

OPEN-END MORTGAGE

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"Lake County Trust Company" Trustee(s) of the "Lake County Trust Company, as successor trustee to First Financial Bank as successor to Sand Ridge Bank as trustee of trust #13-3105" U/A dated September 3, 1996, as amended,

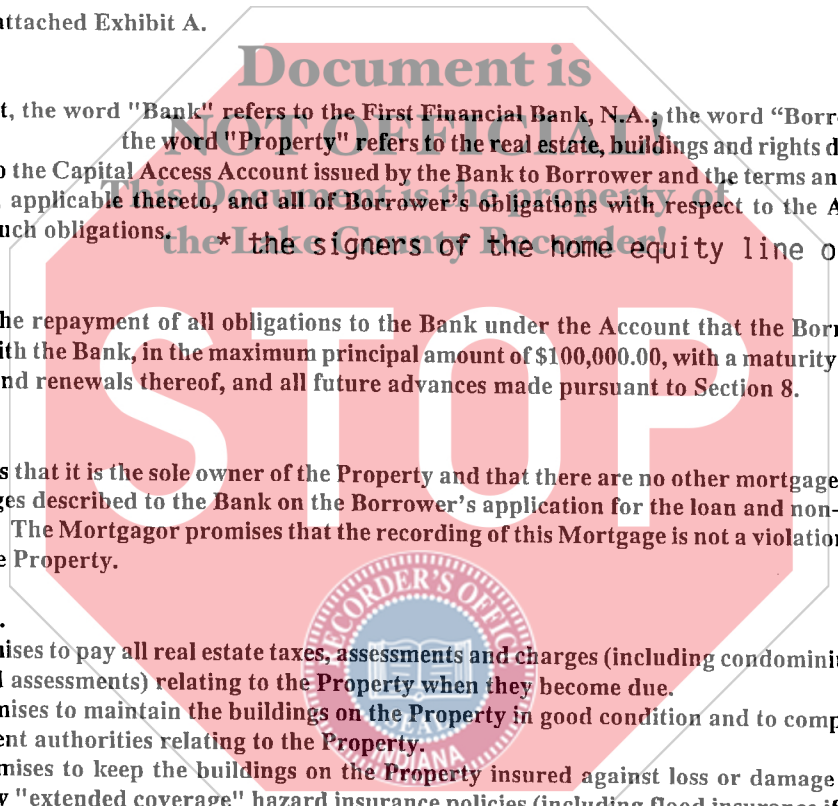
(the "Mortgagor"), grants, mortgages and warrants to FIRST FINANCIAL BANK, N.A., a national banking association whose address is 300 High Streets, Hamilton, Ohio 45011, all right and interest in the real estate known as: 1507 Cynthia Court, Schererville, IN 46375 and in any buildings or improvements which are or may be placed on such real estate and all easements and rights relating to such real estate and improvements, such real estate described as follows:

See Attached Exhibit A

STATE OF INDIANA
LAKE COUNTY
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MICHAEL A. BROWN
RECORDER

[x] check if applicable: See attached Exhibit A.

