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## TENNESSEE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY CONDITION DISCLOSURE

- 1 PROPERTY ADDRESS 9227 Wood Dale Lane CITY Hixson
- 2 SELLER'S NAME(S) Bischoff PROPERTY AGE 3
- 3 DATE SELLER ACQUIRED THE PROPERTY 9/2010 DO YOU OCCUPY THE PROPERTY? Yes
- 4 IF NOT OWNER-OCCUPIED, HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN SINCE THE SELLER OCCUPIED THE PROPERTY? N/A
- 5 (Check the one that applies) The property is a ☒ site-built home ☐ non-site-built home
- 6 The Tennessee Residential Property Disclosure Act requires sellers of residential real property with one to four dwelling  
7 units to furnish to a buyer one of the following: (1) a residential property disclosure statement (the "Disclosure"), or (2) a  
8 residential property disclaimer statement (permitted only where the buyer waives the required Disclosure). Some property  
9 transfers may be exempt from this requirement (see Tenn. Code Ann. § 66-5-209). The following is a summary of the  
10 buyers' and sellers' rights and obligations under the Act. A complete copy of the Act may be found at  
11 <http://www.tn.gov/regboards/trec/law.shtml>. (See Tenn. Code Ann. § 66-5-201, et seq.)
- 12 1. Sellers must disclose all known material defects and must answer the questions on the Disclosure form in good faith to  
13 the best of the seller's knowledge as of the Disclosure date.
- 14 2. Sellers must give the buyers the Disclosure form before the acceptance of a purchase contract.
- 15 3. Sellers must inform the buyers, at or before closing, of any inaccuracies or material changes in the condition that have  
16 occurred since the time of the initial Disclosure, or certify that there are no changes.
- 17 4. Sellers may give the buyers a report or opinion prepared by a professional inspector or other expert(s) or certain  
18 information provided by a public agency, in lieu of responding to some or all of the questions on the form (See Tenn.  
19 Code Ann. § 66-5-204).
- 20 5. Sellers are not required to have a home inspection or other investigation in order to complete the Disclosure form.
- 21 6. Sellers are not required to repair any items listed on the Disclosure form or on any past or future inspection report unless  
22 agreed to in the purchase contract.
- 23 7. Sellers involved in the first sale of a dwelling must disclose the amount of any impact fees or adequate facility taxes  
24 paid.
- 25 8. Sellers are not required to disclose if any occupant was HIV-positive, or had any other disease not likely to be  
26 transmitted by occupying a home, or whether the home had been the site of a homicide, suicide or felony, or act or  
27 occurrence which had no effect on the physical structure of the property.
- 28 9. Sellers may provide an "as is", "no representations or warranties" disclaimer statement in lieu of the Disclosure form  
29 only if the buyer waives the right to the required disclosure, otherwise the sellers must provide the completed Disclosure  
30 form (See Tenn. Code Ann. § 66-5-202).
- 31 10. Sellers may be exempt from having to complete the Disclosure form in certain limited circumstances (e.g. public  
32 auctions, court orders, some foreclosures and bankruptcies, new construction with written warranty or owner has not  
33 resided on the property at any time within the prior 3 years. See Tenn. Code Ann. § 66-5-209).
- 34 11. Buyers are advised to include home and wood infestation, well, water sources, septic system, lead-based paint, radon,  
35 mold, and other appropriate inspection contingencies in the contract, as the Disclosure form is not a warranty of any kind  
36 by the seller, and is not a substitute for any warranties or inspections the buyer may desire to purchase.
- 37 12. Any repair of disclosed defects must be negotiated and addressed in the Purchase and Sale Agreement; otherwise, seller  
38 is not required to repair any such items.
- 39 13. Buyers may, but do not have to, waive their right to receive the Disclosure form from the sellers if the sellers provide a  
40 disclaimer statement with no representations or warranties (see Tenn. Code Ann. § 66-5-202).



