

## **CHICAGO ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE PURCHASE AND SALE CONTRACT**



(single family home/fee simple townhome)

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		esidential Real Estate Purchase and Sale ("Seller")	•	,	5	nd sale of the	real estate and					
3	improvements located a	it	(concentrely, 1 di tie									
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5	Property P.I.N. #:	Lot s			roximate square feet of P		·					
6 7		rsonal Property. At Closing (as defined all heating, cooling, electrical and pluml										
	and Personal Propert											
	□ Refrigerator	Sump Pump	🗆 Central air condi	itioner	Fireplace screen	🗆 Built-in o	r attached					
	□ Oven/Range	□ Smoke and carbon monoxide	□ Window air cond	litioner	and equipment		r cabinets					
	□ Microwave	detectors	Electronic air filt	ter	□ Fireplace gas log	□ Ceiling fa	n					
	□ Dishwasher	□ Intercom system	🗆 Central humidifi	ier	□ Firewood	$\Box$ Radiator						
	□ Garbage disposal	Security system (rented or owned) (strike or			□ Attached gas grill_							
	□ Trash compactor	□ Satellite Dish	□ Lighting fixtures		Existing storms	-	olay set/swings					
	□ Washer	□ T.V. antenna	Electronic garage		and screens	□ Outdoor s	shed					
	Dryer Water Softener	<ul> <li>LCD/plasma/multimedia equipment</li> <li>Stereo speakers/surround sound</li> </ul>	with remote ι □ Wall-to-wall carp		□ Window treatments_ □ Home warranty (as atta							
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	3. <u>Purchase Price</u> . ("Purchase Price").	The purchase price for the Property (in	cluding the Fixtures	s and Pers	onal Property) is S							
	4. <u>Earnest Money</u> .	Upon Buyer's execution of this Contract	t, Buyer shall deposi	it with		/!!T						
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		y") within business days after the										
		nd Final Earnest Money are together refe										
		l necessary documents with respect to the			ntent mutually agreed u	pon between	the parties and					
28	(ii) except as otherwise	agreed, Buyer shall pay all expenses with	respect to the Earnes	st Money.								
29	5. Mortgage Contin	ngency. This Contract is contingent upon	Buver securing by		. 20 ("F	irst Commi	tment Date") a					
	firm written mortgage	commitment for a fixed rate or an adju	stable rate mortgage	e permitted	I to be made by a U.S.	or Illinois sa	avings and loan					
31	association, bank, or of	association, bank, or other authorized financial institution, in the amount of \$, the interest rate (or initial interest rate if an										
32		nge) not to exceed% per year, and										
		port fee, if any ("Required Commitment										
		than years. Buyer shall pay for p ned, Rider 8, Rider 9, or the HUD Rid										
		irst Commitment Date, Buyer shall so n										
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38		osing Date by 30 business days. The Req										
	requested credit inform	nation, sign customary documents relat	ing to the application	on and se	curing of the Required	Commitmen	t, and pay one					
		ted by Seller. Should Seller choose not to s										
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46	6. <u>Possession</u> . Sell	er agrees to surrender possession of the	e Property on or bei	fore the C	losing Date (as defined	in Paragrar	oh 7 below). If					
47	possession is not delive	red on or prior to the Closing Date, then, S	Seller shall pay to Bu	iyer at Clos	sing \$	_ per day ("Ì	Jse/Occupancy					
	J .	s use and occupancy of the Property for ea	5	0	0 0		1					
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		ncy Payments which extend beyond the										
		to 2% of the Purchase Price ("Possession")										
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		s from any and all claims and demands, in	0 10		U U	•						
61	7. <u>Closing</u> . Buyer s	shall deliver the balance of the Purchase	Price (less the amou	unt of the	Final Earnest money, pl	us or minus	prorations and					

Deed. At Closing, Seller shall execute and deliver to Buyer, or cause to be executed and delivered to Buyer, a recordable warranty deed 65 8 66 ("Deed") with release of homestead rights (or other appropriate deed if title is in trust or in an estate), or Articles of Agreement, if applicable, subject only to the following, if any: covenants, conditions, and restrictions of record; public and utility easements; acts done by or suffered through Buyer; all 67 special governmental taxes or assessments confirmed and unconfirmed; and general real estate taxes not yet due and payable at the time of Closing. 68

Real Estate Taxes. Seller represents that the 20\_\_\_\_\_ general real estate taxes were \$\_\_\_\_ \_. General real estate taxes for the 69 9. Property are subject to the following exemptions (check box if applicable): 🗆 Homeowner's. 🗆 Senior Citizen's. 🗆 Senior Freeze. General real 70 estate taxes shall be prorated based on (i) \_% of the most recent ascertainable full year tax bill, or (ii) mutually agreed by the Parties in 71 72 writing prior to the expiration of the Attorney Approval Period.

