

SELLER'S DISCLOSURE NOTICE

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Section 5.008, Property Code requires a seller of residential property of not more than one dwelling unit to deliver a Seller's Disclosure Notice to a buyer on or before the effective date of a contract. This form complies with and contains additional disclosures which exceed the minimum disclosures required by the Code.

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Single Blockable Main Drain in Pool/Hot

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Previous Use of Premises for Manufacture

Previous Other Structural Repairs

Concernin	the Property at San Marcos, TX 78666	
If the ansy	er to any of the items in Section 3 is yes, explain (attach additional sheets if necessary):	
Section 4.	Are you (Seller) aware of any item, equipment, or system in or on the Property that is in need of repair, not been previously disclosed in this notice?yesno If yes, explain (attach additional sheets if	
	Are you (Seller) aware of any of the following conditions?* (Mark Yes (Y) if you are aware and check eartly as applicable. Mark No (N) if you are not aware.)	
<u>Y N</u>	Present flood insurance coverage.	
	Previous flooding due to a failure or breach of a reservoir or a controlled or emergency release of water from a reservoir.	
	Previous flooding due to a natural flood event.	
	Previous water penetration into a structure on the Property due to a natural flood.	
	Located wholly partly in a 100-year floodplain (Special Flood Hazard Area-Zone A, V, A99, AE, AO, AH, VE, or AR).	
	Located wholly partly in a 500-year floodplain (Moderate Flood Hazard Area-Zone X (shaded)).	
_ /	Located wholly partly in a floodway.	
/	Located wholly partly in a flood pool.	
	Located wholly partly in a reservoir.	
If the answ	er to any of the above is yes, explain (attach additional sheets as necessary): - posture has approximately 4 across in designated 100 year - ine we have mey seen stending water in Met area in 27 year	n ears
*if Ru	er is concerned about these matters, Buyer may consult information About Flood Hazards (TXR 1414).	
	oses of this notice:	
which	ar floodplain" means any area of land that: (A) is identified on the flood insurance rate map as a special flood hazard area, designated as Zone A, V, A99, AE, AO, AH, VE, or AR on the map; (B) has a one percent annual chance of flooding, considered to be a high risk of flooding; and (C) may include a regulatory floodway, flood pool, or reservoir.	
area, v	ar floodplain" means any area of land that: (A) is identified on the flood insurance rate map as a moderate flood hazard nich is designated on the map as Zone X (shaded); and (B) has a two-tenths of one percent annual chance of flooding, considered to be a moderate risk of flooding.	

"Flood pool" means the area adjacent to a reservoir that lies above the normal maximum operating level of the reservoir and that is subject to controlled inundation under the management of the United States Army Corps of Engineers.

"Flood insurance rate map" means the most recent flood hazard map published by the Federal Emergency Management Agency under the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. Section 4001 et seq.).

"Floodway" means an area that is identified on the flood insurance rate map as a regulatory floodway, which includes the channel of a river or other watercourse and the adjacent land areas that must be reserved for the discharge of a base flood, also referred to as a 100-year flood, without cumulatively increasing the water surface elevation more than a designated height.

"Reservoir" means a water impoundment project operated by the United	States Army Corps of Engineers that is intended to retain
water or delay the runoff of water in a designated surface area of land.	

