

Dispositive Clauses. Borrower and Lender agree and agree as follows:

1. **Payment of Principal and Interest, Prepayment and Late Charges.** Borrower shall promptly pay when due the principal of and interest on the debt evidenced by the Note and any prepayment and late charges due under the Note.

2. **Family Tax and Insurance.** Subject to applicable law or a written waiver by Lender, Borrower shall pay to Lender on the due monthly payments are due under the Note, until the Note is paid in full, a sum of "Family" equal to one-twelfth of (a) yearly taxes and assessments which may attach primarily over this Security Instrument, (b) yearly household payments or ground rents on the Property, if any, (c) yearly household insurance premiums, and (d) yearly mortgage insurance premiums, if any. These items are called "family items." Lender may estimate the Family due in the event of current data and reasonable estimates of future items.

The Funds shall be held in an institution the deposits or accounts of which are insured or guaranteed by a federal or state agency (including Lender if Lender is such an institution). Lender shall apply the Funds to pay the entire term. Lender may not charge for holding and applying the Funds, analyzing the account or verifying the entire term, unless Lender pays Borrower interest on the Funds and applicable law permits Lender to make such a charge. Borrower and Lender may agree in writing that interest shall be paid on the Funds. Unless an agreement is made as applicable law requires interest to be paid, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on the Funds. Lender shall give to Borrower, without charge, an annual accounting of the Funds showing credits and debits to the Funds and the purposes for which each debit to the Funds was made. The Funds are pledged as additional security for the sums secured by this Security Instrument.

If the amount of the Funds held by Lender, together with the future monthly payments of Funds payable prior to the due date of the entire term, shall exceed the amount required to pay the entire term when due, the excess shall be, at Borrower's option, either promptly repaid to Borrower or credited to Borrower on monthly payments of Funds. If the amount of the Funds held by Lender is not sufficient to pay the entire term when due, Borrower shall pay to Lender any amount necessary to make up the deficiency in one or more payments as required by Lender.

Upon payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall promptly return to Borrower any Funds held by Lender. If under paragraph 2 the Property is sold or acquired by Lender, Lender shall agree, as later than immediately prior to the sale of the Property or its acquisition by Lender, any Funds held by Lender at the time of application as a credit against the sums secured by this Security Instrument.

3. **Application of Payments.** Unless applicable law provides otherwise, all payments received by Lender under paragraphs 1 and 2 shall be applied first, to late charges due under the Note, second, to prepayment charges due under the Note, third, to amounts payable under paragraph 2, fourth, to interest due and last, to principal due.

4. **Charge Lien.** Borrower shall pay all taxes, assessments, charges, fees and impositions attributable to the Property which may attach primarily over this Security Instrument, and household payments or ground rents, if any. Borrower shall pay these obligations in the manner provided in paragraph 2, or if not paid in that manner, Borrower shall pay them in time directly to the person owed payment. Borrower shall promptly forward to Lender all notices of amounts to be paid under this paragraph. If Borrower makes these payments directly, Borrower shall promptly forward to Lender receipts confirming the payments.

Borrower shall promptly discharge any lien which has priority over this Security Instrument unless Borrower has agreed in writing to the payment of the obligation secured by the lien in a manner acceptable to Lender. In addition, it goes without the lien by, or defense against enforcement of the lien in, legal proceedings which in the Lender's opinion operate to prevent the enforcement of the lien or forfeiture of any part of the Property, or (b) secure from the holder of the lien an agreement satisfactory to Lender subordinating the lien to this Security Instrument. If Lender determines that any part of the Property is subject to a lien which may attach primarily over this Security Instrument, Lender may give Borrower a notice identifying the lien. Borrower shall satisfy the lien or take one or more of the actions set forth above within 30 days of the giving of notice.

5. **Homeowner Insurance.** Borrower shall keep the improvements now existing or hereafter erected on the Property insured against loss by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage" and any other hazards for which Lender requires insurance. The insurance shall be maintained at the amounts and for the periods that Lender requires. The insurance carrier providing the insurance shall be chosen by Borrower subject to Lender's approval which shall not be unreasonably withheld.

