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Home Preservation
Columbia Bank
9285 NE Tanasbourne Dr
Hillsboro, OR 97124

Document Title: LOAN MODIFICATION AGREEMENT

Reference numbers of related documents: 202109130186
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Grantor(s):
1. ROBERT M JOHNSON
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3.
etc. additional names on page 2 of document

Grantee(s)/ Beneficiary(ies):
1. Columbia Bank
2.
3.
etc. additional names on page 2 of document

Assessor's Property Tax Parcel Account Number(s): P133634/ 3765-000-031-0102

Legal Description:

THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF SKAGIT, STATE OF WASHINGTON, AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: LOT 19, VIEW CREST ADDITION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN VOLUME 7 OF PLATS, PAGE 80, RECORDS OF SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON; SITUATE IN THE COUNTY OF SKAGIT, STATE OF WASHINGTON.



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Parcel ID Number: P133634/ 3765-000-031-0102
Prior instrument reference: Instrument No:
202109130186, of the Official Records of SKAGIT
County, WA.

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Original Recording Date: **September 13, 2021** Loan No: **8501513638**
Original Loan Amount: **\$525,000.00** Investor Loan No: **4027387438**
New Money: **\$30,267.75** MIN Number: **100045810003739056**

LOAN MODIFICATION AGREEMENT
(Providing For Fixed Interest Rate)

This Loan Modification Agreement ("Agreement"), made this 30th day of January, 2026, between **ROBERT M JOHNSON** ("Borrower") and **Columbia Bank, whose address is 9285 NE Tanasbourne Dr, Hillsboro, OR 97124** ("Lender"), and Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), as Nominee for Lender. This Agreement amends and supplements (1) the Mortgage, Deed of Trust, or Security Deed (the "Security Instrument") dated **September 03, 2021** and recorded in **Instrument No: 202109130186** and recorded on **September 13, 2021**, of the Official Records of **SKAGIT County, WA** and (2) the Note, bearing the same date as, and secured by, the Security Instrument, which covers the "Property" as defined in the Security Instrument, and located at
703 N 17TH ST, MOUNT VERNON, WA 98273,
(Property Address)

the real property described being set forth as follows:

See Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof;



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In consideration of the mutual promises and agreements exchanged, the parties hereto agree as follows (notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Note or Security Instrument):

1. As of **February 1, 2026**, the amount payable under the Note and the Security Instrument (the "New Principal Balance") is U.S. **\$550,495.87**, consisting of the unpaid amount(s) loaned to Borrower by Lender plus any interest and other amounts capitalized.
2. **\$59,849.51** of the New Principal Balance shall be deferred (the "Deferred Principal Balance") and Borrower will not pay interest or make monthly payments on this amount. The New Principal Balance less the Deferred Principal Balance shall be referred to as the "Interest Bearing Principal Balance" and this amount is **\$490,646.36**. Interest will be charged on the Interest Bearing Principal Balance at the yearly rate of **3.250%**, from **February 1, 2026**. Borrower promises to make monthly payments of principal and interest of U.S. **\$1,827.86**, beginning on the **1st** day of **March, 2026**, and continuing thereafter on the same day of each succeeding month until the Interest Bearing Principal Balance and all accrued interest thereon have been paid in full. The yearly rate of **3.250%** will remain in effect until the Interest Bearing Principal Balance and all accrued interest thereon have been paid in full. The new Maturity Date will be **February 1, 2066**.
3. Borrower agrees to pay in full the Deferred Principal Balance and any other amounts still owed under the Note and Security Instrument by the earliest of: (i) the date Borrower sells or transfers an interest in the Property, (ii) the date Borrower pays the entire Interest Bearing Principal Balance, or (iii) the new Maturity Date.
4. If all or any part of the Property or any interest in the Property is sold or transferred (or if Borrower is not a natural person and a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred) without Lender's prior written consent, Lender may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by the Security Instrument.

If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall give Borrower notice of acceleration. The notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is delivered or mailed within which Borrower must pay all sums secured by the Security Instrument. If Borrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period, Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by the Security Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

5. Borrower also will comply with all other covenants, agreements, and requirements of the Security Instrument, including without limitation, Borrower's covenants and agreements to make all payments of taxes, insurance premiums, assessments, escrow items, impounds, and all other payments that Borrower is obligated to make under the Security Instrument; however, the following terms and provisions are forever canceled, null and void, as of the date specified in paragraph No. 1 above:
 - (a) all terms and provisions of the Note and Security Instrument (if any) providing for, implementing, or relating to, any change or adjustment in the rate of interest payable under the Note; and
 - (b) all terms and provisions of any adjustable rate rider, or other instrument or document that is affixed to, wholly or partially incorporated into, or is part of, the Note or Security Instrument and that contains any such terms and provisions as those referred to in (a)



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above.