1. **Definitions.**
As used in this document, the word "Bank" refers to the First Financial Bank, N.A.; the word "Borrower" refers to the word "Property" refers to the real estate, buildings and rights described above;
* the word "Account" refers to the Capital Access Account issued by the Bank to Borrower and the terms and conditions, as amended from time to time, applicable thereto, and all of Borrower's obligations with respect to the Account and all extensions and renewals of such obligations.
* the signers of the home equity line of credit agreement
2. **Debt Secured.**
This mortgage secures the repayment of all obligations to the Bank under the Account that the Borrower (alone or together with others) have with the Bank, in the maximum principal amount of \$100,000.00, with a maturity date of October 17, 2028 and all extensions and renewals thereof, and all future advances made pursuant to Section 8.
3. **Ownership of Property.**
The Mortgagor promises that it is the sole owner of the Property and that there are no other mortgages or liens on the Property except the mortgages described to the Bank on the Borrower's application for the loan and non-delinquent real estate taxes and assessments. The Mortgagor promises that the recording of this Mortgage is not a violation of the terms of any existing mortgage on the Property.
4. **Borrower's Agreements.**
 - (a) The Mortgagor promises to pay all real estate taxes, assessments and charges (including condominium and owner's association fees, charges and assessments) relating to the Property when they become due.
 - (b) The Mortgagor promises to maintain the buildings on the Property in good condition and to comply with all laws and regulations of government authorities relating to the Property.
 - (c) The Mortgagor promises to keep the buildings on the Property insured against loss or damage caused by fire, hazards normally covered by "extended coverage" hazard insurance policies (including flood insurance if the Property is located in a federally identified flood hazard area) and other hazards the Bank may specify. The insurance coverage will be in an amount not less than the amount of all mortgages on the Property, up to the full replacement value of the Property and will be obtained from an insurance company satisfactory to the Bank. Such insurance policy must contain a standard mortgage clause, naming the Bank as its interest may appear. Upon request of the Bank, the Mortgagor promises promise to deliver proof to the Bank of such insurance.
 - (d) The Mortgagor promises not to sell or transfer ownership of all or any part of the Property without the prior written consent of the Bank.
 - (e) The Mortgagor promises not to place or permit anyone else to place or enter into any land contract with respect to the property, or to place other mortgages or liens on the property without the prior written consent of the Bank.
5. **Cost of Bank.**
To the extent permitted by law, the Mortgagor promises to pay all costs and expenses (including attorney's fees) incurred by the Bank in enforcing its rights under this Mortgage. If Mortgagor does not comply with the promises of Paragraph 4, above, the Bank may, but does not have to, make such payments or take such actions as it deems appropriate to assure that taxes, assessments and charges are paid, that the Property is maintained, that insurance is in place and that Mortgagor complies with the promises of Paragraph 4. If the Bank elects to do so and makes any payment or incurs any expense, the amount of such payments and expenses will be secured by this Mortgage and the Bank may demand immediate payment of such amounts or may add such payments and expenses to the Account.
6. **Default.**
The Bank may foreclose on this Mortgage and exercise any other right provided to it by law if a default occurs under the Account or this Mortgage. The Account's terms and conditions describe the acts that will be a default under the Account and this Mortgage. There will also be a default if Mortgagor breaks any of its promises contained in this Mortgage.



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7. General Provisions.

(a) This Mortgage is for the benefit of the Bank and for the benefit of anyone to whom the Bank may transfer it.

(b) The Bank can delay enforcing any of its rights under this Mortgage without losing them. Any waiver by the Bank of any of its rights under this Mortgage will not be a waiver by the Bank of the same right or rights on any other occasion.

(c) This Mortgage will be governed by the laws of the State of Indiana.

(d) If a court decides that any part of this Mortgage is invalid, the rest of this Mortgage will remain in effect.

8. Future Advances.

(a) The Mortgagor and the Bank intend that this Mortgage secures unpaid balances arising under or pursuant to the Account after this Mortgage is recorded to the extent that the maximum amount of such unpaid indebtedness, exclusive of interest thereon does not exceed \$100,000.00.

(b) This mortgage will secure such balances arising under or pursuant to the Account although there may be no such balances at the time of signing this Mortgage and although there may be no such balances outstanding at the time any Loan or Purchase (as defined in the Account Terms and Conditions) is made.

(c) At such time as the Account is both paid in full and closed, this Mortgage will be canceled of record.

9. Release.

Upon payment of all sums secured by this mortgage, Lender shall discharge this mortgage without charge to Mortgagor. Borrower shall pay any recordation costs.

10. Line of Credit or Revolving Credit Plan.

The Account includes a line of credit or revolving credit plan. Although the Account may be repaid to a zero balance, this mortgage will remain in effect until the Account and all underlying agreements have been terminated in writing by Bank.

11. Additional Provisions. (Check if applicable)

CONDOMINIUM COVENANTS. In addition to the covenants and agreements made in the Mortgage, Mortgagor further covenants and agrees with Bank as follows:

(a) **Condominium Obligations.** The Mortgagor will perform all of its obligations under the Condominium Project's Constituent Documents. The "Constituent Document" are the: (i) Declaration or any other document which creates the Condominium Project; (ii) by-laws; (iii) code of regulations; and (iv) other equivalent documents. Mortgagor will promptly pay, when due, all dues and assessments imposed pursuant to the Constituent Documents.

(b) **Property Insurance.** So long as the Owners Association maintains, with a generally accepted insurance carrier, a "master" or "blanket" policy on the Condominium Project which is satisfactory to Bank and that provides insurance coverage in the amounts (including deductible levels), for the periods, and against loss by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage," and any other hazards, including, but not limited to, earthquakes and floods, from which Bank requires insurance, then: Mortgagor's obligation under Paragraph 4(c) to maintain property insurance coverage on the Property is deemed satisfied to the extent that the required coverage is provided by the Owners Association policy. What Bank requires as a condition of this waiver can change during the term of the loan. The Mortgagor will give Bank prompt notice of any lapse in required property insurance coverage provided by the master or blanket policy. In the event of distribution of property insurance proceeds in lieu of restoration or repair following a loss of the Property, whether to the unit or to common elements, any proceeds payable to Mortgagor are hereby assigned and will be paid to Bank for application to the sums secured by this mortgage, whether or not then due, with the excess, if any, paid to Mortgagor.

