

# EXAMPLE

## Detention Area Easement Statement

The proposed detention area (s) along Block \_\_\_\_\_ within the Limits of this addition, will remain as detention areas to the line and grade shown on the plans at all times and will be maintained by the individual owners of the lot or lots that are traversed by or adjacent to the Detention Areas in Block \_\_\_\_\_. The City of Dallas will not be responsible for the maintenance and operation of said Detention Areas or for any damage or injury to private property or person that results from the flow of water along, into or out of said Detention Areas, or for the control of Erosion.

No obstruction to the natural flow of storm water run-off shall be permitted by filling or by construction of any type of dam, building, bridge, fence, walkway or any other structure within the designated Detention Areas, as hereinafter defined in Block \_\_\_\_\_, unless approved by the Directors of Planning and Development and Water Utilities. Provided, however, it is understood that in the event it becomes necessary for the City of Dallas to erect any type of Drainage structure in order to improve the storm drainage that may be occasioned by the streets and alleys in or adjacent to the subdivisions, then in such an event, the City of Dallas shall have the right to enter upon the Detention Areas at any point, or points to erect, construct and maintain any drainage facility deemed necessary for drainage purposes. Each property owner shall keep clean and free of debris, silt, and any substance which would result in unsanitary conditions and the City of Dallas shall have the right of ingress and egress for the purpose of inspection and supervision of maintenance work by the property owner to alleviate any undesirable conditions, which may occur.

The Detention Area in Block \_\_\_\_\_, as in the case of all Detention Areas, is subject to Storm Water overflow to an extent, which cannot be clearly defined. The City of Dallas shall not be held liable for any damage of any nature resulting from the occurrence of these natural phenomena, nor resulting from the failure of any structure or structures within the Detention Areas or the subdivision storm drainage system.

The Detention Areas serving the plat are shown by the Detention Area Easement Line as shown on the plat.