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PACIFIC CREST SAVINGS BANK, A WASHINGTON CORPORATION
P.O. BOX C97013
LYNNWOOD, WASHINGTON 98046-9713

DEED OF TRUST

Grantor(s) REBECCA A. OTERO and JOSE A. OTERO, WIFE And HUSBAND

Grantee(s) PACIFIC CREST SAVINGS BANK, A WASHINGTON CORPORATION

Legal Description THE SOUTH 15 FEET OF LOT 7, AND ALL OF LOT 8, BLOCK 3, "MOUNT VERNON HEIGHTS ADDITION, MOUNT VERNON, WASH." AS PER PLAT RECORDED IN VOLUME 5 OF PLATS, PAGE 47, RECORDS OF SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON. SITUATE IN THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, COUNTY OF SKAGIT, STATE OF WASHINGTON.

Trustee: *Land Title Company*
Assessor's Property Tax Parcel or Account Number 3747-003-009-0007

Reference Numbers of Documents Assigned or Released

This Deed of Trust is Second and Subordinate to Deed of Trust Dated May 23rd, 2006, recorded May 26th, 2006, under Auditor's File No. 200605260210

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MERS Number 1001962-1000007635-3

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DEFINITIONS

Words used in multiple sections of this document are defined below and other words are defined in Sections 3, 9, 11, 16, and 18. Certain rules regarding the usage of words used in this document are also provided in Section 27.

(A) "**Security Instrument**" means this document, which is dated **MAY 23, 2006**, together with all Riders to this document.

(B) "**Borrower**" is **REBECCA A. OTERO and JOSE A. OTERO, WIFE And HUSBAND**. Borrower is the trustor under this Security Instrument.

(C) "**Lender**" is **PACIFIC CREST SAVINGS BANK, A WASHINGTON CORPORATION**. Lender is a **STATE CHARTERED SAVINGS BANK** organized and existing under the laws of **WASHINGTON STATE**. Lender's address is **3500 188TH ST SW #575, LYNNWOOD, WASHINGTON 98037**.

(D) "**Trustee**" is **LAND TITLE COMPANY**.

(E) "**MERS**" is Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. MERS is a separate corporation that is acting solely as a nominee for Lender and Lender's successors and assigns. **MERS is the beneficiary under this Security Instrument**. 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.

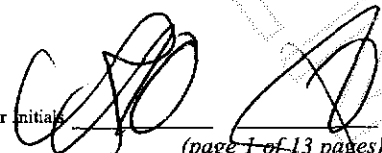
(F) "**Note**" means the promissory note signed by Borrower and dated **MAY 23, 2006**. The Note states that Borrower owes Lender **THIRTY-FOUR THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FIFTY AND 00/100ths** Dollars (U.S.\$**34,250.00**) plus interest. Borrower has promised to pay this debt in regular Periodic Payments and to pay the debt in full not later than **JUNE 1, 2021**.

(G) "**Property**" means the property that is described below under the heading "Transfer of Rights in the Property."

(H) "**Loan**" means the debt evidenced by the Note, plus interest, any prepayment charges and late charges due under the Note, and all sums due under this Security Instrument, plus interest.

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(I) "Riders" means all Riders to this Security Instrument that are executed by Borrower. The following Riders are to be executed by Borrower [check box as applicable]:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Adjustable Rate Rider | <input type="checkbox"/> Condominium Rider | <input type="checkbox"/> Second Home Rider |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Balloon Rider | <input type="checkbox"/> Planned Unit Development Rider | <input type="checkbox"/> Other(s) [specify] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1-4 Family Rider | <input type="checkbox"/> Biweekly Payment Rider | |

(J) "Applicable Law" means all controlling applicable federal, state and local statutes, regulations, ordinances and administrative rules and orders (that have the effect of law) as well as all applicable final, non-appealable judicial opinions.

(K) "Community Association Dues, Fees, and Assessments" means all dues, fees, assessments and other charges that are imposed on Borrower or the Property by a condominium association, homeowners association or similar organization.

(L) "Electronic Funds Transfer" means any transfer of funds, other than a transaction originated by check, draft, or similar paper instrument, which is initiated through an electronic terminal, telephonic instrument, computer, or magnetic tape so as to order, instruct, or authorize a financial institution to debit or credit an account. Such term includes, but is not limited to, point-of-sale transfers, automated teller machine transactions, transfers initiated by telephone, wire transfers, and automated clearinghouse transfers.

(M) "Escrow Items" means those items that are described in Section 3.

(N) "Miscellaneous Proceeds" means any compensation, settlement, award of damages, or proceeds paid by any third party (other than insurance proceeds paid under the coverages described in Section 5) for: (i) damage to, or destruction of, the Property; (ii) condemnation or other taking of all or any part of the Property; (iii) conveyance in lieu of condemnation; or (iv) misrepresentations of, or omissions as to, the value and/or condition of the Property.

