

POLK COUNTY LAND DEVELOPMENT
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P.O.B. 9005, DRAWER GM 03
BARTOW, FL. 33831-9005
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WARRANTY INSPECTION FORM

Subdivision Name: Hickory Ranch Phase 1 – LDSUR-2023-48

Road Name:

Engineering Firm / Engineer of Record: Joseph A. Bena, P.E. – Kimley Horn and Associates, Inc.
Contractor:

Roadway Items

Condition / Remarks

A. Asphalt

B. Shoulders:

C. Curbs:

D. Inlets:

E. Mitered Ends:

F. Swales:

G. Sidewalks:

H. Landscaping:

Drainage Items

Condition / Remarks

A. Retention Ponds:

B. Drainage

C. Perimeter Swales:

Utility Items:

Condition / Remarks

A. Amount Security: \$79,958.50

B. Potable Water: Based on field inspections it appears the potable water system is functioning per design. No deficiencies identified

C. Wastewater System:

Inspector: Tim Bearden

Date: 6/2/2026

RESIDENTIAL MAINTENANCE BOND Bond No. 30152647-M

KNOWN ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, KB Home Orlando LLC, as Principal, and The Continental Insurance Company, a corporation organized and doing business under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Pennsylvania and duly licensed to conduct surety business in the State of Florida, as Surety (“Principal” and “Surety” collectively the “Obligors”), are held and firmly bound unto Polk County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, as Oblige, in the sum of Seventy Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Eight and 50/100 (\$ 79,958.50) Dollars, for which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

WHEREAS, Polk County’s Land Development Code (hereinafter “LDC”) is by reference incorporated into and made part of this Maintenance Bond (hereinafter “Bond”); and

WHEREAS, the Principal has constructed the improvements described in the Engineer’s Cost Estimate, attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and incorporated into and made part of this Bond (hereinafter “Improvements”), in the Hickory Ranch - Phase 1 subdivision, in accordance with the drawings, plans, specifications, and other data and information (hereinafter “Plans”) filed with Polk County’s Land Development Division, which Plans are by reference incorporated into and made part of this Bond; and

WHEREAS, the Principal wishes to dedicate the Improvements to the public; and

WHEREAS, the LDC requires as a condition of acceptance of the Improvements that the Principal provide to the Oblige a bond warranting the Improvements for a definite period of time following the Oblige’s final acceptance of said Improvements; and

WHEREAS, this Bond shall commence upon the date of the Oblige’s acceptance of the Improvements (the “Bond Commencement Date”).

NOW, THEREFORE, the conditions of this Bond are such that:

1. If the Principal shall warrant and indemnify for a period of One (1) year(s) following the Bond Commencement Date (the “Warranty Period”) against all loss that Oblige may sustain resulting from defects in construction, design, workmanship and materials (the “Defect”) of the Improvements; and
2. If the Principal shall correct all Defects to the Improvements that are discovered during the Warranty Period;

Then upon approval by the Oblige this Bond shall be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

3. The Oblige, its authorized agent or officer, shall notify the Principal and Surety in writing

of any Defect and shall specify in the notice a reasonable period of time for the Principal to correct the Defect. The Surety unconditionally covenants and agrees that if the Principal fails to correct the Defect within the time specified, the Surety shall forthwith correct the Defect and pay the cost thereof, including without limitation, engineering, legal, and contingent costs.

4. Should the Surety fail or refuse to perform any of its obligations pursuant to this Bond, the Obligees shall have the right to resort to any and all legal remedies against the Principal and Surety, or either, both at law and in equity including specific performance, to which the Principal and Surety unconditionally agree. In such case, the Obligors agree to pay all costs incurred by the Obligees, including attorney's fees and costs, and venue shall be in the courts of Polk County, Florida or in the United States District Court, Middle District of Florida, located in Hillsborough County, Florida.
5. All notices, demands, and correspondence with respect to this Bond shall be in writing and deemed effective on the date of certified mailing addressed to the following, notwithstanding any changes to the addresses listed below:

The Surety at:

The Continental Insurance Company
151 N. Franklin Street
Chicago IL 60606

The Principal at:

KB Home Orlando LLC
9102 Southpark Center Loop, Suite 100
Orlando, FL 32819

The Obligees at:

Polk County, Land Development Division
330 West Church Street
PO Box 9005 – Drawer GM03
Bartow, FL 33831-9005

This Bond commences on the Bond Commencement Date and shall remain in full force and effect until the correction of all Defects for which timely notice has been provided to the Principal and Surety, even if the time required to correct such Defect exceeds the Warranty Period. This Bond shall be released by the Obligees if all the Conditions of this Bond remain satisfied at the end of the Warranty Period.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and Surety have caused this Bond to be executed by their duly authorized officers this 3rd day of October, 2023.