14. Remedies for misrepresentations or nondisclosure in a Property Condition Disclosure statement may be available to buyer and are set out fully in Tenn. Code Ann. § 66-5-208. Buyer should consult with an attorney regarding any such matters.
15. Representations in the Disclosure form are those of the sellers only, and not of any real estate licensee, although licensees are required to disclose to all parties adverse facts of which the licensee has actual knowledge or notice.
16. Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 47-18-104(b), sellers of newly constructed residences on a septic system are prohibited from knowingly advertising or marketing a home as having more bedrooms than are permitted by the subsurface sewage disposal system permit.
17. Sellers must disclose the presence of any known exterior injection well, the results of any known percolation test or soil absorption rate performed on the property that is determined or accepted by the Department of Environment and Conservation, and whether the property is located within a Planned Unit Development as defined by Tenn. Code Ann. § 66-5-213 and, if requested, provide buyers with a copy of the development's restrictive covenants, homeowner bylaws and master deed. Sellers must also disclose if they have knowledge that the residence has ever been moved from an existing foundation to another foundation.

The Buyers and Sellers involved in the current or prospective real estate transaction for the property listed above acknowledge that they were informed of their rights and obligations regarding Residential Property Disclosures, and that this information was provided by the real estate licensee(s) prior to the completion or reviewing of a Tennessee Residential Property Condition Disclosure, a Tennessee Residential Property Condition Disclaimer Statement, or a Tennessee Residential Property Condition Exemption Notification. Buyers and Sellers also acknowledge that they were advised to seek the advice of an attorney on any legal questions they may have regarding this information or prior to taking any legal actions.

The Tennessee Residential Property Disclosure Act states that anyone transferring title to residential real property must provide information about the condition of the property. This completed form constitutes that disclosure by the Seller. The information contained in the disclosure is the representation of the owner and not the representation of the real estate licensee or sales person, if any. This is not a warranty or a substitute for any professional inspections or warranties that the purchasers may wish to obtain.

**Buyers and Sellers should be aware that any sales agreement executed between the parties will supersede this form as to the terms of sale, property included in the sale and any obligations on the part of the seller to repair items identified below and/or the obligation of the buyer to accept such items "as is."**

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE SELLER

Complete this form yourself and answer each question to the best of your knowledge. If an answer is an estimate, clearly label it as such. The Seller hereby authorizes any agent(s) representing any party in this transaction to provide a copy of this statement to any person or entity in connection with any actual or anticipated sale of the subject property.

#### A. THE SUBJECT PROPERTY INCLUDES THE ITEMS CHECKED BELOW:

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|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Range  | <input type="checkbox"/> Wall/Window Air Conditioning              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Garage Door Opener(s) (Number of openers <u>2</u> )                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ice Maker Hookup  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Window Screens                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>2</u> Garage Door Remote(s)                                     |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oven   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fireplace(s) (Number) <u>1</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Intercom  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Microwave  | <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Starter for Fireplace                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TV Antenna/Satellite Dish (excluding components)                   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Garbage Disposal   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gas Fireplace Logs             | <input type="checkbox"/> Central Vacuum System and attachments   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trash Compactor   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Smoke Detector/Fire Alarm      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Spa/Whirlpool Tub  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water Softener  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Patio/ <u>Decking</u> /Gazebo  | <input type="checkbox"/> Hot Tub   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 220 Volt Wiring   | <input type="checkbox"/> Installed Outdoor Cooking Grill           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Washer/Dryer Hookups   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sauna   | <input type="checkbox"/> Irrigation System                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Pool <input type="checkbox"/> In-ground <input type="checkbox"/> Above-ground |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dishwasher   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A key to all exterior doors    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Access to Public Streets   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sump Pump   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Gutters                   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All Landscaping and all outdoor lighting                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burglar Alarm/Security System Components and controls               |  |  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Current Termite contract with <u>Cook's Pest Control</u> |  |  |



87 ☐ Heat Pump Unit #1 \_\_\_\_\_ Age (Approx)

88 ☐ Heat Pump Unit #2 \_\_\_\_\_ Age (Approx)

89 ☐ Heat Pump Unit #3 \_\_\_\_\_ Age (Approx)

90 ☒ Central Heating Unit #1 3 Age ☐ Electric ☒ Gas ☐ Other

91 ☐ Central Heating Unit #2 \_\_\_\_\_ Age ☐ Electric ☐ Gas ☐ Other

92 ☐ Central Heating Unit #3 \_\_\_\_\_ Age ☐ Electric ☐ Gas ☐ Other

93 ☒ Central Air Conditioning #1 3 Age ☒ Electric ☐ Gas ☐ Other

94 ☐ Central Air Conditioning #2 \_\_\_\_\_ Age ☐ Electric ☐ Gas ☐ Other

95 ☐ Central Air Conditioning #3 \_\_\_\_\_ Age ☐ Electric ☐ Gas ☐ Other

96 ☒ Water Heater #1 3 Age ☐ Electric ☐ Gas ☐ Solar ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