(O) "Mortgage Insurance" means insurance protecting Lender against the nonpayment of, or default on, the Loan.

(P) "Periodic Payment" means the regularly scheduled amount due for principal and interest under the Note, plus any amounts under Section 3 of this Security Instrument.

(Q) "RESPA" means the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act (12 U.S.C. § 2601 et seq.) and its implementing regulation, Regulation X (24 C.F.R. Part 3500), as they might be amended from time to time, or any additional or successor legislation or regulation that governs the same subject matter. As used in this Security Instrument, "RESPA" refers to all requirements and restrictions that are imposed in regard to a "federally related mortgage loan" even if the Loan does not qualify as a "federally related mortgage loan" under RESPA.

(R) "Successor in Interest of Borrower" means any party that has taken title to the Property, whether or not that party has assumed Borrower's obligations under the Note and/or this Security Instrument.

TRANSFER OF RIGHTS IN THE PROPERTY

The beneficiary of this Security Instrument is MERS (solely as nominee for Lender and Lender's successors and assigns) and the successors and assigns of MERS. This Security Instrument secures to Lender the repayment of the Loan, and all renewals, extensions and modifications of the Note. This Security Instrument also secures to Lender the performance of Borrower's covenants and agreements under this Security Instrument and the Note. For this purpose, Borrower irrevocably grants and conveys to Trustee, in trust, with power of sale, the following described property located in the _____ County of _____ SKAGIT _____:

[Type of Recording Jurisdiction]

[Name of Recording Jurisdiction]

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THE SOUTH 15 FEET OF LOT 7, AND ALL OF LOT 8, BLOCK 3, "MOUNT VERNON HEIGHTS ADDITION, MOUNT VERNON, WASH.," AS PER PLAT RECORDED IN VOLUME 5 OF PLATS, PAGE 47, RECORDS OF SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON. SITUATE IN THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, COUNTY OF SKAGIT, STATE OF WASHINGTON.

which currently has the address of 711 N. 15TH STREET

MOUNT VERNON, Washington 98273 [Street]
[City] [State] [Zip Code] ("Property Address"):

TOGETHER WITH all the improvements now or hereafter erected on the property, and all easements, appurtenances, and fixtures now or hereafter a part of the property. All replacements and additions shall also be covered by this Security Instrument. All of the foregoing is referred to in this Security Instrument as the "Property." Borrower understands and agrees that MERS holds only legal title to the interests granted by Borrower in this Security Instrument, but, if necessary to comply with law or custom, MERS (as nominee for Lender and Lender's successors and assigns) has the right: to exercise any or all of those interests, including, but not limited to, the right to foreclose and sell the Property; and to take any action required of Lender including, but not limited to, releasing and canceling this Security Instrument.

BORROWER COVENANTS that Borrower is lawfully seized of the estate hereby conveyed and has the right to grant and convey the Property and that the Property is unencumbered, except for encumbrances of record. Borrower warrants and will defend generally the title to the Property against all claims and demands, subject to any encumbrances of record.

BORROWER AND LENDER covenant and agree as follows:

1. Payment of Principal, Interest and Other Charges. Borrower must pay when due the principal of, and interest on, the debt evidenced by the Note and any prepayment charges and late charges due under the Note. Borrower must also pay funds for Escrow Items pursuant to Section 3. Payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument shall be made in U.S. currency. However, if any check or other instrument received by Lender as payment under the Note or this Security Instrument is returned to Lender unpaid, Lender may require that any or all subsequent payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument be made in one or more of the following forms, as selected by Lender: (a) cash; (b) money order; (c) certified check, bank check, treasurer's check or cashier's check, provided any such check is drawn upon an institution whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrumentality, or entity; or (d) Electronic Funds Transfer.

Payments are deemed received by Lender when received at the location designated in the Note or at such other location as may be designated by Lender in accordance with the notice provisions in Section 13. Lender may return any payment or partial payment if the payment or partial payments are insufficient to bring the Loan current. Lender may accept any payment or partial payment insufficient to bring the Loan current, without waiver of any rights hereunder or prejudice to its rights to refuse such payment or

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partial payments in the future, but Lender is not obligated to apply such payments at the time such payments are accepted. If each Periodic Payment is applied as of its scheduled due date, then Lender need not pay interest on unapplied funds. Lender may hold such unapplied funds until Borrower makes payment to bring the Loan current. If Borrower does not do so within a reasonable period of time, Lender shall either apply such funds or return them to Borrower. If not applied earlier, such funds will be applied to the outstanding principal balance under the Note immediately prior to foreclosure. No offset or claim which Borrower might have now or in the future against Lender shall relieve Borrower from making payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument or performing the covenants and agreements secured by this Security Instrument.

2. Application of Payments. Unless Applicable Law provides otherwise, all payments received by Lender under the Note and Section 1 will be applied by Lender as permitted under the Note.

