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Certificate of Exemption



Report Mortgage Fraud
844-768-1713

The property identified as: **PIN:** 15-03-211-004-0000

Address:

Street: 1000, 1028, 1030, 1310, 1360, 13701, 1384

Street line 2: West Ave., 1 Winston Plaza, 1010 West Ave. N,

City: Melrose Park

State: IL

ZIP Code: 60160

Lender: WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

Borrower: Melrose Park Equity, LLC, Melrose Park Investments, LLC, NMC Grove Melrose, LLC, NMC Melrose Park II, LLC

Loan / Mortgage Amount: \$31,200,000.00

This property is located within the program area and is exempt from the requirements of 765 ILCS 77/70 et seq. because it is commercial property.

Certificate number: D0FDA0B9-45FC-4610-A471-42AB1B77EB68

Execution date: 5/26/2022

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First American Title Insurance Company
National Commercial Services
18500 Von Karman Avenue, Suite 600
Irvine, CA 92612

WHEN RECORDED MAIL DOCUMENT TO:
Holland & Knight LLP
101 S. Tryon Street Suite 3600
Charlotte, NC 28280
Attention: Christopher Boothe, Esq.

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File No.: NCS-1123041-SA1

MORTGAGE, ASSIGNMENT OF LEASES AND
RENTS, SECURITY AGREEMENT AND FIXTURE FILING

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Loan No. 33-0961444

MELROSE PARK EQUITY, LLC, MELROSE PARK INVESTMENTS, LLC, NMC GROVE MELROSE, LLC, and NMC MELROSE PARK II, LLC, each a Delaware limited liability company, collectively, as mortgagor

to

WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as mortgagee

MORTGAGE, ASSIGNMENT OF LEASES AND RENTS, SECURITY AGREEMENT AND FIXTURE FILING

Dated: As of May 26, 2022

Location: 1000, 1028, 1030, 1272, 1310, 1360, 1370, 1384 West Avenue, 1 Winston Plaza, 1040 West Avenue North, 900-912 W. North Avenue, Melrose Park, Illinois

County: Cook

PREPARED FOR OR BY AND UPON RECORDATION RETURN TO:

Holland & Knight LLP
101 S. Tryon Street
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Charlotte, North Carolina 28280
Attention: Christopher Boothe, Esq.

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THIS MORTGAGE, ASSIGNMENT OF LEASES AND RENTS, SECURITY AGREEMENT AND FIXTURE FILING (this "Security Instrument") is made as of May 26, 2022, by MELROSE PARK EQUITY, LLC, MELROSE PARK INVESTMENTS, LLC, NMC GROVE MELROSE, LLC, and NMC MELROSE PARK II, LLC, each a Delaware limited liability company having its principal place of business at c/o Newmark Merrill Companies, Inc., 5850 Canoga Avenue, Suite 650, Woodland Hills, California 91367, ATTN: Sanford Sigal, as mortgagor (individually and/or collectively, as the context may require, together with its permitted successors and assigns, "Borrower") to WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, a national banking association, having an address at c/o Wells Fargo Commercial Mortgage Servicing, 401 South Tryon Street, 8th Floor, Charlotte, North Carolina 28202, as mortgagee (together with its successors and assigns, "Lender"). All capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the respective meanings set forth in the Loan Agreement (defined below).

RECITALS:

This Security Instrument is given to Lender to secure a certain loan (the "Loan") advanced pursuant to a certain loan agreement between Borrower and Lender (as the same may have been or may be amended, restated, replaced, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Loan Agreement"), which such Loan is evidenced by, among other things, a certain Promissory Note executed in connection with the Loan Agreement (together with all extensions, renewals, replacements, restatements or other modifications thereof, whether one or more being hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Note") in the original principal amount of up to \$31,200,000.00 accruing interest at the Interest Rate in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Loan Agreement, which Note provides, among other things, for a variable rate of interest pursuant to the Loan Agreement and for final payment of principal and interest under the Note, if not sooner paid or payable as provided therein, to be due on June 6, 2024, which said date may be extended pursuant to Section 2.9 of the Loan Agreement up to December 6, 2024;

Borrower desires to secure the payment of the outstanding principal amount set forth in, and evidenced by, the Loan Agreement and the Note together with all interest accrued and unpaid thereon and all other sums due to Lender in respect of the Loan under the Note, the Loan Agreement, this Security Instrument or any of the other Loan Documents (defined below) as well as, if applicable, any Interest Rate Protection Breakage Costs (as defined in the Loan Agreement) (collectively, the "Debt") and the performance of all of the obligations due under the Note, the Loan Agreement and all other documents, agreements and certificates executed and/or delivered in connection with the Loan (as the same may be amended, restated, replaced, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, collectively, the "Loan Documents"); and

This Security Instrument is given pursuant to the Loan Agreement, and payment, fulfillment, and performance of the obligations due thereunder and under the other Loan Documents are secured hereby in accordance with the terms hereof.

Article 1 – GRANTS OF SECURITY

Section 1.1. PROPERTY MORTGAGED. Borrower does hereby irrevocably mortgage, grant, bargain, sell, pledge, assign, warrant, transfer, convey and grant a security interest to

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Lender and its successors and assigns in and to the following property, rights, interests and estates now owned, or hereafter acquired by Borrower (collectively, the “**Property**”):

(a) Land. The real property described in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof (collectively, the “**Land**”);

(b) Additional Land. All additional lands, estates and development rights hereafter acquired by Borrower for use in connection with the Land and the development of the Land and all additional lands and estates therein which may, from time to time, by supplemental mortgage or otherwise be expressly made subject to the lien of this Security Instrument;

(c) Improvements. The buildings, structures, fixtures, additions, enlargements, extensions, modifications, repairs, replacements and improvements now or hereafter erected or located on the Land (collectively, the “**Improvements**”);

(d) Easements. All easements, rights-of-way or use, rights, strips and gores of land, streets, ways, alleys, passages, sewer rights, water, water courses, water rights and powers, air rights and development rights, and all estates, rights, titles, interests, privileges, liberties, servitudes, tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances of any nature whatsoever, in any way now or hereafter belonging, relating or pertaining to the Land and the Improvements, and the reversions and remainders, and all land lying in the bed of any street, road or avenue, opened or proposed, in front of or adjoining the Land, to the center line thereof and all the estates, rights, titles, interests, rights of dower, rights of curtesy, property, possession, claim and demand whatsoever, both at law and in equity, of Borrower or in and to the Land and the Improvements, and every part and parcel thereof, with the appurtenances thereto;

(e) Fixtures and Personal Property. All machinery, equipment, fixtures (including, but not limited to, all heating, air conditioning, plumbing, lighting, communications and elevator fixtures), furniture, software used in or to operate any of the foregoing and other property of every kind and nature whatsoever owned by Borrower, or in which Borrower has or shall have an interest, now or hereafter located upon the Land and the Improvements, or appurtenant thereto, and usable in connection with the present or future operation and occupancy of the Land and the Improvements and all building equipment, materials and supplies of any nature whatsoever owned by Borrower, or in which Borrower has or shall have an interest, now or hereafter located upon the Land and the Improvements, or appurtenant thereto, or usable in connection with the present or future operation and occupancy of the Land and the Improvements (collectively, the “**Personal Property**”), and the right, title and interest of Borrower in and to any of the Personal Property which may be subject to any security interests, as defined in the Uniform Commercial Code, as adopted and enacted by the state or states where any of the Property is located (the “**Uniform Commercial Code**”), and all proceeds and products of the above;

