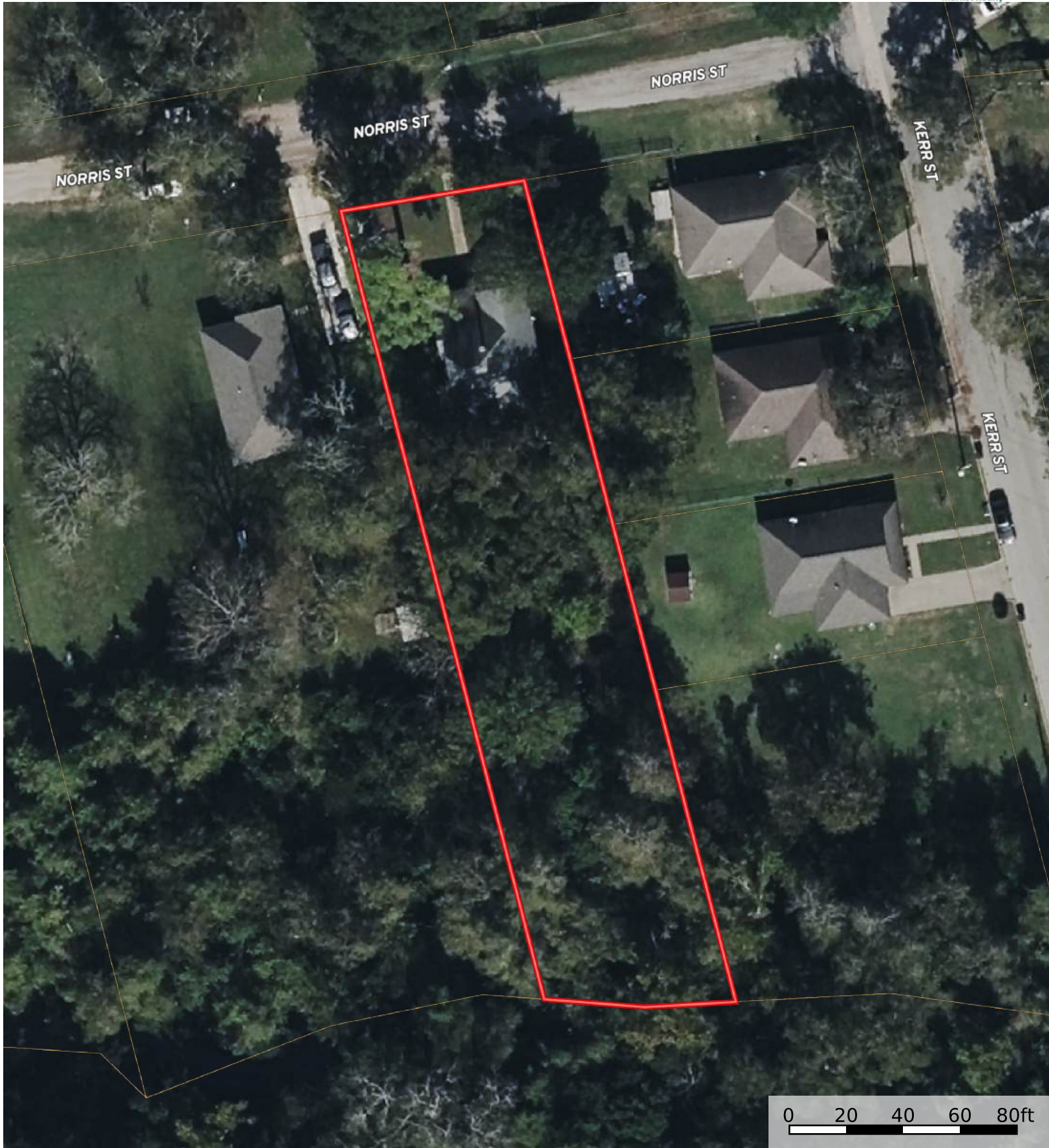




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1. All numbered lots shown hereon
 are intended to be



SELLER'S DISCLOSURE NOTICE

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A seller must disclose known material information concerning the condition of the Property. Section 5.008, Property Code requires a seller of residential property of not more than one dwelling unit to deliver a Seller's Disclosure Notice to a buyer on or before the effective date of a contract. This form complies with and contains additional disclosures which exceed the minimum disclosures required by the Code.