All insurance policies and renewals shall be acceptable to Lender and shall include a standard mortgage clause. Lender shall have the right to audit the policies and renewals. If Lender requires, Borrower shall promptly give to Lender all receipts of past premiums and renewal notices. In the event of loss, Borrower shall give prompt notice to the insurance carrier and Lender. Lender may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Borrower.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, insurance proceeds shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property damaged, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. If the restoration or repair is not economically feasible or Lender's security would be lessened, the insurance proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with any excess paid to Borrower. If Borrower abandons the Property or does not answer within 30 days a notice from Lender that the insurance carrier has offered to settle a claim, then Lender may collect the insurance proceeds. Lender may use the proceeds to repair or restore the Property or to pay sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due. The 30-day period will begin when the notice is given.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any application of proceeds to principal shall not extend or postpone the due date of the monthly payments referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 or change the amount of the payments. If under paragraph 2 the Property is acquired by Lender, Borrower's right to any insurance policies and proceeds resulting from damage to the Property prior to the acquisition shall pass to Lender in the event of the sums secured by this Security Instrument immediately prior to the acquisition.

6. **Preservation and Maintenance of Property Landscaping.** Borrower shall not destroy, damage or unreasonably change the Property, allow the Property to deteriorate or commit waste. If this Security Instrument is on a residential lot, Borrower shall comply with the provisions of the law, and if Borrower acquires fee title to the Property, the easement and fee title shall not merge unless Lender agrees in the merger in writing.

7. **Protection of Lender's Rights in the Property Mortgage Insurance.** If Borrower fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this Security Instrument, or there is a legal proceeding that may significantly affect Lender's rights in the Property (such as a proceeding in bankruptcy, garnishment, for condemnation or to enforce laws or regulations), then Lender may do and pay for whatever is necessary to protect the value of the Property and Lender's rights in the Property. Lender's actions may include paying any sums secured by a lien which has priority over this Security Instrument, appearing in court, paying reasonable attorneys' fees and entering on the Property to make repairs. Although Lender may take action under this paragraph 7, Lender does not have to do so.

Any amounts disbursed by Lender under this paragraph 7 shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. Unless Borrower and Lender agree in other terms of payment, these amounts shall bear interest from the date of disbursement at the Note rate and shall be payable, with interest, upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment.

If Lender required mortgage insurance as a condition of making the loan secured by this Security Instrument, Borrower shall pay the premiums required to maintain the insurance in effect until such time as the requirement for the insurance terminates in accordance with Borrower's and Lender's written agreement or applicable law.

8. **Inspection.** Lender or its agent may make reasonable entries upon and inspection of the Property. Lender shall give Borrower notice in the form of or prior to an inspection specifying reasonable cause for the inspection.

9. **Condemnation.** The proceeds of any award or claim for damages, direct or consequential, in connection with any condemnation or other taking of any part of the Property, or for convenience in lieu of condemnation, are hereby assigned and shall be paid to Lender.

In the event of a total taking of the Property, the proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with any excess paid to Borrower. In the event of a partial taking of the Property, unless Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing, the sums secured by this Security Instrument shall be reduced by the amount of the proceeds multiplied by the following fraction: (a) the total amount of the sums secured immediately before the taking, divided by (b) the fair market value of the Property immediately before the taking. Any balance shall be paid to Borrower.

If the Property is abandoned by Borrower, or if, after notice by Lender to Borrower that the condemnation offers to make an award in whole or in part for damages, Borrower fails to respond to Lender within 30 days after the date the notice is given, Lender is authorized to collect and apply the proceeds, at its option, either to restoration or repair of the Property or to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any application of proceeds as principal shall not interrupt or postpone the due date of the monthly payments referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 or change the amount of such payments.

10. **Borrower Not Released From Liability By Lender Not a Waiver.** Extension of the time for payment or modification of amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument granted by Lender to any successor or interest of Borrower shall not operate to release the liability of the original Borrower or Borrower's successors in interest. Lender shall not be required to commence proceedings against any successor in interest or refuse to extend time for payment or otherwise modify amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument by reason of any demand made by the original Borrower or Borrower's successors in interest. Any forbearance by Lender in exercising any right or remedy shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any right or remedy.