(f) Leases and Rents. All leases, subleases, subsubleases, lettings, licenses, concessions or other agreements (whether written or oral) pursuant to which any Person is granted a possessory interest in, or right to use or occupy all or any portion of the Land and the Improvements, and every modification, amendment or other agreement relating to such leases, subleases, subsubleases, or other agreements entered into in connection with such leases,

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subleases, subsubleases, or other agreements and every guarantee of the performance and observance of the covenants, conditions and agreements to be performed and observed by the other party thereto, heretofore or hereafter entered into, whether before or after the filing by or against Borrower of any petition for relief under any Creditors Rights Laws (collectively, the "Leases") and all right, title and interest of Borrower, its successors and assigns therein and thereunder, including, without limitation, cash or securities deposited thereunder to secure the performance by the lessees of their obligations thereunder and all rents, additional rents, rent equivalents, moneys payable as damages or in lieu of rent or rent equivalents, royalties (including, without limitation, all oil and gas or other mineral royalties and bonuses), income, receivables, receipts, revenues, deposits (including, without limitation, security, utility and other deposits), accounts, cash, issues, profits, charges for services rendered, and other consideration of whatever form or nature received by or paid to or for the account of or benefit of Borrower or its agents or employees from any and all sources arising from or attributable to the Property, including, all receivables, customer obligations, installment payment obligations and other obligations now existing or hereafter arising or created out of the sale, lease, sublease, license, concession or other grant of the right of the use and occupancy of property or rendering of services by Borrower or Manager and proceeds, if any, from business interruption or other loss of income insurance whether paid or accruing before or after the filing by or against Borrower of any petition for relief under any Creditors Rights Laws (collectively, the "Rents") and all proceeds from the sale or other disposition of the Leases and the right to receive and apply the Rents to the payment of the Debt;

(g) Insurance Proceeds. All insurance proceeds in respect of the Property under any insurance policies covering the Property, including, without limitation, the right to receive and apply the proceeds of any insurance, judgments, or settlements made in lieu thereof, for damage to the Property (collectively, the "Insurance Proceeds");

(h) Condemnation Awards. All condemnation awards, including interest thereon, which may heretofore and hereafter be made with respect to the Property by reason of any taking or condemnation, whether from the exercise of the right of eminent domain (including, but not limited to, any transfer made in lieu of or in anticipation of the exercise of the right), or for a change of grade, or for any other injury to or decrease in the value of the Property (collectively, the "Awards");

(i) Tax Certiorari. All refunds, rebates or credits in connection with reduction in real estate taxes and assessments charged against the Property as a result of tax certiorari or any applications or proceedings for reduction;

(j) Rights. The right, in the name and on behalf of Borrower, to appear in and defend any action or proceeding brought with respect to the Property and to commence any action or proceeding to protect the interest of Lender in the Property;

(k) Agreements. All agreements, contracts, certificates, instruments, franchises, permits, licenses, plans, specifications and other documents (including, without limitation, the Tenants In Common Agreement), now or hereafter entered into, and all rights therein and thereto, respecting or pertaining to the use, occupation, construction, management or operation of the Land and any part thereof and any Improvements or any business or activity conducted on

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the Land and any part thereof and all right, title and interest of Borrower therein and thereunder, including, without limitation, the right, upon the happening of any Event of Default hereunder, to receive and collect any sums payable to Borrower thereunder;

(l) Intangibles. All tradenames, trademarks, servicemarks, logos, copyrights, goodwill, books and records and all other general intangibles relating to or used in connection with the operation of the Property;

(m) Accounts. All reserves, escrows and deposit accounts maintained by Borrower with respect to the Property, including without limitation, the Accounts and all cash, checks, drafts, certificates, securities, investment property, financial assets, instruments and other property held therein from time to time and all proceeds, products, distributions or dividends or substitutions thereon and thereof;

(n) Interest Rate Protection Agreement. The Interest Rate Protection Agreement, including, but not limited to, all "accounts", "chattel paper", "general intangibles" and "investment property" (as such terms are defined in the Uniform Commercial Code as from time to time in effect) constituting or relating to the foregoing; and all products and proceeds of any of the foregoing;

(o) Proceeds. All proceeds of any of the foregoing items set forth in subsections (a) through (n) including, without limitation, Insurance Proceeds and Awards, whether cash, liquidation or other claims, or otherwise; and

(p) Other Rights. Any and all other rights of Borrower in and to the items set forth in subsections (a) through (o) above.

Section 1.2. ASSIGNMENT OF RENTS. Borrower hereby absolutely and unconditionally assigns to Lender all of Borrower's right, title and interest in and to all current and future Leases and Rents; it being intended by Borrower that this assignment constitutes a present, absolute assignment and not an assignment for additional security only. Nevertheless, subject to the terms of the Loan Agreement and Section 8.1(h) of this Security Instrument, Lender grants to Borrower a revocable license to (i) collect, receive, use and enjoy the Rents and Borrower shall hold the Rents, or a portion thereof sufficient to discharge all current sums due on the Debt, for use in the payment of such sums, and (ii) enforce the terms of, and perform the obligations of landlord under, the Leases.

Section 1.3. SECURITY AGREEMENT. This Security Instrument is both a real property mortgage and a "security agreement" within the meaning of the Uniform Commercial Code. The Property includes both real and personal property and all other rights and interests, whether tangible or intangible in nature, of Borrower in the Property. By executing and delivering this Security Instrument, Borrower hereby grants to Lender, as security for the Obligations (hereinafter defined), a security interest in the Property to the full extent that the Property may be subject to the Uniform Commercial Code.

Section 1.4. FIXTURE FILING. Certain of the Property is or will become "fixtures" (as that term is defined in the Uniform Commercial Code) on the Land, and this Security Instrument, upon being filed for record in the real estate records of the city or county wherein such fixtures

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are situated, shall operate also as a financing statement filed as a fixture filing in accordance with the applicable provisions of said Uniform Commercial Code upon such of the Property that is or may become fixtures. The name of the record owner of the Property is the Borrower set forth on page 1 of this Security Instrument. Information concerning the security interests created by this instrument may be obtained from the Lender, as secured party, at its address set forth on page 2 of this Security Instrument. The address of Borrower, as Debtor, is set forth on page 2 of this Security Instrument.

Section 1.5. CONDITIONS TO GRANT. TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the above granted and described Property unto and to the use and benefit of Lender and its successors and assigns, forever; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, these presents are upon the express condition that, if Lender shall be well and truly paid the Debt at the time and in the manner provided in the Note, the Loan Agreement and this Security Instrument, if Borrower shall well and truly perform the Other Obligations as set forth in this Security Instrument and shall well and truly abide by and comply with each and every covenant and condition set forth herein and in the Note, the Loan Agreement and the other Loan Documents, these presents and the estate hereby granted shall cease, terminate and be void and, in such event, at Borrower's sole cost and expense, Lender shall execute such deeds of reconveyance, releases and termination statements reasonably requested by Borrower, in form and substance satisfactory to Lender, to evidence the same.

Article 2 – DEBT AND OBLIGATIONS SECURED

Section 2.1. DEBT. This Security Instrument and the grants, assignments and transfers made in Article 1 are given for the purpose of securing the Debt.

Section 2.2. OTHER OBLIGATIONS. This Security Instrument and the grants, assignments and transfers made in Article 1 are also given for the purpose of securing the performance of the following (the “Other Obligations”): (a) all other obligations of Borrower contained herein; (b) each obligation of Borrower contained in the Loan Agreement and any other Loan Document; and (c) each obligation of Borrower contained in any renewal, extension, amendment, modification, consolidation, change of, or substitution or replacement for, all or any part of the Note, the Loan Agreement or any other Loan Document.