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CONCERNING THE PROPERTY AT

THIS NOTICE IS A DISCLOSURE OF SELLER'S KNOWLEDGE OF THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AS OF THE DATE SIGNED BY SELLER AND IS NOT A SUBSTITUTE FOR ANY INSPECTIONS OR WARRANTIES THE BUYER MAY WISH TO OBTAIN. IT IS NOT A WARRANTY OF ANY KIND BY SELLER, SELLER'S AGENTS, OR ANY OTHER AGENT.

Seller is is not occupying the Property. If unoccupied (by Seller), how long since Seller has occupied the Property? (approximate date) or never occupied the Property

Section 1. The Property has the items marked below: (Mark Yes (Y), No (N), or Unknown (U).)

This notice does not establish the items to be conveyed. The contract will determine which items will & will not convey.

Item	Y	N	U
Cable TV Wiring			✓
Carbon Monoxide Det.			✓
Ceiling Fans	✓		
Cooktop/Range/Stove	✓		
Dishwasher	✓		
Disposal	✓		
Emergency Escape Ladder(s)		✓	
Exhaust Fans	✓		
Fences		✓	
Fire Detection Equip.	✓		
French Drain			✓
Gas Fixtures			✓
Liquid Propane (LP) Gas:		✓	
-LP Community (Captive)			✓
-LP on Property			✓

Item	Y	N	U
Natural Gas Lines			✓
Fuel Gas Piping:			✓
-Black Iron Pipe			✓
-Copper			✓
-Corrugated Stainless Steel Tubing			✓
Hot Tub		✓	
Intercom System		✓	
Microwave		✓	
Outdoor Grill		✓	
Patio/Decking	✓		
Plumbing System	✓		
Pool		✓	
Pool Equipment		✓	
Pool Maint. Accessories		✓	
Pool Heater		✓	

Item	Y	N	U
Pump: sump grinder		✓	
Rain Gutters			✓
Roof/Attic Vents			✓
Sauna		✓	
Smoke Detector	✓		
Smoke Detector - Hearing Impaired		✓	
Spa		✓	
Trash Compactor		✓	
TV Antenna			✓
Washer/Dryer Hookup	✓		
Window Screens	✓		
Public Sewer System	✓		

Item	Y	N	U	Additional Information
Central A/C	✓			electric gas number of units: _____
Evaporative Coolers		✓		number of units: _____
Wall/Window AC Units		✓		number of units: _____
Attic Fan(s)			✓	if yes, describe: _____
Central Heat	✓			electric gas number of units: _____
Other Heat		✓		if yes, describe: _____
Oven	✓			number of ovens: _____ electric gas other: _____
Fireplace & Chimney		✓		wood gas logs mock other: _____
Carport		✓		attached not attached
Garage		✓		attached not attached
Garage Door Openers		✓		number of units: _____ number of remotes: _____
Satellite Dish & Controls		✓		owned leased from: _____
Security System		✓		owned leased from: _____

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Item	Y	N	U	Additional Information
Solar Panels		☒		owned leased from:
Water Heater	☒			electric gas other: number of units:
Water Softener		☒		owned leased from:
Other Leased Items(s)		☒		if yes, describe:
Underground Lawn Sprinkler		☒		__ automatic __ manual areas covered:
Septic / On-Site Sewer Facility			☒	if yes, attach Information About On-Site Sewer Facility (TXR-1407)

Water supply provided by: ☒ city ☐ well ☐ MUD ☐ co-op ☐ unknown ☐ other:Was the Property built before 1978? ☒ yes ☐ no ☐ unknown (If yes, complete, sign, and attach TXR-1906 concerning lead-based paint hazards).Roof Type: SHINGLE/COMPOSITION Age: UNKNOWN (approximate)Is there an overlay roof covering on the Property (shingles or roof covering placed over existing shingles or roof covering)? ☐ yes ☐ no ☒ unknownAre you (Seller) aware of any of the items listed in this Section 1 that are not in working condition, that have defects, or are need of repair? ☐ yes ☒ no If yes, describe (attach additional sheets if necessary):**Section 2. Are you (Seller) aware of any defects or malfunctions in any of the following? (Mark Yes (Y) if you are aware and No (N) if you are not aware.)**

Item	Y	N	Item	Y	N	Item	Y	N
Basement		☒	Floors		☒	Sidewalks		☒
Ceilings		☒	Foundation / Slab(s)		☒	Walls / Fences		☒
Doors		☒	Interior Walls		☒	Windows		☒
Driveways		☒	Lighting Fixtures		☒	Other Structural Components		☒
Electrical Systems		☒	Plumbing Systems		☒			
Exterior Walls		☒	Roof		☒			

If the answer to any of the items in Section 2 is yes, explain (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Section 3. Are you (Seller) aware of any of the following conditions? (Mark Yes (Y) if you are aware and No (N) if you are not aware.)

