

Filed for Record at Request of  
FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY

AND WHEN RECORDED TO:  
**H & F INVESTMENTS**  
17747 MAIBEN RD  
BURLINGTON, WA 98233



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T.S. No. **WA-96127-C**  
Loan No. **0359135536**  
Order No. **3142359**

### TRUSTEE'S DEED

The GRANTOR, FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, as present Trustee under that Deed of Trust, as hereinafter particularly described, in consideration of the premises and payment recited below, hereby grants and conveys, without warranty, to: **H & F INVESTMENTS**, GRANTEE, that real property, situated in the County of Skagit, State of Washington, described as follows: **LOT 1, "PLAT OF SKAGIT ORCHARDS", AS PER PLAT RECORDED ON SEPTEMBER 24, 2001 UNDER AUDITOR'S FILE NO. 200109240161, RECORDS OF SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON. SITUATE IN THE COUNTY OF SKAGIT, STATE OF WASHINGTON. APN No. 4781-000-001-0000**

RECITALS:

1. This conveyance is made pursuant to the powers, including the power of sale, conferred upon said Trustee by that certain Deed of Trust between BEN J. MADDEN JR., AS HIS SEPARATE ESTATE, as Grantor, to STEWART TITLE GUARANTY COMPANY, as Trustee, and "MERS" MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., SOLELY AS NOMINEE FOR LENDER DECISION ONE MORTGAGE COMPANY, LLC, as Beneficiary, dated 12/22/2004, recorded 12/30/2004, as Instrument No. 200412300009, in Book/Reel, Page/Frame, records of Skagit County, Washington.
2. Said Deed of Trust was executed to secure, together with other undertakings, the payment of one promissory note in the sum of \$204,800.00 with interest thereon, according to the terms thereof, in favor of "MERS" MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., SOLELY AS NOMINEE FOR LENDER DECISION ONE MORTGAGE COMPANY, LLC and to secure any other sums of money which might become due and payable under the terms of said Deed of Trust.
3. The described Deed of Trust provides that the real property conveyed therein is not used principally for agricultural or farming purposes.

SKAGIT COUNTY WASHINGTON  
REAL ESTATE EXCISE TAX

#1528  
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Amount Paid \$  
Skagit Co. Treasurer  
By Deputy

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4. Default having occurred in the obligations secured and/or covenants of the Grantor, as set forth in Notice of Trustee's Sale described below, which by the terms of the Deed of Trust make operative the power to sell, the thirty-day advance Notice of Default was transmitted to the Grantor, or his successor in interest, and a copy of said Notice was posted or served in accordance with law.
5. **MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEM, INC.**, being then the holder of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, delivered to said Trustee a written request directing said Trustee or his authorized agent to sell the described property in accordance with law and the terms of said Deed of Trust.
6. The defaults specified in the "Notice of Default" not having been cured, the Trustee, in compliance with the terms of said Deed of Trust, executed and on 12/13/2006, recorded in the office of the Auditor of Skagit County, Washington, a "Notice of Trustee's Sale" of said property as Auditor's File No. 200612130092
7. The Trustee, in its aforesaid "Notice of Trustee's Sale," fixed the place of sale as , **THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE SKAGIT COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 3rd AND KINCAID STREET, MOUNT VERNON, WASHINGTON**, a public place, on **3/16/2007** at 10:00 AM, and in accordance with law caused copies of the statutory "Notice of Trustee's Sale" to be transmitted by mail to all persons entitled thereto and either posted or served prior to 90 days before the sale; further, the Trustee caused a copy of said "Notice of Trustee's Sale" to be published once between the thirty-fifth and twenty-eighth day before the date of sale, and once between the fourteenth and seventh day before the date of sale in a legal newspaper in each county in which the property or any part thereof is situated: and further, included in this Notice, which was transmitted to or served upon the Grantor or his successor in interest, a "Notice of Foreclosure" in substantially the statutory form.
8. During foreclosure no action was pending on an obligation secured by said Deed of Trust.
9. All legal requirements and all provisions of said Deed of Trust have been complied with, as to acts to be performed and notices to be given, as provided in Chapter 61.24 RCW.
10. The defaults specified in the "Notice of Trustee's Sale" not having been cured eleven days prior to the date of Trustee's Sale and said obligation secured by said Deed of Trust remaining unpaid, on **3/23/2007**, the date of sale, which was not less than 190 days from the date of default in the obligation secured, the Trustee then and there sold at public auction to said Grantee, the highest bidder therefore, the property hereinabove described, for the sum of **\$240,000.00**, by the satisfaction in full of the obligation then secured by said Deed of Trust, together with all fees, costs and expenses as provided by statute.



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Date: March 28, 2007

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Karen J. Cooper  
**Assistant Secretary**

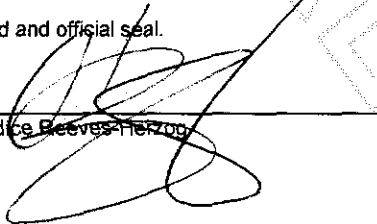
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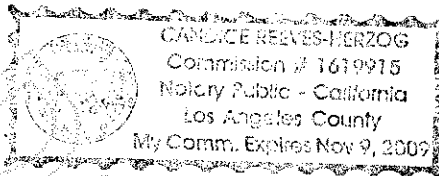
On 3/28/2007, before me, **Candice Reeves-Herzog**, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared, **Karen J. Cooper** personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Candice Reeves-Herzog





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