Section 2.3. DEBT AND OTHER OBLIGATIONS. Borrower's obligations for the payment of the Debt and the performance of the Other Obligations shall be referred to collectively herein as the “Obligations.”

Section 2.4. PAYMENT OF DEBT. Borrower will pay the Debt at the time and in the manner provided in the Loan Agreement, the Note and this Security Instrument.

Section 2.5. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE. All the covenants, conditions and agreements contained in (a) the Loan Agreement, (b) the Note and (c) all and any of the other Loan Documents, are hereby made a part of this Security Instrument to the same extent and with the same force as if fully set forth herein.

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Article 3 – PROPERTY COVENANTS

Borrower covenants and agrees that:

Section 3.1. INSURANCE. Borrower shall obtain and maintain, or cause to be obtained and maintained, in full force and effect at all times insurance with respect to Borrower and the Property as required pursuant to the Loan Agreement.

Section 3.2. TAXES AND OTHER CHARGES. Borrower shall pay all real estate and personal property taxes, assessments, water rates or sewer rents (collectively “**Taxes**”), ground rents, maintenance charges, impositions (other than Taxes), and any other charges, including, without limitation, vault charges and license fees for the use of vaults, chutes and similar areas adjoining the Property (collectively, “**Other Charges**”), now or hereafter levied or assessed or imposed against the Property or any part thereof in accordance with the Loan Agreement.

Section 3.3. LEASES. Borrower shall not (and shall not permit any other applicable Person to) enter in any Leases for all or any portion of the Property unless in accordance with the provisions of the Loan Agreement.

Section 3.4. WARRANTY OF TITLE. Borrower has good, indefeasible, marketable and insurable title to the Property and has the right to mortgage, grant, bargain, sell, pledge, assign, warrant, transfer and convey the same. Borrower possesses an unencumbered fee simple absolute estate in the Land and the Improvements except for the Permitted Encumbrances, such other liens as are permitted pursuant to the Loan Documents and the liens created by the Loan Documents. This Security Instrument, when properly recorded in the appropriate records, together with any Uniform Commercial Code financing statements required to be filed in connection therewith, will create (a) a legal, enforceable, valid, and perfected first priority lien on the Property, subject only to Permitted Encumbrances and the liens created by the Loan Documents and (b) a legal, enforceable, valid, and perfected first priority security interests in and to, and legal, enforceable, valid, and perfected first priority collateral assignments of, all personalty (including the Leases), all in accordance with the terms thereof, in each case subject only to any applicable Permitted Encumbrances, such other liens as are permitted pursuant to the Loan Documents and the liens created by the Loan Documents. Borrower shall forever warrant, defend and preserve the title and the validity and priority of the lien of this Security Instrument and shall forever warrant and defend the same to Lender against the claims of all Persons whomsoever.

Section 3.5. PAYMENT FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS. Subject to Borrower’s right to contest any Work Charge (defined herein) pursuant to the terms of the Loan Agreement, Borrower will promptly pay (or cause to be paid) when due all bills and costs for labor, materials, and specifically fabricated materials incurred in connection with the Property (each, a “**Work Charge**”) and never permit to exist beyond the due date thereof in respect of the Property or any part thereof any lien or security interest, even though inferior to the liens and the security interests hereof, and in any event never permit to be created or exist in respect of the Property or any part thereof any other or additional lien or security interest other than the liens or security interests hereof except for the Permitted Encumbrances and except for Mechanic’s Liens which are removed, bonded or insured over within sixty (60) days of the filing of the same.

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Borrower represents there are no claims for payment for work, labor or materials affecting the Property which are or may become a lien prior to, or of equal priority with, the liens created by the Loan Documents.

Article 4 – FURTHER ASSURANCES

Section 4.1. COMPLIANCE WITH LOAN AGREEMENT. Borrower shall comply with all covenants set forth in the Loan Agreement relating to acts or other further assurances to be made on the part of Borrower in order to protect and perfect the lien or security interest hereof upon, and in the interest of Lender in, the Property.

Section 4.2. AUTHORIZATION TO FILE FINANCING STATEMENTS; POWER OF ATTORNEY. Borrower hereby authorizes Lender at any time and from time to time to file any initial financing statements, amendments thereto and continuation statements as authorized by applicable law, as applicable to all or part of the Personal Property and as necessary or required in connection herewith. For purposes of such filings, Borrower agrees to furnish any information requested by Lender promptly upon request by Lender. Borrower also ratifies its authorization for Lender to have filed any like initial financing statements, amendments thereto or continuation statements, if filed prior to the date of this Security Instrument. Borrower hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints Lender and any officer or agent of Lender, with full power of substitution, as its true and lawful attorneys-in-fact with full irrevocable power and authority in the place and stead of Borrower or in Borrower's own name to execute in Borrower's name any such documents and otherwise to carry out the purposes of this Section 4.2, to the extent that Borrower's authorization above is not sufficient and Borrower fails or refuses to promptly execute such documents. To the extent permitted by law, Borrower hereby ratifies all acts said attorneys-in-fact have lawfully done in the past or shall lawfully do or cause to be done in the future by virtue hereof. This power of attorney is a power coupled with an interest and shall be irrevocable.

Article 5 – DUE ON SALE/ENCUMBRANCE

Section 5.1. NO SALE/ENCUMBRANCE. Except in accordance with the express terms and conditions contained in the Loan Agreement, Borrower shall not cause or permit a sale, conveyance, mortgage, grant, bargain, encumbrance, pledge, assignment, or grant of any options with respect to, or any other transfer or disposition (directly or indirectly, voluntarily or involuntarily, by operation of law or otherwise, and whether or not for consideration or of record) of a legal or beneficial interest in the Property or any part thereof, Borrower, any constituent owner or other holder of a direct or indirect equity interest in Borrower, any indemnitor or other guarantor of the Loan, any constituent owner or other holder of a direct or indirect equity interest in such indemnitor or guarantor, any manager or operating lessee of the Property that is affiliated with Borrower or any constituent owner or other holder of a direct or indirect equity interest in such manager or such operating lessee.

Article 6 – PREPAYMENT; RELEASE OF PROPERTY

Section 6.1. PREPAYMENT. The Debt may not be prepaid in whole or in part except in strict accordance with the express terms and conditions of the Note and the Loan Agreement.

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Section 6.2. RELEASE OF PROPERTY. Borrower shall not be entitled to a release of any portion of the Property from the lien of this Security Instrument except in accordance with terms and conditions of the Loan Agreement.

Article 7 – DEFAULT

Section 7.1. EVENT OF DEFAULT. The term “Event of Default” as used in this Security Instrument shall have the meaning assigned to such term in the Loan Agreement.

