-3-003-0009: (40.0000 ac) OPEN SPACE#97 #760603 1973-TRF#834855 DK 5 SW1/4 OF SW1/4

Parcel 350308-3-002-0000: (40.0000 ac) OPEN SPACE#97 #760603 1973-TRF#834855 DK 5 NW1/4 OF SW1/4

Complete Legal Descriptions set forth in Exhibits A ("Grantor's Property") and B-1 to B-13 ("Grantees' Property") of the Easement Agreement recorded under Auditor's File No. 201204300051, as partially released as provided for herein.

Grantor's Assessor's XrefID Numbers: Portion of 350319-1-006-0007 and 350319-1-003-0000

 THIS PARTIAL RELEASE OF EASEMENT AGREEMENT ("Partial Release") is entered into between LEATHERWOOD PARTNERS, LLC, a Washington limited liability company ("Leatherwood Partners"), and PADILLA BAY, LLC, a Washington limited liability company, THOMAS J. PAULUS, a single man, as to his sole and separate property, and SUZANNE J. THOMAS, a single woman, as to her sole and separate property (collectively "Grantees"), as of work of the Easement Agreement, recorded April 30, 2012 under Skagit County Auditor's File No. 201204300051 ("Easement Area"), as provided for herein. All capitalized but undefined terms used herein shall have the same meaning as used in the previously recorded Easement Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

# <u> Partial release</u>

- 1. Release of a Portion of the Easement Area. Leatherwood Partners is one of the owners of the real property subject to the Easement Area granted in the Easement Agreement and is the owner of the real property described in Exhibit C, attached hereto and incorporated herein. The Grantees are the owners of the real property described in Exhibits B-1 through B-13, also attached hereto. For good and valuable consideration from Leatherwood Partners to Grantees, Grantees hereby release a portion of the Easement Area, previously described as Parcel B of Exhibit A of the Easement Agreement and substitutes for Parcel B the real property described in Exhibit C. The effect of this partial release is to reduce Parcel B of Exhibit A of the Easement Agreement from approximately forty (40) acres to four and eight-tenths (4.8) acres. This Partial Release only causes a partial release of Parcel B of Exhibit A. This Partial Release in no way releases, amends or impairs the balance of the Easement Area described in Exhibit A of the Easement Agreement.
- 2. <u>Full Force and Effect</u>. All other provisions of the Easement shall remain in full force and effect.

[Remainder of page intentionally left blank. Signatures on following page.]

GRANTOR:	GRANTEES:
LEATHER WOOD PARTNERS, LLC, a	PADILLA BAY, LLC,
Washington limited liability company	a Washington limited liability company
	By:
By:	Benjamin P. Paulus, its Manager
Benjamin D. Paujus, its Manager	
	TIOMAS I BAUTUS a de la company
	THOMAS J. PAULUS, a single man, as to his
	sole and separate property
	- See attached -
	SUZANNE J. THOMAS a single
	woman, as to her sole and separate property
	· · ·
STATE OF WASHINGTON )	
) ss. (	
COUNTY OF King	

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Benjamin P. Paulus is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument, on oath stated that he was authorized to execute the instrument and acknowledged it as the manager of Leatherwood Partners, LLC, a Washington limited liability company, and as the manager of Padilla Bay, LLC, a Washington limited liability company, to be the free and voluntary act of such parties for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated this 3th day of November, 2016.

Printed Name: Jorden Salisburg
Notary Public, State of Washington
Residing in Salle Washington
My Commission Expires: 04-19-2020

GRANTOR	GRANTEES:
LEATHERWOOD PARTNERS, LLC, a Washington limited liability company	PADILLA BAY, LLC, a Washington limited liability company
	By:
By:	Benjamin P. Paulus, its Manager
Benjamin P. Paulus, its Manager	
	THOMAS J. PAULUS, a single man, as to his sole and separate property
	A III
	SUZANNE J. THOMAS a single woman, as to her sole and separate property
	woman, as to not sole and separate property
STATE OF WASHINGTON )	
COUNTY OF	
person who appeared before me, and said perso on oath stated that he was authorized to execu manager of Leatherwood Partners, LLC, a Wa	shington limited liability company, and as the limited liability company, to be the free and
	irposes mentioned in the instrument.
D. H. L	
Dated this day of	, 2016.
Dated this day of	
Dated this day of	Printed Name: Notary Public, State of Washington
Dated this day of	Printed Name: Notary Public, State of Washington Residing in
Dated this day of	Printed Name: Notary Public, State of Washington
Dated this day of	Printed Name: Notary Public, State of Washington Residing in
Dated this day of	Printed Name: Notary Public, State of Washington Residing in
Dated this day of	Printed Name: Notary Public, State of Washington Residing in
Dated this day of	Printed Name: Notary Public, State of Washington Residing in

