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DEED OF TRUST

Reference # (if applicable): 18-62015287

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Grantor(s):

1. HARDESTY, ROBERT E.

2. HARDESTY, MARGARET M.

Grantee(s)/Assignee/Beneficiary:

GB Home Equity dba, Beneficiary
FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY, Trustee

Legal Description: PORTION LOT 19, "MOUNTAIN VIEW PARK" A/K/A TRACT A, SHORT PLAT #ANA87-001

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Assessor's Tax Parcel ID#: 3805-000-019-0000

THIS DEED OF TRUST IS DATED JULY 8, 1998, among ROBERT E. HARDESTY and MARGARET M. HARDESTY, HUSBAND AND WIFE, whose mailing address is 4125 R AVENUE, ANACORTES, WA 98221 (referred to below as "Grantor"); GB Home Equity dba, whose mailing address is 1800 112TH AVE NE, Suite 308, Believue, WA 98004 (referred to below sometimes as "Lender" and sometimes as "Beneficiary"); and FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY, whose mailing address is 1301 – B RIVERSIDE DR., MOUNT VERNON, WA 98273 (referred to below as "Trustee").

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CONVEYANCE AND GRANT. For valuable consideration, Grantor conveys to Trustee In trust with power of sale, right of entry and possession and for the benefit of Lender as Beneficiary, all of Grantor's right, title, and interest in and to the following described real property, together with all existing or subsequently erected or affixed buildings, improvements and fixtures; all easements, rights of way, and appurtenances; all water, water rights and ditch rights (including stock in utilities with ditch or irrigation rights); and all other rights, royalties, and profits relating to the real property, including without limitation all minerals, oil, gas, geothermal and similar matters, located in SKAGIT County, State of Washington (the "Real Property"):

TRACT A OF ANACORTES SHORT PLAT NO. 87-001, APPROVED JANUARY 16, 1991, AND RECORDED JANUARY 17, 1991, IN VOLUME 9 OF SHORT PLATS, PAGE 305, UNDER AUDITOR'S FILE NO. 9101170032, RECORDS OF SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON; (BEING A PORTION OF TRACT A SHORT PLAT RECORDED IN VOLUME 8, PAGE 13, RECORDS OF SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON; OUT OF LOT 19, "PLAT OF MOUTAIN VIEW PARK", AS PER PLAT RECORDED IN VOLUME 7 OF PLATS, PAGE 77, RECORDS OF SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON.)

The Real Property or its address is commonly known as 4125 R AVENUE, ANACORTES, WA 98221. The Real Property tax identification number is 3805-000-019-0000.

Grantor hereby assigns as security to Lender, all of Grantor's right, title, and interest in and to all leases, Rents, and profits of the Property. This assignment is recorded in accordance with RCW 65.08.070; the lien created by this assignment is intended to be specific, perfected and choate upon the recording of this Deed of Trust. Lender grants to Grantor a license to collect the Rents and profits, which license may be revoked at Lender's option and shall be automatically revoked upon acceleration of all or part of the Indebtedness.

DEFINITIONS. The following words shall have the following meanings when used in this Deed of Trust. Terms not otherwise defined in this Deed of Trust shall have the meanings attributed to such terms in the Uniform Commercial Code. All references to dollar amounts shall mean amounts in lawful money of the United States of America.

Existing Indebtedness. The words "Existing Indebtedness" mean the indebtedness described below in the Existing Indebtedness section of this Deed of Trust.

Guarantor. The word "Guarantor" means and includes without limitation any and all guarantors, sureties, and accommodation parties in connection with the Indebtedness.

Improvements. The word "Improvements" means and includes without limitation all existing and future improvements, buildings, structures, mobile homes affixed on the Real Property, facilities, additions, replacements and other construction on the Real Property.

Indebtedness. The word "Indebtedness" means all principal and interest payable under the Note and any amounts expended or advanced by Lender to discharge obligations of Grantor or expenses incurred by Trustee or Lender to enforce obligations of Grantor under this Deed of Trust, together with interest on such amounts as provided in this Deed of Trust.

Note. The word "Note" means the Note dated July 8, 1998, in the original principal amount of \$22,100.00 from Grantor to Lender, together with all renewals, extensions, modifications, refinancings, and substitutions for the Note.

