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### SUBSTITUTION OF TRUSTEE

WHEREAS, NICOLE KATHLEEN H BRATZ AND DANE L BRATZ was the original Trustor, CHICAGO TITLE COMPANY OF WASHINGTON was the original Trustee, and MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR FINANCE OF AMERICA MORTGAGE LLC, BENEFICIARY OF THE SECURITY INSTRUMENT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS was the designated nominee of the original Beneficiary under that certain Deed of Trust dated 10/21/2020, in the amount of \$510,400.00, and recorded in SKAGIT County, Washington, under Auditor File # 202010230201.

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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 24th day of December in the year 2025  
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR FINANCE OF AMERICA MORTGAGE LLC, BENEFICIARY OF THE SECURITY INSTRUMENT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

Lauren Astle

LAUREN ASTLE  
VICE PRESIDENT

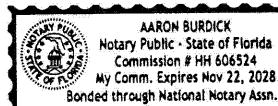
All persons whose signatures appear above have qualified authority to sign and have reviewed this document and supporting documentation prior to signing.

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of [X] physical presence or [ ] online notarization on this 24th day of December in the year 2025, by Lauren Astle as VICE PRESIDENT of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR FINANCE OF AMERICA MORTGAGE LLC, 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.

Aaron Burdick

AARON BURDICK  
COMM EXPIRES: 11/22/2028



CHAS7 449058083 MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. (MERS) MIN 100070202002844137 MERS PHONE 1-888-679-6377 MERS Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2026, Flint, MI 48501-2026 DOCR T242512-11:22:37 [C-2] ERCNWA1



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