Article 8 – RIGHTS AND REMEDIES UPON DEFAULT

Section 8.1. REMEDIES. Upon the occurrence and during the continuance of any Event of Default, Borrower agrees that Lender may take such action, without notice or demand, as it deems advisable to protect and enforce its rights against Borrower and in and to the Property, including, but not limited to, the following actions, each of which may be pursued concurrently or otherwise, at such time and in such order as Lender may determine, in their sole discretion, without impairing or otherwise affecting the other rights and remedies of Lender:

- (a) declare the entire unpaid Debt to be immediately due and payable;
- (b) institute proceedings, judicial or otherwise, for the complete foreclosure of this Security Instrument under any applicable provision of law, in which case the Property or any interest therein may be sold for cash or upon credit in one or more parcels or in several interests or portions and in any order or manner;
- (c) with or without entry, to the extent permitted and pursuant to the procedures provided by applicable law, institute proceedings for the partial foreclosure of this Security Instrument for the portion of the Debt then due and payable, subject to the continuing lien and security interest of this Security Instrument for the balance of the Debt not then due, unimpaired and without loss of priority;
- (d) sell for cash or upon credit the Property or any part thereof and all estate, claim, demand, right, title and interest of Borrower therein and rights of redemption thereof, pursuant to power of sale or otherwise, at one or more sales, as an entirety or in parcels, at such time and place, upon such terms and after such notice thereof as may be required or permitted by law;
- (e) institute an action, suit or proceeding in equity for the specific performance of any covenant, condition or agreement contained herein, in the Note, the Loan Agreement or in the other Loan Documents;
- (f) recover judgment on the Note either before, during or after any proceedings for the enforcement of this Security Instrument or the other Loan Documents;
- (g) apply for the appointment of a receiver, trustee, liquidator or conservator of the Property, without notice to Borrower, which notice Borrower expressly waives, and without regard for the adequacy of the security for the Debt and without regard for the solvency of Borrower, any guarantor or indemnitor under the Loan or any other Person liable for the payment

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of the Debt and whose appointment Borrower expressly consents to take possession of and to operate the Property and to collect the Rents and to otherwise protect and preserve the Property;

(h) the license granted to Borrower under Section 1.2 hereof shall automatically be revoked (provided, however, if Borrower cures such Event of Default and Lender accepts such cure, the license granted to Borrower under Section 1.2 hereof shall automatically be reinstated) and Lender may enter into or upon the Property, either personally or by its agents, nominees or attorneys and dispossess Borrower and its agents and servants therefrom, without liability for trespass, damages or otherwise (provided that nothing in this subsection (h) shall exculpate Lender for its gross negligence, illegal acts, or willful misconduct) and exclude Borrower and its agents or servants wholly therefrom, and take possession of all books, records and accounts relating thereto and Borrower agrees to surrender possession of the Property and of such books, records and accounts to Lender upon demand, and thereupon Lender may (i) use, operate, manage, control, insure, maintain, repair, restore and otherwise deal with all and every part of the Property and conduct the business thereat; (ii) complete any construction on the Property in such manner and form as Lender deems advisable; (iii) make alterations, additions, renewals, replacements and improvements to or on the Property; (iv) exercise all rights and powers of Borrower with respect to the Property, whether in the name of Borrower or otherwise, including, without limitation, the right to make, cancel, enforce or modify Leases, obtain and evict tenants, and demand, sue for, collect and receive all Rents of the Property and every part thereof; (v) require Borrower to pay monthly in advance to Lender, or any receiver appointed to collect the Rents, the fair and reasonable rental value for the use and occupation of such part of the Property as may be occupied by Borrower; (vi) require Borrower to vacate and surrender possession of the Property to Lender or to such receiver and, in default thereof, Borrower may be evicted by summary proceedings or otherwise; and (vii) apply the receipts from the Property to the payment of the Debt, in such order, priority and proportions as Lender shall deem appropriate in its sole discretion after deducting therefrom all expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees) incurred in connection with the aforesaid operations and all amounts necessary to pay the Taxes, Other Charges, insurance and other expenses in connection with the Property, as well as just and reasonable compensation for the services of Lender, its counsel, agents and employees;

(i) apply any sums then deposited or held in escrow or otherwise by or on behalf of Lender in accordance with the terms of the Loan Agreement, this Security Instrument or any other Loan Document to the payment of the following items in any order in its sole discretion: (i) Taxes and Other Charges; (ii) insurance premiums; (iii) interest on the unpaid principal balance of the Note; (iv) amortization of the unpaid principal balance of the Note; (v) all other sums payable pursuant to the Note, the Loan Agreement, this Security Instrument and the other Loan Documents, including without limitation advances made by Lender pursuant to the terms of this Security Instrument;

(j) surrender the insurance policies maintained pursuant to the Loan Agreement, collect the unearned insurance premiums for such insurance policies and apply such sums as a credit on the Debt in such priority and proportion as Lender in its discretion shall deem proper, and in connection therewith, Borrower hereby appoints Lender as agent and attorney-in-fact (which is coupled with an interest and is therefore irrevocable) for Borrower to collect such insurance premiums;

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(k) apply the undisbursed balance of any deposit made by Borrower with Lender in connection with the restoration of the Property after a casualty thereto or condemnation thereof, together with interest thereon, to the payment of the Debt in such order, priority and proportions as Lender shall deem to be appropriate in its discretion; and/or

(l) pursue such other remedies as Lender may have under Applicable Law.

In the event of a sale, by foreclosure, power of sale or otherwise, of less than all of the Property, this Security Instrument shall continue as a lien and security interest on the remaining portion of the Property unimpaired and without loss of priority. Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section to the contrary, if any Event of Default as described in Section 10.1(g) of the Loan Agreement shall occur (with respect to Borrower only), the entire unpaid Debt shall be automatically due and payable, without any further notice, demand or other action by Lender.

Section 8.2. APPLICATION OF PROCEEDS. Upon the occurrence and during the continuance of any Event of Default, the purchase money, proceeds and avails of any disposition of the Property, and or any part thereof, or any other sums collected by Lender pursuant to the Note, this Security Instrument or the other Loan Documents, may be applied by Lender to the payment of the Debt (including, without limitation, toward the payment of Interest Rate Protection Breakage Costs) in such priority and proportions as Lender in its discretion shall deem proper.

Section 8.3. RIGHT TO CURE DEFAULTS. Upon the occurrence and during the continuance of any Event of Default, Lender may, but without any obligation to do so and without notice to or demand on Borrower and without releasing Borrower from any obligation hereunder, make any payment or do any act required of Borrower hereunder in such manner and to such extent as Lender may deem necessary to protect the security hereof. Lender is authorized to enter upon the Property for such purposes, or appear in, defend, or bring any action or proceeding to protect its interest in the Property or to foreclose this Security Instrument or collect the Debt, and the cost and expense thereof (including reasonable attorneys' fees to the extent permitted by law), with interest as provided in this Section 8.3, shall constitute a portion of the Debt and shall be due and payable to Lender upon demand. All such costs and expenses incurred by Lender in remedying such Event of Default or such failed payment or act or in appearing in, defending, or bringing any such action or proceeding shall bear interest at any default rate specified in the Loan Agreement, if any (the "Default Rate"), for the period after notice from Lender that such cost or expense was incurred to the date of payment to Lender. All such costs and expenses incurred by Lender together with interest thereon calculated at the Default Rate shall be deemed to constitute a portion of the Debt and be secured by this Security Instrument and the other Loan Documents and shall be immediately due and payable upon demand by Lender therefor.

Section 8.4. ACTIONS AND PROCEEDINGS. Upon the occurrence and during the continuance of any Event of Default, Lender has the right to appear in and defend any action or proceeding brought with respect to the Property and to bring any action or proceeding, in the name and on behalf of Borrower, which Lender, in its discretion, decides should be brought to protect its interest in the Property.

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Section 8.5. RECOVERY OF SUMS REQUIRED TO BE PAID. Upon the occurrence and during the continuance of any Event of Default, Lender shall have the right from time to time to take action to recover any sum or sums which constitute a part of the Debt as the same become due, without regard to whether or not the balance of the Debt shall be due, and without prejudice to the right of Lender thereafter to bring an action of foreclosure, or any other action, for a default or defaults by Borrower existing at the time such earlier action was commenced.