Condition	Y	N	Condition	Y	N
Aluminum Wiring		☒	Radon Gas		☒
Asbestos Components		☒	Settling		☒
Diseased Trees: oak wilt other:		☒	Soil Movement		☒
Endangered Species/Habitat on Property		☒	Unplatted Easements		☒
Fault Lines		☒	Unrecorded Easements		☒
Hazardous or Toxic Waste		☒	Urea-formaldehyde Insulation		☒
Improper Drainage		☒	Water Damage Not Due to a Flood Event		☒
Intermittent or Weather Springs		☒	Wetlands on Property		☒
Landfill		☒	Wood Rot		☒
Lead-Based Paint or Lead-Based Pt. Hazards		☒	Active infestation of termites or other wood destroying insects (WDI)		☒
Encroachments onto the Property		☒	Previous treatment for termites or WDI		☒
Improvements encroaching on others' property		☒	Previous termite or WDI damage repaired		☒
Located in Historic District		☒	Termite or WDI damage needing repair		☒

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Condition	Y	N
Historic Property Designation		☒
Previous Foundation Repairs		☒
Previous Roof Repairs or Replacement	☒	
Previous Other Structural Repairs		☒
Previous Use of Premises for Manufacture of Methamphetamine		☒
A private road on or adjoining the Property that a buyer will be financially responsible for maintaining		☒
Alkali-Silica Reaction (ASR) or "Concrete Cancer"		☒

Condition	Y	N
Previous Fires		☒
Single Blockable Main Drain in Pool/Hot Tub/Spa*		☒
Subsurface Structure or Pits		☒
Underground Storage Tanks**		☒
Aboveground Storage Tanks**		☒
Aboveground Storage Tanks on the Property that hold 500 gal. or more and have stored petroleum products or other chemicals**		☒
Conservation Easements***		☒

If the answer to any of the items in Section 3 is yes or other, explain (attach additional sheets if necessary):

REPAIRS TO BACK ROOM ROOF

*A single blockable main drain may cause a suction entrapment hazard for an individual.

**If yes, see 30 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 334 for additional disclosure requirements pertaining to storage tanks.

***"Conservation easement" means an easement (permanent or for a period of years) on the property that restricts the use of all or a part of the property to protect natural resources, wildlife habitat, open space, or historical sites.

Section 4. Are you (Seller) aware of any item, equipment, or system in or on the Property in need of repair that has not been previously disclosed in this notice? ☐ yes ☒ no If yes, explain (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Section 5. Insurance. (Indicate Yes (Y) or No (N))

	Y	N
The Property is presently covered by insurance.	☒	
The Property is presently covered by flood insurance.*		☒
The Property is presently covered by windstorm insurance.	☒	
You (Seller) have been unable to insure the Property for any reason.		☒

*Homes in high-risk flood zones with mortgages from federally regulated or insured lenders are required to have flood insurance. Even when not required, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) encourages homeowners in high risk, moderate risk, and low risk flood zones to purchase flood insurance that covers the structure(s) and the personal property within the structure(s).

If the answer to any of the items in Section 5 is yes, explain (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Section 6. Have you (Seller) ever filed a claim for any damage to the Property with any insurance provider? (This includes, but is not limited to, claims filed with the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP))? ☐ yes ☐ no If yes, explain:

Section 7. Have you (Seller) ever received proceeds for a claim for damage to the Property (for example, an insurance claim or a settlement or award in a legal proceeding) and not used the proceeds to make the repairs for which the claim was made? ☐ yes ☐ no If yes, explain:

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Section 8. Are you (Seller) aware of any of the following conditions?* (Mark Yes (Y) if you are aware and check wholly or partly as applicable. Mark No (N) if you are not aware.)