10. Property Subject to Homeowners Association. (If not applicable, strike this entire Paragraph) Seller represents that as of the 73 Acceptance Date (as set forth following Paragraph 15 of this Contract), the regular monthly assessment pertaining to this unit is \$\_\_\_\_\_ 74 special assessment (strike one) has / has not been levied. The original amount of the special assessment pertaining to this unit was \$\_ 75

76 and the remaining amount due at Closing will be \$\_\_\_\_\_ and (strike one) shall / shall not be assumed by Buyer at Closing. Buyer acknowledges and agrees that (i) the representations in this Paragraph are provided as of the Acceptance Date; (ii) this information may change, and 77 these fees may increase, prior to Closing; and (iii) Seller is under no obligation to notify Buyer of any changes to this information, and, should 78 changes occur, this Contract shall remain in full force and effect. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Paragraph 10, Seller 79 shall disclose to Buyer any new assessment that is actually approved and levied prior to Closing no later than 5 days after Seller is notified of the 80 new assessment (and in no event later than the Closing Date). Seller shall furnish Buyer a statement from the proper representative certifying that 81 Seller is current in payment of assessments, and, if applicable, proof of waiver or termination of any right of first refusal or similar options contained 82 in the bylaws of the Association for the transfer of ownership. Seller shall deliver to Buyer the items stipulated by the Illinois Condominium 83 Property Act (765 ILCS 605/1 et seq.) ("ICPA Documents"), including but not limited to the declaration, bylaws, rules and regulations, and the prior 84 and current years' operating budgets within \_\_\_\_\_ business days of the Acceptance Date. In the event the ICPA Documents disclose that the 85 Property is in violation of existing rules, regulations, or other restrictions or that the terms and conditions contained within the documents would 86 unreasonably restrict Buyer's use of the Property or would increase the financial considerations which Buyer would have to extend in connection with 87 owning the Property, then Buyer may declare this Contract null and void by giving Seller written notice within 5 business days after the receipt of 88 the ICPA Documents, listing those deficiencies which are unacceptable to Buyer, and thereupon all earnest money deposited shall be returned to 89 Buyer. If written notice is not served within the time specified, Buyer shall be deemed to have waived this contingency, and this Contract shall 90 remain in full force and effect. Seller agrees to pay any applicable processing/moveout/transferring fees as required by the Association, and Buyer 91 agrees to pay the credit report and move-in fee if required by the Association. If the right of first refusal or similar option is exercised, this Contract 92 shall be null and void and the Earnest Money shall be returned to Buyer, but Seller shall pay the commission pursuant to Paragraph V of the 93 94 General Provisions of this Contract.

11. Disclosures. Buyer has received the following (check yes or no): (a) Residential Real Property Disclosure Report: 🗆 Yes/🗆 No; (b) Heat 95 Disclosure: D Yes/D No; (c) Lead Paint Disclosure and Pamphlet: D Yes/D No; (d) Radon Disclosure and Pamphlet: D Yes/D No; and (e) Zoning 96 Certification  $\Box$  Yes/ $\Box$  No. 97

12. Dual Agency. The Parties confirm that they have previously consented to \_ \_\_ ("Licensee") to act as Dual Agent 98 99 in providing brokerage services on behalf of the Parties and specifically consent to Licensee acting as Dual Agent on the transaction covered by this Contract. 100

Buyer Initials: Buyer Initials:\_\_\_\_\_ Seller Initials:\_\_ Seller Initials: 101

13. Attorney Modification. Within \_\_\_\_\_ business days after the Acceptance Date ("Attorney Approval Period"), the Parties' respective 102 attorneys may propose written modifications to this Contract ("Proposed Modifications") on matters other than the Purchase Price, broker's 103 compensation and dates. Any Proposed Modifications that are set forth in writing and accepted by the other party shall become terms of this Contract 104 as if originally set forth in this Contract. If, within the Attorney Approval Period, the Parties cannot reach agreement regarding the Proposed 105 Modifications, then, at any time after the Attorney Approval Period, either Party may terminate this Contract by written notice to the other Party. In 106 that event, this Contract shall be null and void and the Earnest Money shall be returned to Buyer. IN THE ABSENCE OF DELIVERY OF 107 PROPOSED MODIFICATIONS PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION OF THE ATTORNEY APPROVAL PERIOD, THIS PROVISION SHALL BE 108 DEEMED WAIVED BY ALL PARTIES, AND THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT. 109