97 ☐ Water Heater #2 \_\_\_\_\_ Age ☐ Electric ☐ Gas ☐ Solar ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

98 ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

99 Garage ☒ Attached ☐ Not Attached ☐ Carport

100 Water Supply ☐ City ☐ Well ☐ Private ☒ Utility ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

101 Gas Supply ☒ Utility ☐ Bottled ☐ Other

102 Waste Disposal ☒ City Sewer ☐ Septic Tank ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

103 Roof(s): Type Shingles Age (approx): 3

104 Other Items:

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108 To the best of your knowledge, are any of the above NOT in operating condition? ☐ YES ☒ NO

109 If YES, then describe (attach additional sheets if necessary):

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111 N/A

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116 **Leased Items:** Leased items that remain with the Property are (e.g. security systems, water softener systems, etc.):

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118 N/A

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120 If leases are not assumable, it will be Seller's responsibility to pay balance.

121 **B. ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF ANY DEFECTS/MALFUNCTIONS IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING?**

	YES	NO	UNKNOWN		YES	NO	UNKNOWN
122 Interior Walls	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Roof Components	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
123 Ceilings	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Basement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
124 Floors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Foundation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
125 Windows	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Slab	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
126 Doors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Driveway	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
127 Insulation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sidewalks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
128 Plumbing System	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Central Heating	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



		YES	NO	UNKNOWN		YES	NO	UNKNOWN
129	Sewer/Septic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Heat Pump	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
130	Electrical System	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Central Air Conditioning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
131	Exterior Walls	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Double Paned or Insulated Window and/or Doors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

133 If any of the above is/are marked YES, please explain:

134 N/A

135 Please describe any repairs made by you or any previous owners of which you are aware (use separate sheet if necessary).

137 **C. ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:** YES NO UNKNOWN

138 1. Substances, materials or products which may be environmental hazards  
139 such as, but not limited to: asbestos, radon gas, lead-based paint, fuel  
140 or chemical storage tanks, methamphetamine, contaminated soil or  
141 water, and/or known existing or past mold presence on the subject  
142 property? ☐ ☒ ☐

143 2. Features shared in common with adjoining land owners, such as walls, but  
144 not limited to, fences, and/or driveways, with joint rights and obligations  
145 for use and maintenance? ☐ ☒ ☐

146 3. Any authorized changes in roads, drainage or utilities affecting the  
147 property, or contiguous to the property? ☐ ☒ ☐

148 4. Any changes since the most recent survey of the property was done?  
149 Most recent survey of the property: ☐ (check here if unknown)  
150 August 2016

151 5. Any encroachments, easements, or similar items that may affect your  
152 ownership interest in the property? ☐ ☒ ☐

153 6. Room additions, structural modifications or other alterations or  
154 repairs made without necessary permits? ☐ ☒ ☐

155 7. Room additions, structural modifications or other alterations or  
156 repairs not in compliance with building codes? ☐ ☒ ☐

157 8. Landfill (compacted or otherwise) on the property or any portion  
158 thereof? ☐ ☐ ☒

159 9. Any settling from any cause, or slippage, sliding or other soil problems? ☐ ☒ ☐

160 10. Flooding, drainage or grading problems? ☐ ☒ ☐

161 11. Any requirement that flood insurance be maintained on the property? ☐ ☒ ☐

162 12. Is any of the property in a flood plain? ☐ ☐ ☒

163 13. Any past or present interior water intrusions(s) from outside home,  
164 standing water within foundation and/or basement? ☐ ☒ ☐

165 If yes, please explain. If necessary, please attach an additional sheet  
166 and any available documents pertaining to these repairs/corrections.