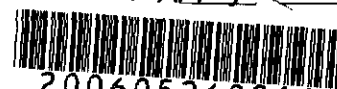
3. Funds for Escrow Items. Borrower shall pay to Lender on the day Periodic Payments are due under the Note, until the Note is paid in full, a sum (the "Funds") to provide for payment of amounts due for "Escrow Items." "Escrow Items" can include taxes and assessments and other items which can attain priority over this Security Instrument as a lien or encumbrance on the Property, leasehold payments or ground rents on the Property, if any, premiums for any and all insurance required by Lender under Section 5, and Mortgage Insurance premiums, if any. At origination or at any time during the term of the Loan, Lender may require that Community Association Dues, Fees, and Assessments, if any, be escrowed by Borrower, and such dues, fees and assessments shall be an Escrow Item. Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender all notices of amounts to be paid under this Section.

Borrower shall pay Lender the Funds for Escrow Items unless Lender waives Borrower's obligation to pay the Funds for any or all Escrow Items. Lender may waive Borrower's obligation to pay to Lender Funds for any or all Escrow Items at any time. Any such waiver may only be in writing. In the event of such waiver, Borrower shall pay directly, when and where payable, the amounts due for any Escrow Items for which payment of Funds has been waived by Lender and, if Lender requires, shall furnish to Lender receipts evidencing such payment within such time period as Lender may require. Lender may revoke the waiver as to any or all Escrow Items at any time by a notice given in accordance with Section 13 and, upon such revocation, Borrower shall pay to Lender all Funds, and in such amounts, that are then required under this Section 3. However, Borrower shall not be obligated to make these payments to Lender to the extent that Borrower makes these payments to the holder of a prior mortgage or deed of trust on the Property if such holder is an institutional lender.

Borrower's obligation to pay the amounts due for Escrow Items and to provide receipts for Escrow Items shall for all purposes be deemed to be a covenant and agreement contained in this Security Instrument, as the phrase "covenant and agreement" is used in Section 7. If Borrower is obligated to pay Escrow Items directly, pursuant to a waiver, and Borrower fails to pay the amount due for an Escrow Item, Lender may exercise its rights under Section 7 and pay such amount and Borrower shall then be obligated under Section 7 to repay to Lender any such amount.

Lender may, at any time, collect and hold Funds in an amount (a) sufficient to permit Lender to apply the Funds at the time specified under RESPA, and (b) not to exceed the maximum amount a lender can require under RESPA. Lender shall estimate the amount of Funds due on the basis of current data and reasonable estimates of expenditures of future Escrow Items or otherwise in accordance with Applicable Law.

The Funds shall be held in an institution whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrumentality, or entity (including Lender, if Lender is an institution whose deposits are so insured) or in any Federal Home Loan Bank. Lender shall apply the Funds to pay the Escrow Items no later than the time specified under RESPA. Lender shall not charge Borrower for holding and applying the Funds, annually analyzing the escrow account, or verifying the Escrow Items, unless Lender pays Borrower interest on the Funds and Applicable Law permits Lender to make such a charge. Unless an agreement is



made in writing or Applicable Law requires interest to be paid on the Funds, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on the Funds. Borrower and Lender can agree in writing, however, that interest shall be paid on the Funds. Lender shall give to Borrower, without charge, an annual accounting of the Funds as required by RESPA.

If there is a surplus of Funds held in escrow, as defined under RESPA, Lender shall account to Borrower for the excess funds in accordance with RESPA. If there is a shortage of Funds held in escrow, as defined under RESPA, Lender shall notify Borrower as required by RESPA, and Borrower shall pay to Lender the amount necessary to make up the shortage in accordance with RESPA, but in no more than 12 monthly payments. If there is a deficiency of Funds held in escrow, as defined under RESPA, Lender shall notify Borrower as required by RESPA, and Borrower shall pay to Lender the amount necessary to make up the deficiency in accordance with RESPA, but in no more than 12 monthly payments.

Upon payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall promptly refund to Borrower any Funds held by Lender.

4. Prior Security Instruments; Charges; Liens. Borrower shall perform all of Borrower's obligations under any mortgage, deed of trust, or other security instruments with a lien which has priority over this Security Instrument, including Borrower's covenants to make payments when due. Borrower shall pay all taxes, assessments, charges, fines and impositions attributable to the Property that may attain priority over this Security Instrument, and leasehold payments or ground rents, if any, and Community Association Dues, Fees, and Assessments, if any. To the extent these items are Escrow Items, Borrower shall pay them in the manner provided in Section 3. Upon Lender's request, Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender all notices of amounts to be paid under this Section and receipts evidencing any such payments Borrower makes directly. Borrower shall promptly discharge any lien (other than a lien disclosed to Lender in Borrower's application or in any title report Lender obtained) that has priority over this Security Instrument.

