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3009 Firefighter Lane
Birmingham, AL 35209

Send Tax Notice to:
Douglas & Cheryl Bryson
363 Highland View Drive
Birmingham, AL 35242

GENERAL WARRANTY DEED
With Right of Survivorship

State of Alabama
County of Shelby

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that for and in consideration of ONE MILLION THREE HUNDRED SEVENTY FIVE THOUSAND AND 00/100 (\$1,375,000.00), and other good and valuable consideration in hand paid to Floyd R. Merrill, Jr., a single person (hereinafter referred to as "Grantor(s)"), the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, by the Douglas M. Bryson and Cheryl L. Bryson, a married couple (hereinafter referred to as "Grantee(s)"), Grantor(s) hereby GRANT(S), BARGAIN(S), SELL(S) and CONVEY(S) unto Grantee(s), for and during their joint lives as joint tenants with rights of survivorship and upon the death of either of them, then to the survivor of them in fee simple, together with every contingent remainder or right of reversion, the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot 30-16, according to the Map of Highland Lakes, 30th Sector, an Eddleman Community, as recorded in Map Book 34, Page 116, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama; being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Together with nonexclusive easement to use the private roadways, common areas, all as more particularly described in the Declaration of Easement and Master Protective Covenants for Highland Lakes, a Residential Subdivision, recorded as Instrument No. 1994-07111 and amended in Instrument No. 1996-17543 and Instrument No. 1999-31095 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, and the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Highland Lakes, a Residential Subdivision, 30th Sector, as recorded in Instrument No. 20050531000260070, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama (which, together with all amendments thereto, is hereinafter collectively referred to as, the "Declaration").

Subject to easements, set back lines, restrictions, covenants, mineral and mining rights and current taxes due.

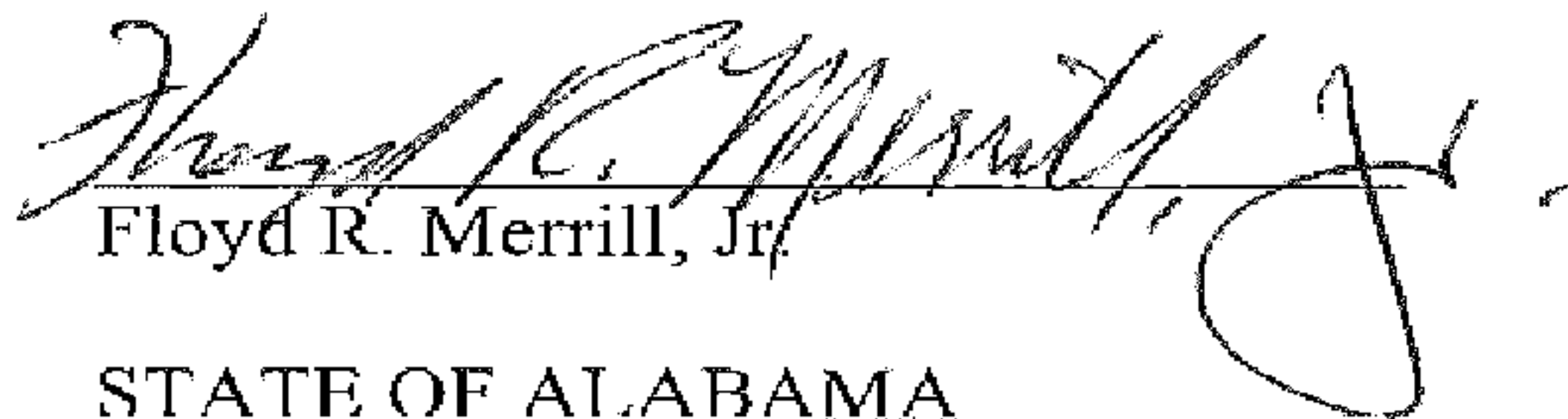
\$None of the above consideration was secured by and through a purchase money mortgage closed and recorded herewith.

TO HAVE AND HOLD to the said Grantees for and during their joint lives as joint tenants and upon the death of either of them, then to the survivor of them in fee simple, and to the heirs and assigns of such survivor forever, together with every contingent remainder and right of reversion.

AND Grantor(s) for themselves, and for the heirs and assigns of the Grantor(s), hereby covenants and warrants to and with said Grantee(s), Grantee's heirs and assigns, that the Grantor(s) is seized of an indefeasible estate in fee simple in and to said real property, and has a good and lawful right to sell and convey the same, and that the Grantor(s) is in quiet and peaceable possession of said real property, and that said real property is free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, unless otherwise noted herein and/or incorporated herein by reference, and Grantor(s) does hereby WARRANT and will forever DEFEND the

title to said real property, unto said Grantee(s), and Grantee's heirs and assigns, against the lawful claims and demands of all persons whomsoever.