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170 14. Property or structural damage from fire, earthquake, floods, landslides,  
171 tremors, wind, storm or wood destroying organisms? ☐ ☒ ☐

172 If yes, please explain (use separate sheet if necessary).

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176 If yes, has said damage been repaired? ☐ ☐ ☐



		YES	NO	UNKNOWN
177	15. Any zoning violations, nonconforming uses and/or violations of	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
178	"setback" requirements?			
179	16. Neighborhood noise problems or other nuisances?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
180	17. Subdivision and/or deed restrictions or obligations?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
181	18. A Condominium/Homeowners Association (HOA) which has any authority	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
182	over the subject property?			
183	Name of HOA: _____			
184	HOA Phone Number: _____			
185	Special Assessments: _____			
186	Management Company: _____			
187	Management Co. Address: _____			
188	19. Any "common area" (facilities such as, but not limited to, pools, tennis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
189	courts, walkways or other areas co-owned in undivided interest with others)?			
190	20. Any notices of abatement or citations against the property?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
191	21. Any lawsuit(s) or proposed lawsuit(s) by or against the seller which affects	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
192	or will affect the property?			
193	22. Is any system, equipment or part of the property being leased?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
194	If yes, please explain, and include a written statement regarding payment			
195	information.			
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198	23. Any exterior wall covering of the structure(s) covered with exterior	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
199	insulation and finish systems (EIFS), also known as "synthetic stucco"?			
200	If yes, has there been a recent inspection to determine whether the structure	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
201	has excessive moisture accumulation and/or moisture related damage?			
202	<i>(The Tennessee Real Estate Commission urges any buyer or seller who encounters this product to have a qualified</i>			
203	<i>professional inspect the structure in question for the preceding concern and provide a written report of the</i>			
204	<i>professional's finding.)</i>			
205	If yes, please explain. If necessary, please attach an additional sheet.			
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208	24. Is heating and air conditioning supplied to all finished rooms?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
209	If the same type of system is not used for all finished rooms, please explain.			
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213	25. If septic tank or other private disposal system is marked under item (A), does	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
214	it have adequate capacity and approved design to comply with present state			
215	and local requirements for the actual land area and number of bedrooms and			
216	facilities existing at the residence?			
217	26. Is the property affected by governmental regulations or restrictions requiring	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
218	approval for changes, use, or alterations to the property?			
219	27. Is this property in a historical district or has it been declared historical by	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
220	any governmental authority such that permission must be obtained before			
221	certain types of improvements or aesthetic changes to the property are made?			
222	28. Does this property have an exterior injection well located anywhere on it?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
223	29. Is seller aware of any percolation tests or soil absorption rates being	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
224	performed on the property that are determined or accepted by			
225	the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation?			
226	If yes, results of test(s) and/or rate(s) are attached.			



YES NO UNKNOWN

227 30. Has any residence on this property ever been moved from its original  
228 foundation to another foundation? ☐ ☒ ☐

229 31. Is this property in a Planned Unit Development? Planned Unit Development  
230 is defined pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 66-5-213 as "an area of land,  
231 controlled by one (1) or more landowners, to be developed under unified  
232 control or unified plan of development for a number of dwelling units,  
233 commercial, educational, recreational or industrial uses, or any combination  
234 of the foregoing, the plan for which does not correspond in lot size, bulk or  
235 type of use, density, lot coverage, open space, or other restrictions to the  
236 existing land use regulations." Unknown is not a permissible answer under  
237 the statute. ☐ ☒

238 **D. CERTIFICATION.** I/We certify that the information herein, concerning the real property located at  
239 9227 Wood Dale Lane, Hixson, TN 37384  
240 is true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge as of the date signed. Should any of these conditions change prior to  
241 conveyance of title to this property, these changes will be disclosed in an addendum to this document.

242 Transferor (Seller) [Signature] Date 2/28/14 Time 1:30 pm

243 Transferor (Seller) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Parties may wish to obtain professional advice and/or inspections of the property and to negotiate appropriate provisions in the purchase agreement regarding advice, inspections or defects.

249 **Transferee/Buyer's Acknowledgment:** I/We understand that this disclosure statement is not intended as a substitute for any  
250 inspection, and that I/we have a responsibility to pay diligent attention to and inquire about those material defects which are  
251 evident by careful observation. **I/We acknowledge receipt of a copy of this disclosure.**

252 Transferee (Buyer) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

253 Transferee (Buyer) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

254 If the property being purchased is a condominium, the transferee/buyer is hereby given notice that the transferee/buyer is  
255 entitled, upon request, to receive certain information regarding the administration of the condominium from the developer or  
256 the condominium association as applicable, pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated §66-27-502.