Lender may require Borrower to pay a one-time charge for a real estate tax verification and/or reporting service used by Lender in connection with this Loan.

5. Property Insurance. Borrower shall keep the Property insured against loss by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage" and any other hazards, including earthquakes and floods or flooding, for which Lender requires insurance. This insurance shall be maintained in the amounts, including deductible levels, and for the periods that Lender requires. Borrower may choose any insurer reasonably acceptable to Lender. Lender may require Borrower to pay, in connection with this Loan, either: (a) a one-time charge for flood zone determination, certification and tracking services; or (b) a one-time charge for flood zone determination and certification services and subsequent charges each time remappings or similar changes occur which reasonably might affect such determination or certification. Borrower shall also be responsible for the payment of any fees imposed by the Federal Emergency Management Agency in connection with the review of any flood zone determination resulting from an objection by Borrower. Insurance policies and renewals shall be acceptable to Lender and shall include a standard mortgagee clause. If Lender requires, Borrower shall promptly give Lender all receipts of paid premiums and renewal notices.

If Borrower fails to maintain coverage as required in this Section, Borrower authorizes Lender to obtain such coverage, at Borrower's expense, as Lender in Lender's sole discretion determines appropriate to protect Lender's interest in the Property in accordance with the provisions of Section 7. Borrower understands and agrees that any coverage Lender purchases may cover only Lender's interest in the Property and might provide greater or lesser coverage than was previously in effect. Insurance coverage purchased by the Lender might not protect Borrower, Borrower's equity in the Property, or the contents of the Property, against any risk, hazard or liability. Borrower also understands and agrees that the premium for any such insurance may be higher than the premium Borrower could have paid for such insurance. Any amounts disbursed by Lender to purchase insurance coverage under this Section shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. These amounts shall bear interest at the Note rate from the date of disbursement and shall be payable, with such interest upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment.

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In the event of loss, Borrower shall give prompt notice to the insurance carrier and Lender. Lender may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Borrower. Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, and subject to the rights of any Person with a superior Lien on the Property, any insurance proceeds, whether or not the underlying insurance was required by Lender, shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. During such repair and restoration period, Lender shall have the right to hold such insurance proceeds until Lender has had an opportunity to inspect such Property to ensure the work has been completed to Lender's satisfaction, provided that such inspection shall be undertaken promptly. Lender may disburse proceeds for the repairs and restoration in a single payment or in a series of progress payments as the work is completed. Unless an agreement is made in writing or Applicable Law requires interest to be paid on such insurance proceeds, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on such proceeds. Fees for public adjusters, or other third parties, retained by Borrower shall not be paid out of the insurance proceeds and shall be the sole obligation of Borrower. Subject to the rights of any Person with a superior Lien on the Property, if the restoration or repair is not economically feasible or Lender's security would be lessened, the insurance proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with the excess, if any, paid to Borrower. Such insurance proceeds shall be applied in the order provided for in Section 2.

If Borrower abandons the Property, Lender may file, negotiate and settle any available insurance claim and related matters. If Borrower does not respond within 30 days to a notice from Lender that the insurance carrier has offered to settle a claim, then Lender may negotiate and settle the claim. The 30-day period will begin when the notice is given. In either event, or if Lender acquires the Property under Section 19 or otherwise, Borrower hereby assigns to Lender (a) Borrower's rights to any insurance proceeds in an amount not to exceed the amounts unpaid under the Note or this Security Instrument, and (b) any other of Borrower's rights (other than the right to any refund of unearned premiums paid by Borrower) under all insurance policies covering the Property, insofar as such rights are applicable to the coverage of the Property. Lender may use the insurance proceeds either to repair or restore the Property or to pay amounts unpaid under the Note or this Security Instrument, whether or not then due.

Borrower shall not permit any condition to exist on the Property that would, in any way, invalidate the insurance coverage on the Property.

6. Preservation and Maintenance of Property; Leaseholds. Borrower shall not destroy, damage or impair the Property. Borrower shall not allow the Property to deteriorate or commit waste on the Property. Whether or not Borrower is residing in the Property, Borrower shall maintain the Property in order to prevent the Property from deteriorating or decreasing in value due to its condition. Unless it is determined pursuant to Section 5 that repair or restoration is not economically feasible, Borrower shall promptly repair the Property if damaged to avoid further deterioration or damage. If insurance or condemnation proceeds are paid in connection with damage to, or the taking of, the Property, Borrower shall be responsible for repairing or restoring the Property only if Lender has released proceeds for such purposes. Lender may disburse proceeds for the repairs and restoration in a single payment or in a series of progress payments as the work is completed. If the insurance or condemnation proceeds are not sufficient to repair or restore the Property, Borrower is not relieved of Borrower's obligation for the completion of such repair or restoration.

