

## **9.10 APPENDIX 10 – SPECIFICATIONS FOR INSTALLATION OF “AZEK” OR “TREX” DECKING AND “TRADEMARK” RAILING SYSTEMS**

This specification is for the materials to be used for the installation of AZEK or TREX decking and TRADEMARK railing systems on the seventeen units at Vine Brook Way and those units in the original 77 units that have decks.

The original systems of decking and railings on the front and rear of the all affected units are still approved and may continue to be installed. The original wooden materials have a high maintenance cost and degrade in physical appearance in two to three years.

### **AZEK decking ([azek.com](http://azek.com)).**

Deck Boards to be used are: AZEK Deck, color KONA, and are to be installed using hidden fasteners or color matched stainless steel deck screws.

Fasteners – Tiger Claw TC-P and Fastenmaster Cortex hidden fasteners.

### **TREX decking ([trex.com](http://trex.com)).** Previously approved and installed at SMBW units.

Deck boards to be used are: Brasilia, color cayenne, and are to be installed using hidden fasteners.

Fasteners - Trex Hideaway hidden fasteners (also known as connector clips).

Screws - color cayenne.

2008 cost to install on a large deck (12' X 19' = 228 sq.ft.) is approximately \$3400.

### **TRADEMARK Railing System ([trademarkrailing.com](http://trademarkrailing.com)).**

Railing system is Trademark Reserve, color white. The material is an extruded wood-plastic composition and the finish is white PVC. The estimated 2008 cost to install this system on a large deck (12' X 19' = 43 lin.ft.) is three thousand six hundred dollars (\$3,600).

TREX and TRADEMARK products are available from:  
Friend Lumber 4 Adams Street Burlington MA 01803  
Tel. 781-273-1335 Fax. 781-270-9609

## **REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM**

Since AZEK, Trex and Trademark need no maintenance, Unit Owners who install a deck of these materials will receive reimbursement for the cost of two three-year maintenance cycles. (This does not apply retroactively to those who have already installed decks with the new materials.)

The reimbursement for a large TREX or AZEK deck (228 SF) will be three hundred dollars (\$300) per three year cycle and for two maintenance cycles for a total of six hundred dollars (\$600). This amount would be paid to the Unit Owner in two (2) equal installments, the first within three months after the deck completion and the second three (3) years later.

The reimbursement for smaller decks using AZEK or TREX would be scaled down in proportion to the actual number of square feet of deck. Example: a deck that is 80% of

a large deck would receive a reimbursement of 80% of \$600, or four hundred eighty dollars (\$480). There are some front decks, and when these are done they would be reimbursed based upon the number of square feet.

The replacement of the railing system would be handled similar to the TREX decks.

The reimbursement for a TRADEMARK Railing System installed on a large deck, 43 linear feet, will be two hundred dollars (\$200) per three year maintenance cycle and for two maintenance cycles, a total of four hundred dollars (\$400). This amount would be paid to the Unit Owner in two (2) equal installments, the first within three months after the railing completion and the second three (3) years later.

Smaller railing systems would be scaled down in proportion to the actual number of linear feet installed. Example: a railing of 35 linear feet would receive a reimbursement of 80% of \$400 dollars or three hundred twenty-four dollars (\$324).