Y N

- ☒ ☐ Previous flooding due to a failure or breach of a reservoir or a controlled or emergency release of water from a reservoir.
- ☒ ☐ Previous flooding due to a natural flood event.
- ☒ ☐ Previous water penetration into a structure on the Property due to a natural flood.
- ☒ ☐ Located ☐ wholly ☒ partly in a 100-year floodplain (Special Flood Hazard Area-Zone A, V, A99, AE, AO, AH, VE, or AR).
- ☒ ☐ Located ☐ wholly ☒ partly in a 500-year floodplain (Moderate Flood Hazard Area-Zone X (shaded)).
- ☒ ☐ Located ☐ wholly ☐ partly in a floodway.
- ☒ ☐ Located ☐ wholly ☐ partly in a flood pool.
- ☒ ☐ Located ☐ wholly ☐ partly in a reservoir.

If the answer to any of the above is yes, explain (attach additional sheets as necessary):

BACK YARD

***If Buyer is concerned about these matters, Buyer may consult Information About Flood Hazards (TXR 1414).**

For purposes of this notice:

"100-year floodplain" means any area of land that: (A) is identified on the flood insurance rate map as a special flood hazard area, which is designated as Zone A, V, A99, AE, AO, AH, VE, or AR on the map; (B) has a one percent annual chance of flooding, which is considered to be a high risk of flooding; and (C) may include a regulatory floodway, flood pool, or reservoir.

"500-year floodplain" means any area of land that: (A) is identified on the flood insurance rate map as a moderate flood hazard area, which is designated on the map as Zone X (shaded); and (B) has a two-tenths of one percent annual chance of flooding, which is considered to be a moderate risk of flooding.

"Flood pool" means the area adjacent to a reservoir that lies above the normal maximum operating level of the reservoir and that is subject to controlled inundation under the management of the United States Army Corps of Engineers.

"Flood insurance rate map" means the most recent flood hazard map published by the Federal Emergency Management Agency under the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. Section 4001 et seq.).

"Floodway" means an area that is identified on the flood insurance rate map as a regulatory floodway, which includes the channel of a river or other watercourse and the adjacent land areas that must be reserved for the discharge of a base flood, also referred to as a 100-year flood, without cumulatively increasing the water surface elevation more than a designated height.

"Reservoir" means a water impoundment project operated by the United States Army Corps of Engineers that is intended to retain water or delay the runoff of water in a designated surface area of land.

Section 9. Have you (Seller) ever received assistance from FEMA or the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) for flood damage to the Property? ☒ yes ☐ no If yes, explain (attach additional sheets as necessary):

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Section 10. Are you (Seller) aware of any of the following? (Mark Yes (Y) if you are aware. Mark No (N) if you are not aware.)

Y N

- ☒ Room additions, structural modifications, or other alterations or repairs made without necessary permits, with unresolved permits, or not in compliance with building codes in effect at the time.
- ☒ Any notices of violations of deed restrictions or governmental ordinances affecting the condition or use of the Property.
- ☒ Any lawsuits or other legal proceedings directly or indirectly affecting the Property. (Includes, but is not limited to: divorce, foreclosure, heirship, bankruptcy, and taxes.)
- ☒ Any death on the Property except for those deaths caused by: natural causes, suicide, or accident unrelated to the condition of the Property.
- ☒ Any condition on the Property which materially affects the health or safety of an individual.
- ☒ Any repairs or treatments, other than routine maintenance, made to the Property to remediate environmental hazards such as asbestos, radon, lead-based paint, urea-formaldehyde, or mold.
If yes, attach any certificates or other documentation identifying the extent of the remediation (for example, certificate of mold remediation or other remediation).
- ☒ Any rainwater harvesting system located on the Property that is larger than 500 gallons and that uses a public water supply as an auxiliary water source.
- ☒ The Property is located in a propane gas system service area owned by a propane distribution system retailer.
- ☒ Any portion of the Property that is located in a groundwater conservation district or a subsidence district.