STATE OF WASHINGTON)

Lecrtify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Thomas J. Paulus is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in this instrument.

Dated this Orday of November, 2016.

WASTINGS NO. LO. WO. LO. W. C. W. C.

Printed Name: 1000 Weshington Residing in 1000 Washington

My Commission Expires:

STATE OF WASHINGTON HILLING

COUNTY OF King

On this day personally appeared before me Suzanne J. Thomas to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that she signed the same as her free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and official seal this 3 day of May curse 2016.

SHANNON SPERRY
STATE OF WASHINGTON
NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES
08-15-17

Printed Name

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington

Residing at 

My Commission Expires:

## **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

That portion of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 20, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 20 (Northwest Section corner); thence South 1 Degree 10'20" West, 769.81 feet along the West line of said Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter to the centerline of an existing ditch; thence South 80 Degrees 40'31" East along the centerline of said ditch, a distance of 151.52 feet; thence South 80 Degrees 17'08" East a distance of 313.96 feet; thence South 83 Degrees 44'35" East 350.28 feet; thence leaving said field ditch, North 1 Degrees 10'20"East 878.56 feet, more or less, parallel with said West line of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 20 to the North line of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 20, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M.; thence North 89 Degrees 30'21" West 809.43 feet, more or less, along said North line of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 20 to the Northwest corner of said Section 20, being the Point of Beginning.

TOGETHER WITH that portion of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 19, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., lying Easterly of the West 198.00 feet of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter, and lying Southerly of the Joe Leary Slough, and lying Northerly of the following described line:

Beginning at a point on the East line of said Section 19, lying South 1 Degrees 10'20" West a distance of 769.81 feet from the Northeast corner of said Section 19; thence

North 80 Degrees 40'31" West a distance of 75.82 feet thence

North 80 Degrees 43'02" West a distance of 272.16 feet, thence

North 81 Degrees 46'12" West a distance of 126.65 feet; thence

North 69 Degrees 07'00" West a distance of 224.38 feet; thence

North 71 Degrees 15'18" West a distance of 378.56 feet, thence

North 41 Degrees 06'52" West a distance of 113.90 feet to the East line of the West 198.00 feet of said Northeast Quarter of Section 19, being the terminus of said line.

## **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

All that part or portion of the Southeast ¼ of the Southeast ¼ of Section 18, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., lying and being South of Joe Leary Slough.



# **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

That portion of the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 18, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., North of Slough, except roads.

## **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

That portion of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, Section 19, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., lying Northerly of the Joe Leary Slough, except roads.

#### **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

That portion of the Southwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 17, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., and that portion of the Northwest ¼ of the Northwest ¼ of Section 20, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Northwest ¼ of the Northwest ¼ of Section 20 (Northwest Section corner); thence South 0°22'15" West 1,330.49 feet along the West line of said Northwest ¼ of the Northwest ¼ to the Southwest corner thereof (1/16 corner); thence North 89°04'38" East 150.00 feet along the South line of said Northwest ¼ of the Northwest ¼; thence North 0°22'15" West 537.78 feet parallel with said West line of the Northwest ¼ of the Northwest ¼ to the centerline of an existing field ditch; thence along said field ditch South 81°49'43" East 313.96 feet; then South 85°17'10" East 350.28 feet; thence leaving said field ditch, North 0°22'15" West 2,210.67 feet, more or less, parallel with said West line of the Northwest ¼ of the Northwest ¼ of Section 20 to the North line of the Southwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 17, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M.; thence South 88°56'49" West 798.46 feet, more or less, along said North line of the Southwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ to the Northwest corner thereof; thence South 0°06'06" West 1,332.26 feet along the West line of said Southwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ to the Southwest orner of said subdivision (Southwest Section corner) and being the point of beginning.

