Exhibit "A"

15A-23-12 Utilities

All utility lines shall be placed underground in designated easements. No pipe, conduit, cable, line for water, gas, sewage, drainage, steam, electricity, or any other energy or service shall be installed on a permanent basis above ground. However, back flow devices have to be installed above ground. Therefore, no pole or other support structure shall be erected, altered, or replaced upon any lot (outside of any building) above the surface of the ground except for hoses, movable pipes used for irrigation or other purpose during construction.

- A. Transformers shall be grouped with other utility meters where possible. Gas meters, electric service meter panels, electric service entrance equipment, and other utility boxes shall be grouped together, where possible, and attached to the side of the buildings and shall be painted to match the adjacent building wall. (Ord 09-01, Amended 3-5-2009)
- B. Each contractor and owner/developer shall be responsible to know the whereabouts of all underground utilities. Protection of such utilities shall also be their responsibility. Prior to construction, contact must be made with "Blue Stakes" to identify underground utility lines.
- C. Where overhead poles exist, service lines to new developments must be placed underground from the nearest overhead service pole.
- D. This section does not require removal of any existing electrical transmission facilities and electrical distribution lines nor does it restrict the repair, minor relocation, and maintenance of any such existing facilities except that if any development requires a road widening to meet the impacts of that development and there are utility poles in the road to be widened, the developer, at his own expense, shall be responsible to remove those utility poles out of the public right-of-way and to underground all utility lines across the frontage of the development that may be associated with those utility pole(s). (Ord 11-07, Amended 5-3-2011)
- E. The director of the department of public utilities may approve, with the consent of the City Council, an alternative to the requirement of placing existing utility lines underground on a temporary basis, upon finding that burial is currently impractical and would be best accomplished as part of a future large-scale project. The director may also approve an alternative to the requirement of placing new and existing utility lines underground on Utah State highway projects, upon findings by the director.
- EF. Street Tree/Street Light Coordination. Actual tree spacing during site plan review may be adjusted, as necessary, to match existing streetscape or to adapt to unique on-site conditions that would justify such, e.g., topography, street lights, power lines and poles, and other utilities. In some cases, street trees may need to be placed behind sidewalks, or eliminated, in order to accommodate on-site conditions. Parkstrips on arterial and collector streets should accommodate street trees, street lights, and other needed utilities. Street trees should be placed such that the street lighting system functions properly and achieves the desired result.

FG. All utility boxes, e.g., transformers, switch gear, telephone, cable tv, back flow preventers, etc., shall be shown on the site plan and utility plan and shall be placed a minimum of 5 feet from any sidewalk or parking lot curbing. Said utility boxes shall not be located within any required traffic sight triangle(s), as determined by the Sandy City Transportation Engineer, and shall be screened from view with appropriate landscaping or architectural elements compatible in material and color with the primary structure. Each box shall be shown in its exact location and shall be noted with its exact height, width, and length. (Ord 09-01, Amended 3-5-2009)