14. Inspection. Within \_ \_ business days after the Acceptance Date ("Inspection Period"), Buyer may conduct, at Buyer's sole cost and expense 110 (unless otherwise provided by law) home, radon, environmental, lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards (unless separately waived), wood 111 infestation, and/or mold inspections of the Property ("Inspections") by one or more properly licensed or certified inspection personnel (each, an 112 "Inspector"). The Inspections shall include only major components of the Property, including, without limitation, central heating, central cooling, 113 plumbing, well, and electric systems, roofs, walls, windows, ceilings, floors, appliances, and foundations. A major component shall be deemed to be in 114 operating condition if it performs the function for which it is intended, regardless of age, and does not constitute a health or safety threat. Buyer 115 shall indemnify Seller from and against any loss or damage to the Property or personal injury caused by the Inspections, Buyer, or Buyer's Inspector. 116 Prior to expiration of the Inspection Period, Buyer shall notify Seller or Seller's attorney in writing ("Buyer's Inspection Notice") of any defects 117 118 disclosed by the Inspections that are unacceptable to Buyer, together with a copy of the pertinent pages of the relevant Inspections report. Buyer agrees that minor repairs and maintenance costing less than \$250 shall not constitute defects covered by this Paragraph. If the Parties have not 119 120 reached written agreement resolving the inspection issues within the Inspection Period, then either Party may terminate this Contract by written notice to the other Party. In the event of such notice, this Contract shall be null and void and the Earnest Money shall be returned to Buyer. IN THE 121 ABSENCE OF WRITTEN NOTICE PRIOR TO EXPIRATION OF THE INSPECTION PERIOD, THIS PROVISION SHALL BE DEEMED WAIVED 122 BY ALL PARTIES, AND THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT. 123

124 15. General Provisions and Riders. THIS CONTRACT WILL BECOME A LEGALLY BINDING CONTRACT WHEN SIGNED BY BUYER AND SELLER AND DELIVERED TO BUYER OR BUYER'S DESIGNATED AGENT. THIS CONTRACT INCLUDES THE GENERAL 125 PROVISIONS ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS CONTRACT AND RIDERS (list Rider numbers here) AND 126 (list Addendum numbers here) ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF THIS CONTRACT. 127 ADDENDUM

## [SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

128	OFFER DATE:		_ 20	ACCEPTANCE DATE	202	_ ("Acceptance Date")			
129	BUYER'S INFORMATION:			SELLER'S INFORMATION:					
130	Buyer's Signature:			Seller's Signature:					
131	31 Buyer's Signature:			Seller's Signature:					
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	Buyer's Name(s) (print):			Seller's Name(s) (print):					
133				Address:					
134	City:	State:	Zip:	City:	State:	Zip:			
135	Office Phone:	Home Phone:		Office Phone:	Home Phone:				
136	Fax:	Cell Phone:		Fax:	Cell Phone:				
137	Email Address:			Email Address:					
138 139	The names and addresses set only and subject to change.	t forth below are for	informational purposes	The names and addresses set forth below are for informational purposes only and subject to change.					
140	40 BUYER'S BROKER'S INFORMATION:			SELLER'S BROKER'S INFORMATION:					
141	Designated Agent (print):			Designated Agent Name (pri	int):				
	Agent Identification Number:			Agent Identification Number	r:				
143	Broker Name:	MLS #		Broker Name:	MLS #				
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	Office Address:			Office Address:					
145	City:		•	City:		-			
146	Office Phone:			Office Phone:					
	Fax:			Fax:					
148	Email:			Email:					
149	49 BUYER'S ATTORNEY'S INFORMATION:			SELLER'S ATTORNEY'S INFORMATION:					
150	Attorney Name:			Attorney Name:					
151	Firm:			Firm:					
152	Office Address:			Office Address:					
153	City:				State:				
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157	BUYER'S LENDER'S INF	FORMATION:							
158	Mortgage Broker's Name:								
160	Office Address:								
161	City:								
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## 165 GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Prorations. Rent, interest on existing mortgage, if any, water taxes and other items shall be prorated as of the Closing Date. Security deposits, if any, shall be paid to Buyer at Closing. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in Paragraph 9 of this Contract, if the Property is improved as of the Closing Date, but the last available tax bill is on vacant land, Seller shall place in escrow an amount equal to 2% of the Purchase Price and the Parties shall reprorate taxes within 30 days after the bill on the improved property becomes available.