(c) **Public Liability Insurance.** Mortgagor will take such actions as may be reasonable to insure that the Owners Association maintains a public liability insurance policy acceptable in form, amount, and extent of coverage to Bank.

(d) **Condemnation.** The proceeds of any award or claim for damages, direct or consequential, payable to Mortgagor in connection with any condemnation or other taking of all or any part of the Property, whether of the unit or of the common elements, or for any conveyance in lieu of condemnation, are hereby assigned and will be paid to Bank, which will be applied by Bank in accordance with any terms and conditions governing the Accounts, or, if none as determined by the Bank in the exercise of its sole discretion.

(e) **Bank Prior Consent.** Mortgagor will not, except after notice to Bank and with Bank's prior written consent, either partition or subdivide the Property or consent to: (i) the abandonment or termination of the Condominium Project, except for abandonment or termination required by law in the case of substantial destruction by fire or other casualty or in the case of a taking by condemnation or eminent domain; (ii) any amendment to any provision of the Constituent Documents if the provision is for the express benefit of Bank; (iii) termination of professional management and assumption of self-management of the Owners Association; or (iv) any action that would have the effect of rendering the public liability insurance coverage maintained by the Owners Association unacceptable to Bank.

(f) **Remedies.** If Mortgagor does not pay condominium dues and assessments when due, then Bank may pay them. Any amounts disbursed by Bank under this Paragraph 11(f) will become additional debt of Mortgagor secured by the mortgage. Unless Mortgagor and Bank agree to other terms of payment, these amounts will bear interest from the date of disbursement at the rate applicable to the Account, or, if more, at the highest rate permitted by applicable law, and will be payable, with interest, upon notice from Bank to Mortgagor requesting payment.

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Signed on _____, 2008.

SEE SIGNATURE PAGE ATTACHED

"Lake County Trust Company", Trustee of the "Lake County Trust Company, as successor trustee to First Financial Bank as successor to Sand Ridge Bank as trustee of trust #13-3105" U/A dated September 3, 1996, as amended

Acknowledgment

STATE OF _____ }
COUNTY OF _____ }

SS:

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on _____, 2008 by "Lake County Trust Company", Trustee of the "Lake County Trust Company, as successor trustee to First Financial Bank as successor to Sand Ridge Bank as trustee of trust #13-3105" U/A dated September 3, 1996, as amended, on behalf of the trust.

STATE OF _____ }
COUNTY OF _____ }

SS:

Notary Public

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on _____, 2008 by _____

Notary Public

This instrument was prepared by: First Financial Bank, N.A.
300 High Streets
Hamilton, OH 45011

This mortgage is fully paid and satisfied, and may be canceled of record.

Date: _____

By order of the Board of Directors of First Financial Bank, N.A., Hamilton, Ohio.

RETURN TO
SOUTHWEST FINANCIAL
PO BOX 300
CINCINNATI, OHIO 45273-8043

FIRST FINANCIAL BANK, N. A., Hamilton, OH

By: _____

"I affirm, under penalties for perjury, that I have taken reasonable care to redact each Social Security number in this document, unless required by law." By: Kelli A. Ashcraft

This mortgage prepared by First Financial Bank, N. A. 300 High St. Hamilton, Ohio 45011

MORTGAGE

"Lake County Trust Company"
Trustee(s) of the "Lake County Trust
Company, as successor trustee to First
Financial Bank as successor to Sand
Ridge Bank as trustee of trust #13-
3105" U/A dated September 3, 1996

