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CASE #

C15-2013-0114

ROW #

ROW-11026123

TP-020413-04-13

CITY OF AUSTIN
APPLICATION TO BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT
GENERAL VARIANCE/PARKING VARIANCE

WARNING: Filing of this appeal stops all affected construction activity.

PLEASE: APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED WITH ALL REQUESTED INFORMATION COMPLETED.

STREET ADDRESS: 2920 Garwood Street

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision --

Lot(s) 11 Block 2 Outlot 26-27 Division A Chernosky No

I/We Emilio Surita on behalf of myself/ourselves as authorized agent for

myself affirm that on 9-13, 2013,

hereby apply for a hearing before the Board of Adjustment for consideration to:

(check appropriate items below)

 ERECT ATTACH COMPLETE REMODEL x MAINTAIN

An 8 foot high stone fence along the front side of the house on Garwood Street, and
encroaching into Ramos side street setback

in a SF-3-NP district. (Govalle)
(zoning district)

NOTE: The Board must determine the existence of, sufficiency of and weight of evidence supporting the findings described below. Therefore, you must complete each of the applicable Findings Statements as part of your application. Failure to do so may result in your application being rejected as incomplete. Please attach any additional support documents.

VARIANCE FINDINGS: I contend that my entitlement to the requested variance is based on the following findings (see page 5 of application for explanation of findings):

REASONABLE USE:

1. The zoning regulations applicable to the property do not allow for a reasonable use because:

See attached

HARDSHIP:

2. (a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that:

The fence has already been erected as there was a miscommunication with Nancy Smith (plan review) prior to the construction that no permit was required.

- (b) The hardship is not general to the area in which the property is located because:

See attached

AREA CHARACTER:

3. The variance will not alter the character of the area adjacent to the property, will not impair the use of adjacent conforming property, and will not impair the purpose of the regulations of the zoning district in which the property is located because:

Several properties in the area currently have 8' high fences. The fence is constructed of quality, durable materials and craftsmanship and will not affect nearby property values.

PARKING: (Additional criteria for parking variances only.)

Request for a parking variance requires the Board to make additional findings. The Board may grant a variance to a regulation prescribed Section 479 of Chapter 25-6 with respect to the number of off-street parking spaces or loading facilities required if it makes findings of fact that the following additional circumstances also apply:

1. Neither present nor anticipated future traffic volumes generated by the use of the site or the uses of sites in the vicinity reasonable require strict or literal interpretation and enforcement of the specific regulation because:

n/a

2. The granting of this variance will not result in the parking or loading of vehicles on public streets in such a manner as to interfere with the free flow of traffic of the streets because:

n/a

3. The granting of this variance will not create a safety hazard or any other condition inconsistent with the objectives of this Ordinance because:

n/a

4. The variance will run with the use or uses to which it pertains and shall not run with the site because:

n/a

NOTE: The Board cannot grant a variance that would provide the applicant with a special privilege not enjoyed by others similarly situated or potentially similarly situated.

APPLICANT CERTIFICATE – I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed _____ Mail Address _____