If the answer to any of the above items in Section 10 is yes, explain (attach additional sheets if necessary): _____

- ☒ Homeowners' associations or maintenance fees or assessments. If yes, complete the following:
Name of association: _____
Manager's name: _____ Phone: _____
Fees or assessments are: \$ _____ per _____ and are: ☐ mandatory ☐ voluntary
Any unpaid fees or assessment for the Property? ☐ yes (\$ _____) ☐ no
If the Property is in more than one association, provide information about the other associations or attach information to this notice: _____

- ☒ Any common area (facilities such as pools, tennis courts, walkways, or other) co-owned in undivided interest with others. If yes, complete the following:
Any optional user fees for common facilities charged? ☐ yes ☐ no If yes, describe: _____

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Section 11. Within the last 4 years, have you (Seller) received any written inspection reports or evaluations of the Property prepared by persons who regularly provide such inspections or evaluations and who are licensed, certified, or otherwise legally authorized to perform them, including but not limited to general home, roof, HVAC, plumbing, electrical, structural/foundation, pool/spa, mold, termite or other wood-destroying insect, environmental, or other specialized inspections? yes no If yes, attach copies of any such reports and indicate the number of reports attached: FEB 2026 Appraisal

Note: A buyer should not rely on prior reports as a reflection of the current condition of the Property. A buyer should obtain inspections from inspectors chosen by the buyer.

Notice to Seller: Under Texas law, you are required to disclose all known material facts, defects, needed repairs, and adverse conditions affecting the Property. Failure to disclose known material information about the Property may result in legal liability.

Section 12. Check any tax exemption(s) which you (Seller) currently claim for the Property:

☐ Homestead ☐ Senior Citizen ☐ Disabled
☐ Wildlife Management ☐ Agricultural ☐ Disabled Veteran
☐ Other: _____ ☒ Unknown

Section 13. Does the Property have working smoke detectors installed in accordance with the smoke detector requirements of Chapter 766 of the Health and Safety Code? ☒ unknown ☐ no ☐ yes. If no or unknown, explain. (Attach additional sheets if necessary): _____

**Chapter 766 of the Health and Safety Code requires one-family or two-family dwellings to have working smoke detectors installed in accordance with the requirements of the building code in effect in the area in which the dwelling is located, including performance, location, and power source requirements. If you do not know the building code requirements in effect in your area, you may check unknown above or contact your local building official for more information.*

A buyer may require a seller to install smoke detectors for the hearing impaired if: (1) the buyer or a member of the buyer's family who will reside in the dwelling is hearing-impaired; (2) the buyer gives the seller written evidence of the hearing impairment from a licensed physician; and (3) within 10 days after the effective date, the buyer makes a written request for the seller to install smoke detectors for the hearing-impaired and specifies the locations for installation. The parties may agree who will bear the cost of installing the smoke detectors and which brand of smoke detectors to install.

Seller acknowledges that the statements in this notice are true to the best of Seller's belief and that no person, including the broker(s), has instructed or influenced Seller to provide inaccurate information or to omit any material information.

Signature of Seller

Date

Signature of Seller

Date

Printed Name: Heather A. Schmidt Living Estate,
by Lina Schmidt Hollis

Printed Name: _____

ADDITIONAL NOTICES TO BUYER:

- (1) The Texas Department of Public Safety maintains a database that the public may search, at no cost, to determine if registered sex offenders are located in certain zip code areas. To search the database, visit <https://publicsite.dps.texas.gov>. For information concerning past criminal activity in certain areas or neighborhoods, contact the local police department.
- (2) If the Property is located in a coastal area that is seaward of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway or within 1,000 feet of the mean high tide bordering the Gulf of Mexico, the Property may be subject to the Open Beaches Act or the Dune Protection Act (Chapter 61 or 63, Natural Resources Code, respectively) and a beachfront construction certificate or dune protection permit may be required for repairs or improvements. Contact the local government with ordinance authority over construction adjacent to public beaches for more information.

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- (3) If the Property is located in a seacoast territory of this state designated as a catastrophe area by the Commissioner of the Texas Department of Insurance, the Property may be subject to additional requirements to obtain or continue windstorm and hail insurance. A certificate of compliance may be required for repairs or improvements to the Property. For more information, please review *Information Regarding Windstorm and Hail Insurance for Certain Properties* (TXR 2518) and contact the Texas Department of Insurance or the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association.
- (4) This Property may be located near a military installation and may be affected by high noise or air installation compatible use zones or other operations. Information relating to high noise and compatible use zones is available in the most recent Air Installation Compatible Use Zone Study or Joint Land Use Study prepared for a military installation and may be accessed on the Internet website of the military installation and of the county and any municipality in which the military installation is located.
- (5) If you are basing your offers on square footage, measurements, or boundaries, you should have those items independently measured to verify any reported information.