11. **Successors and Assigns Bound; Joint and Several Liability; Co-signers.** The covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument shall bind and benefit the successors and assigns of Lender and Borrower, subject to the provisions of paragraph 17. Borrower's covenants and agreements shall be joint and several. Any Borrower who co-signs this Security Instrument but does not execute the Note, (a) co-signing this Security Instrument only to mortgage, grant and convey the Property, (b) co-signing this Security Instrument only to mortgage, grant and convey the sums secured by this Security Instrument, and (c) agrees that Lender and any other Borrower may agree to extend, modify, further or make any accommodations with regard to the terms of this Security Instrument or the Note without the consent of the co-signer.

12. **Loan Charge.** If the loan secured by this Security Instrument is subject to a law which sets maximum loan charges, and that law is hereby incorporated as part of the interest or other loan charges collected or to be collected in connection with the loan, except the permitted limits, then (a) any such loan charge shall be reduced by the amount necessary to reduce the charge to the permitted limit, and (b) any sums already collected from Borrower which exceeded the permitted limits will be refunded to Borrower. Lender may choose to make this refund by reducing the principal owed under the Note or by making a direct payment to Borrower. If a refund reduces principal, the reduction will be treated as a partial prepayment without any prepayment charge under the Note.

13. **Legislation Affecting Lender's Rights.** If enactment or expiration of applicable laws has the effect of rendering any provision of the Note or this Security Instrument inoperative according to its terms, Lender, at its option, may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument and may make any remedies permitted by paragraph 18. If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall take the steps specified in the second paragraph of paragraph 17.

14. **Notice.** Any notice to Borrower provided for in this Security Instrument shall be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail unless applicable law requires use of another method. The notice shall be directed to the Property Address or any other address Borrower designates by notice to Lender. Any notice to Lender shall be given by first class mail to Lender's address stated herein or any other address Lender designates by notice to Borrower. Any notice provided for in this Security Instrument shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower or Lender when given as provided in this paragraph.

15. **Governing Law; Severability.** This Security Instrument shall be governed by federal law and the law of the jurisdiction in which the Property is located. In the event that any provision or clause of this Security Instrument or the Note conflicts with applicable law, such conflict shall not affect other provisions of this Security Instrument or the Note which can be given effect without the conflicting provision. To this end the provisions of this Security Instrument and the Note are declared to be severable.

16. **Borrower's Copy.** Borrower shall be given one confirmed copy of the Note and of this Security Instrument.

17. **Transfer of the Property or a Beneficial Interest in Borrower.** If all or any part of the Property or any interest in it is sold or transferred (a) if a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred and Borrower is not a natural person, without Lender's prior written consent, Lender may, at its option, require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument. However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if exercise is prohibited by federal law as of the date of this Security Instrument.

If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall give Borrower notice of acceleration. The notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is delivered or mailed within which Borrower must pay all sums secured by this Security Instrument. If Borrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period, Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by this Security Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

18. **Borrower's Right to Foreclose.** If Borrower meets certain conditions, Borrower shall have the right to have enforcement of this Security Instrument discontinued at any time prior to the earlier of (a) 1 year or such other period as applicable law may specify for commencement, before sale of the Property pursuant to any power of sale contained in this Security Instrument, or (b) the entry of a judgment enforcing this Security Instrument. These conditions are that Borrower (a) pays Lender all sums which then would be due under this Security Instrument and the Note had no acceleration occurred, (b) cures any default of any other covenants or agreements, (c) pays all expenses incurred in enforcing this Security Instrument, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees, and (d) takes such action as Lender may reasonably require to assure that the lien of this Security Instrument, Lender's rights in the Property and Borrower's obligation to pay the sums secured by this Security Instrument shall survive unchanged. Upon commencement by Borrower of this Security Instrument and the obligations secured hereby shall continue fully effective as if no acceleration had occurred. However, this right to terminate shall not apply in the case of acceleration under paragraphs 12 or 17.

