

**LEASE ADDENDUM FOR
ENCLOSED GARAGE, CARPORT, OR STORAGE UNIT**

1. **Addendum.** This is an addendum to the lease between you and us for Apt. No. _____ in the _____

_____ Apartments in _____, Texas
OR
the house, duplex, etc. located at (street address)
_____ in **College Station**, Texas.

2. **Garage, carport, or storage unit.** You are entitled to exclusive possession of: (*check as applicable*)

- garage or carport attached to the dwelling;
- garage space number(s) _____;
- carport space number(s) _____; and/or
- storage unit number(s) _____.

The monthly rent in paragraph 6 of the Lease Contract covers both the dwelling and the checked area(s) above. All terms and conditions of the lease apply to the above areas unless modified by this addendum.

3. **Use restrictions.** Garage or carport may be used only for storage of operable motor vehicles unless otherwise stated in our rules or community policies. Storage units may be used only for storage of personal property. No one may sleep, cook, barbeque, or live in a garage, carport, or storage unit. Persons not listed as a resident or occupant in the lease may not use the areas covered by this addendum. No plants may be grown in such areas.

4. **No dangerous items.** In our sole judgment, items that pose an environmental hazard or a risk to the safety or health of other residents, occupants, or neighbors, or that violate any government regulation, may not be stored. Prohibited items include fuel (other than in a properly capped fuel tank of a vehicle or a closed briquette lighter fluid container), fireworks, rags, piles of paper, or other material that may create a fire or environmental hazard. We may remove from such areas, without prior notice, items that we believe might constitute a fire or environmental hazard. Because of carbon monoxide risks, you may not run the motor of a vehicle inside a garage unless the garage door is open to allow fumes to escape.

5. **No smoke, fire, or carbon monoxide detectors.** No smoke, fire, or carbon monoxide detectors will be furnished by us unless required by law. We may choose to provide a detection device not required by law by separate addendum.

6. **Garage door opener.** If an enclosed garage is furnished, you will will not be provided with a garage door opener and/or garage key. You will be responsible for maintenance of

any garage door opener, including battery replacement. Transmitter frequency settings may not be changed on the garage door or opener without our prior written consent. At the time of termination of the lease, the total number of garage door opener(s) and/or garage key(s) that you were assigned must be returned to us. Failure to return such opener and/or key will result in a fine of \$ **100.00**, which will be deducted from your security deposit.

7. **Security.** We will not have any security responsibilities for areas covered by this addendum. Always remember to lock any door of a garage or storage unit and any door between a garage and the dwelling. When leaving, be sure to lock all keyed deadbolt locks.

8. **Insurance and loss/damage to your property.** Any area covered by this addendum is accepted by you "as is." You will maintain liability and comprehensive insurance coverage for any vehicle parked or stored. We will have no responsibility for loss or damage to vehicles or other property parked or stored in a garage, carport, or storage unit, whether caused by accident, fire, theft, water, vandalism, pests, mysterious disappearance, or otherwise. We are not responsible for pest control in such areas.

9. **Compliance.** We may periodically open and enter garages and storerooms to ensure compliance with this addendum. In that event, written notice of such opening and entry will be left inside the main entry door of your dwelling or inside the door between the garage and your dwelling.

10. **No lock changes, alterations, or improvements.** Without our prior written consent, locks on doors of garages and storage units may not be rekeyed, added, or changed, and improvements, alterations, or electrical extensions or changes to the interior or exterior of such areas are not allowed. You may not place nails, screws, bolts, or hooks into walls, ceilings, floors, or doors. Any damage not caused by us or our representatives to areas covered by this addendum will be paid for by you.

11. **Move-out and remedies.** Any items remaining after you have vacated the dwelling will be removed, sold, or otherwise disposed of according to paragraph 13 of the lease, which addresses disposition or sale of property left in an abandoned or surrendered dwelling. All remedies in the Lease Contract apply to areas covered by this addendum. Upon termination of the lease, your failure to return any garage door opener or other remote control device will result in a charge against you.

Resident or Residents
(All residents must sign)

Owner or Owner's Representative
(Signs below)

Date of Lease Contract
