

**NOTICE OF DEFAULT
AND ELECTION TO SELL**

RE: Trust Deed from

Kurt L. Strop

Tammy L. Strop

Grantor

to

Paul S. Cosgrove, Esq.

Trustee

AFTER RECORDING RETURN TO:

Paul S. Cosgrove

Lindsay, Hart, Neil & Weigler LLP

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Portland, OR 97201

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PAUL S. COSGROVE, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE, HEREBY GIVES NOTICE OF DEFAULT AND ELECTION TO SELL:

Reference is made to that certain trust deed made by Kurt L. Strop and Tammy L. Strop, as tenants by the entirety, as grantor, to Amerititle as trustee, in favor of Associates Financial Services Company of Oregon, Inc., as beneficiary, dated November 21, 1996, recorded November 26, 1996 in the mortgage records of Klamath County, Oregon, in book M-96 at page 37231 as recorder's fee no. 28985, covering the following described real property situated in said county and state, to-wit:

Lots 225 and 226, Resubdivision of Southern portion of Tracts "B" and "C", FRONTIER TRACTS, in the County of Klamath, State of Oregon.

The undersigned hereby certifies that no assignments of the trust deed by the trustee or by the beneficiary and no appointments of a successor trustee have been made except as recorded in the mortgage records of the county or counties in which the above-described real property is situated, further, that no action has been instituted to recover the debt, or any part thereof, now remaining secured by the trust deed, or, if such action has been instituted, such action has been dismissed except as permitted by ORS 86.735(4).

There is a default by the grantor or other person owing an obligation, the performance of which is secured by the trust deed, or by the successor in interest, with respect to provisions therein which authorize sale in the event of default of such provision; the default for which foreclosure is made is grantor's failure to pay when due the following sums:

Monthly payments for May 1999 through October 1999, in the amount of \$3,943.92.

By reason of the default, the beneficiary has declared all sums owing on the obligation secured by the trust deed immediately due and payable, those sums being the following, to-wit:

As of May 1, 1999 the principal sum of \$57,870.86 plus interest thereafter; plus any sums advanced by the beneficiary or beneficiary's successor in interest for the protection of the above described property, plus attorney and trustee's fees incurred by reason of said default.

Notice hereby is given that the beneficiary and trustee, by reason of the default, have elected and do hereby elect to foreclose the trust deed by advertisement and sale pursuant to ORS 86.705 to 86.795, and to cause to be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the interest in the described property which the grantor had, or had the power to convey, at the time of the execution by grantor of the trust deed, together with any interest the grantor or grantor's successor in interest acquired after the execution of the trust deed, to satisfy the obligations secured by the trust deed and the expenses of the sale, including the compensations of the trustee as provided by law, and the reasonable fees of trustee's attorneys.

The sale will be held at the hour of 11:00 a.m. in accord with the standard of time established by ORS 187.110 on February 28, 2000, at the following place: at the center entrance to the Post Office Building also known as the Federal Building, 317 South 7th Street, in the City of Klamath Falls, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, which is the hour, date and place last set for the sale.

Other than as shown of record, neither the beneficiary nor the trustee has any actual notice of any person having or claiming to have any lien upon or interest in the real property hereinabove described subsequent to the interest of the trustee in the trust deed, or of any successor in interest to the grantor or of any lessee or other person in possession of or occupying the property, except:

<u>NAME AND LAST KNOWN ADDRESS</u>	<u>NATURE OF RIGHT, LIEN OR INTEREST</u>
Jeri A. Ledbetter 3209 Hilyard, Klamath Falls, OR 97603	Judgment
US Bank National Association Randy L. Christofferson, President Three Christina Center, 201 N. Walnut St. Wilmington, Delaware 19801	Trust Deed
US Bank Oregon Main Office 111 SW Fifth, Suite 1200 Portland, OR 97204	Trust Deed

Notice is further given that any person named in ORS 86.753 has the right, at any time prior to five days before the date last set for the sale, to have this foreclosure proceeding dismissed and the trust deed reinstated by payment to the beneficiary of the entire amount then due (other than such portion of the principal as would not then be due had no default occurred) and by curing any other default complained of herein that is capable of being cured by tendering the performance required under the obligation or trust deed, and in addition to paying the sums or tendering the performance necessary to cure the default, by paying all costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation and trust deed, together with trustee's and attorney's fees not exceeding the amounts provided by ORS 86.753.

In construing this notice, the singular includes the plural, the word "grantor" includes any successor in interest to the grantor as well as any other person owing an obligation, the performance of which is secured by the trust deed, and the words "trustee" and "beneficiary" include their respective successors in interest, if any.

Dated: October 18, 1999.

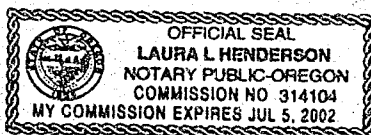
Paul S. Cosgrove
Paul S. Cosgrove, Successor Trustee

STATE OF OREGON, County of Multnomah) ss.

This instrument was acknowledged before me on October 18, 1999
By Paul S. Cosgrove.

Laura L. Henderson
Notary Public for Oregon

My commission expires July 5, 2002



State of Oregon, County of Klamath
Recorded 10/20/99, at 3:17P m.
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Linda Smith,
County Clerk Fee \$ 15.00