If this Security Instrument is on a leasehold, Borrower shall comply with the lease. If Borrower acquires fee title to the Property, the leasehold and fee title shall not merge unless Lender agrees to the merger in writing.

7. Protection of Lender's Rights in the Property; Mortgage Insurance. If Borrower fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this Security Instrument, or there is a legal proceeding that may significantly affect Lender's rights in the Property (such as a proceeding in bankruptcy, probate, for condemnation or forfeiture or to enforce laws or regulations), or Borrower abandons the Property,

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then Lender may do, and pay for, anything necessary to protect the Property's value and Lender's rights in the Property. Lender may pay any sums secured by a lien that has priority over this Security Instrument or any advance under the Note or this Security Instrument. Lender may appear in court and pay reasonable attorneys' fees. Lender may pay any sums Borrower is required to pay under this Security Instrument. Lender may enter on the Property to make repairs or to secure the Property. Securing the Property includes, but is not limited to, entering the Property to make repairs, change locks, replace or board up doors and windows, drain water from pipes, eliminate building or other code violations or dangerous conditions, and have utilities turned on or off. Although Lender may take action under this Section 7, Lender does not have to do so and is not under any duty or obligation to do so. Borrower agrees that Lender incurs no liability for not taking any or all actions authorized under this Section 7.

Any amounts disbursed by Lender under this Section 7 shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. These amounts shall bear interest at the Note rate from the date of disbursement and shall be payable, with such interest, upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment.

If Lender required Mortgage Insurance as a condition of making the loan secured by this Security Instrument, Borrower shall pay the premiums for such insurance until such time as the requirement for the insurance terminates.

8. Inspection. Lender or its agent may make reasonable entries upon and inspections of the Property. If Lender has reasonable cause, Lender may inspect the interior of the improvements on the Property. Lender shall give Borrower notice at the time of or prior to such an interior inspection specifying such reasonable cause.

9. Assignments of Miscellaneous Proceeds; Forfeiture. All Miscellaneous Proceeds are hereby assigned to and shall be paid to Lender.

If the Property is damaged, and subject to the rights of any Person with a superior Lien on the Property, the Lender shall apply the Miscellaneous Proceeds to restore or repair the Property, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. During such repair and restoration period, Lender shall have the right to hold the Miscellaneous Proceeds until Lender has had an opportunity to inspect the Property to ensure the work has been completed to Lender's satisfaction. Lender shall promptly undertake any such inspection. Lender may pay for the repairs and restoration in a single disbursement or in a series of progress payments as the work is completed. Unless an agreement is made in writing or Applicable Law requires interest to be paid on such Miscellaneous Proceeds, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on such Miscellaneous Proceeds. Subject to the rights of any Person with a superior Lien on the Property, if the restoration or repair is not economically feasible or Lender's security would be lessened, the Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with the excess, if any, paid to Borrower. Such Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied in the order provided for in Section 2.

In the event of a partial or total taking, destruction, or loss in value of the Property, the Miscellaneous Proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with the excess, if any, paid to Borrower.

If Borrower abandons the Property, or if, after notice by Lender to Borrower that the Opposing Party (as defined in the next sentence) offers to make an award to settle a claim for damages, Borrower fails to respond to Lender within 30 days after the date the notice is given, Lender is authorized to collect and apply the Miscellaneous Proceeds either to restore or repair the Property or to pay the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due. "Opposing Party" means the third party that owes Borrower Miscellaneous Proceeds or the party against whom Borrower has a right of action in regard to Miscellaneous Proceeds.



Borrower shall be in default if any action or proceeding, whether civil or criminal, is begun that, in Lender's judgment, could result in forfeiture of the Property or other material impairment of Lender's interest in the Property or rights under this Security Instrument. Borrower can cure such a default and, if acceleration has occurred, reinstate as provided in Section 19, by causing the action or proceeding to be dismissed with a ruling that, in Lender's judgment, precludes forfeiture of the Property or other material impairment of Lender's interest in the Property or rights under this Security Instrument. The proceeds of any award or claim for damages that are attributable to the impairment of Lender's interest in the Property are hereby assigned and shall be paid to Lender.

All Miscellaneous Proceeds that are not applied to restoration or repair of the Property shall be applied in the order provided for in Section 2.

10. Borrower Not Released; Forbearance by Lender Not a Waiver. Extension of time for payment or modification of amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument granted by Lender to Borrower or any Successor in Interest of Borrower shall not operate to release Borrower's liability or the liability of any Successor in Interest of Borrower. Lender shall not be required to commence proceedings against any Successor in Interest of Borrower, refuse to extend time for payment or otherwise modify amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument by reason of any demand made by Borrower or any Successor in Interest of Borrower. Any forbearance by Lender in exercising any right or remedy including, without limitation, Lender's acceptance of payments from a third person, entity or Successor in Interest of Borrower or in amounts less than the amount then due, shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any right or remedy.

