SUPREME COURT OF WISCONSIN

Case No.: 02-0528 COMPLETE TITLE: Daniel Lynch and Judith O. Lynch, Plaintiffs-Appellants-Cross-Respondents-Petitioners, V. Carriage Ridge, LLC, Defendant-Respondent, Thomas F. Bunbury and Ronald T. Restaino, Defendants-Respondents-Cross-Appellants-Cross Petitioners. REVIEW OF A DECISION OF THE COURT OF APPEALS Reported at: 266 Wis. 2d 1059, 668 N.W.2d 562 (Ct. App. 2003-Unpublished) OPINION FILED: May 18, 2004 SUBMITTED ON BRIEFS: ORAL ARGUMENT: April 29, 2004 Source of Appeal: COURT: Circuit COUNTY: Dane JUDGE: David T. Flanagan JUSTICES: CONCURRED:

ATTORNEYS:

DISSENTED:

For the plaintiffs-appellants-cross-respondents-petitioners there were briefs by *Gary A. Ahrens, Christine Cooney Mansour* and *Michael Best & Friedrich, LLP*, Milwaukee, and oral argument by *Gary A. Ahrens*.

NOT PARTICIPATING: ROGGENSACK, J., did not participate.

For the defendants-respondents-cross-appellants-cross petitioners there were briefs by *Brian E. Butler*, *Michelle M. Affatati* and *Stafford Rosenbaum LLP*, Madison, and oral argument by *Brian E. Butler*.

For the defendant-respondent there was a brief by $Terry\ E.$ $Johnson,\ Maria\ D.\ Sanders$ and $Peterson,\ Johnson\ &\ Murray,\ S.C.,$ Milwaukee.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN

IN SUPREME COURT

Daniel Lynch and Judith O. Lynch,

Plaintiffs-Appellants-Cross-Respondents-Petitioners,

v. FILED

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Carriage Ridge, LLC,

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Defendant-Respondent,

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Thomas F. Bunbury and Ronald T. Restaino,

Defendants-Respondents-Cross-Appellants-Cross Petitioners.

REVIEW of a decision of the Court of Appeals. Affirmed.

¶1 PER CURIAM. The court is equally divided on the question of whether the decision of the court of appeals, Lynch v. Carriage Ridge, unpublished per curiam op. (Wis. Ct. App. July 24, 2003), should be affirmed or reversed. Chief Justice SHIRLEY S. ABRAHAMSON, Justice ANN WALSH BRADLEY, and Justice DAVID T. PROSSER would affirm; Justice JON P. WILCOX, Justice N.

PATRICK CROOKS, and Justice DIANE S. SYKES would reverse. Justice PATIENCE D. ROGGENSACK did not participate.

 $\P 2$ Accordingly, the decision of the court of appeals is affirmed.