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SPECIAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that I/we, Thomas W. Smith

have made, constituted and appointed and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint
Barbara A. Smith

my/our true and lawful attorney for me/us and in my/our name, place and stead and for use and benefit to purchase
the following described real property:

Lot 54, in Stonebridge Estates, Phase One, an Addition to the Town of Schererville, as per plat thereof, recorded in Plat
Book 92, Page 23, in the office of the Recorder of Lake County, Indiana.

Parcel Number: 20-13-746-29

to sign, execute and deliver and acknowledge any and all documents necessary to purchase the above described
property, including, but not limited to, the signing of real estate purchase contracts, HUD-1 forms, Affidavits, Closing
Statements, Notes, Mortgages, or inspection reports.

Giving and granting unto my/our said attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing
whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I /we
might or could do if personally present, hereby ratifying and confirming that my/our said attorney
Barbara A. Smith

shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of these presents.

This Power of Attorney shall not be affected by disability of the principals.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/we have hereunto set my/our hand(s) this 3rd day of April 2007

Signed and Acknowledged In the Presence of:

-Witness- Thomas W. Smith

-Witness-

STATE OF INDIANA }
County of Lake }
} SS.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 3rd day of April 2007 before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in
and for said state, personally came Thomas W. Smith

who acknowledged the signing thereof to be his voluntary act and deed, for the purposes therein setforth.

IN TESTIMONY THEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal on the day and year last
aforesaid.

OFFICIAL SEAL
Elizabeth V Federoff
Notary Public, State of Indiana
Resident of Porter County
My Commission Expires October 24, 2007

Elizabeth V. Federoff
Notary Public

This Instrument was prepared by Thomas W. Smith

I affirm, under the penalties for perjury, that I have taken reasonable care to redact each Social Security number in this
document, unless required by law. Elizabeth V. Federoff

Auditor and Recorder's Stamps
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DULY ENTERED FOR TAXATION SUBJECT TO
FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR TRANSFER

APR 20 2007

PEGGY HOLINGA KATONA
LAKE COUNTY AUDITOR

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