11. Successors and Assigns Bound; Joint and Several Liability; Co-signers. Borrower covenants and agrees that Borrower's obligations and liability shall be joint and several.

Anyone who co-signs this Security Instrument but does not execute the Note (a "Co-signer"): (a) is co-signing this Security Instrument only to mortgage, grant and convey such person's interest in the Property; (b) is not personally obligated to pay the Note, but is obligated to pay all other sums secured by this Security Instrument; and (c) agrees that Lender and anyone else who signs this Security Instrument may agree to extend, modify, forbear or make any accommodations regarding the terms of this Security Instrument or the Note without the Co-signer's consent.

Subject to the provisions of Section 19, any Successor in Interest of Borrower who assumes Borrower's obligations under this Security Instrument in writing, and is approved by Lender, shall obtain all of Borrower's rights and benefits under this Security Instrument. Borrower shall not be released from Borrower's obligations and liability under this Security Instrument unless Lender agrees to such release in writing. The covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument shall bind (except as provided in Section 20) and benefit the successors and assigns of Lender.

12. Loan Charges. Lender may charge Borrower fees for services performed in connection with Borrower's default, for the purpose of protecting Lender's interest in the Property and rights under this Security Instrument, including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees, property inspection and valuation fees. Lender may not charge fees that are expressly prohibited by this Security Instrument or by Applicable Law. In regard to any other fees, the fact that this Security Instrument does not anticipate and expressly authorize the Lender to charge a specific fee to Borrower shall not be construed to prohibit Lender from charging the Borrower such a fee.

If the loan secured by this Security Instrument is subject to a law which sets maximum loan charges, and that law is finally interpreted so that the interest or other loan charges collected or to be collected in connection with the loan exceed the permitted limits, then any such loan charge shall be reduced by the amount necessary to reduce the charge to the permitted limit. Lender must refund any sums already collected from Borrower that exceed permitted limits. Lender may choose to make this refund by reducing the principal owed under the Note or by making a direct payment to Borrower. If a refund reduces principal, the reduction will be treated as a partial prepayment without any prepayment charge under the Note and will not affect the amount of the Periodic Payment.

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13. Notices. All notices given by Borrower or Lender in connection with this Security Instrument must be in writing. If any notice required by this Security Instrument is also required under Applicable Law, the Applicable Law requirement will satisfy the corresponding requirement under this Security Instrument.

Subject to Applicable Law, any notice to Borrower in connection with this Security Instrument shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower when mailed by first class mail or when actually delivered to Borrower's notice address if sent by other means. The Borrower's notice address shall be the Property Address unless Borrower has designated a substitute notice address by notice to Lender. Borrower shall promptly notify Lender of Borrower's change of address. If Lender specifies a procedure for reporting Borrower's change of address, then Borrower shall only report a change of address through that specified procedure. There may be only one designated notice address under this Security Instrument at any one time. Notice to any one Borrower shall constitute notice to all Borrowers unless Applicable Law expressly requires otherwise.

Subject to Applicable Law, any notice to Lender shall be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail to Lender's address stated herein unless Lender has designated another address by notice to Borrower. Any notice in connection with this Security Instrument shall not be deemed to have been given to Lender until actually received by Lender.

14. Governing Law; Severability. This Security Instrument is governed by federal law and the law of the jurisdiction in which the Property is located. All rights and obligations contained in this Security Instrument are subject to any requirements and limitations of Applicable Law. Applicable Law might explicitly or implicitly allow the parties to agree by contract or it might be silent, but such silence shall not be construed as a prohibition against agreement by contract. In the event that any provision or clause of this Security Instrument or the Note conflicts with Applicable Law, such conflict shall not affect other provisions of this Security Instrument or the Note which can be given effect without the conflicting provision. To this end the provisions of this Security Instrument and the Note are declared to be severable.

15. Transfer of the Property. As used in this Section, "Interest in the Property" means any legal or beneficial interest in the Property, including, but not limited to, those beneficial interests transferred in a bond for deed, contract for deed, installment sales contract or escrow agreement, the intent of which is the transfer of title by Borrower at a future date to a purchaser.

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 this Security Instrument. However, Lender shall not exercise this option if Applicable Law prohibits such action.

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 given within which Borrower must pay all sums secured by this Security Instrument. If Borrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period, Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by this Security Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

16. Sale of Note; Change of Loan Servicer. The Note or a partial interest in the Note (together with this Security Instrument) may be sold one or more times without prior notice to Borrower. A sale may result in a change in the entity (known as the "Loan Servicer") that collects Periodic Payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument and performs other mortgage loan servicing obligations under the Note, this Security Instrument and Applicable Law. There also may be one or more changes of the Loan Servicer unrelated to the sale of the Note. If there is a change of the Loan Servicer, Borrower will be given written notice of the change as required by Applicable Law.



