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MAIL TO:

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Doc#: 1134318018 Fee: \$42.00 Eugene "Gene" Moore RHSP Fee:\$10.00 Cook County Recorder of Deeds

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### **DEED IN TRUST**

THE Grantors, JOHN W. GARGAS and ALISON GARGAS, his wife, of the County of Lake and State of Indiana, for and in consideration of Ten and 00/103 Dollars (\$10.00), and other good and valuable considerations in hand paid, Convey and WARRANT unto JOHN W. GARGAS, as Trustee of the Victory Land Trust, u/t/a dated November 20, 2007, and known as Trust Number 110-11-07, of \$951 Prairie Avenue, Highland, IN 46322, (hereinafter referred to as "said trustee" regardless of the number of trustees) and unto all and every successor or successors in trust under said trust agreement, pursuant to the provisions appearing or the second page hereof under the heading "Successor Trustees", the following described real estate in Cook County, Illinois, to wit:

LOT 11 (EXCEPT THE SOUTH 52 FEET) AND ALL OF LOT 12 IN BLOCK 11 IN THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON, A SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTHWES! 1/4 OF SECTION 34, TOWNSHIP 36 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PIN: 29-34-113-015

Commonly known address: 301 Eleanor, Thornton, IL 60476

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said premises with the appurtenances upon the trusts and for the uses and purposes herein and in said trust agreement set forth. This conveyance is subject to: general real estate taxes for 2011 and subsequent years and all matters of record. THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPEARING ON RIDER A ATTACHED HERETO ARE MADE A PART HEREOF.

The said Grantors, JOHN W. GARGAS and ALISON GARGAS, his wife, hereby expressly waive and release any and all right or benefit under and by virtue of any and all statutes of the State of Illinois, providing to the exemption of homestead from sale on execution or otherwise.

In Witness Whereof, the Grantors, JOHN W. GARGAS and ALISON GARGAS, his wife, aforesaid have hereunto set their hands and seals this 5th day of December, 2011.

John W. Gargas

Alison Gargas

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### SUCCESSOR TRUSTEES

The Trust Agreement referred to herein provides that the following persons or entity shall act as Successor Trustee or Successor Trustees hereunder in the following order:

- 1. Alison Gargas
- 2. Lauren Francis
- 3. ATG Trust Company, Chicago, Illinois and its corporate successors

In the event of the death, resignation, refusal or inability to act of a Co-Trustee or Trustee hereunder, the next named Trustee or Trustees shall act and shall have all the rights and powers of the original Trustees.

In the event of the death of a Trustee then acting hereunder, on the filing with the Recorder of Deeds of an affidavit reciting such death and describing the real estate conveyed to the Trustee, to which affidavit is attached a certified copy of the death certificate of such Trustee, anyone dealing with the title to the real estate shall be entitled to conclusively presume that the Trust Agreement referred to herein has not been amended with respect to any Successor Trustee unless a copy of such amendment describing the real estate conveyed to the Trustee has been theretofore filed with the Recorder of Deeds in the County in which said real estate is located.

This Deed is exempt under Real Estate Transfer Act Sec. 4, para. e. and Cook County Ord. 15184, para. e.

Dated: December 5, 2011.

Barry C. Bergstrom

\_Attorney

State of Illinois )

) SS.

County of Cook

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BARRY C BERGSTROM
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF ILLINOIS
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I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in the State aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that JOHN W. GARGAS and ALISON GARGAS, his wife, person by known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person, and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as their free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and official seal, this 5th day of December, 2011.

