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RoundPoint Mortgage Servicing LLC
C/O Nationwide Title Clearing, LLC
2100 Alt. 19 North
Palm Harbor, FL 34683

Reference #: 2014656090

SUBSTITUTION OF TRUSTEE

WHEREAS, RICHARD E. JOHNSON AND BETTE JOHNSON was the original Trustor, GUARDIAN NORTHWEST TITLE was the original Trustee, and MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR STERLING SAVINGS BANK DBA STERLING BANK, BENEFICIARY OF THE SECURITY INSTRUMENT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS was the designated nominee of the original Beneficiary under that certain Deed of Trust dated 08/23/2012, in the amount of \$275,000.00, and recorded in **SKAGIT** County, **Washington**, under **Auditor File # 201208290044**.

SECTION 36, TOWNSHIP 34 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST; PTN. GOV'T LOT 2

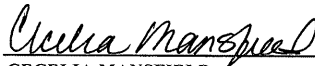
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WHEREAS, the undersigned is the designated nominee of the present Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust and WHEREAS, the undersigned desires to substitute a new Trustee under Deed of Trust in place and stead of said original Trustee thereunder.

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned hereby substitutes **NATIONWIDE TITLE CLEARING, LLC**, a Washington limited liability company, as Trustee under said Deed of Trust.

Dated this 30th day of September in the year 2026

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR STERLING SAVINGS BANK DBA STERLING BANK, BENEFICIARY OF THE SECURITY INSTRUMENT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS


CECELIA MANSFIELD

VICE PRESIDENT

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

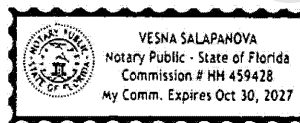
STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of [X] physical presence or [] online notarization on this 30th day of September in the year 2026, by Cecelia Mansfield as VICE PRESIDENT of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR STERLING SAVINGS BANK DBA STERLING BANK, 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.



VESNA SALAPANOVA

COMM EXPIRES: 10/30/2027



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