17. Notice of Grievance. Neither Borrower nor Lender may commence, join, or be joined to any judicial action (as either an individual litigant or the member of a class) that arises from the other party's actions pursuant to this Security Instrument or that alleges that the other party has breached any provision of, or any duty owed by reason of, this Security Instrument, until such Borrower or Lender has notified the other party of such alleged breach and afforded the other party hereto a reasonable period after the giving of such notice to take corrective action. If Applicable Law provides a time period that must elapse before certain action can be taken, that time period will be deemed to be reasonable for purposes of this Section. The notice of acceleration and opportunity to cure given to Borrower pursuant to Section 19 and the notice of acceleration given to Borrower pursuant to Section 15 shall be deemed to satisfy the notice and opportunity to take corrective action provisions of this Section 17.

18. Hazardous Substances. Borrower shall not cause or permit the presence, use, disposal, storage, or release of any Hazardous Substances on or in the Property. Borrower shall not do, nor allow anyone else to do, anything affecting the Property that is in violation of any Environmental Law. The preceding two sentences shall not apply to the presence, use, or storage on the Property of Hazardous Substances in quantities that are generally recognized to be appropriate to normal residential uses and to maintenance of the Property. Borrower shall promptly give Lender written notice of any investigation, claim, demand, lawsuit or other action by any governmental or regulatory agency or private party involving the Property and any Hazardous Substance or Environmental Law of which Borrower has actual knowledge. If Borrower learns or is notified by any government or regulatory authority, that any removal or other remediation of any Hazardous Substance affecting the Property is necessary, Borrower shall promptly take all necessary remedial actions in accordance with Environmental Law.

Borrower shall promptly give Lender written notice of any investigation, claim, demand, lawsuit or other action by any governmental or regulatory agency or private party involving the Property and any Hazardous Substance or Environmental Law of which Borrower has actual knowledge. Borrower shall promptly give Lender written notice of any Environmental Condition, including but not limited to, any spilling, leaking, discharge, release or threat of release of any Hazardous Substance. Borrower shall promptly give Lender written notice of any condition caused by the presence, use or release of a Hazardous Substance that adversely affects the value of the Property. If Borrower learns, or is notified by any governmental or regulatory authority, or any private party, that any removal or other remediation of any Hazardous Substance affecting the Property is necessary, Borrower shall promptly take all necessary remedial actions in accordance with Environmental Law. Nothing herein shall create any obligation on Lender for an Environmental Cleanup.

As used in this Security Instrument, "Hazardous Substances" are those substances defined as toxic or hazardous substances, pollutants, or wastes by Environmental Law and the following substances: gasoline, kerosene, other flammable or toxic petroleum products, toxic pesticides and herbicides, volatile solvents, materials containing asbestos or formaldehyde, and radioactive materials. As used in this Security Instrument, "Environmental Law" means federal laws and laws of the jurisdiction where the Property is located that relate to health, safety or environmental protection. As used in this Security Instrument, "Environmental Cleanup" includes any response action, remedial action, or removal action, as defined in Environmental Law.

19. Acceleration; Remedies. Lender shall give notice to Borrower prior to acceleration following Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement in this Security Instrument (but not prior to acceleration under Section 15 unless Applicable Law provides otherwise). The notice shall specify:

(a) the default; (b) the action required to cure the default; (c) a date, not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given to Borrower, by which the default must be cured; and (d) that failure to cure the default on or before the date specified in the notice may result in acceleration of the sums secured by this Security Instrument and sale of the Property. The notice shall further inform Borrower of the right to reinstate after acceleration and the right to assert in the foreclosure proceeding the non-existence of a default or any other defense Borrower may have to acceleration and sale (if such

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rights exist under Applicable Law.) If the default is not cured on or before the date specified in the notice, Lender may, at Lender's option, require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument without further demand and may invoke the power of sale and any other remedies permitted by Applicable Law. Lender shall be entitled to collect all expenses incurred in pursuing the remedies provided in this Section 19, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees as permitted by Applicable Law, and costs of title evidence.

If Lender invokes the power of sale, Lender shall execute or cause Trustee to execute a written notice of the occurrence of an event of default and of Lender's election to cause the Property to be sold. Trustee shall cause this notice to be recorded in each county in which any part of the Property is located. Lender or the Trustee shall mail copies of the notice as prescribed by Applicable Law to Borrower and to the other persons prescribed by Applicable Law. Trustee shall give public notice of sale to the persons and in the manner prescribed by Applicable Law. After the time required by Applicable Law, Trustee, without demand on Borrower, shall sell the Property at public auction to the highest bidder at the time and place and under the terms designated in the notice of sale in one or more parcels and in any order Trustee determines. Trustee may postpone sale of all or any parcel of the Property by public announcement at the time and place of any previously scheduled sale. Either Lender or Lender's designee may purchase the Property at any sale.