Section 8.6. OTHER RIGHTS, ETC. (a) The failure of Lender to insist upon strict performance of any term hereof shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any term of this Security Instrument. Borrower shall not be relieved of Borrower's obligations hereunder by reason of (i) the failure of Lender to comply with any request of Borrower or any guarantor or indemnitor with respect to the Loan to take any action to foreclose this Security Instrument or otherwise enforce any of the provisions hereof or of the Note or the other Loan Documents, (ii) the release, regardless of consideration, of the whole or any part of the Property, or of any Person liable for the Debt or any portion thereof, or (iii) any agreement or stipulation by Lender extending the time of payment or otherwise modifying or supplementing the terms of the Note, this Security Instrument or the other Loan Documents.

(b) It is agreed that the risk of loss or damage to the Property is on Borrower, and Lender shall have no liability whatsoever for decline in the value of the Property, for failure to maintain the insurance policies required to be maintained pursuant to the Loan Agreement (except as may otherwise be set forth in the Loan Agreement), or for failure to determine whether insurance in force is adequate as to the amount of risks insured. Possession by Lender shall not be deemed an election of judicial relief if any such possession is requested or obtained with respect to any Property or collateral not in Lender's possession.

(c) Lender may resort for the payment of the Debt to any other security held by Lender in such order and manner as Lender, in its discretion, may elect. Lender may take action to recover the Debt, or any portion thereof, or to enforce any covenant hereof without prejudice to the right of Lender thereafter to foreclose this Security Instrument. The rights of Lender under this Security Instrument shall be separate, distinct and cumulative and none shall be given effect to the exclusion of the others. No act of Lender shall be construed as an election to proceed under any one provision herein to the exclusion of any other provision. Lender shall not be limited exclusively to the rights and remedies herein stated but shall be entitled to every right and remedy now or hereafter afforded at law or in equity.

Section 8.7. RIGHT TO RELEASE ANY PORTION OF THE PROPERTY. Upon the occurrence and during the continuance of any Event of Default, Lender may release any portion of the Property for such consideration as Lender may require without, as to the remainder of the Property, in any way impairing or affecting the lien or priority of this Security Instrument, or improving the position of any subordinate lienholder with respect thereto, except to the extent that the obligations hereunder shall have been reduced by the actual monetary consideration, if any, received by Lender for such release, and may accept by assignment, pledge or otherwise any other property in place thereof as Lender may require without being accountable for so doing to any other lienholder. This Security Instrument shall continue as a lien and security interest in the remaining portion of the Property.

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Section 8.8. RIGHT OF ENTRY. Upon reasonable notice to Borrower, Lender and its agents shall have the right to enter and inspect the Property at all reasonable times, subject to the rights of Tenants under their respective Leases.

Section 8.9. BANKRUPTCY. (a) Upon the occurrence and during the continuance of any Event of Default, Lender shall have the right to proceed in its own name or in the name of Borrower in respect of any claim, suit, action or proceeding relating to the rejection of any Lease, including, without limitation, the right to file and prosecute, to the exclusion of Borrower, any proofs of claim, complaints, motions, applications, notices and other documents, in any case in respect of the lessee under such Lease under the Bankruptcy Code.

(b) If there shall be filed by or against Borrower a petition under the Bankruptcy Code and Borrower as lessor under any Lease, shall determine to reject such Lease pursuant to Section 365(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, then Borrower shall give Lender not less than ten (10) days' prior notice of the date on which Borrower shall apply to the bankruptcy court for authority to reject the Lease. Lender shall have the right, but not the obligation, to serve upon Borrower within such ten-day period a notice stating that (i) Lender demands that Borrower assume and assign the Lease to Lender pursuant to Section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code and (ii) Lender covenants to cure or provide adequate assurance of future performance under the Lease. If Lender serves upon Borrower the notice described in the preceding sentence, Borrower shall not seek to reject the Lease and shall comply with the demand provided for in clause (i) of the preceding sentence within thirty (30) days after the notice shall have been given, subject to the performance by Lender of the covenant provided for in clause (ii) of the preceding sentence.

Section 8.10. SUBROGATION. If any or all of the proceeds of the Note have been used to extinguish, extend or renew any indebtedness heretofore existing against the Property, then, to the extent of the funds so used, Lender shall be subrogated to all of the rights, claims, liens, titles, and interests existing against the Property heretofore held by or in favor of, the holder of such indebtedness and such former rights, claims, liens, titles, and interests, if any, are not waived but rather are continued in full force and effect in favor of Lender and are merged with the lien and security interest created herein as cumulative security for the repayment of the Debt, the performance and discharge of the Other Obligations.

Article 9 – ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Section 9.1. ENVIRONMENTAL COVENANTS. Borrower has provided representations, warranties and covenants regarding environmental matters set forth in the Environmental Indemnity and Borrower shall comply with the aforesaid covenants regarding environmental matters.

Article 10 – WAIVERS

Section 10.1. MARSHALLING AND OTHER MATTERS. Borrower hereby waives, to the extent permitted by law, the benefit of all Applicable Law now or hereafter in force regarding appraisal, valuation, stay, extension, reinstatement and redemption and all rights of marshalling in the event of any sale hereunder of the Property or any part thereof or any interest therein. Further, Borrower hereby expressly waives any and all rights of redemption from sale

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under any order or decree of foreclosure of this Security Instrument on behalf of Borrower, and on behalf of each and every Person acquiring any interest in or title to the Property subsequent to the date of this Security Instrument and on behalf of all Persons to the extent permitted by Applicable Law.

Section 10.2. WAIVER OF NOTICE. Borrower shall not be entitled to any notices of any nature whatsoever from Lender except with respect to matters for which this Security Instrument or the Loan Agreement specifically and expressly provides for the giving of notice by Lender to Borrower and except with respect to matters for which Borrower is not permitted by Applicable Law to waive its right to receive notice, and Borrower hereby expressly waives the right to receive any notice from Lender with respect to any matter for which this Security Instrument does not specifically and expressly provide for the giving of notice by Lender to Borrower.

Section 10.3. INTENTIONALLY OMITTED.

Section 10.4. SOLE DISCRETION OF LENDER. Whenever pursuant to this Security Instrument, Lender exercises any right given to it to approve or disapprove, or any arrangement or term is to be satisfactory to Lender, the decision of Lender to approve or disapprove or to decide whether arrangements or terms are satisfactory or not satisfactory shall (except as is otherwise specifically herein provided) be in the sole (but reasonable) discretion of Lender and shall be final and conclusive.

Section 10.5. WAIVER OF TRIAL BY JURY. BORROWER AND LENDER EACH HEREBY AGREES NOT TO ELECT A TRIAL BY JURY OF ANY ISSUE TRIABLE OF RIGHT BY JURY, AND WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY FULLY TO THE EXTENT THAT ANY SUCH RIGHT SHALL NOW OR HEREAFTER EXIST WITH REGARD TO THE LOAN DOCUMENTS, OR ANY CLAIM, COUNTERCLAIM OR OTHER ACTION ARISING IN CONNECTION THEREWITH. THIS WAIVER OF RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY IS GIVEN KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY BY BORROWER AND LENDER, AND IS INTENDED TO ENCOMPASS INDIVIDUALLY EACH INSTANCE AND EACH ISSUE AS TO WHICH THE RIGHT TO A TRIAL BY JURY WOULD OTHERWISE ACCRUE. EACH OF LENDER AND BORROWER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO FILE A COPY OF THIS PARAGRAPH IN ANY PROCEEDING AS CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE OF THIS WAIVER BY BORROWER AND LENDER.

Section 10.6. WAIVER OF FORECLOSURE DEFENSE. Borrower hereby waives any defense Borrower might assert or have by reason of Lender's failure to make any tenant or lessee of the Property a party defendant in any foreclosure proceeding or action instituted by Lender.