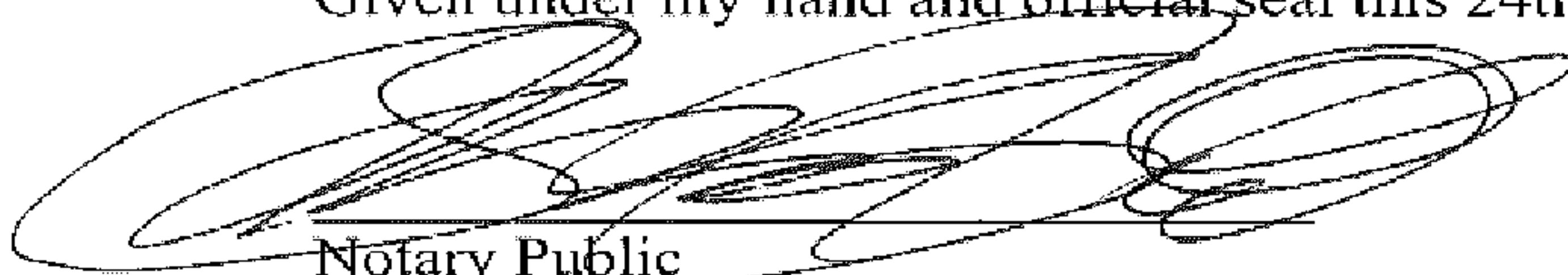
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantor(s) has set the hand and seal of the Grantor(s) on this, the 24th day of April, 2023.

