SAFETY ADDENDUM

DATE PROPERTY NAME / NUMBER

RESIDENT NAME(S)

UNIT NUMBER STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP

WARNING!! The Owner and its Agents cannot be responsible for watching and supervising the activities of Residents, their household members and their guests. THEREFORE, RESIDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SUPERVISION, SAFETY AND WELL-BEING OF ALL MEMBERS OF THEIR HOUSEHOLD AND THEIR GUESTS. Following are some areas of the property that may pose special dangers and risks. This list is not meant to cover all possible dangers that may be present.

WINDOWS

- Open windows present a potential risk of falling.
- Window screens are intended solely to keep bugs out. They are not intended to support a person’s weight or prevent a person from falling from an open window.
- There is a risk of serious injury or death if a person leans against a screen.
- Beware that sitting or playing on window sills is dangerous and can lead to falls.
- Keep furniture and other objects on which a person can climb away from windows.
- Window stops and other devices that restrict a window from opening are not provided by Owner/Agent because of the dangers associated with fire and the requirement that occupants can escape. If Resident desires to use such devices, they must be approved by Owner/Agent before being installed. Resident accepts full responsibility for the safe use of such devices.
- Do not block windows in any way that would prevent exit in the event of a fire.
- Young children can strangle in cord and bead chain loops. They can also wrap cords around their necks and strangle.
- Always ensure that inner cord stop devices are within 3” of headrail when blind is in the fully lowered position.
- Always keep cords and bead chains out of children’s reach.
- Move cribs, playpens and other furniture away from cords and bead chains. Children can climb furniture to get to cords.
- Do not tie cords together. Make sure cords do not twist together and create a loop.

USE OF APPLIANCES

- Stoves, ovens and fireplaces can cause burns and start fires if not properly used and attended.
- Hot water can cause burns if not properly used and attended.
- Never place anything on stove burners or in the oven except when actually cooking.
- Never allow anything, except approved plugs, to be placed in electrical sockets.

PARKING LOTS

- Moving vehicles can cause serious injury or death.
- It is hard to see any persons moving around vehicles.
- Riding bicycles, tricycles, skate boards, etc. in the parking areas is dangerous as the riders are not easily seen by drivers.
- Playing in or around vehicles is dangerous.

DUMPSTERS & TRASH COMPACTORS

- Dumpsters can move or fall, causing injury or death.
- Trash in or around the dumpster may be blown away by the wind.
- Riding bicycles, tricycles, skate boards, etc. in the parking areas is dangerous as the riders are not easily seen by drivers.
- Playing in or around vehicles is dangerous.

SWIMMING POOLS, SPAS & SAUNAS

- State laws limit the use of pools, spas and saunas by children under 14 unless supervised by an adult. All residents must follow such laws.

WATER

- Any location where water pools more than one inch deep poses the risk of drowning.
- Danger can be present with bathtubs, sinks, buckets, fountains, streams and ponds.

BALKONIES, DECKS & SECOND STORY WALKWAYS

- Small children can crawl through railings.
- No one should climb on or over railings.
- Throwing objects off balconies, decks and walkways can cause injury or death to persons below.
- Do not place furniture or other objects near railings. Climbing on such furniture or other objects can lead to falls or other injuries.
- Keep all stairways clear of debris or obstructions.
- Report any damaged or loose railings to Owner/Agent immediately.

PLAY AREAS

- Improper use of play equipment can cause injury or death.
- Any damaged or improperly working play equipment should be reported to Owner/Agent immediately.

ICY CONDITIONS

- Ice and snow increases the risk of a slip and fall, potentially causing serious injury.
- Take special precaution on stairs, walkways, in the parking lot, and in your vehicle in icy or snowy weather to prevent serious injury or death.