(6) The following providers currently provide service to the Property:

Electric: _____
Sewer: _____
Water: _____
Cable: _____
Trash: _____
Natural Gas: _____
Phone Company: _____
Propane: _____
Internet: _____
Security System: _____

phone #: city of
Brenham
phone #: 919 337 7400
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- (7) This Seller's Disclosure Notice was completed by Seller as of the date signed. The brokers have relied on this notice as true and correct and have no reason to believe it to be false or inaccurate. YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO HAVE AN INSPECTOR OF YOUR CHOICE INSPECT THE PROPERTY.

The undersigned Buyer acknowledges receipt of the foregoing notice.

Signature of Buyer	Date	Signature of Buyer	Date
Printed Name: _____		Printed Name: _____	



APPROVED BY THE TEXAS REAL ESTATE COMMISSION
**ADDENDUM FOR SELLER'S DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION
 ON LEAD-BASED PAINT AND LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARDS
 AS REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW**

05-04-2026



CONCERNING THE PROPERTY AT 1004 Norris St Brenham
 (Street Address and City)

A. LEAD WARNING STATEMENT: "Every purchaser of any interest in residential real property on which a residential dwelling was built prior to 1978 is notified that such property may present exposure to lead from lead-based paint that may place young children at risk of developing lead poisoning. Lead poisoning in young children may produce permanent neurological damage, including learning disabilities, reduced intelligence quotient, behavioral problems, and impaired memory. Lead poisoning also poses a particular risk to pregnant women. The seller of any interest in residential real property is required to provide the buyer with any information on lead-based paint hazards from risk assessments or inspections in the seller's possession and notify the buyer of any known lead-based paint hazards. A risk assessment or inspection for possible lead-paint hazards is recommended prior to purchase."

NOTICE: Inspector must be properly certified as required by federal law.

B. SELLER'S DISCLOSURE:

1. PRESENCE OF LEAD-BASED PAINT AND/OR LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARDS (check one box only):
☐ (a) Known lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards are present in the Property (explain): _____
☒ (b) Seller has no actual knowledge of lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the Property.
2. RECORDS AND REPORTS AVAILABLE TO SELLER (check one box only):
☐ (a) Seller has provided the purchaser with all available records and reports pertaining to lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the Property (list documents): _____
☒ (b) Seller has no reports or records pertaining to lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the Property.

C. BUYER'S RIGHTS (check one box only):

- ☐ 1. Buyer waives the opportunity to conduct a risk assessment or inspection of the Property for the presence of lead-based paint or lead-based paint hazards.
- ☐ 2. Within ten days after the effective date of this contract, Buyer may have the Property inspected by inspectors selected by Buyer. If lead-based paint or lead-based paint hazards are present, Buyer may terminate this contract by giving Seller written notice within 14 days after the effective date of this contract, and the earnest money will be refunded to Buyer.

D. BUYER'S ACKNOWLEDGMENT (check applicable boxes):

- ☐ 1. Buyer has received copies of all information listed above.
- ☐ 2. Buyer has received the pamphlet *Protect Your Family from Lead in Your Home*.

E. BROKERS' ACKNOWLEDGMENT: Brokers have informed Seller of Seller's obligations under 42 U.S.C. 4852d to:

(a) provide Buyer with the federally approved pamphlet on lead poisoning prevention; (b) complete this addendum; (c) disclose any known lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the Property; (d) deliver all records and reports to Buyer pertaining to lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the Property; (e) provide Buyer a period of up to 10 days to have the Property inspected; and (f) retain a completed copy of this addendum for at least 3 years following the sale. Brokers are aware of their responsibility to ensure compliance.

F. CERTIFICATION OF ACCURACY: The following persons have reviewed the information above and certify, to the best of their knowledge, that the information they have provided is true and accurate.

Buyer _____ Date _____	 Seller _____ Date 09/07/2026 Heather A. Schmidt Living Estate, by Lina Schmidt Hollis
Buyer _____ Date _____	 Seller _____ Date 08/31/26 Seller's Broker _____ Date _____ Gabri Means



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INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS

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A. FLOOD AREAS:

- (1) The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) designates areas that have a high risk of flooding as special flood hazard areas.
- (2) A property that is in a special flood hazard area is designated on flood insurance rate maps with a zone beginning in a "V" or "A". Both V-Zone and A-Zone areas indicate a high risk of flooding.
- (3) Some properties may also lie in the "floodway" which is the channel of a river or other watercourse and the adjacent land areas that must be reserved in order to discharge a flood under FEMA rules. Communities must regulate development in these floodways.