6. Borrower understands and agrees that:

- (a) All the rights and remedies, stipulations, and conditions contained in the Security Instrument relating to default in the making of payments under the Security Instrument shall also apply to default in the making of the modified payments hereunder.
- (b) All covenants, agreements, stipulations, and conditions in the Note and Security Instrument shall be and remain in full force and effect, except as herein modified, and none of the Borrower's obligations or liabilities under the Note and Security Instrument shall be diminished or released by any provisions hereof, nor shall this Agreement in any way impair, diminish, or affect any of Lender's rights under or remedies on the Note and Security Instrument, whether such rights or remedies arise thereunder or by operation of law. Also, all rights of recourse to which Lender is presently entitled against any property or any other persons in any way obligated for, or liable on, the Note and Security Instrument are expressly reserved by Lender.
- (c) Nothing in this Agreement shall be understood or construed to be a satisfaction or release in whole or in part of the Note and Security Instrument.
- (d) All costs and expenses incurred by Lender in connection with this Agreement, including recording fees, title examination, and attorney's fees, shall be paid by the Borrower and shall be secured by the Security Instrument, unless stipulated otherwise by Lender.
- (e) Borrower agrees to make and execute such other documents or papers as may be necessary or required to effectuate the terms and conditions of this Agreement which, if approved and accepted by Lender, shall bind and inure to the heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns of the Borrower.
- (f) Borrower authorizes Lender, and Lender's successors and assigns, to share Borrower information including, but not limited to (i) name, address, and telephone number, (ii) Social Security Number, (iii) credit score, (iv) income, (v) payment history, (vi) account balances and activity, including information about any modification or foreclosure relief programs, with Third Parties that can assist Lender and Borrower in obtaining a foreclosure prevention alternative, or otherwise provide support services related to Borrower's loan. For purposes of this section, Third Parties include a counseling agency, state or local Housing Finance Agency or similar entity, any insurer, guarantor, or servicer that insures, guarantees, or services Borrower's loan or any other mortgage loan secured by the Property on which Borrower is obligated, or to any companies that perform support services to them in connection with Borrower's loan.



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Borrower consents to being contacted by Lender or Third Parties concerning mortgage assistance relating to Borrower's loan including the trial period plan to modify Borrower's loan, at any telephone number, including mobile telephone number, or email address Borrower has provided to Lender or Third Parties.

By checking this box, Borrower also consents to being contacted by text messaging [].

- (g) "MERS" is Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. MERS is a separate corporation that is the Nominee for Lender and Lender's successors and assigns and is acting solely for Lender. MERS is organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, and has an address and telephone number of P.O. Box 2026, Flint, MI 48501-2026, tel. (888) 679-MERS.

This Agreement modifies an obligation secured by an existing security instrument recorded in SKAGIT County, WA, upon which all recordation taxes have been paid. As of the date of this agreement, the unpaid principal balance of the original obligation secured by the existing security instrument is \$520,228.12. The principal balance secured by the existing security instrument as a result of this Agreement is \$550,495.87, which amount represents the excess of the unpaid principal balance of this original obligation.

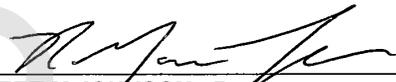


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In Witness Whereof, the Lender and I have executed this Agreement.



ROBERT M JOHNSON -Borrower

Date: 2/5/26

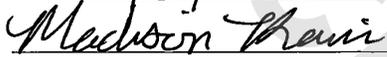
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State of Washington

County of Skagit

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that **ROBERT M JOHNSON**, (name of person) is the person who appeared before me, a Notary Public and said person acknowledged that (he/she) signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be (his/her) free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated: 2/5/26



Signature of Notary

Notary Public

Title

My Commission expires: 2/21/28
Origination Company: **Columbia Bank**
NMLSR ID: **401867**



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By: Rebecca DeGagne (Seal) - Lender

Name: Rebecca DeGagne
Title: Assistant Vice President

2-11-26 Date of Lender's Signature

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County of Washington

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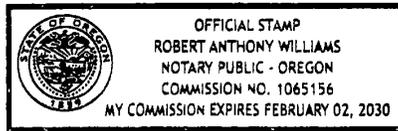
Rebecca DeGagne, the Assistant Vice President of
Columbia Bank

(name of person) is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that (he/she) signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be (his/her) free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated: 2-11-26

[Signature]
Signature of Notary

Notary Public
Title



My Commission expires: 2-2-30



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[Signature]
Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as Nominee for Lender, its successors and assigns

Name: Suzanne Wells

Title: Assistant Secretary, MERS

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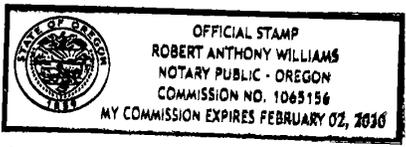
Suzanne Wells, the Assistant Secretary of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems Inc as Nominee for Lender
and successors and assigns

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Dated: 2-11-26

[Signature]
Signature of Notary

Notary Public
Title



My Commission expires: 2-2-30



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Exhibit "A"

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