Barry C. Bergstrom, Notary Public

Send Subsequent Tax Bills To:

John W. Gargas 8951 Prairie Avenue Highland, IN 46322

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## RIDER A TO AND MADE A PART OF DEED IN TRUST FROM JOHN W. GARGAS, GRANTOR TO JOHN W. GARGAS, TRUSTEE

Full power and authority are hereby granted to said trustee to improve, manage, protect and subdivide said premises or any part thereof; to dedicate parks, streets, highways or alleys; to vacate any subdivision or part thereof, and to resubdivide said property as often as desired; to contract to sell; to grant options to purchase; to sell on any terms; to convey either with or without consideration; to convey said premises or any part thereof to a successor or successors in trust and to grant to such successor or successors in trust all of the title, estate, powers and authorities vested in said trustee; to donate, to dedicate, to mortgage, pledge or otherwise encumber said property, or any part thereof; to lease said property, or any part thereof, from time to time, in possession or reversion, by leases to commence in praesenti or in futuro, and upon any terms and for any period or periods of time, not exceeding in the case of any single derrise the term of 198 years, and to renew or extend leases upon any terms for any period or periods of time and to amend, change or modify leases and the terms and provisions thereof at any time or times hereafter, to contract to make leases and to grant options to lease and options to renew leases and options to purchase the whole or any part of the reversion and to contract respecting the manner of fixing the amount of present or future rentals; to partition or to exchange said property, or any part thereof, for other real or personal property; to grant easements or charges of any kind; to release, convey or assign any right, title or interest in or about or easement appurtenant to said premises or any part thereof; and to deal with said property and every part thereof in all other ways and for such other considerations as it would be lawful for any person owning the same to deal with the same, whether similar to or different from the ways above specificu, at any time or times hereafter.

In no case shall any party dealing with said truster in relation to said premises, or to whom said premises or any part thereof shall be conveyed, contracted to be sold, leased or mortgaged by said trustee, be obliged to see to the application of any purchase money, rent, or money borrowed or advanced on said premises, or be obliged to see that the terms of this trust have been complied with, or be obliged to inquire into the necessity or expediency of any act of said trustee, or be obliged or privileged to inquire into any of the terms of said trust agreement; and every deed, trust deed, mortgage, lease or other instrument executed by said trustee in relation to said real estate shall be conclusive evidence in favor of every person relying upon or claiming under any such conveyance, lease or other instrument, (a) that at the time of the delivery thereof the trust created by this Indent are and by said trust agreement was in full force and effect; (b) that such conveyance or other instrument was executed in accordance with the trusts, conditions and limitations contained in this Indenture and in said trust agreement or in some amendment thereof and binding upon all beneficiaries thereunder; (c) that said trustee was duly authorized and empowered to execute and deliver every such deed, trust deed, lease, mortgage or other instrument; and (d) if the conveyance is made to a successor or successors in trust, that such successor or successors in trust have been properly appointed and are fully vested with all the title, estate, rights, powers, authorities, duties and obligations of its, his or their predecessor in trust.

The interest of each and every beneficiary hereunder and of all persons claiming under them or any of them shall be only in the earnings, avails and proceeds arising from the sale or other disposition of said real estate, and such interest is hereby declared to be personal property, and no beneficiary hereunder shall have any title or interest, legal or equitable, in or to said real estate as such, but only an interest in the earnings, avails and proceeds thereof as aforesaid.

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## STATEMENT BY GRANTOR AND GRANTEE

The grantor or his/her agent affirms that, to the best of his/her knowledge, the name of the grantee shown on the deed or assignment of beneficial interest in a land trust is either a natural person, an Illinois corporation or foreign corporation authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, a partnership authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, or other entity recognized as a person and authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate under the laws of the State of Illinois.

Dated: 12/5/2011

Signature:

Grantor or Agent
JOHN W. GARGAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said JOHN W. GARGAS this 5th day of December, 2011

Notary Public Land Beef

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The grantee or his/her agent affirms and verifies that the name of the grantee shown on the deed or assignment of beneficial interest in a lend trust is either a natural person, an Illinois corporation or foreign corporation authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, a partnership authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, or other entity recognized as a person and authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate under the laws of the State of Illinois.

Dated: 12/5/2011

Signature:

Grantee or Agent
JOHNW. GARGAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said JOHN W. GARGAS this 5th day of December, 2011.

Notary Public

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NOTE: Any person who knowingly submits a false statement concerning the identity of a grantee shall be guilty of a Class C misdemeanor for the first offense and of a Class A misdemeanor for subsequent offenses.

(Attach to deed or ABI to be recorded in Cook County, Illinois, if exempt under the provisions of Section 4 of the Illinois Real Estate Transfer Tax Act.)