Article 11 – INTENTIONALLY OMITTED

Article 12 – NOTICES

Section 12.1. NOTICES. All notices or other written communications hereunder shall be delivered in accordance with the applicable terms and conditions of the Loan Agreement.

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Article 13 – APPLICABLE LAW

Section 13.1. GOVERNING LAW. This Security Instrument shall be governed, construed, applied and enforced in accordance with the laws of the state in which the Property is located and Applicable Laws of the United States of America.

Section 13.2. PROVISIONS SUBJECT TO APPLICABLE LAW. All rights, powers and remedies provided in this Security Instrument may be exercised only to the extent that the exercise thereof does not violate any applicable provisions of law and are intended to be limited to the extent necessary so that they will not render this Security Instrument invalid, unenforceable or not entitled to be recorded, registered or filed under the provisions of any applicable law. If any term of this Security Instrument or any application thereof shall be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Security Instrument and any other application of the term shall not be affected thereby.

Article 14 – DEFINITIONS

Section 14.1. GENERAL DEFINITIONS. Unless the context clearly indicates a contrary intent or unless otherwise specifically provided herein, words used in this Security Instrument may be used interchangeably in singular or plural form and the word “Borrower” shall mean “each Borrower and any subsequent owner or owners of the Property or any part thereof or any interest therein,” the word “Lender” shall mean “Lender and any of Lender’s successors and assigns,” the word “Note” shall mean “the Note and any other evidence of indebtedness secured by this Security Instrument,” the word “Property” shall include any portion of the Property and any interest therein, and the phrases “attorneys’ fees” “legal fees” and “counsel fees” shall include any and all reasonable attorneys’, paralegal and law clerk fees and disbursements, including, but not limited to, fees and disbursements at the pre-trial, trial and appellate levels incurred or paid by Lender in protecting its interest in the Property, the Leases and the Rents and enforcing its rights hereunder.

Article 15 – MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Section 15.1. NO ORAL CHANGE. This Security Instrument, and any provisions hereof, may not be modified, amended, waived, extended, changed, discharged or terminated orally or by any act or failure to act on the part of Borrower or Lender, but only by an agreement in writing signed by the party against whom enforcement of any modification, amendment, waiver, extension, change, discharge or termination is sought.

Section 15.2. SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS. This Security Instrument shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of Borrower, Lender and their respective successors and assigns forever.

Section 15.3. INAPPLICABLE PROVISIONS. If any term, covenant or condition of the Loan Agreement, the Note or this Security Instrument is held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, the Loan Agreement, the Note and this Security Instrument shall be construed without such provision.

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Section 15.4. HEADINGS, ETC. The headings and captions of various Sections of this Security Instrument are for convenience of reference only and are not to be construed as defining or limiting, in any way, the scope or intent of the provisions hereof.

Section 15.5. NUMBER AND GENDER. Whenever the context may require, any pronouns used herein shall include the corresponding masculine, feminine or neuter forms, and the singular form of nouns and pronouns shall include the plural and vice versa.

Section 15.6. ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Security Instrument and the other Loan Documents contain the entire agreement of the parties hereto and thereto in respect of the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and all prior agreements among or between such parties, whether oral or written, are superseded by the terms of this Security Instrument and the other Loan Documents.

Section 15.7. LIMITATION ON LENDER'S RESPONSIBILITY. No provision of this Security Instrument shall operate to place any obligation or liability for the control, care, management or repair of the Property upon Lender, nor shall it operate to make Lender responsible or liable for any waste committed on the Property by the tenants or any other Person, or for any dangerous or defective condition of the Property, or for any negligence in the management, upkeep, repair or control of the Property resulting in loss or injury or death to any tenant, licensee, employee or stranger. Nothing in this Section 15.7 shall exculpate Lender for its gross negligence, illegal acts, or willful misconduct. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as constituting Lender a "mortgagee in possession." If more than one Person has executed this Security Instrument as "Borrower," the representations, covenants, warranties and obligations of all such Persons hereunder shall be joint and several.

Section 15.8. PRIORITY OF LOAN AND INTEREST RATE PROTECTION AGREEMENTS. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Security Instrument, in the event that Borrower enters into an Interest Rate Protection Agreement that is a swap or collar agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, National Association at any point during the term, the sums secured hereby payable under the Note and the Loan Agreement and otherwise in respect of the Loan shall have equal priority with the Interest Rate Protection Breakage Costs secured hereby.

Section 15.9. INTEREST RATE PROTECTION BREAKAGE COSTS. In the event that Borrower enters into an Interest Rate Protection Agreement that is a swap or collar agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, National Association at any point during the term, Borrower agrees that Borrower shall be liable to Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Lender and Counterparty, for all Interest Rate Protection Breakage Costs with respect to the Interest Rate Protection Agreement (as defined in the Loan Agreement) and that the Interest Rate Protection Breakage Costs are secured by the lien of this Security Instrument.

Article 16 – INTENTIONALLY OMITTED

Article 17 – STATE-SPECIFIC PROVISIONS

Section 17.1. PRINCIPLES OF CONSTRUCTION. In the event of any inconsistencies between the terms and conditions of this Article 17 and the other terms and conditions of this Security Instrument, the terms and conditions of this Article 17 shall control and be binding.

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Section 17.2. COLLATERAL PROTECTION ACT. Unless Borrower provides Lender with evidence of the insurance required by this Security Instrument or any other Loan Document, Lender may purchase insurance at Borrower's expense to protect Lender's interest in the Property or any other collateral for the indebtedness secured hereby. This insurance may, but need not, protect Borrower's interests. The coverage Lender purchases may not pay any claim that Borrower makes or any claim that is made against Borrower in connection with the Property or any other collateral for the indebtedness secured hereby. Borrower may later cancel any insurance purchased by Lender, but only after providing Lender with evidence that Borrower has obtained insurance as required under by this Security Instrument or any other Loan Document. If Lender purchases insurance for the Property or any other collateral for the indebtedness secured hereby, Borrower shall be responsible for the costs of that insurance, including interest in any other charges that Lender may lawfully impose in connection with the placement of the insurance, until the effective date of the cancellation or expiration of the insurance. The costs of the insurance may be added to the indebtedness secured hereby. The costs of the insurance may be more than the cost of insurance that Borrower may be able to obtain on its own.

Section 17.3. The Loan secured hereby shall in no event exceed an amount equal to two hundred percent (200%) of the face amount of the Note.

Section 17.4. Borrower hereby waives, to the extent now or hereafter permitted by law, all rights of redemption and reinstatement of this Security Instrument pursuant to the Illinois Mortgage Foreclosure Law, 735 ILCS 5/15-1101 et seq. ("IMFL"), including without limitation Section 15-1601(b) of IMFL, on behalf of itself and all those taking by, through or under Borrower. Borrower acknowledges that the Property does not constitute "agricultural real estate," as such term is defined in Section 15-1201 of IMFL or "residential real estate," as such term is defined in Section 15-1219 of IMFL.

Section 17.5. In the event that any provision of this Security Instrument shall be inconsistent with any provision of IMFL, the provisions of IMFL shall take precedence over the provisions of this Security Instrument, but shall not invalidate or render unenforceable any other provision of this Security Instrument that can be construed in a manner consistent with IMFL. If any provision of this Security Instrument shall grant to Lender any rights or remedies upon any Event of Default by Borrower which are more limited than the rights that would otherwise be vested in Lender under IMFL in the absence of said provision, Lender shall be vested with the rights granted in IMFL to the full extent permitted by law. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, all expenses incurred by Lender to the extent reimbursable under IMFL, whether incurred before or after any decree or judgment of foreclosure, and whether or not enumerated in this Security Instrument, shall be added to the Loan secured by this Security Instrument or by the judgment of foreclosure.