B. AVAILABILITY OF FLOOD INSURANCE:

- (1) Generally, flood insurance is available regardless of whether the property is located in or out of a special flood hazard area. Contact your insurance agent to determine if any limitations or restrictions apply to the property in which you are interested.
- (2) FEMA encourages every property owner to purchase flood insurance regardless of whether the property is in a high, moderate, or low risk flood area.
- (3) A homeowner may obtain flood insurance coverage (up to certain limits) through the National Flood Insurance Program. Supplemental coverage is available through private insurance carriers.
- (4) A mortgage lender making a federally related mortgage will require the borrower to maintain flood insurance if the property is in a special flood hazard area.

C. GROUND FLOOR REQUIREMENTS:

- (1) Many homes in special flood hazard areas are built-up or are elevated. In elevated homes the ground floor typically lies below the base flood elevation and the first floor is elevated on piers, columns, posts, or piles. The base flood elevation is the highest level at which a flood is likely to occur as shown on flood insurance rate maps.
- (2) Federal, state, county, and city regulations:
 - (a) restrict the use and construction of any ground floor enclosures in elevated homes that are in special flood hazard areas.
 - (b) may prohibit or restrict the remodeling, rebuilding, and redevelopment of property and improvements in the floodway.
- (3) The first floor of all homes must now be built above the base flood elevation.
 - (a) Older homes may have been built in compliance with applicable regulations at the time of construction and may have first floors that lie below the base flood elevation, but flood insurance rates for such homes may be significant.

- (b) It is possible that modifications were made to a ground floor enclosure after a home was first built. The modifications may or may not comply with applicable regulations and may or may not affect flood insurance rates.
 - (c) It is important for a buyer to determine if the first floor of a home is elevated at or above the base flood elevation. It is also important for a buyer to determine if the property lies in a floodway.
- (4) Ground floor enclosures that lie below the base flood elevation may be used only for: (i) parking; (ii) storage; and (iii) building access. Plumbing, mechanical, or electrical items in ground floor enclosures that lie below the base flood elevation may be prohibited or restricted and may not be eligible for flood insurance coverage. Additionally:
- (a) in A-Zones, the ground floor enclosures below the base flood elevation must have flow-through vents or openings that permit the automatic entry and exit of floodwaters:
 - (b) in V-Zones, the ground floor enclosures must have break-away walls, screening, or lattice walls; and
 - (c) in floodways, the remodeling or reconstruction of any improvements may be prohibited or otherwise restricted.

D. COMPLIANCE:

- (1) The above-referenced property may or may not comply with regulations affecting ground floor enclosures below the base flood elevation.
- (2) A property owner's eligibility to purchase or maintain flood insurance, as well as the cost of the flood insurance, is dependent on whether the property complies with the regulations affecting ground floor enclosures.
- (3) A purchaser or property owner may be required to remove or modify a ground floor enclosure that is not in compliance with city or county building requirements or is not entitled to an exemption from such requirements.
- (4) A flood insurance policy maintained by the current property owner does not mean that the property is in compliance with the regulations affecting ground floor enclosures or that the buyer will be able to continue to maintain flood insurance at the same rate.
- (5) Insurance carriers calculate the cost of flood insurance using a rate that is based on the elevation of the lowest floor.
 - (a) If the ground floor lies below the base flood elevation and does not meet federal, state, county, and city requirements, the ground floor will be the lowest floor for the purpose of computing the rate.
 - (b) If the property is in compliance, the first elevated floor will be the lowest floor and the insurance rate will be significantly less than the rate for a property that is not in compliance.
 - (c) If the property lies in a V-Zone the flood insurance rate will be impacted if a ground floor enclosure below the base flood elevation exceeds 299 square feet (even if constructed with break-away walls).

E. ELEVATION CERTIFICATE:

The elevation certificate is an important tool in determining flood insurance rates. It is used to provide elevation information that is necessary to ensure compliance with floodplain management laws. To determine the proper insurance premium rate, insurers rely on an elevation certificate to certify building elevations at an acceptable level above flood map levels. If available in your area, it is recommended that you obtain an elevation certificate for the property as soon as possible to accurately determine future flood insurance rates.

