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STATE OF MONTANA

Case Number: DA 23-0728

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

Supreme Court Cause No. DA 23-0384

GBSB HOLDING, LLC, Plaintiff/Appellant,

VS.

FLATHEAD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND FLATHEAD COUNTY, MONTANA; WHITEFISH VILLAGE, LLC; WILLIAM F. OSWALD AND JULIANA M. OSWALD, Co-Trustees of the Oswald Family Trust dated May 23, 2016; SHAWN PATRICK JAMES AND KRISTIN PATRICIA BELL; WHITEFISH HILLS VILLAGE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; and JOHN DOES 1 AND 2,

Defendants/Appellees.

APPELLEE WHITEFISH HILLS VILLAGE HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION, ANSWER BRIEF

An appeal from the decision of the Honorable Amy Eddy, Judge of the Eleventh Judicial District (Dept. 3), in and for the County of Flathead, Consolidated Cause Nos. DV-20-995(A) and DV-21-206(D) Filed in DV-20-995(A).

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Appellee Whitefish Village Homeowners' Association hereby adopts and incorporates into this brief, the Answer Brief filed by Appellee, Whitefish Village LLC.

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