Section 17.6. Borrower shall include a "no lien" provision in any property management agreement hereafter entered into by Borrower with a property manager for the Property, whereby the Property manager waives and releases any and all mechanics' lien rights that the Property manager, or anyone claiming through or under the Property manager, may have pursuant to 770 ILCS 60/1.

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Section 17.7. (a) This Security Instrument also constitutes a financing statement for the purpose of Section 9-502 of the Illinois Uniform Commercial Code, 810 ILCS 5/9-502, and shall constitute a “fixture filing” under such statute and shall be filed in the real estate records of Cook County, Illinois.

Name of Debtor: MELROSE PARK EQUITY, LLC, MELROSE PARK INVESTMENTS, LLC, NMC GROVE MELROSE, LLC, and NMC MELROSE PARK II, LLC, each a Delaware limited liability company

Debtor's Mailing Address: c/o Newmark Merrill Companies, Inc., 5850 Canoga Avenue, Suite 650, Woodland Hills, California 91367, ATTN: Sanford Sigal

Address of Property: 1000, 1028, 1030, 1272, 1310, 1360, 1370, 1384 West Avenue, 1 Winston Plaza, 1040 West Avenue North, 900-912 W. North Avenue, Melrose Park, Illinois

Name of Secured Party: WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

Address of Secured Party: c/o Wells Fargo Commercial Mortgage Servicing, 401 South Tryon Street, 8th Floor, Charlotte, North Carolina 28202

This financing statement covers the following types or items of property: the Property described in this instrument, and all other items of personal property and fixtures now or at any time hereafter owned by Borrower and used in connection with the Property.

(b) Some of the above goods are or are to become fixtures on the Property described herein. Borrower is the record owner of the Property described herein upon which the foregoing fixtures and other items and types of property are located. The Land to which the fixtures and other Property relates is described in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 17.8. Borrower covenants and agrees that all of the proceeds of the Loan secured by this Security Instrument will be used solely for business purposes and in furtherance of the regular business affairs of Borrower, and the entire principal obligation secured hereby constitutes: (i) a “business loan,” as that term is used in, and for all purposes of, the Illinois Interest Act, 815 ILCS 205/0.01 et seq., including Section 4(1)(c) thereof; and (ii) a “loan secured by a mortgage on real estate” within the purview and operation of Section 205/4(1)(l) thereof.

Section 17.9. All agreements between Borrower and Lender (including, without limitation, those contained in this Security Instrument, the Note and any other Loan Documents) are expressly limited so that in no event whatsoever shall the amount paid or agreed to be paid to Lender exceed the highest lawful rate of interest permissible under the laws of the State of Illinois. If, from any circumstances whatsoever, fulfillment of any provision hereof or of the

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Note or any other documents securing the Loan, at the time performance of such provision shall be due, shall involve the payment of interest exceeding the highest rate of interest permitted by law which a court of competent jurisdiction may deem applicable hereto, then, ipso facto, the obligation to be fulfilled shall be reduced to the highest lawful rate of interest permissible under the laws of the State of Illinois; and if for any reason whatsoever, Lender shall ever receive as interest an amount which would be deemed unlawful, such interest shall be applied to the payment of the last maturing installment or installments of the Loan secured hereby (whether or not then due and payable) and not to the payment of interest.

Section 17.10. Wherever provision is made in this Security Instrument or the Loan Agreement for insurance policies to bear mortgage clauses or other loss payable clauses or endorsements in favor of Lender, or to confer authority upon Lender to settle or participate in the settlement of losses under policies of insurance or to hold and disburse or otherwise control use of insurance proceeds, from and after the entry of judgment of foreclosure all such rights and powers of Lender shall continue in Lender as judgment creditor or mortgagee until confirmation of sale.

Section 17.11. (a) All advances, disbursements and expenditures made by Lender before and during a foreclosure of this Security Instrument, and before and after judgment of foreclosure therein, and at any time prior to sale of the Property, and, where applicable, after sale of the Property, and during the pendency of any related proceedings, for the following purposes, in addition to those otherwise authorized by this Security Instrument or the Loan Agreement or by IMFL (collectively "**Protective Advances**") shall have the benefit of all applicable provisions of IMFL, including those provisions of IMFL herein below referred to:

(i) all advances by Lender in accordance with the terms of this Security Instrument to: (1) preserve or maintain, repair, restore or rebuild the Improvements upon the Property; (2) preserve the lien of this Security Instrument or the priority thereof; or (3) enforce this Security Instrument, as referred to in Subsection (b)(5) of Section 15-1302 of IMFL;

(ii) payments by Lender of: (1) when due installments of principal, interest or other obligations in accordance with the terms of any prior lien or encumbrance; (2) when due installments of real estate taxes and assessments, general and special and all other taxes and assessments of any kind or nature whatsoever which are assessed or imposed upon the Property or any part thereof; (3) other obligations authorized by Lender; or (4) with court approval, any other amounts in connection with other liens, encumbrances or interests reasonably necessary to preserve the status of title, as referred to in Section 15-1505 of IMFL;

(iii) advances by Lender in settlement or compromise of any claims asserted by claimants under any prior liens;

(iv) attorneys' fees and other costs incurred: (1) in connection with the foreclosure of this Security Instrument as referred to in Sections 15-1504(d)(2) and 15-1510 of IMFL; (2) in connection with any action, suit or proceeding brought by or against Lender for the enforcement of this Security Instrument or arising from the interest of

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Lender hereunder; or (3) in the preparation for the commencement or defense of any such foreclosure or other action related to this Security Instrument or the Property;

(v) Lender's fees and costs, including attorneys' fees, arising between the entry of judgment of foreclosure and the confirmation hearing as referred to in Subsection (b)(1) of Section 15-1508 of IMFL;

(vi) expenses deductible from proceeds of sale as referred to in subsections (a) and (b) of Section 15-1512 of IMFL; and

(vii) expenses incurred and expenditures made by Lender for any one or more of the following: (1) if the Property or any portion thereof constitutes one or more units under a condominium declaration, assessments imposed upon the unit owner thereof which are required to be paid; (2) if Lender's interest in the Property is a leasehold estate under a lease or sublease, rentals or other payments required to be made by the lessee under the terms of the lease or sublease; (3) premiums for casualty and liability insurance paid by Lender whether or not Lender or a receiver is in possession, if reasonably required, in reasonable amounts, and all renewals thereof, without regard to the limitation to maintaining of existing insurance in effect at the time any receiver or Lender takes possession of the Property imposed by Subsection (c)(1) of Section 15-1704 of IMFL; (4) repair or restoration of damage or destruction in excess of available insurance proceeds or condemnation awards; (5) payments required or deemed by Lender to be for the benefit of the Property or required to be made by the owner of the Property under any grant or declaration of easement, easement agreement, agreement with any adjoining land owners or instruments creating covenants or restrictions for the benefit of or affecting the Property; (6) shared or common expense assessments payable to any association or corporation in which the owner of the Property is a member in any way affecting the Property; (7) if the loan secured hereby is a construction loan, costs incurred by Lender for demolition, preparation for and completion of construction, as may be authorized by the applicable commitment, loan agreement or other agreement; (8) pursuant to any lease or other agreement for occupancy of the Improvements for amounts required to be paid by Borrower; and (9) if this Security Instrument is insured, payments of FHA or private mortgage insurance required to keep insurance in force.