City, State & Zip _____

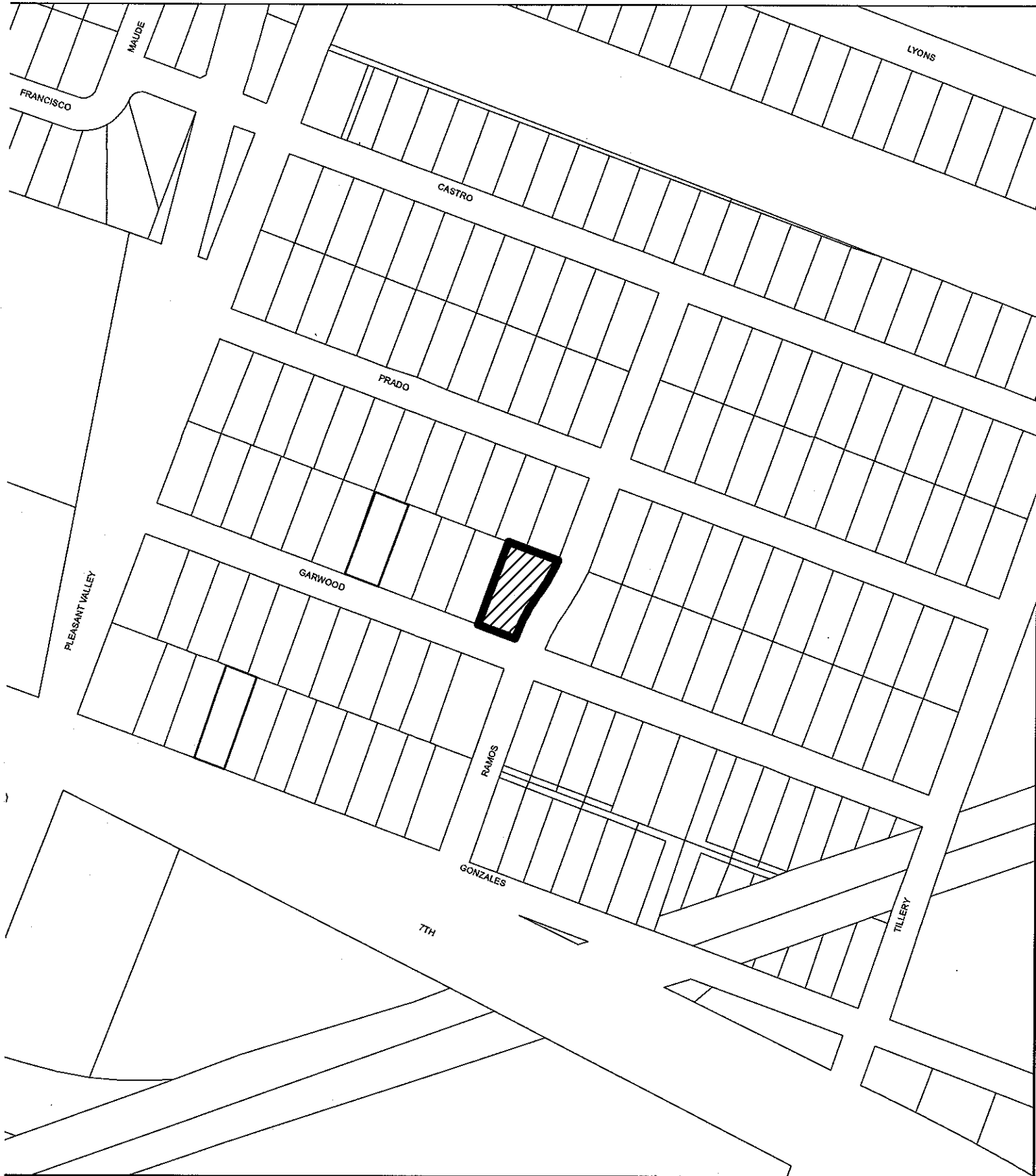
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SUBJECT TRACT



ZONING BOUNDARY

CASE#: C15-2013-0114
LOCATION: 2920 Garwood Street



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To whome it may concern,

I Emilio Surita and Elaine Surita are the property owners of 2920 Garwood Street Austin Texas 78702.

I Emilio Surita have hand built a brick fence 8ft high and 2ft wide in the hot 100°F summer of 2013.

I have several reasons why I have built the brick fence for my home. Not only does it make the community of my neighborhood look more elegant, it keeps the noise of Austins growing city at a minimum. In my neighborhood we are always dealing with multiple factors of noises and fumes.

One example is one of the main traveling streets of East Austin which is East 7th Street and the bridge located south of my home. There are multiple 18 wheelers, busses, and lots of traffic that bring noise with there horns and engines. Second is the fumes from the 18 wheelers and busses and vehicles, especially when the wind blows North. Also keep in mind

that the Capitol Metro company is located South of my home under the East 7th Street bridge. I have grandchildren that have Asthma and are always playing outside in my yard. They have come to me several times complaining about a gas or oil smell. My final but not least reason is the Trains that travel under the East 7th Street bridge. The first route usually runs daily between the hours of 2:00 am - 5:00 am and always blow their horns very loudly awaking myself and scare my grandchildren. The second route is between the hours of 9:00 pm - 11:00 pm also blowing their horns very loudly. In conclusion my grandchildren and family have to be up at 5:00 am for school and work and ~~are~~ where being awoken daily before the wall was built.

I also own the property located at 3004 Garwood Street. In front of that home is also

a fence comparable to my fence at 2920 Garwood Street. Although it is made out of wood and steel. It has made a difference in the noise and fumes entering my home on 3004 Garwood Street where my daughter and newly born grandchild reside.

With that said my fence on 2920 Garwood Street has done magnificent changes to the noise and fumes that come our way. It is built 8ft high 2ft wide and very solid. My family and I are asking to please work something out to help keep our fence up and the noise and fumes out. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me on my cell phone #512-845-2626. My family and I thank you very much for your time and consideration.

