

How to use this: Pull out your current policy's declarations pages and coverage forms, and give yourself about ten minutes. Check the box next to anything you can confirm. Anything you can't confirm isn't a problem — it's simply a good question to bring to your insurance advisor. The goal is to walk in informed.

A DIRECTORS & OFFICERS — PROTECTS THE BOARD PERSONALLY

- ☐ **D&O** protects board members' personal assets (decisions, discrimination / fair-housing, fund management).
- ☐ Limit reflects the association's size and budget.

B MASTER PROPERTY POLICY & UNIT RESPONSIBILITY

- ☐ I know what the recorded Declaration requires (bare walls / single entity / all-in).
- ☐ Property insured at accurate replacement value; **ordinance or law** considered.
- ☐ Unit owners required to carry HO-6, verified where possible.

C FIDELITY / CRIME

- ☐ **Fidelity / crime bond** covering everyone who handles association funds.
- ☐ Dual-authorization controls on reserve and operating accounts.

D GENERAL LIABILITY & AMENITIES

- ☐ **General liability** for common areas and amenities (pool, clubhouse, playground) with adequate limits.
- ☐ Contractors required to carry insurance and name the association additional insured.

E RESERVES & CONDITION

- ☐ Reserve study current; deferred maintenance addressed (a leading declination driver).

F LIMITS & REVIEW

- ☐ **Umbrella**; reviewed at least annually.

G QUESTIONS WORTH ASKING YOUR BROKER

- "Does our D&O actually protect board members' personal assets?"
- "Does our Declaration require bare walls, single entity, or all-in — and are we insured to it?"
- "Do we have a fidelity/crime bond covering everyone who handles funds?"
- "Do we require unit owners to carry HO-6?"
- "Is our reserve study current?"

H**IMPORTANT — PLEASE READ**

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