Juni Sesto
Witness

Eileen Sesto
Printed Name

Rula Lee
Witness

Miraida Lore
Printed Name

M. Gonzales
Witness

M. Gonzales
Printed Name

My Hua
Witness

My Hua
Printed Name

PRINCIPAL:

KB Home Orlando LLC
Name of Corporation

By: James Makransky
Printed Name

Title: VP of Finance
(SEAL)

SURETY:

The Continental Insurance Company
Name of Corporation

By: Brenda Wong

Brenda Wong
Printed Name

Title: Attorney-in-Fact
(SEAL)

(Attach power of attorney)

Initials Ⓢ

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT CIVIL CODE §1189

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California

County of Los Angeles

On 10/3/2023 before me, S. Evans, Notary Public, personally appeared Brenda Wong who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/~~are~~-subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that ~~he~~/~~she~~/~~they~~ executed the same in ~~his~~/~~her~~/~~their~~ authorized capacity(ies), and that by ~~his~~/~~her~~/~~their~~ signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

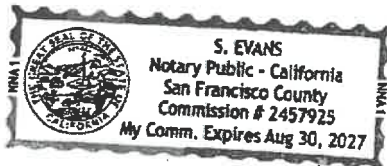
WITNESS my hand and official seal.

(seal)

Signature

S. Evans

S. Evans, Notary Public



POWER OF ATTORNEY APPOINTING INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

Know All Men By These Presents, That The Continental Insurance Company, a Pennsylvania insurance company, is a duly organized and existing insurance company having its principal office in the City of Chicago, and State of Illinois, and that it does by virtue of the signature and seal herein affixed hereby make, constitute and appoint Brenda Wong

, Individually

of Los Angeles, California, its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact with full power and authority hereby conferred to sign, seal and execute for and on its behalf bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of similar nature

- In Unlimited Amounts -

Surety Bond Number: 30152647-M
Principal: KB Home Orlando, LLC
Obligee: Polk County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida

and to bind them thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by a duly authorized officer of the insurance company and all the acts of said Attorney, pursuant to the authority hereby given is hereby ratified and confirmed.

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the By-Law and Resolutions, printed on the reverse hereof, duly adopted, as indicated, by the Board of Directors of the insurance company.

In Witness Whereof, The Continental Insurance Company has caused these presents to be signed by its Vice President and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this 2nd day of February, 2021.

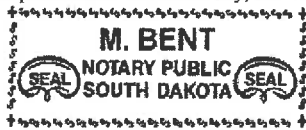


The Continental Insurance Company

Paul T. Bruflat
Paul T. Bruflat Vice President

State of South Dakota, County of Minnehaha, ss:

On this 2nd day of February, 2021, before me personally came Paul T. Bruflat to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the City of Sioux Falls, State of South Dakota; that he is a Vice President of The Continental Insurance Company, a Pennsylvania insurance company, described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said insurance company; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed pursuant to authority given by the Board of Directors of said insurance company and that he signed his name thereto pursuant to like authority, and acknowledges same to be the act and deed of said insurance company.



My Commission Expires March 2, 2026

M. Bent
M. Bent Notary Public

CERTIFICATE

I, D. Johnson, Assistant Secretary of The Continental Insurance Company, a Pennsylvania insurance company, do hereby certify that the Power of Attorney herein above set forth is still in force, and further certify that the By-Law and Resolution of the Board of Directors of the insurance company printed on the reverse hereof is still in force. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said insurance company this 3rd day of October, 2023.



The Continental Insurance Company

D. Johnson
D. Johnson Assistant Secretary

Authorizing By-Laws and Resolutions

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY:

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-Law duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company at a meeting held on May 10, 1995.

“RESOLVED: That any Group Vice President may authorize an officer to sign specific documents, agreements and instruments on behalf of the Company provided that the name of such authorized officer and a description of the documents, agreements or instruments that such officer may sign will be provided in writing by the Group Vice President to the Secretary of the Company prior to such execution becoming effective.

This Power of Attorney is signed by Paul T. Bruflat, Vice President, who has been authorized pursuant to the above resolution to execution power of attorneys on behalf of The Continental Insurance Company.

This Power of Attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company by unanimous written consent dated the 25th day of April, 2012.

“Whereas, the bylaws of the Company or specific resolution of the Board of Directors has authorized various officers (the “Authorized Officers”) to execute various policies, bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of like nature; and

Whereas, from time to time, the signature of the Authorized Officers, in addition to being provided in original, hard copy format, may be provided via facsimile or otherwise in an electronic format (collectively, “Electronic Signatures”), Now therefore be it resolved: that the Electronic Signature of any Authorized Officer shall be valid and binding on the Company.”