170 B. Uniform Vendor and Purchaser Risk Act. The provisions of the Uniform Vendor and Purchaser Risk Act of the State of Illinois shall be applicable to this 171 Contract.

C. Title. At least 5 days prior to the Closing Date, Seller shall deliver to Buyer or his agent evidence of merchantable title in the intended grantor by delivering a Commitment for Title Insurance of a title insurance company bearing a date on or subsequent to the Acceptance Date, in the amount of the Purchase Price, subject to no other exceptions than those previously listed within this Contract and to general exceptions contained in the commitment. Delay in delivery by Seller of a Commitment for Title Insurance due to delay by Buyer's mortgagee in recording mortgage and bringing down title shall not be a default of this Contract. Every Commitment for Title Insurance furnished by Seller shall be conclusive evidence of title as shown. If evidence of title discloses other exceptions, Seller shall have 30 days after Seller's receipt of evidence of title to cure the exceptions and notify Buyer accordingly. As to those exceptions that may be removed at Closing by payment of money, Seller may have those exceptions removed at Closing by using the proceeds of the sale.

D. Notice. All notices required by this Contract shall be in writing and shall be served upon the Parties or their attorneys at the addresses provided in this Contract. The mailing of notice by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, shall be sufficient service when the notice is mailed. Notices may also be served by personal delivery or commercial delivery service, by mail-o-gram, telegram, or by the use of a facsimile machine with proof of transmission and a copy of the notice with proof of transmission being sent by regular mail on the date of transmission. In addition, facsimile signatures shall be sufficient for purposes of executing, negotiating, and finalizing this Contract. E-mail notices shall be deemed valid and received by the addressee when delivered by e-mail and opened by the recipient, provided that a copy of the e-mail notice is also sent by regular mail to the recipient on the date of transmission.

Disposition of Earnest Money. In the event of default by Buyer, the Earnest Money, less expenses and commission of the listing broker, shall be paid to 185 Seller. If Seller defaults, the Earnest Money, at the option of Buyer, shall be refunded to Buyer, but such refunding shall not release Seller from the obligations of this 186 187 Contract. In the event of any default, Escrowee shall give written notice to Seller and Buyer indicating Escrowee's intended disposition of the Earnest Money and request Seller's and Buyer's written consent to the Escrowee's intended disposition of the Earnest Money within 30 days after the notice. However, Seller and Buyer acknowledge and agree that if Escrowee is a licensed real estate broker, Escrowee may not distribute the Earnest Money without the joint written direction of Seller and 188 189 Buyer or their authorized agents. If Escrowee is not a licensed real estate broker, Seller and Buyer agree that if neither Party objects, in writing, to the proposed 190 disposition of the Earnest Money within 30 days after the date of the notice, then Escrowee shall proceed to dispense the Earnest Money as previously noticed by 191 Escrowee. If either Seller or Buyer objects to the intended disposition within the 30 day period, or if Escrowee is a licensed real estate broker and does not receive the 192 joint written direction of Seller and Buyer authorizing distribution of the Earnest Money, then the Escrowee may deposit the Earnest Money with the Clerk of the 193 Circuit Court by the filing of an action in the nature of an Interpleader. Escrowee may be reimbursed from the Earnest Money for all costs, including reasonable 194 attorney's fees, related to the filing of the Interpleader and the Parties indemnify and hold Escrowee harmless from any and all claims and demands, including the 195 payment of reasonable attorneys' fees, costs, and expenses arising out of those claims and demands. 196

F. Operational Systems. Seller represents that the heating, plumbing, electrical, central cooling, ventilating systems, appliances, and fixtures on the Property are in working order and will be so at the time of Closing and that the roof is free of leaks and will be so at the time of Closing. Buyer shall have the right to enter the Property during the 48-hour period immediately prior to Closing solely for the purpose of verifying that the operational systems and appliances serving the Property are in working order and that the Property is in substantially the same condition, normal wear and tear excepted, as of the Acceptance Date.