And

Timothy F. Gericke and
Cheryl L. Gericke

First Financial Bank, N.A.,
Hamilton, Ohio

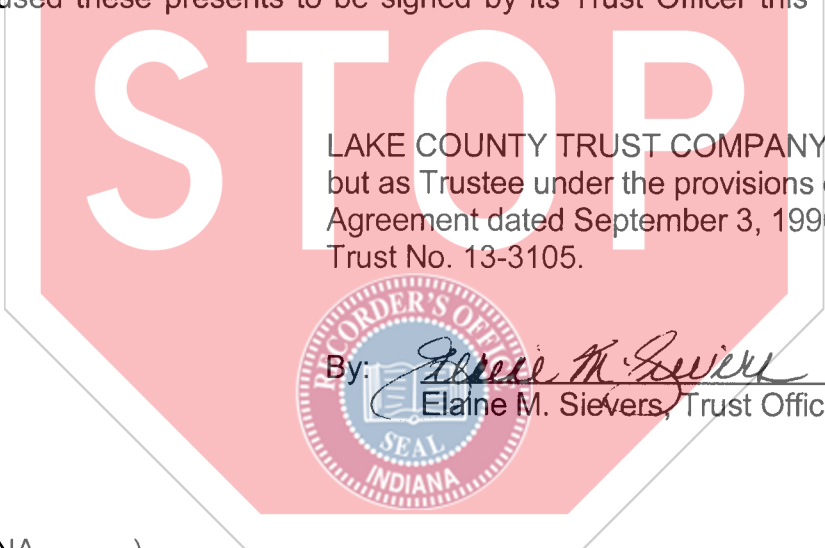
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Capital Access Department

This Mortgage is executed by LAKE COUNTY TRUST COMPANY, not personally but as Trustee as aforesaid in the exercise of the power and authority conferred upon and vested in it as such Trustee (and said LAKE COUNTY TRUST COMPANY, hereby warrants that it possesses full power and authority to execute this instrument), and it is expressly understood and agreed that nothing herein or in said principal note contained shall be construed as creating any liability on said Lake County Trust Company personally to pay the said principal note or any interest that may accrue thereon, or any indebtedness accruing hereunder, or to perform any covenant, either express or implied herein contained, all such liability, if any, being expressly waived by Mortgagee and by every person now or hereafter claiming any right or security hereunder, and that so far as said Lake County Trust Company personally is concerned, the legal holder or holders of said principal notes and the owner or owners of any indebtedness accruing hereunder shall look solely to the premises hereby mortgaged for the payment thereof, by the enforcement of the lien hereby created, in the manner herein and in said principal notes provided or by action to enforce the personal liability of the guarantor, if any.

Nothing contained herein shall be construed as creating any liability on LAKE COUNTY TRUST COMPANY, personally under the provisions of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) or the Indiana Responsible Property Transfer Law (the Act) as amended from time to time or any other Federal State or local law, rule or regulation. LAKE COUNTY TRUST COMPANY, personally is not a "Transferor" under the Act and makes no representation concerning any possible environmental defects. In making any warranty herein the Trustee is relying solely on information furnished to it by the beneficiaries and not its own knowledge and specifically exculpates itself from any liabilities, responsibilities or damages as a result of including any warranty in this instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, LAKE COUNTY TRUST COMPANY, not personally but as Trustee as aforesaid, has caused these presents to be signed by its Trust Officer this 17th day of October 2008.



LAKE COUNTY TRUST COMPANY, not personally but as Trustee under the provisions of a Trust Agreement dated September 3, 1996, and known as Trust No. 13-3105.

By: Elaine M. Sievers
Elaine M. Sievers, Trust Officer

STATE OF INDIANA)
) SS:
COUNTY OF LAKE)

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared the within named Officer of the Lake County Trust Company, who acknowledge the execution of the foregoing instrument as the free and voluntary act of said corporation, and as her free and voluntary act, acting for such corporation as Trustee.

Witness my hand and seal this 17th day of October 2008.

Hesta Smith
Hesta Smith, Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 10-11-15

Resident of Lake County, Indiana.

EXHIBIT "A" LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Account #: 14092613
Order Date : 08/26/2008
Reference :
Name : TIMOTHY . GERICKE
 CHERYL L. GERICKE
Deed Ref : 98052408

Index #:
Parcel #: 20-13-0512-0032

LOT 84, RIDGEMOOR SECOND ADDITION TO THE TOWN OF SCHERERVILLE, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 68, PAGE 51, IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA.

SUBJECT TO ALL EASEMENTS, COVENANTS, CONDITIONS, RESERVATIONS, LEASES AND RESTRICTIONS OF RECORD, ALL LEGAL HIGHWAYS, ALL RIGHTS OF WAY, ALL ZONING, BUILDING AND OTHER LAWS, ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS, ALL RIGHTS OF TENANTS IN POSSESSION, AND ALL REAL ESTATE TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS NOT YET DUE AND PAYABLE.

BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED BY DEED RECORDED IN DOCUMENT NO. 98052408, OF THE LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA RECORDS.