Personal Property. The words "Personal Property" mean all equipment, fixtures, and other articles of personal property now or hereafter owned by Grantor, and now or hereafter attached or affixed to the Real Property; together with all accessions, parts, and additions to, all replacements of, and all substitutions for, any of such property; and together with all issues and profits thereon and proceeds (including without limitation all insurance proceeds and refunds of premiums) from any sale or other disposition of the Property.

Property. The word "Property" means collectively the Real Property and the Personal Property.

Real Property. The words "Real Property" mean the property, interests and rights described above in the "Conveyance and Grant" section.

Related Documents. The words "Related Documents" mean and include without limitation all promissory notes, credit agreements, loan agreements, environmental agreements, guaranties, security agreements, mortgages, deeds of trust, and all other instruments, agreements and documents, whether now or hereafter existing, executed in connection with the indebtedness.

Rents. The word "Rents" means all present and future rents, revenues, income, issues, royalities, profits, and other benefits derived from the Property.

THIS DEED OF TRUST, INCLUDING THE ASSIGNMENT OF RENTS AND THE SECURITY INTEREST IN THE RENTS AND PERSONAL PROPERTY, IS GIVEN TO SECURE (1) PAYMENT OF THE INDEBTEDNESS AND (2) PERFORMANCE OF ANY AND ALL OBLIGATIONS OF GRANTOR UNDER THE NOTE, THE RELATED DOCUMENTS, AND THIS DEED OF TRUST. THIS DEED OF TRUST IS GIVEN AND ACCEPTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE. Except as otherwise provided in this Deed of Trust, Grantor shall pay to Lender all amounts secured by this Deed of Trust as they become due, and shall strictly and in a timely manner perform all of Grantor's obligations under the Note, this Deed of Trust, and the Related Documents.

POSSESSION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE PROPERTY. Grantor agrees that Grantor's possession and use of the Property shall be governed by the following provisions:

Possession and Use. Until the occurrence of an Event of Default, Grantor may (a) remain in possession and control of the Property, (b) use, operate or manage the Property, and (c) collect any Rents from the Property (this privilege is a license from Lender to Grantor automatically revoked upon default). The following provisions relate to the use of the Property or to other limitations on the Property. The Real Property is not used principally for agriculture or farming purposes.

Duty to Maintain. Grantor shall maintain the Property in tenantable condition and promptly perform all repairs, replacements, and maintenance necessary to preserve its value.

Hazardous Substances. Grantor represents and warrants that the Property never has been, and never will be so long as this Deed of Trust remains a lien on the Property, used for the generation, manufacture, storage, treatment, disposal, release or threatened release of any hazardous waste or substance, as those terms are defined in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 9601, et seq. ("CERCLA"), the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act ("SARA"), applicable state or Federal laws, or regulations adopted pursuant to any of the foregoing. Grantor authorizes Lender and its agents to enter upon the

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Property to make such inspections and tests as Lender may deem appropriate to determine compliance of the Property with this section of the Deed of Trust. Grantor hereby (a) releases and waives any future claims against Lender for indemnity or contribution in the event Grantor becomes liable for cleanup or other costs under any such laws, and (b) agrees to indemnity and hold harmless Lender against any and all claims and losses resulting from a breach of this paragraph of the Deed of Trust. This obligation to indemnify shall survive the payment of the Indebtedness and the satisfaction of this Deed of Trust.

Nuisance, Waste. Grantor shall not cause, conduct or permit any nuisance nor commit, permit, or suffer any stripping of or waste on or to the Property or any portion of the Property. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Grantor will not remove, or grant to any other party the right to remove, any timber, minerals (including oil and gas), soil, gravel or rock products without the prior written consent of Lender.