*NOTE: This form is provided by TAR to its members for their use in real estate transactions and is to be used as is. This form contains language that is in addition to the language mandated by the state of Tennessee pursuant to the disclosure requirements of the "Tennessee Residential Property Disclosure Act". Tennessee Code Annotated § 66-5-201, et seq. By downloading and/or using this form, you agree and covenant not to alter, amend, or edit said form or its contents except as where provided in the blank fields, and agree and acknowledge that any such alteration, amendment or edit of said form is done at your own risk. Use of the TAR logo in conjunction with any form other than standardized forms created by TAR is strictly prohibited. This form is subject to periodic revision and it is the responsibility of the member to use the most recent available form.*







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1. **THE STRUCTURAL OR OTHER CONDITIONS OF THE PROPERTY.** Consult with professional engineers or other independent, qualified professionals to ascertain the existence of structural issues, the condition of synthetic stucco (E.I.F.S.) and/or the overall condition of the Property.
2. **THE CONDITION OF ROOFING.** Consult with a bonded roofing company for any concerns about the condition of the roof.
3. **HOME INSPECTION.** We strongly recommend that you have a home inspection, which is a useful tool for determining the overall condition of a home including, but not limited to, electrical, heating, air conditioning, plumbing, water-heating systems, fireplaces, windows, doors and appliances. Contact several sources (like the Tennessee Department of Commerce & Insurance ([www.state.tn.us/commerce/index.shtml](http://www.state.tn.us/commerce/index.shtml)), the American Society of Home Inspectors ([www.ashi.com](http://www.ashi.com)), the National Association of Certified Home Inspectors ([www.nachi.org](http://www.nachi.org)), and Home Inspectors of Tennessee ([www.hita.us](http://www.hita.us)) and independently investigate the competency of an inspector, including whether he has complied with State and/or local licensing and registration requirements in your area. The home inspector may, in turn, recommend further examination by a specialist (heating-air-plumbing, etc.). **Failure to inspect typically means that you are accepting the Property "as is".**
4. **WOOD DESTROYING ORGANISMS, PESTS AND INFESTATIONS.** It is strongly recommended that you use the services of a licensed, professional pest control company to determine the presence of wood destroying organisms (termites, fungus, etc.) or other pests or infestations and to examine the Property for any potential damage from such.
5. **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS.** Environmental hazards, such as, but not limited to: radon gas, mold, asbestos, lead-based paint, hazardous wastes, landfills, byproducts of methamphetamine production, high-voltage electricity, noise levels, etc., require advanced techniques by environmental specialists to evaluate, remediate and/or repair. It is strongly recommended that you secure the services of knowledgeable professionals and inspectors in all areas of environmental concern.
6. **SQUARE FOOTAGE.** There are many ways of measuring square footage. Information is sometimes gathered from tax or real estate records on the Property. Square footage provided by builders, real estate licensees, or tax records is only an **estimate** with which to make comparisons, but **it is not guaranteed**. It is advised that you have a licensed appraiser determine actual square footage.