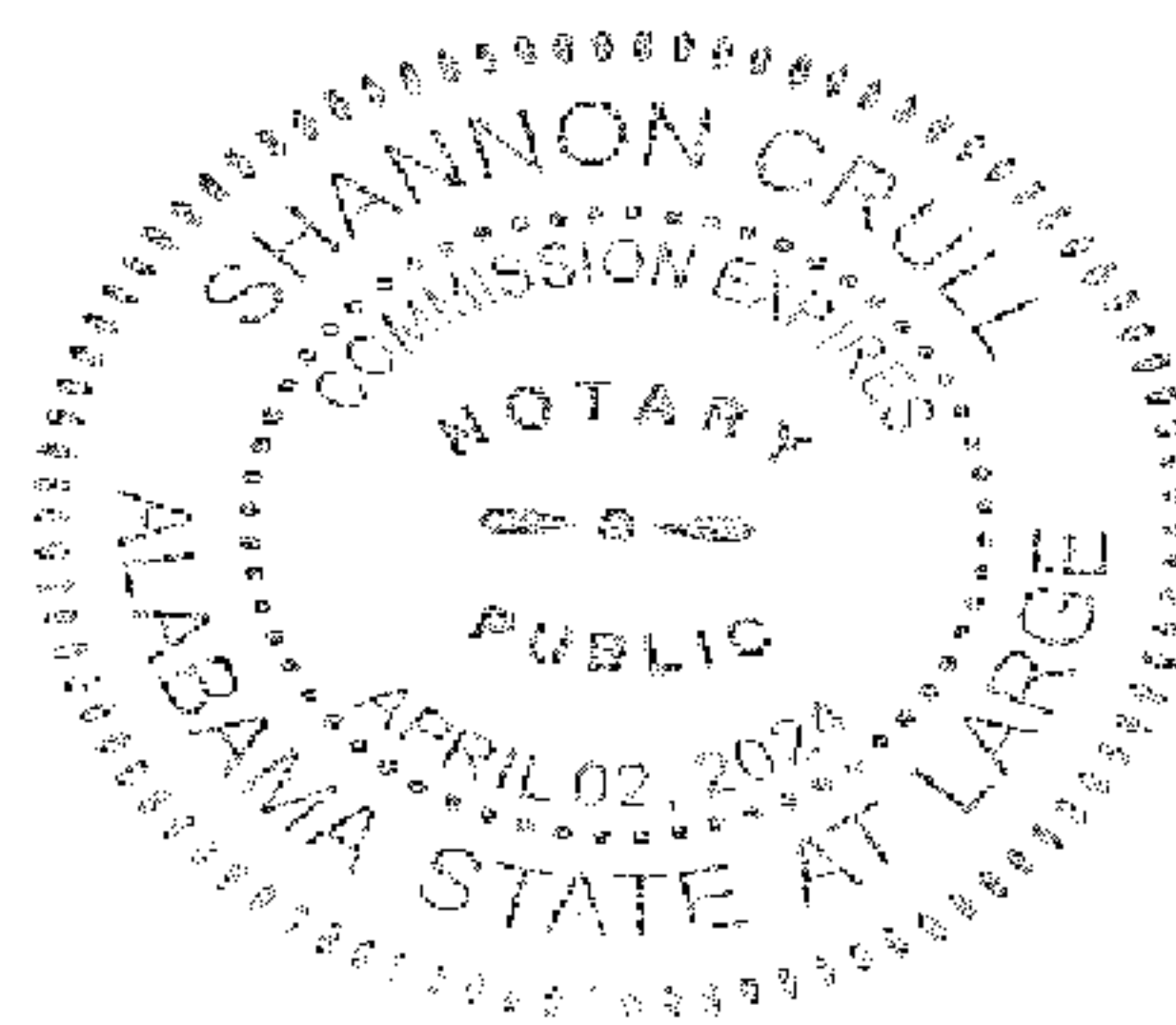

Floyd R. Merrill, Jr.

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON

I, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County and State, hereby certify that Floyd R. Merrill, Jr. whose name(s) is/are signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the conveyance, (s)he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal this 24th day of April, 2023.


Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 4/2/24



Real Estate Sales Validation Form*This Document must be filed in accordance with Code of Alabama 1975, Section 40-22-1*Grantor's Name Floyd R. Merrill, Jr.Grantee's Name Douglas M. Bryson and Cheryl L. BrysonMailing Address 540 El Camino Real
Chelsea, ALMailing Address 363 Highland View Drive
Birmingham, AL 35242Property Address 363 Highland View Drive
Birmingham, AL 35242Date of Sale April 24, 2023Total Purchase Price \$1,375,000.00

Or

Actual Value \$ _____

Or

Assessor's Market Value \$ _____

The purchase price or actual value claimed on this form can be verified in the following documentary evidence: (check one) (Recordation of documentary evidence is not required)

☐ Bill of Sale
☒ Sales Contract
☒ Closing Statement

☐ Appraisal
☐ Other: _____

If the conveyance document presented for recordation contains all of the required information referenced above, the filing of this form is not required.

Instructions

Grantor's name and mailing address - provide the name of the person or persons conveying interest to property and their current mailing address.

Grantee's name and mailing address - provide the name of the person or persons to whom interest to property is being conveyed.

Property address - the physical address of the property being conveyed, if available. Date of Sale - the date on which interest to the property was conveyed.

Total purchase price - the total amount paid for the purchase of the property, both real and personal, being conveyed by the instrument offered for record.

Actual value - if the property is not being sold, the true value of the property, both real and personal, being conveyed by the instrument offered for record. This may be evidenced by an appraisal conducted by a licensed appraiser or the assessor's current market value.

If no proof is provided and the value must be determined, the current estimate of fair market value, excluding current use valuation, of the property as determined by the local official charged with the responsibility of valuing property for property tax purposes will be used and the taxpayer will be penalized pursuant to Code of Alabama 1975 § 40-22-1 (h).

I attest, to the best of my knowledge and belief that the information contained in this document is true and accurate. I further understand that any false statements claimed on this form may result in the imposition of the penalty indicated in Code of Alabama 1975 § 40-22-1 (h).

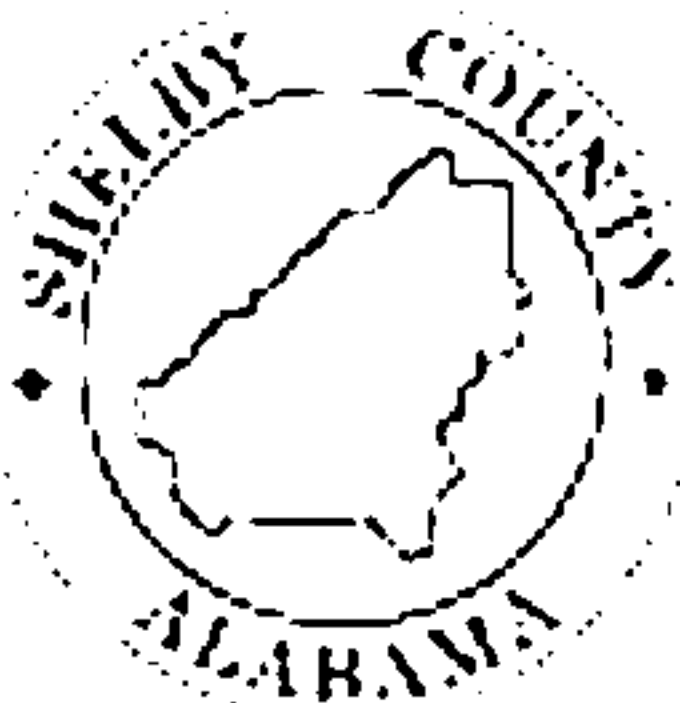
Date 4/24/23Print Shannon Crull

Unattested _____

(verified by)

Sign _____

(Grantor/Grantee/ Owner/Agent) circle one



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