DUE ON SALE - CONSENT BY LENDER. Lender may, at its option, (a) declare immediately due and payable all sums secured by this Deed of Trust or (b) increase the interest rate provided for in the Note or other document evidencing the indebtedness and impose such other conditions as Lender deems appropriate, upon the sale or transfer, without the Lender's prior written consent, of all or any part of the Real Property, or any interest in the Real Property. A "sale or transfer" means the conveyance of Real Property or any right, title or interest therein; whether legal, beneficial or equitable; whether voluntary or involuntary; whether by outright sale, deed, installment sale contract, land contract, contract for deed, leasehold interest with a term greater than three (3) years, lease-option contract, or by sale, assignment, or transfer of any beneficial interest in or to any land trust holding title to the Real Property, or by any other method of conveyance of Real Property interest. If any Granton is a corporation, partnership or limited liability company, transfer also includes any change in ownership of more than twenty-five percent (25%) of the voting stock, partnership interests or limited liability company interests, as the case may be, of Grantor. However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if such exercise is prohibited by federal taw or by Washington law.

TAXES AND LIENS. The following provisions relating to the taxes and tions on the Property are a part of this Deed of Trust.

Payment. Grantor shall pay when due (and in all events prior to delinquency) all taxes, special taxes, assessments, charges (including water and sewer), fines and impositions levied against or on account of the Property, and shall pay when due all claims for work done on or for services rendered or material furnished to the Property. Grantor shall maintain the Property free of all liens having priority over or equal to the interest of Lender under this Deed of Trust, except for the lien of taxes and assessments not due, except for the existing indebtedness referred to below, and except as otherwise provided in this Deed of Trust.

PROPERTY DAMAGE INSURANCE. The following provisions relating to insuring the Property are a part of this Deed of Trust.

Maintenance of Insurance. Grantor shall procure and maintain policies of fire insurance with standard extended coverage endorsements on a replacement basis for the full insurable value covering all Improvements on the Real Property in an amount sufficient to avoid application of any coinsurance clause, and with a standard mortgagee clause in favor of Lender, together with such other hazard and liability insurance as Lender may reasonably require. Policies shall be written in form, amounts, coverages and basis reasonably acceptable to Lender and issued by a company or companies reasonably acceptable to Lender. Grantor, upon request of Lender, will deliver to Lender from time to time the policies or certificates of insurance in form satisfactory to Lender, including stipulations that coverages will not be cancelled or diminished without at least ten (10) days' prior written notice to Lender. Each insurance policy also shall include an endorsement providing that coverage in favor of Lender will not be impaired in any way by any act, omission or default of Grantor or any other person. Should the Real Property at any time become located in an area designated by the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency as a special flood hazard area, Grantor agrees to obtain and maintain Federal Flood Insurance for the full unpaid principal balance of the loan, up to the maximum policy limits set under the National Flood Insurance Program, or as otherwise required by Lender, and to maintain such insurance for the term of the loan.

EXPENDITURES BY LENDER. If Grantor fails to comply with any provision of this Deed of Trust, including any obligation to maintain Existing Indebtedness in good standing as required halow, or if any action or proceeding is commenced that would materially affect Lender's interests in the Property, Lender on Grantor's behalf may, but shall not be required to, take any action that Lender deems appropriate. Any amount that Lender expends in so doing will bear interest at the rate provided for in the Note from the date incurred or paid by Lender to the date of repayment by Grantor. All such expenses, at Lender's option, will (a) be payable on demand, (b) be adder to the balance of the Note and be apportioned among and be payable with any installment payments to become due during either (i) the term of any applicable insurance policy or (ii) the remaining term of the Note, or (c) be treated as a balloon payment which will be due and payable at the Note's maturity. This Deed of Trust also will secure payment of these amounts. The rights provided for in this paragraph shall be in addition to any other rights or any remedies to which Lender may be entitled on account of the default. Any such action by Lender shall not be construed as curing the default so as to bar Lender from any remedy that it otherwise would have had.

WARRANTY; DEFENSE OF TITLE. The following provisions relating to ownership of the Property are a part of this Deed of Trust.

Title. Grantor warrants that: (a) Grantor holds good and marketable title of record to the Property in fee simple, free and clear of all ilens and encumbrances other than those set forth in the Real Property description or in the Existing Indebtedness section below or in any title insurance policy, title report, or final title opinion issued in favor of, and accepted by, Lender in connection with this Deed of Trust, and (b) Grantor has the full right, power, and authority to execute and deliver this Deed of Trust to Lender.

Defense of Title. Subject to the exception in the paragraph above, Grantor warrants and will forever defend the title to the Property against the lawful claims of all persons.