Trustee shall deliver to the purchaser Trustee's deed conveying the Property without any covenant or warranty, expressed or implied. The recitals in the Trustee's deed shall be prima facie evidence of the truth of the statements made therein. Trustee shall apply the proceeds of the sale in the following order: (a) to all expenses of the sale, including, but not limited to, reasonable Trustee's and attorneys' fees, as set forth above; (b) to all sums secured by this Security Instrument; and (c) any excess to the person or persons legally entitled to it.

20. Reconveyance. Upon payment of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall request Trustee to reconvey the Property and shall surrender this Security Instrument and all notes evidencing debt secured by this Security Instrument to Trustee. Trustee shall reconvey the Property without warranty to the person or persons legally entitled to it. Such person or persons shall pay any recordation costs. Lender may charge such person or persons a reasonable fee for reconveying the Property, but only if the fee is paid to a third party (such as the Trustee) for services rendered and the charging of the fee is permitted under Applicable Law. If the fee charged does not exceed the fee set by Applicable Law, the fee is conclusively presumed to be reasonable.

21. Substitute Trustee. Lender may, at Lender's option, from time to time appoint a successor trustee to any Trustee appointed hereunder by an instrument executed and acknowledged by Lender and recorded in the office of the Recorder of the county in which the Property is located. The instrument shall contain the name of the original lender, Trustee and borrower, the book and page where this Security Instrument is recorded and the name and address of the successor trustee. Without conveyance of the Property, the successor trustee shall succeed to all the title, powers and duties conferred upon the Trustee herein and by Applicable Law. This procedure for substitution of trustee shall govern to the exclusion of all other provisions for substitution.

22. Discontinuance of Enforcement. Notwithstanding acceleration of the sums secured by this Security Instrument under the provisions of Section 15 or Section 19, Lender may, in Lender's sole discretion and upon such conditions as Lender in Lender's sole discretion may determine, discontinue any proceedings begun to enforce the terms of this Security Instrument.



23. Waiver. No waiver by Lender at any time of any term, provision or covenant contained in this Security Instrument or in the note secured hereby shall be deemed to be or construed as a waiver of any other term, provision or covenant or of the same term, provision or covenant at any other time.

24. Additional Charges. Borrower agrees to pay reasonable charges as allowed by Applicable Law in connection with the servicing of this loan including, without limitation, the costs of obtaining tax searches and subordinations. Provided, however, that nothing contained in this Section is intended to create and shall not be construed to create any duty or obligation by Lender to perform any such act, or to execute or consent to any such transaction or matter, except a release of the Security Instrument upon full repayment of all sums secured thereby.

25. Occupancy. Borrower shall occupy, establish, and use the Property as Borrower's principal residence within 60 days after the execution of this Security Instrument and shall continue to occupy the Property as Borrower's principal residence for at least one year after the date of occupancy, unless Lender otherwise agrees in writing, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, or unless extenuating circumstances exist which are beyond Borrower's control.

26. Borrower's Loan Application. Borrower shall be in default if, during the Loan application process, Borrower or any persons or entities acting at the direction of Borrower or with Borrower's knowledge or consent gave materially false, misleading, or inaccurate information or statements to Lender (or failed to provide Lender with material information) in connection with the Loan. Material representations include, but are not limited to, representations concerning Borrower's occupancy of the Property as Borrower's principal residence.

27. Rules of Construction. As used in this Security Instrument, words of the masculine gender shall mean and include corresponding neuter words or words of the feminine gender. Words in the singular shall mean and include the plural and vice versa. The word "may" gives sole discretion without any obligation to take any action.

28. Riders to this Security Instrument. If one or more Riders are executed by Borrower and recorded together with this Security Instrument, the covenants and agreements of each such Rider shall be incorporated into and shall amend and supplement the covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument as if the Rider(s) were a part of this Security Instrument.

**REQUEST FOR NOTICE OF DEFAULT
AND FORECLOSURE UNDER SUPERIOR
MORTGAGES OR DEEDS OF TRUST**

Borrower and Lender request the holder of any mortgage, deed of trust or other encumbrance with a lien which has priority over this Security Instrument to give Notice to Lender's address set forth on page one of this Security Instrument, of any default under the superior encumbrance and of any sale or other foreclosure action.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Borrower has executed this Security Instrument.

BY SIGNING BELOW, Borrower accepts and agrees to the terms and covenants contained in this Security Instrument and in any Rider(s) executed by Borrower and recorded with it.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

Rebecca A. Otero (Seal)
REBECCA A. OTERO -Borrower

Jose A. Otero (Seal)
JOSE A. OTERO -Borrower

(Seal) _____ (Seal)
-Borrower -Borrower

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
) ss:
CITY/COUNTY OF SKAGIT)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 24th day of May, 2006, by **REBECCA A. OTERO and JOSE A. OTERO, WIFE And HUSBAND.**

Annelise Maria Farrell

Notary Public

My Commission expires: 6/28/08