(b) All Protective Advances shall be additional Debt secured by this Security Instrument, and shall become immediately due and payable without notice and with interest thereon from the date of the advance thereof until paid at the rate due and payable after an Event of Default under the terms of the Note and the Loan Agreement.

(c) This Security Instrument shall be a lien for all Protective Advances as to subsequent purchasers and judgment creditors from the time this Security Instrument is recorded pursuant to Subsection (b) of Section 15-1302 of IMFL.

(d) All Protective Advances shall, except to the extent, if any, that any of the same is clearly contrary to or inconsistent with the provisions of IMFL, apply to and be included in:

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- (i) determination of the amount of Debt secured by this Security Instrument at any time;
- (ii) the Debt found due and owing pursuant to this Security Instrument in the judgment of foreclosure and any subsequent supplemental judgments, orders, adjudications or findings by the court of any additional Debt becoming due after such entry of judgment, it being agreed that in any foreclosure judgment, the court may reserve jurisdiction for such purpose;
- (iii) if right of redemption has not been waived by Borrower in this Security Instrument, computation of amount required to redeem, pursuant to Subsections (d)(2) and (e) of Section 15-1603 of IMFL;
- (iv) determination of the amount deductible from sale proceeds pursuant to Section 15-1512 of IMFL;
- (v) application of income in the hands of any receiver or mortgagee in possession; and
- (vi) computation of any deficiency judgment pursuant to Subsections (b)(2) and (e) of Section 15-1508 and Section 15-1511 of IMFL.

Section 17.12. In addition to any provision of this Security Instrument authorizing Lender to take or be placed in possession of the Property or for the appointment of a receiver, Lender shall have the right, in accordance with Sections 15-1701 and 15-1702 of IMFL, to be placed in possession of the Property or at its request to have a receiver appointed, and such receiver, or Lender, if and when placed in possession, shall have, in addition to any other powers provided in this Security Instrument, all powers, immunities, and duties as provided for in Sections 15-1701 and 15-1703 of IMFL.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Security Instrument has been executed by the undersigned as of the day and year first above written.

BORROWER:

NMC GROVE MELROSE, LLC, a
Delaware limited liability company

By: NewMark Merrill Companies, Inc., a
California corporation, its manager

By: 

Name: Sanford D. Sigal
Title: President

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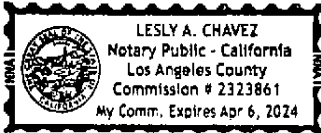
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
)
COUNTY OF Los Angeles) ss:

On May 23, 2022, before me, Lesly A. Chavez, Notary Public, personally appeared Sanford D. Sigal, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.



[Signature]
Signature of Notary Public


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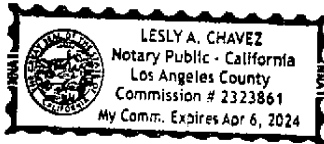
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On May 23 2022, before me, Lesly A. Chavez, Notary Public, personally appeared Sanford D. Sigal, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

[Signature]
Signature of Notary Public



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BORROWER:

MELROSE PARK EQUITY, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company

By: Maxxam Enterprises, L.P., a California limited partnership, its Manager/Managing Member

By: Amazon Properties, LLC, a California limited liability company, its General Partner

By: 

Name: Michael Soroudi

Title: Manager

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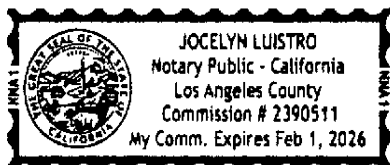
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On May 23, 2022, before me, Jocelyn Luistro, Notary Public, personally appeared Michael Soroudi, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

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WITNESS my hand and official seal.



Jocelyn Luistro
Signature of Notary Public

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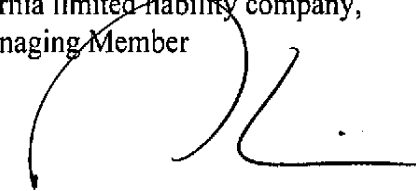
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MELROSE PARK INVESTMENTS, LLC, a
Delaware limited liability company

By: Winston Investment Group, LLC, a
Delaware limited liability company, its
Manager

By: Summit View Holdings, LLC, a
California limited liability company,
its Managing Member

By:



Name: Michael Soroudi
Title: Co-Manager

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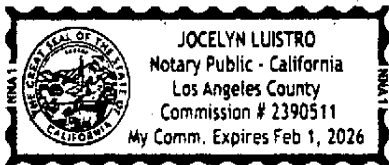
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Joelyn Luistro
Signature of Notary Public

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EXHIBIT A

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

(attached hereto)

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EXHIBIT A

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Real property in the City of Melrose Park, County of COOK, State of Illinois, described as follows:

PARCEL A:

A PARCEL OF LAND IN THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 3, TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 12, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT A POINT 94.82 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE OF AFORESAID SECTION 3 AND 33.0 FEET WEST OF THE EAST LINE OF AFORESAID SECTION 3, BEING THE INTERSECTION OF THE WEST LINE OF 9TH AVENUE AND THE SOUTH LINE OF NORTH AVENUE; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 42 MINUTES 10 SECONDS WEST IN THE SOUTH LINE OF AFORESAID NORTH AVENUE, TO A POINT 95.68 FEET SOUTH OF AFORESAID NORTH LINE OF SECTION 3, A DISTANCE OF 1628.12 FEET, TO A POINT IN THE EAST LINE OF 14TH AVENUE AS SHOWN IN THE PLAT OF SUBDIVISION OF WINSTON PARK UNIT NUMBER 1 RECORDED JULY 6, 1955 AS DOCUMENT 16291419 IN PLAT BOOK 448 ON PAGES 22 AND 23; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 30 MINUTES WEST IN THE EAST LINE OF AFORESAID 14TH AVENUE A DISTANCE OF 855.28 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 1 IN AFORESAID WINSTON PARK UNIT NUMBER 1; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY IN A NORTHEASTLY LINE OF AFORESAID WINSTON PARK UNIT NUMBER 1, BEING A CURVED LINE, CONVEX SOUTHWESTERLY, HAVING A RADIUS OF 1130.0 FEET, AN ARC DISTANCE OF 528.87 FEET TO A POINT OF TANGENCY WITH A LINE PARALLEL TO AND 1643.0 FEET NORTH OF THE SOUTH LINE OF THE AFORESAID NORTHEAST 1/4, AND BEING THE NORTH LINE OF AFORESAID WINSTON PARK UNIT NUMBER 1; THENCE EAST IN AFORESAID NORTH LINE OF UNIT NUMBER 1 A DISTANCE OF 700.01 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVE; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY IN A NORTHEASTERLY CURVED LINE OF AFORESAID UNIT NUMBER 1, CONVEX NORTHEASTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 520.0 FEET, AN ARC DISTANCE OF 493.51 FEET, TO THE NORTHEASTERLY CORNER OF LOT 26 IN AFORESAID WINSTON PARK UNIT NUMBER 1; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 09 MINUTES EAST IN THE WEST LINE OF AFORESAID 9TH AVENUE A DISTANCE OF 1185.44 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.; EXCEPTING THEREFROM LOT 1 IN NEWMARK WINSTON PLAZA SUBDIVISION, BEING A SUBDIVISION IN THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 3, TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 12, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED AUGUST 3, 2021 AS DOCUMENT NUMBER 2121510018, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PARCEL B:

NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENTS AS GRANTED AND DESCRIBED IN THAT CERTAIN COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RECIPROCAL EASEMENT AGREEMENT RECORDED APRIL 6, 2022 AS DOCUMENT NUMBER 2209622000, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.