EXISTING INDEBTEDNESS. The following provisions concerning existing indebtedness (the "Existing Indebtedness") are a part of this Deed of Trust.

Existing Lien. The lien of this Deed of Trust securing the Indebtedness may be secondary and inferior to an existing lien. Grantor expressly covenants and agrees to pay, or see to the payment of, the Existing Indebtedness and to prevent any default on such indebtedness, any default under the instruments evidencing such indebtedness, or any default under any security documents for such indebtedness.

Default. If the payment of any installment of principal or any interest on the Existing Indebtedness is not made within the time required by the note evidencing such indebtedness, or should a default occur under the instrument securing such indebtedness and not be cured during any applicable grace period therein, then, at the option of Lender, the Indebtedness secured by this Deed of Trust shall become immediately due and payable, and this Deed of Trust shall be in default.

DEFAULT. Each of the following, at the option of Lender, shall constitute an event of default ("Event of Default") under this Deed of Trust:

Default on Indebtedness. Failure of Grantor to make any payment when due on the Indebtedness.

Default on Other Payments. Failure of Grantor within the time required by this Deed of Trust to make any payment for taxes or insurance, or any other payment necessary to prevent filling of or to effect discharge of any lien.

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Compliance Default. Failure of Grantor to comply with any other term, obligation, covenant or condition contained in this Deed of Trust, the Note or in any of the Related Documents.

Defective Colleteralization. This Deed of Trust or any of the Related Documents ceases to be in full force and effect (including failure of any colleteral documents to create a valid and perfected security interest or lien) at any time and for any reason.

Death or insolvency. The death of any Grantor, the insolvency of Grantor, the appointment of a receiver for any part of Grantor's property, any assignment for the benefit of creditors, any type of creditor workout, or the commencement of any proceeding under any bankruptcy or insolvency laws by or against Grantor.

Events Affecting Guarantor. Any of the preceding events occurs with respect to any Guarantor of any of the Indebtedness or any Guarantor dies or becomes incompetent, or revokes or disputes the validity of, or liability under, any Guaranty of the Indebtedness. Lender, at its option, may, but shall not be required to, permit the Guarantor's estate to assume unconditionally the obligations arising under the guaranty in a manner satisfactory to Lender, and, in doing so, cure the Event of Default.

Existing Indebtedness. A detault shall occur under any Existing Indebtedness or under any instrument on the Property securing any Existing Indebtedness, or commencement of any suit or other action to foreclose any existing lien on the Property.

RIGHTS AND REMEDIES ON DEFAULT. Upon the occurrence of any Event of Default and at any time thereafter, Trustee or Lender, at its option, may exercise any one or more of the following rights and remedies, in addition to any other rights or remedies provided by law:

Accelerate indebtedness. Lender shall have the right at its option to declare the entire indebtedness immediately due and payable, including any prepayment penalty which Grantor would be required to pay.

Foreclosure. With respect to all or any part of the Real Property, the Trustee shall have the right to exercise its power of sale and to foreclose by notice and sale, and Lender shall have the right to foreclose by judicial foreclosure, in either case in accordance with and to the full extent provided by applicable law.

Other Remedies. Trustee or Lender shall have any other right or remedy provided in this Deed of Trust or the Note or by law.

Sale of the Property. To the extent permitted by applicable law, Grantor hereby waives any and all rights to have the Property marshalled. In exercising its rights and remedies, the Trustee or Lender shall be free to sell all or any part of the Property together or separately, in one sale or by separate sales. Lender shall be entitled to bid at any public sale on all or any portion of the Property.

