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GINA PIMENTEL
RECORDER
STATE OF INDIANA
LAKE COUNTY
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TAX DEED

Whereas CITY OF EAST CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF REDEVELOPMENT the 27TH day of September, 2021 produce to the undersigned, John Petalas, Auditor of the County of Lake in the State of Indiana, a certificate of sale dated the 20th day of January, 2021 signed by John Petalas who, at the date of sale, was Auditor of the County, from which it appears **CITY OF EAST CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF REDEVELOPMENT** on the 20th day of January, 2021 purchased at public auction, held pursuant to law, the real property described in this indenture for the sum of $00 (DONATED) being the amount due on the real property for taxes, special assessments, penalties and costs for the 2019 and prior years following tracts of Espinoza, Alfonzo G Sr namely:

45-03-22-453-001.000-024
COMMON ADDRESS: 3901 CATALPA STREET, EAST CHICAGO, IN
3RD ADD. IND. HARBOR LOT 1 BL.2

Such real property has been recorded in the Office of the Lake County Auditor as delinquent for the nonpayment of taxes and proper notice of the sale has been given. It appearing that **CITY OF EAST CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF REDEVELOPMENT, INDIANA.** is the owners of the certificate of sale, that the time for redeeming such real property has expired, that has not been **CITY OF EAST CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF REDEVELOPMENT** the demanded a deed for real property described in the certificate of sale, that the records of the Lake County Auditor's Office state that the real property was legally liable for taxation, and the real property has been duly assessed and property charged on the duplicate with the taxes and special assessments for 2018 and prior years.

THEREFORE, this indenture, made this 27TH day of September, 2021 between the State of Indiana by John Petalas, Auditor of Lake County, of the first part **CITY OF EAST CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF REDEVELOPMENT** the of the second part, witnesseth; That the party of the first part, for and in consideration of the premises, has granted and bargained and sold to the party of the second part, their heirs and assigns, the real property described in the certificate of sale, situated in the County of Lake, and State of Indiana, namely and more particularly described as follow:

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To have and to hold such real property, with the appurtenances belonging hereunto set his/her hand, and affixed the seal of the Board of County Commissioners, the day and year last above mentioned.

In testimony whereof, JOHN PETALAS, Auditor of Lake County, has hereunto set his/her hand, and affixed the seal of the Board of County Commissioners, the day and year last above mentioned.

Attest: Peggy Katona Treasurer: Lake County

Witness: John E. Petalas
JOHN PETALAS, Auditor of Lake County

STATE OF INDIANA }
} SS
COUNTY OF LAKE COUNTY }

Before me, the undersigned, Lorenzo Arredondo, in and for said County, this day, personally came the above named **JOHN PETALAS**, Auditor of said County, and acknowledged that he/she signed and sealed the foregoing deed for the users and purposes therein mentioned.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of December, 2021

Lorenzo Arredondo
Lorenzo Arredondo, Clerk of Lake County

Post Office addresses of grantee **CITY OF EAST CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF REDEVELOPMENT**

4920 LAKSPUR DR
EAST CHICAGO IN 46312

25-2131

DULY ENTERED FOR TAXATION SUBJECT TO FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR TRANSFER

DEC 03 2021

JOHN E. PETALAS
LAKE COUNTY AUDITOR

"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."

Property of Lake County Recorder