With EMPOWERED CONVEYANCE Borrower and Lender further covenant and agree as follows:

19. Acceleration; Foreclosure. Lender shall give notice to Borrower prior to acceleration following Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement in this Security Instrument that not prior to acceleration under paragraphs 13 and 17 unless applicable law provides otherwise. The notice shall specify the default, the action required to cure the default by a date, not less than 10 days from the date the notice is given to Borrower, by which the default must be cured, and if that failure to cure the default on or before the date specified in the notice may result in acceleration of the sums secured by this Security Instrument and sale of the Property. The notice shall further inform Borrower of the right to reinstate after acceleration and the right to bring a court action to assert the non-existence of a default or any other defense of Borrower to acceleration and sale. If the default is not cured on or before the date specified in the notice, Lender at its option may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument without further demand and may involve the power of sale and any other remedies permitted by applicable law. Lender shall be entitled to collect all expenses incurred in pursuing the remedies provided in this paragraph 19, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of title evidence.

If Lender involves the power of sale, Lender shall execute or cause Trustee to execute a written notice of the occurrence of an event of default and of Lender's election to cause the Property to be sold and shall cause such notice to be recorded in each county in which any part of the Property is located. Lender or Trustee shall give notice of sale in the manner prescribed by applicable law to Borrower and to other persons prescribed by applicable law. After the time holder at the time and place and under the terms designated in the notice of sale or sale or more persons and in any other place of any previously scheduled sale. Lender or its designee may purchase the Property at any sale.

Trustee shall deliver to the purchaser Trustee's deed conveying the Property without any covenant or warranty, expressed or implied. The records in the Trustee's deed shall be prima facie evidence of the truth of the statements made therein. Trustee shall apply the proceeds of the sale in the following order: (a) to all expenses of the sale, including, but not limited to, reasonable Trustee's and attorneys' fees; (b) to all sums secured by this Security Instrument; and (c) any excess to the person or persons legally entitled to it.

20. Lender in Possession. Upon acceleration under paragraph 19 or abandonment of the Property, Lender or person, by agent or by judicially appointed receiver shall be entitled to enter upon, take possession of and manage the Property and to collect the sums of the Property including those past due. Any sums collected by Lender or the receiver shall be applied first to payment of the costs of management of the Property and collection of rents, including, but not limited to, receiver's fees, premiums on receiver's bonds and reasonable attorneys' fees, and then to the sums secured by this Security Instrument.

21. Reconveyance. Upon payment of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall request Trustee to reconvey the Property and shall surrender this Security Instrument and all sums evidencing debt secured by this Security Instrument to Trustee. Trustee shall reconvey the Property without warranty and without charge to the person or persons legally entitled to it. Such person or persons shall pay any reconveyance costs.

22. Substitute Trustee. Lender may from time to time cause Trustee and appoint a successor trustee to any Trustee appointed hereunder. Without conveyance of the Property, the successor trustee shall succeed to all the title power and duties conferred upon Trustee herein and by applicable law.

23. Use of Property. The Property is not currently used for agricultural, timber or grazing purposes.

24. Attorneys' Fees. As used in this Security Instrument and in the Note, "attorneys' fees" shall include any attorneys' fees awarded by an appellate court.

25. Orders in this Security Instrument. If one or more orders are executed by Borrower and recorded together with this Security Instrument, the covenants and agreements of each such order shall be incorporated into and shall amend and supplement the covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument as if the orders were a part of this Security Instrument. [Check applicable box(es)]:

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| ☐ Adjustable Rate Rider | ☐ Condominium Rider | ☐ 1-4 Family Rider |
| ☐ Graduated Payment Rider | ☐ Planned Unit Development Rider | |
| ☐ Other(s): [Specify] | | |

26. SIGNING. Below, Borrower signs and agrees to the terms and covenants contained in this Security Instrument and in any instrument executed by Borrower and recorded with it.

David L. Howard (Seal)
David L. Howard
Sharon L. Howard (Seal)
Sharon L. Howard

Sharon L. Howard (Seal)

STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF CLACK

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this May 2, 1997

by David L. Howard and Sharon L. Howard

(personally acknowledged)

My Commission expires 7-6-98

[Signature]
Notary Public

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