You are encouraged to: (1) inspect the property for all purposes, including compliance with any ground floor enclosure requirement; (2) review the flood insurance policy (costs and coverage) with your insurance agent; and (3) contact the building permitting authority if you have any questions about building requirements or compliance issues.

Receipt acknowledged by:

Signature

Date

Signature

Date



Information About Brokerage Services

Texas law requires all real estate license holders to give the following information about brokerage services to prospective buyers, tenants, sellers and landlords.

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TYPES OF REAL ESTATE LICENSE HOLDERS:

- **A BROKER** is responsible for all brokerage activities, including acts performed by sales agents sponsored by the broker.
- **A SALES AGENT** must be sponsored by a broker and works with clients on behalf of the broker.

A BROKER'S MINIMUM DUTIES REQUIRED BY LAW (A client is the person or party that the broker represents):

- Put the interests of the client above all others, including the broker's own interests;
- Inform the client of any material information about the property or transaction received by the broker;
- Answer the client's questions and present any offer to or counter-offer from the client; and
- Treat all parties to a real estate transaction honestly and fairly.

WRITTEN AGREEMENTS ARE REQUIRED IN CERTAIN SITUATIONS: A license holder who performs brokerage activity for a prospective buyer of residential property must enter into a written agreement with the buyer before showing any residential property to the buyer or if no residential property will be shown, before presenting an offer on behalf of the buyer. This written agreement must contain specific information required by Texas law. For more information on these requirements, see section 1101.563 of the Texas Occupations Code. **Even if a written agreement is not required, to avoid disputes, all agreements between you and a broker should be in writing and clearly establish: (i) the broker's duties and responsibilities to you and your obligations under the agreement; and (ii) the amount or rate of compensation the broker will receive and how this amount is determined.**

A LICENSE HOLDER CAN REPRESENT A PARTY IN A REAL ESTATE TRANSACTION:

AS AGENT FOR OWNER (SELLER/LANDLORD): The broker becomes the property owner's agent through an agreement with the owner, usually in a written listing to sell or property management agreement. An owner's agent must perform the broker's minimum duties above and must inform the owner of any material information about the property or transaction known by the agent, including information disclosed to the agent by the buyer or buyer's agent. **An owner's agent fees are not set by law and are fully negotiable.**

AS AGENT FOR BUYER/TENANT: The broker becomes the buyer/tenant's agent by agreeing to represent the buyer, usually through a written representation agreement. A buyer's agent must perform the broker's minimum duties above and must inform the buyer of any material information about the property or transaction known by the agent, including information disclosed to the agent by the seller or seller's agent. **A buyer/tenant's agent fees are not set by law and are fully negotiable.**

AS AGENT FOR BOTH - INTERMEDIARY: To act as an intermediary between the parties the broker must first obtain the written agreement of *each party* to the transaction. The written agreement must state who will pay the broker and, in conspicuous bold or underlined print, set forth the broker's obligations as an intermediary. A broker who acts as an intermediary:

- Must treat all parties to the transaction impartially and fairly;
- May, with the parties' written consent, appoint a different license holder associated with the broker to each party (owner and buyer) to communicate with, provide opinions and advice to, and carry out the instructions of each party to the transaction.
- Must not, unless specifically authorized in writing to do so by the party, disclose:
 - that the owner will accept a price less than the written asking price;
 - that the buyer/tenant will pay a price greater than the price submitted in a written offer; and
 - any confidential information or any other information that a party specifically instructs the broker in writing not to disclose, unless required to do so by law.

A LICENSE HOLDER CAN SHOW PROPERTY TO A BUYER/TENANT WITHOUT REPRESENTING THE BUYER/TENANT IF:

- The broker has not agreed with the buyer/tenant, either orally or in writing, to represent the buyer/tenant;
- The broker is not otherwise acting as the buyer/tenant's agent at the time of showing the property;
- The broker does not provide the buyer/tenant opinions or advice regarding the property or real estate transactions generally; and
- The broker does not perform any other act of real estate brokerage for the buyer/tenant.

Before showing a residential property to an unrepresented prospective buyer, a license holder must enter into a written agreement that contains the information required by section 1101.563 of the Texas Occupations Code. The agreement may not be exclusive and must be limited to no more than 14 days.

LICENSE HOLDER CONTACT INFORMATION: This notice is being provided for information purposes. It does not create an obligation for you to use the broker's services. Please acknowledge receipt of this notice below and retain a copy for your records.

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