- 44 7. **CURRENT VALUE, INVESTMENT POTENTIAL, OR RESALE VALUE OF THE PROPERTY.** A  
45 true estimate of the value can only be obtained through the services of a licensed appraiser. No one, not even  
46 a professional appraiser, can know the future value of a property. Unexpected and unforeseeable things  
47 happen. **NOTE:** A real estate licensee's Comparative Market Analysis (CMA) or Broker's Price Opinion  
48 (BPO), etc., while sometimes used to set an asking price or an offer price, is **not** an appraisal.
- 49 8. **BOUNDARY LINES, EASEMENTS, ENCROACHMENTS, AND ACREAGE.** It is strongly advised  
50 that you secure the services of a licensed surveyor for a full-stake boundary survey with all boundary lines,  
51 easements, encroachments, flood zones, total acreage, etc., clearly identified. It is also advised that you **not**  
52 rely on mortgage loan inspection surveys, previous surveys, plat data, or Multiple Listing Service (MLS) data  
53 for this information, even if acceptable to your lender.
- 54 9. **ZONING, CODES, COVENANTS, RESTRICTIONS, AND RELATED ISSUES.** Zoning, codes,  
55 covenants, restrictions, home owner association by-laws, special assessments, city ordinances, governmental  
56 repair requirements and related issues need to be verified by the appropriate sources in writing. If your  
57 projected use requires a zoning or other change, it is recommended that you either wait until the change is **in**  
58 **effect** before committing to a property or provide for this contingency in your Purchase and Sale Agreement.
- 59 10. **UTILITY CONNECTIONS, SEPTIC SYSTEM CAPABILITY, AND RELATED SERVICES.** The  
60 availability, adequacy, connection and/or condition of waste disposal (sewer, septic system, etc.), water  
61 supply, electric, gas, cable, internet, telephone, or other utilities and related services to the Property need to be  
62 verified by the appropriate sources in writing. You should have a professional check access and/or  
63 connection to public sewer and/or public water source and/or the condition of any septic system(s) and/or  
64 wells. To confirm that any septic systems are properly permitted for the actual number of bedrooms, it is  
65 recommended that sellers and/or buyers request a copy of the information contained in the file for the  
66 Property maintained by the appropriate governmental permitting authority. If the file for this Property cannot  
67 be located or you do not understand the information contained in the file, you should seek professional advice  
68 regarding this matter. For unimproved land, septic system capability can only be determined by using the  
69 services of a professional soil scientist and verifying with the appropriate governmental authorities that a  
70 septic system of the desired type, size, location, and cost can be permitted and installed to accommodate the  
71 size home that you wish to build.
- 72 11. **FLOODING, DRAINAGE, FLOOD INSURANCE, AND RELATED ITEMS.** It is recommended that  
73 you have a civil or geotechnical engineer or other independent expert determine the risks of flooding,  
74 drainage or run-off problems, erosion, land shifting, unstable colluvial soil, sinkholes and landfills. The risk  
75 of flooding may increase and drainage or storm run-off pathways may change. Be sure to consult with the  
76 proper governmental authorities, elevation surveyors, and flood insurance professionals regarding flood and  
77 elevation certificates, flood zones, and flood insurance requirements, recommendations and costs.
- 78 12. **CONDEMNATION.** It is recommended that you investigate whether there are any pending or proposed  
79 condemnation proceedings or similar matters concerning any portion of the Property with the State, County  
80 and city/town governments in which the Property is located. Condemnation proceedings could result in all or  
81 a portion of the Property being taken by the government with compensation being paid to the landowner.
- 82 13. **SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION.** It is advised that you independently  
83 confirm school zoning with the appropriate school authorities, as school districts are subject to change. Other  
84 school information (rankings, curriculums, student-teacher ratios, etc.) should be confirmed by appropriate  
85 sources in writing.
- 86 14. **INFORMATION ABOUT CRIMES, METHAMPHETAMINE PROPERTIES, OR SEX**  
87 **OFFENDERS.** You should consult with local, state and federal law enforcement agencies for information or  
88 statistics regarding criminal activity at or near the Property, the presence of methamphetamine manufacturing,  
89 or for the location of sex offenders in a given area.
- 90 15. **LEGAL AND TAX ADVICE.** You should seek the advice of an attorney and/or certified tax specialist on  
91 any legal or tax questions concerning any offers, contracts, issues relating to title or ownership of the  
92 Property, or any other matters of concern, including those itemized in this Disclaimer Notice. Real estate  
93 licensees are **not** legal or tax experts, and therefore cannot advise you in these areas.

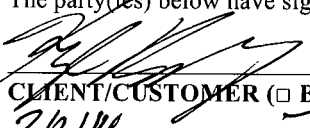




**16. RECOMMENDED INSPECTORS, SERVICE PROVIDERS, OR VENDORS.** The furnishing of any inspector, service provider or vendor named by the real estate licensee is done only as a convenience and a courtesy, and does not in any way constitute any warranty, representation, or endorsement. Buyers and sellers have the option to select any inspectors, service providers or vendors of the buyer's or seller's choice. You are advised to contact several sources and independently investigate the competency of any inspector, contractor, or other professional expert, service provider or vendor and to determine compliance with any licensing, registration, insurance and bonding requirements in your area.

**The buyers and sellers acknowledge that they have not relied upon the advice, casual comments, or verbal representations of any real estate licensee relative to any of the matters itemized above or similar matters. The buyers and sellers understand that it has been strongly recommended that they secure the services of appropriately credentialed experts and professionals of the buyer's or seller's choice for the advice and counsel about these and similar concerns.**

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