Attorneys' Fees; Expenses. If Lender institutes any suit or action to enforce any of the terms of this Deed of Trust, Lender shall be entitled to recover such sum as the court may adjudge reasonable as attorneys' fees at trial and on any appeal. Whether or not any court action is involved, all reasonable expenses incurred by Lender which in Lender's opinion are necessary at any time for the protection of its interest or the enforcement of its rights shall become a part of the Indebtedness payable on demand and shall bear interest at the Note rate from the date of expenditure until repaid. Expenses covered by this paragraph include, without limitation, however subject to any limits under applicable law, Lender's attorneys' fees whether or not there is a lawsuit, including attorneys' fees for bankruptcy proceedings (including efforts to modify or vacate any automatic stay or injunction), appeals and any anticipated post-judgment collection services, the cost of searching records, obtaining title reports (including foreclosure reports), surveyors' reports, appraisal fees, title insurance, and fees for the Trustee, to the extent permitted by applicable law. Grantor also will pay any court costs, in addition to all other sums provided by law.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS. The following miscellaneous provisions are a part of this Deed of Trust:

Arbitration. Lender and Grantor agree that all disputes, claims and controversies between them, whether individual, joint, or class in nature, arising from this Deed of Trust of otherwise, including without limitation contract and fort disputes, shall be arbitrated pursuant to the Rules of the American Arbitration Association, upon request of either party. No act to take or dispose of any Property shall constitute a waiver of this arbitration appearent or be prohibited by this arbitration agreement. This includes, without limitation, obtaining injunctive relief or a temporary restraining order; invoking a power of sale under any deed of trust or montgage; obtaining a writ of attachment or imposition of a receiver; or exercising any rights relating to personal property, including taking or disposing of such property with or without judicial process pursuant to Article 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code. Any disputes, claims, or controversies concerning the lawfulness or reasonableness of any act, or exercise of any right, concerning any Property, including any claim to rescind, reform, or otherwise modify any agreement relating to the Property, shall also be arbitrated, provided however that no arbitrator shall have the right or the power to enjoin or restrain any act of any party. Judgment upon any award rendered by any arbitrator may be entered in any court having jurisdiction. Nothing in this Deed of Trust shall preclude any party from seeking equitable relief from a court of competent jurisdiction. The statute of limitations, estoppel, waiver, laches, and similar doctrines which would otherwise be applicable in an action brought by a party shall be applicable in any arbitration proceeding, and the commencement of an arbitration proceeding shall be deemed the commencement of an action for these purposes. The Federal Arbitration Act shall apply to the construction, interpretation, and enforcement of this arbitration provision.

Applicable Law. This Deed of Trust has been delivered to Lender and accepted by Lender in the State of Washington. Subject to the provisions on arbitration, this Deed of Trust shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington.

Time is of the Essence. Time is of the essence in the performance of this Deed of Trust.

Walvers and Consents. Lender shall not be deemed to have waived any rights under this Deed of Trust (or under the Related Documents) unless such waiver is in writing and signed by Lender. No delay or omission on the part of Lender in exercising any right shall operate as a waiver of such right or any other right. A waiver by any party of a provision of this Deed of Trust shall not constitute a waiver of or prejudice the party's right otherwise to demand strict compliance with that provision or any other provision. No prior waiver by Lender, nor any course of dealing between Lender and Grantor, shall constitute a waiver of any of Lender's rights or any of Grantor's obligations as to any future transactions. Whenever consent by Lender is required in this Deed of Trust, the granting of such consent by Lender in any instance shall not constitute continuing consent to subsequent instances where such consent is required.

Walver of Homestead Exemption. Grantor hereby releases and waives all rights and benefits of the homestead exemption laws of the State of Washington as to all Indebtedness secured by this Deed of Trust.

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EACH GRANTOR ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING READ ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THIS DEED OF TRUST, AND EACH GRANTOR AGREES TO ITS TERMS. **GRANTOR:**

ROBERT E. HARDESTY INDIVIDUAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT DENNEY PUGM:RE STATE OF STATE OF WASHINGTON) \$8 NOTARY -- -- PUBLIC

On this day before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared ROBERT E. HARDESTY and MARGARET M. HARDESTY, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individuals described in and who executed the Deed of Trust, and acknowledged that they signed the Deed of Trust as their free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned. Given under my hand and official seal this

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 4-00-00

Notary Public in and for the State of My commission expires

REQUEST FOR FULL RECONVEYANCE

Trustee The undersigned is the legal owner and holder of all indebtedness secured by this Deed of Trust. You are hereby requested, upon payment of all sums owing to you, to reconvey without warranty, to the persons entitled thereto, the right, title and interest now held by you under the Deed of Trust.

Date: Beneficiary: By: Its:

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