EXCEPT that portion of the Southwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 17, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., lying Northwesterly of the centerline of Joe Leary Slough;

AND EXCEPT D'Arcy Road right-of-way;

# **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

That portion of the Southwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 17, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., Lying Northwesterly of the centerline of Joe Leary Slough, EXCEPT D'Arcy Road.

### **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

The Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter and the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, Section 18, Township 35 North, Range 3 East of the WM;

EXCEPT right of way 6 feet in width, for an open ditch across the North side of said Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, as excepted in that certain Deed from Edward Ames to George D'Arcey, dated March 12, 1892 and recorded March 17, 1892, in Volume 24 of Deeds, page 347, records of said county;

ALSO EXCEPTING that portion lying West of the East line of that certain tract conveyed to Skagit County for road purposes by Deed recorded July 23, 1946 under Auditor's File No. 394232.

### **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

That portion of the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 18, Township 35, Range 3 East, W.M., described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the West line of the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of said Section 18, which is 670 feet North of the Southwest corner thereof; thence East parallel with the South line of said Northeast quarter to a point 661.1 feet West of the East line of said Northeast quarter; thence North parallel with the East line of said subdivision to the North line of said Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter; thence West along the North line of said Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter to the Northwest comer thereof; thence South along the West line thereof to the point of beginning.

EXCEPT that portion lying West of the East line of that certain tract conveyed to Skagit County for road purposes by Deed recorded October 8, 1946 under Auditor's File No. 396829.

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#### **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

The Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 18, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M.,

# EXCEPTING THEREFROM:

COMMENCING AT A POINT ON THE WEST LINE OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 18, WHICH IS 670 FEET NORTH OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE EAST TO A POINT ON THE NORTH LINE OF SAID QUARTER WHICH IS 661.1 FEET WEST OF THE NORTHEAST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE SOUTH PARALLEL TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER TO A POINT EAST OF THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE WEST PARALLEL TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

AND EXCEPT those portions lying within the Bayview Edison County Road;

AND EXCEPT that portion lying within the boundaries of the D'Arcy County Road as said roads are built on the ground and as conveyed to Skagit County by Deeds recorded under Auditor's File Nos. 340420, 340421, 394230 and 394231, records of Skagit County, Washington.

#### **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

The West ½ of the Northwest ¼; the West ½ of the Northeast ¼ of the Northwest ¼ and the East ½ of, the Northwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼, all in Section 17, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., EXCEPT the East 6 rods (99 feet) of the said East ½ of the Northwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ AND ALSO EXCEPT all ditch and dike rights of way; AND EXCEPT the D'Arcy Road running along the South line of the Northwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ and as said road was conveyed to Skagit County by deeds recorded under Auditor's File Nos. 340422, 340423 and 340424, records of Skagit County, Washington.



## **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

The West ½ of the Northwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ and the West ½ of the Southeast ¼ of the Northwest ¼ and the East 6 rods (99 feet) of the Northwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼, all in Section 17, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., EXCEPT D'Arcy Road, as conveyed to Skagit County by deeds recorded under Auditor's File Nos. 340422, 340423 and 340424, AND ALSO EXCEPT ditch and dike rights of ways, if any.

# **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

The Southeast 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 7, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M., EXCEPT the West 25 feet thereof for County Road.

# **GRANTEES' PROPERTY**

The West 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 8, Township 35 North, Range 3 East, W.M.

#### **EXHIBIT C**

### LEGAL DESCRIPTION FOR PARCEL B OF EASEMENT AREA

# Parcel B:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter; thence South 1 Degree 10'20" West along the East line of said Northeast Quarter, a distance of 329.00 feet; thence North 88 Degrees 34'47" West parallel to the South line of said Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter, a distance of 598.84 feet; thence North 1 Degree 25'13" East a distance of 382.17 feet; thence South 88 Degrees 34'47" East a distance of 277.26 feet; thence South 1 Degree 25'13" West a distance of 53.16 feet to the South line of said Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter; thence South 88 Degrees 34'47" East along said South line of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter a distance of 320.17 feet to the Point of Beginning, containing 4.8 acres, more or less.

Situate in Skagit County, Washington