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**Return Address:****Banner Bank****P.O. Box 907****Walla Walla, WA 99362****Attn: Reconveyance Dept. - Debra R. Williams****Robert B Griffis - 18009137****MERS #: 100167900009389709****MERS Phone: 1-888-679-6377****APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE**

Know all men by these presents: **Robert B Griffis and Kathleen A Griffis, Husband and Wife**, the Grantor, and **Guardian NW Title Co.**, the Trustee, and **Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc.** is the beneficiary under that certain deed dated **June 12, 2014** recorded on **June 20, 2014** under recording number **201406200153** in **Volume N/A** at page **N/A** in the official records of **Skagit County, State of Washington**.

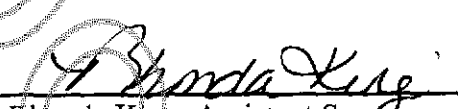
The undersigned, who is the present beneficiary under said deed of trust, desires to appoint a new trustee in the place and stead of the original trustee named above.

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of the premises, the undersigned hereby appoints **Northwest Financial Corporation** whose address is **PO Box 907, Walla Walla, WA 99362**, as successor trustee under said deed of trust, to have all the powers of said original trustee, effective forthwith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned beneficiary has hereunto executed this document; if the undersigned is a corporation, it has caused its corporation name to be signed and affixed hereunto by its duly authorized officers.

**Mortgage Electronic Systems Inc.**Date: **November 3, 2017**

Payoff Date: October 19, 2017

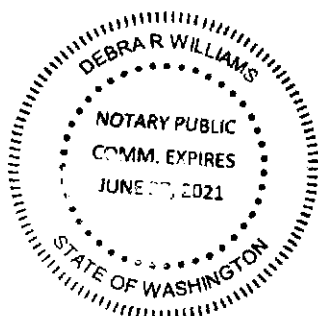
  
Rhonda King, Assistant Secretary  
as Nominee for Banner Bank

State of Washington

County of Walla Walla } ss.

On this 16<sup>th</sup> day of **November, 2017** before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared before me **Rhonda King, Assistant Secretary of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as Nominee for Banner Bank**, the corporation that executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the said instrument to be the free and voluntary act and deed of said corporation. For the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated that she is authorized to execute the said instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal hereto affixed the  
day and year first above written.





Notary Public in and for the State of Washington residing at Walla Walla