Thank You.

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X Emilio Surita Mail Address 2920 Garwood St City, State & Zip _____
Austin, TX 78702

Printed Emilio Surita Phone 512-386-6940 Date 9/17/2013 **OWNERS CERTIFICATE** – I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed Emilio Surita Mail Address 2910 Garwood ST City, _____
State & Zip Austin, TX 78702 Printed Emilio Surita Phone _____
512-386-6940 Date 09-16-2013

7-8 ft from front property line

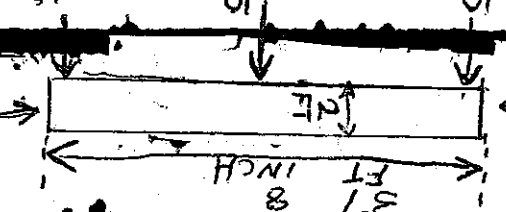
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WARRANTY DEED WITH VENDOR'S LIEN

Date: DECEMBER 14, 1988

Grantor: ALVIN HERNANDEZ AND WIFE, JUANITA HERNANDEZ

4:38 PM 3512

7.00 INDX

1 1 12/20/88

Grantor's Mailing Address (including county): P. O. Box 50, Johnson City, Blanco County, Texas, 78636-23-DOC# 20.18-CHK#

Grantee: EMILIO SURITA AND WIFE, ELAINE SURITA

Grantee's Mailing Address (including county): 3304 Garwood, Austin, Travis County, Texas, 78702

PARCEL # 20413-0413

Consideration: Ten and No/100-(\$10.00)-Dollars and other valuable consideration to the undersigned paid by the grantee herein named, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and the further consideration of the execution and delivery by Grantees of their one certain promissory note of even date herewith in the principal amount of TWELVE THOUSAND AND NO/100-(\$12,000.00)-DOLLARS, payable to the order of Grantor as therein provided and bearing interest at the rate therein specified, and providing for acceleration of maturity in the event of default and for attorney's fees, the payment of which note is secured by the vendor's lien herein retained, and is additionally secured by a Deed of Trust of even date herewith to J. B. Stevenson, Jr., Trustee.

REAL PROPERTY RECORDS
TRAVIS COUNTY, TEXAS

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Property (including any improvements):

BEING Lot No. 11, Block "2", of Chernosky Subdivision No. 11, a subdivision in Travis County, Texas, according to the map or plat of record in Volume 4, Page 219, Plat Records of Travis County, Texas.

Reservations from and Exceptions to Conveyance and Warranty:

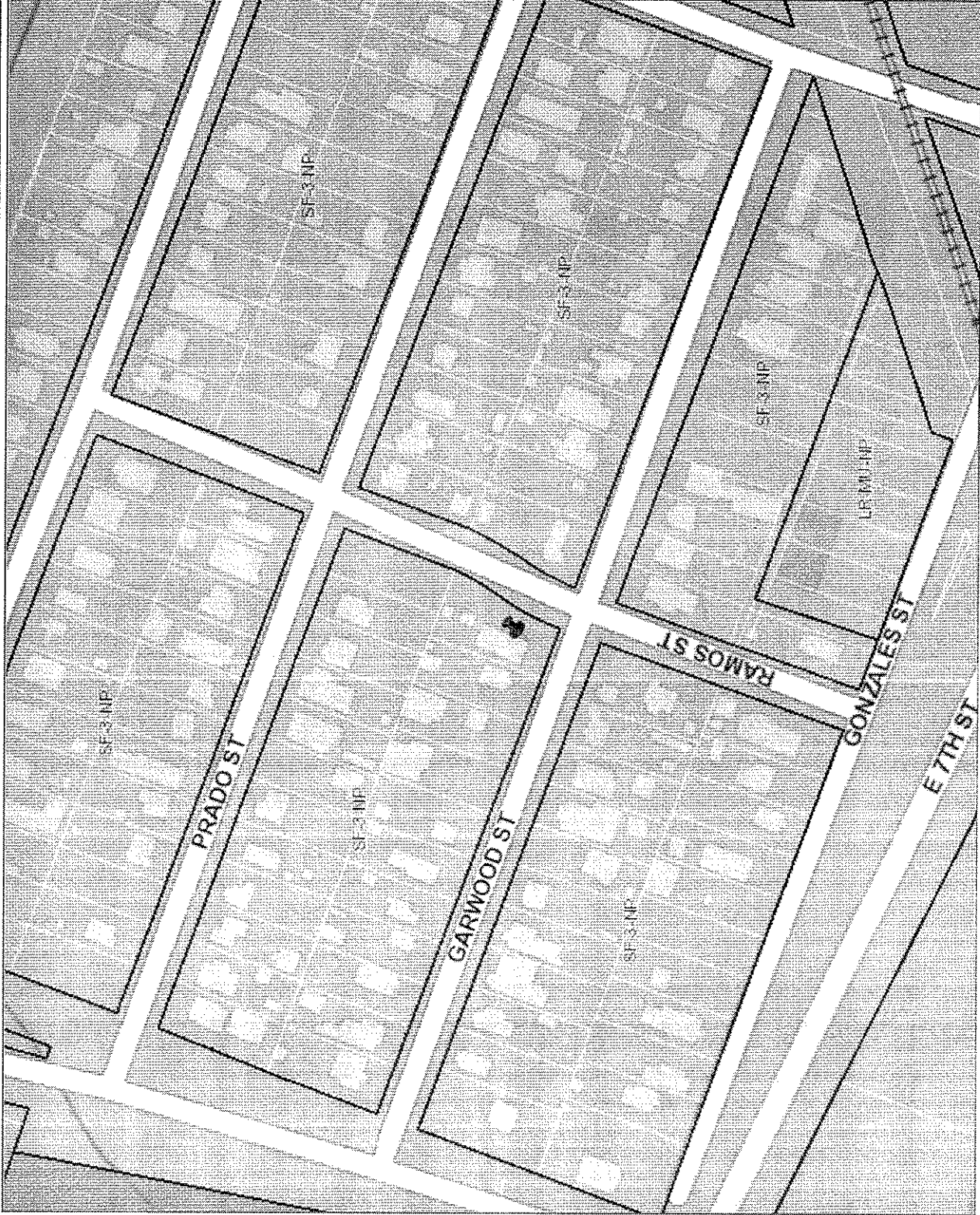
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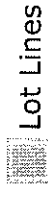
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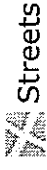
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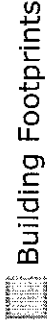
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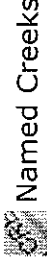
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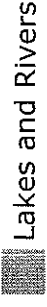
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Zoning (Large Map Scale)

Railroad tracks

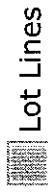
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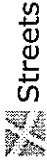
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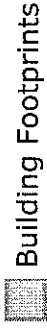
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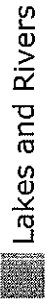
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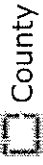
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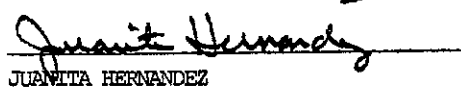


Grantor, for the consideration and subject to the reservations from and exceptions to conveyance and warranty, grants, sells, and conveys to Grantee the property, together with all and singular the rights and appurtenances thereto in any wise belonging, to have and hold it to Grantee, Grantee's heirs, executors, administrators, successors, or assigns forever. Grantor hereby binds Grantor and Grantor's heirs, executors, administrators, and successors to warrant and forever defend all and singular the property to Grantee and Grantee's heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, against every person whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof, except as to the reservations from and exceptions to warranty.

The vendor's lien against and superior title to the property are retained until each note described is fully paid according to its terms, at which time this deed shall become absolute.

When the context requires, singular nouns and pronouns include the plural.

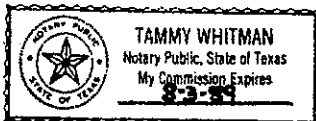
Executed the above mentioned date.



ALVIN HERNANDEZ

JUANITA HERNANDEZ

(Acknowledgment)

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Burnet

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the 15th day of December, 1988
by Alvin Hernandez and wife, Juanita Hernandez.




Notary Public, State of Texas
Notary's name (printed): Tammy Whitman
Notary's commission expires: 8-2-89

(Corporate Acknowledgment)

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the _____ day of _____, 19____
by _____ of _____
a _____ corporation, on behalf of said corporation.

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DANA DE BEAUVOIR
COUNTY CLERK
TRAVIS COUNTY, TEXAS

Notary Public, State of Texas
Notary's name (printed): DEC 20 1988

Notary's commission expires: _____

COUNTY CLERK
TRAVIS COUNTY, TEXAS

AFTER RECORDING RETURN TO:
Service Title Company
of Burnet County, Inc.
Box 249
Marble Falls, Tx 78654

PREPARED IN THE LAW OFFICE OF:
J. B. Stevenson, Jr.
Box 900
Marble Falls, Tx 78654

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