

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

Loan Number 8197457810

SUBSTITUTION OF TRUSTEE

WHEREAS, JAMMIE COLLEEN NOVAK AND MATHEW JOHN NOVAK was the original Trustor, SPRUCE LAND SERVICES SOUTHWEST LLC 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 06/15/2021, in the amount of \$367,233.00, and recorded in **SKAGIT** County, **Washington**, under **Auditor File # 202109290016**.

LOT 3, "PLAT OF CANDLE RIDGE"

Parcel ID # 4610-000-003-0002

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 18th day of July 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

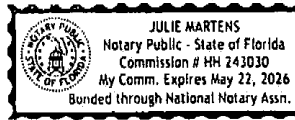
All persons whose signatures appear above have qualified authority to sign and have reviewed this document and supporting documentation prior to signing.

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of physical presence or online notarization on this 18th day of July 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



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