

## **SUBORDINATION AGREEMENT**

This Subordination Agreement is made and entered into this 14th day of September, 2010 by and between R. Barry Clements and S. Clare Clements a Married Couple (herein referred to individually as the "Borrower" and collectively as the "Borrowers"), and Oakworth Capital Bank, a State bank (herein referred to as the "Lender").

## **RECITALS**

Borrowers executed and delivered a Mortgage (herein referred to as "Second Mortgage") to the Lender covering the property located in <u>Shelby</u> County, Alabama, described below and made a part hereof, in the amount of <u>\$200,000.00</u>, dated <u>July 21, 2009</u>, and filed on <u>September 10, 2009</u>, and recorded in Land Records <u>20090910000347480</u>, and Modification Agreement – Mortgage in the amount of <u>\$300,000.00</u> dated <u>May 6, 2010</u>, and filed on <u>May 28, 2010</u>, and recorded in Land Records <u>20100528000169820</u>, in the Probate Office of <u>Shelby</u> Alabama:

Situated in the County of Shelby and State of Alabama: Lot E, according to the Survey of Brook Ridge Estates, as recorded in Map Book 17, Page 133, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama. (herein referred to as the "Property").

<u>SouthFirst Bank</u> is making a first mortgage loan to the Borrowers in the principal amount of <u>\$314,500.00</u> (herein referred to as the "First Mortgage"). It is a condition that to <u>SouthFirst Bank</u> making a loan to the Borrowers that the First Mortgage shall be and remain a lien or charge on the property described above be prior to and superior to the Second Mortgage from Lender to Borrowers.

SouthFirst Bank is willing to make such loan provided its First Mortgage is a lien prior to and superior to the lien of the Second Mortgage to Lender from Borrowers, and provided Lender will specifically and unconditionally subordinate the lien on its Second Mortgage described above to the First Mortgage of SouthFirst Bank. Lender has agreed to subordinate its Second Mortgage as provided here in.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and other valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and in order to induce <u>SouthFirst Bank</u> to make the loan above referred to, above, it is hereby agreed as follows:

- 1. <u>SUBORDINATION</u>: The First Mortgage securing the Note in favor of <u>SouthFirst Bank</u> referred to above, and any renewals or extensions of same, and the Note secured thereby, shall be and remain at all time a lien on the Property prior to and superior to the lien of the Second Mortgage from Borrowers to Lender.
- 2. <u>ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SUBORDINATION</u>: Lender hereby acknowledges and specifically waives, relinquishes, and subordinates the priority and superlority of its Second Mortgage upon the Property to <u>SouthFirst Bank</u>, and its understands that in reliance upon and in consideration of this waiver, relinquishment, and subordination, loans and advances are being made to Borrowers. <u>SouthFirst Bank</u> acknowledges that advances under the First Mortgage would not be made or entered into but for such reliance upon this waiver, relinquishment, and subordination.

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3. **BINDING EFFECT**: This agreement shall inure to the benefit and be binding upon the legal representatives, heirs, devisees, successors, and assigns of the parties.

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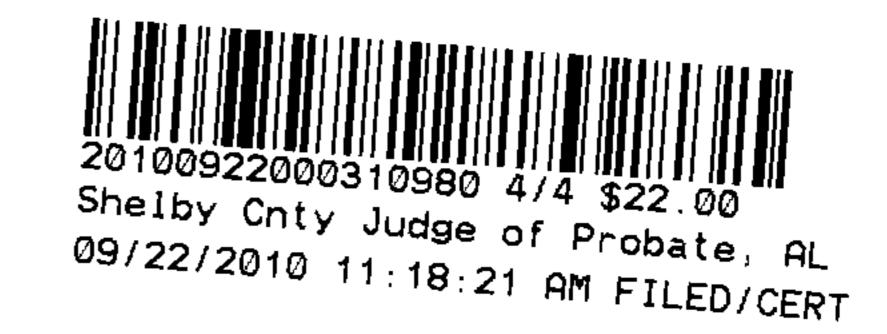
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have set their hands and seals on the day and year first written above.

	R. Barry Clements  S. Clare Clements  [SEAL]
STATE OF ALABAMA ) COUNTY OF JEFFERSON )	
Clements and S. Clare Clements, a Married Couple	ged before me on this day that, being informed of the
Given under my hand and official seal this	14th day of <u>September, 2010</u> .
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have set their hands and seals on the day and year first written above.

Oakworth Capital Bank, a State bank

**Forest Whatley** 

Its: Managing Director

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON

I, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that <u>Forest Whatley</u>, whose name as Managing Director, of Oakworth Capital Bank, is signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he as such officer and with full authority, executed the same as the act of said bank.

Given under my hand and official seal this <u>14th</u> day of <u>September, 2010</u>

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NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:\_

MOTARY FULLIAN MY COMMISSION EXPINED AND BONDED THRU NOTARY FUELS UPILE.

M.C.