G. Insulation Disclosure Requirements. If the Property is new construction, Buyer and Seller shall comply with all insulation disclosure requirements as provided by the Federal Trade Commission, and Rider 13 is attached.

H. Code Violations. Seller warrants that no notice from any city, village, or other governmental authority of a dwelling code violation that currently exists on the Property has been issued and received by Seller or Seller's agent ("Code Violation Notice"). If a Code Violation Notice is received after the Acceptance Date and before Closing, Seller shall promptly notify Buyer of the Notice.

I. Escrow Closing. At the written request of Seller or Buyer received prior to the delivery of the deed under this Contract, this sale shall be closed through an escrow with a title insurance company, in accordance with the general provisions of the usual form of deed and money escrow agreement then furnished and in use by the title insurance company, with such special provisions inserted in the escrow agreement as may be required to conform with this Contract. Upon the creation of an escrow, payment of Purchase Price and delivery of deed shall be made through the escrow, this Contract and the Earnest Money shall be deposited in the escrow, and the Broker shall be made a party to the escrow with regard to commission due. The cost of the escrow shall be divided equally between Buyer and Seller.

J. Survey. At least 5 days prior to Closing, Seller shall provide Buyer with a survey by a licensed land surveyor dated not more than six months prior to the date of Closing, showing the present location of all improvements. If Buyer or Buyer's mortgagee desires a more recent or extensive survey, the survey shall be obtained at Buyer's expense.

K. Affidavit of Title; ALTA. Seller agrees to furnish to Buyer an affidavit of title subject only to those items set forth in this Contract, and an ALTA form if Required by Buyer's mortgagee, or the title insurance company, for extended coverage.

216 L. Legal Description. The Parties may amend this Contract to attach a complete and correct legal description of the Property.

217 M. RESPA. Buyer and Seller shall make all disclosures and do all things necessary to comply with the applicable provisions of the Real Estate Settlement 218 Procedures Act of 1974, as amended.

N. Transfer Taxes. Seller shall pay the amount of any stamp tax imposed by the state and county on the transfer of title, and shall furnish a completed declaration signed by Seller or Seller's agent in the form required by the state and county, and shall furnish any declaration signed by Seller or Seller's agent or meet other requirements as established by any local ordinance with regard to a transfer or transaction tax. Any real estate transfer tax required by local ordinance shall be paid by the person designated in that ordinance.

223 O. Removal of Personal Property. Seller shall remove from the Property by the Possession Date all debris and Seller's personal property not conveyed by 224 Bill of Sale to Buyer.

P. Surrender. Seller agrees to surrender possession of the Property in the same condition as it is on the Acceptance Date, ordinary wear and tear excepted, subject to Paragraph B of the General Provisions of this Contract. To the extent that Seller fails to comply with this Provision, Seller shall not be responsible for that portion of the total cost related to this violation that is below \$250.00.

228 Q. Time. Time is of the essence for purposes of this Contract.

229 R. Number. Wherever appropriate within this Contract, the singular includes the plural.

S. Flood Plain Insurance. In the event the Property is in a flood plain and flood insurance is required by Buyer's lender, Buyer shall pay for that insurance.

T. Business Days and Time. Any reference in this Contract to "day" or "days" shall mean business days, not calendar days, including Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, and excluding all official federal and state holidays.

U. Patriot Act. Seller and Buyer represent and warrant that they are not acting, directly or indirectly, for or on behalf of any person, group, entity, or nation mamed by Executive Order or the United States Treasury Department as a Specially Designated National and Blocked Person, or other banned or blocked person, entity, nation or transaction pursuant to any law, order, rule or regulation which is enforced or administered by the Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC"), and that they are not engaged in this transaction directly or indirectly on behalf of, or facilitating this transaction directly or behalf of, any such person, group, entity, or nation. Each Party shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the other Party from and against any and all claims, damages, losses, risks, liabilities, and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees and costs) arising from or related to any breach of the foregoing representation and warranty.

V. Brokers. The real estate brokers named in this Contract shall be compensated in accordance with their agreements with their clients and/or any offer of compensation made by the listing broker in a multiple listing service in which the listing and cooperating broker both participate.

241 W. Original Executed Contract. The listing broker shall hold the original fully executed copy of this Contract.

Buyer Initials:\_\_\_\_\_ Buyer Initials:\_\_\_\_

Seller Initials: