Skagit County Auditor, WA

Return To: Nationstar Mortgage LLC C/O Nationwide Title Clearing, LLC 2100 Alt. 19 North Palm Harbor, FL 34683

Loan Number 0688428994

## SUBSTITUTION OF TRUSTEE

WHEREAS, MELVYN A. CRITCHLEY AND SHELBY A. CRITCHLEY was the original Trustor, GUARDIAN NORTHWEST TITLE was the original Trustee, and MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR BETTER MORTGAGE CORPORATION, BENEFICIARY OF THE SECURITY INSTRUMENT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS was the designated nominee of the original Beneficiary under that certain Deed of Trust dated 10/21/2021, in the amount of \$112,752.00, and recorded in SKAGIT County, Washington, under Auditor File # 202110740103 202110260103.

LOT K SKAGIT COUNTY SHORT PLAT NO 42-77, A PTN OF LOTS 3 THROUGH 16 OF VALLEY VIEW ADDITION

Parcel ID # P70120

WHEREAS, the undersigned is the designated nominee of the present Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust and WHEREAS, the undersigned desires to substitute a new Trustee under Deed of Trust in place and stead of said original Trustee thereunder.

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned hereby substitutes NATIONWIDE TITLE CLEARING, LLC, a Washington limited liability company, as Trustee under said Deed of Trust.

Dated this 19th day of March in the year 2024
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS DESIGNATED
NOMINEE FOR BETTER MORTGAGE CORPORATION, BENEFICIARY OF THE SECURITY
INSTRUMENT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

ALAN BAKER

VICE PRESIDENT

All persons whose signatures appear above have qualified authority to sign and have reviewed this document and supporting documentation prior to signing.

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of [X] physical presence or [ ] online notarization on this 19th day of March in the year 2024, by Alan Baker as VICE PRESIDENT of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR BETTER MORTGAGE CORPORATION, BENEFICIARY OF THE SECURITY INSTRUMENT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, who, as such VICE PRESIDENT being authorized to do so, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained. He/she/they is (are) personally known to me.

JULIE MARTENS

COMM EXPIRES: 5/22/2026

JULIE MARTENS Notary Public - State of Florida Commission # HH 243030 My Comm. Expires May 22, 2026 Bunded through National Notary Assn

NSMRC 440618113 MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. (MERS) MRC MIN 100529011753740437 MERS PHONE 1-888-679-6377 MERS Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2026, Flint, MI 48501-2026 DOCR T192403-12:17:51 [C-2] ERCNWA1