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provider,	i. Have you (Seller) ever filed a claim for flood damage to the Property with any insurance including the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)?*yes no If yes, explain (attach additiona necessary):
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Administ	T. Have you (Seller) ever received assistance from FEMA or the U.S. Small Business ration (SBA) for flood damage to the Property? ✓ yes _ no If yes, explain (attach additional sheets as //):
	. Are you (Seller) aware of any of the following? (Mark Yes (Y) if you are aware. Mark No (N) if you are
<u> </u>	Room additions, structural modifications, or other alterations or repairs made without necessary permits, with unresolved permits, or not in compliance with building codes in effect at the time.
<u>N</u>	Homeowners' associations or maintenance fees or assessments. If yes, complete the following: Name of association:
	Manager's name: Fees or assessments are: \$ per and are: mandatory voluntary Any unpaid fees or assessment for the Property? yes (\$) no If the Property is in more than one association, provide information about the other associations below or attach information to this notice.
<u>N</u>	Any common area (facilities such as pools, tennis courts, walkways, or other) co-owned in undivided interest with others. If yes, complete the following: Any optional user fees for common facilities charged? yes no If yes, describe:
_ <u>N</u>	Any notices of violations of deed restrictions or governmental ordinances affecting the condition or use of the Property.
	Any lawsuits or other legal proceedings directly or indirectly affecting the Property. (Includes, but is not limited to: divorce, foreclosure, heirship, bankruptcy, and taxes.)
_ <u>\</u>	Any death on the Property except for those deaths caused by: natural causes, suicide, or accident unrelated to the condition of the Property.
$-\frac{}{}$	Any condition on the Property which materially affects the health or safety of an individual.
_ Ŋ	Any repairs or treatments, other than routine maintenance, made to the Property to remediate environmental hazards such as asbestos, radon, lead-based paint, urea-formaldehyde, or mold. If yes, attach any certificates or other documentation identifying the extent of the remediation (for example, certificate of mold remediation or other remediation).
_ <u> </u>	Any rainwater harvesting system located on the Property that is larger than 500 gallons and that uses a public water supply as an auxiliary water source.
_ <u>\</u>	The Property is located in a propane gas system service area owned by a propane distribution system retailer.
_ N	Any portion of the Property that is located in a groundwater conservation district or a subsidence district.
If the answ	ver to any of the items in Section 8 is yes, explain (attach additional sheets if necessary):
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	Estate, LLC, 2918 Dreibrodt Rd. Sam Murcos TX 78666 Phote: #30.305.0699 Fax: 490 Vogel Ln Produced with Lone Wolf Transactions (zipForm Edition) 717 N Harwood St, Suite 2200, Dallas, TX 75201 www.lwolf.com

Concerning the Prop	perty at	490 Vogel Ln San Marcos, TX 78666						
persons who reg	ularly provid	le inspections and/v		en inspection reports from as inspectors or otherwise aplete the following:				
Inspection Date	Туре	Name of Inspec	tor	No. of Pages				
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Section 13. Does to requirements of Ch (Attach additional sh	napter 766 of t	he Health and Safety C	tectors installed in accordant ode?* unknown no ;	nce with the smoke detector yes. If no or unknown, explain.				
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Seller acknowledges the broker(s) has ins	s that the stater structed or influ	enced Seller to provide in	naccurate information or to omi	l of				
Signature of Seller Printed Name:	DONAL S	Frew Sager	Signature of Seller Printed Name:	Sahol				
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ADDITIONAL NOTICES TO BUYER:

- (1) The Texas Department of Public Safety maintains a database that the public may search, at no cost, to determine if registered sex offenders are located in certain zip code areas. To search the database, visit www.txdps.state.tx.us. For information concerning past criminal activity in certain areas or neighborhoods, contact the local police department.
- (2) If the Property is located in a coastal area that is seaward of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway or within 1.000 feet of the mean high tide bordering the Gulf of Mexico, the Property may be subject to the Open Beaches Act or the Dune Protection Act (Chapter 61 or 63, Natural Resources Code, respectively) and a beachfront construction certificate or dune protection permit may be required for repairs or improvements. Contact the local government with ordinance authority over construction adjacent to public beaches for more information.
- (3) If the Property is located in a seacoast territory of this state designated as a catastrophe area by the Commissioner of the Texas Department of Insurance, the Property may be subject to additional requirements to obtain or continue windstorm and hail insurance. A certificate of compliance may be required for repairs or improvements to the Property. For more information, please review Information Regarding Windstorm and Hail Insurance for Certain Properties (TXR 2518) and contact the Texas Department of Insurance or the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association.
- (4) This Property may be located near a military installation and may be affected by high noise or air installation compatible use zones or other operations. Information relating to high noise and compatible use zones is available in the most recent Air Installation Compatible Use Zone Study or Joint Land Use Study prepared for a military installation and may be accessed on the Internet website of the military installation and of the county and any municipality in which the military installation is located.
- (5) If you are basing your offers on square footage, measurements, or boundaries, you should have those items independently measured to verify any reported information.

Electric: LeVE C	phone #:	
Sewer:	phone #:	
Water: Crystal Clear	phone #:	
Cable: DISK	phone #:	
Trash: Dest Waste	phone #:	
Natural Gas:	phone #:	
Phone Company:	phone #:	
Propane:	phone #:	
Internet: CeVEC	phone #:	

(7) This Seller's Disclosure Notice was completed by Seller as of the date signed. The brokers have relied on this notice as true and correct and have no reason to believe it to be false or inaccurate. YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO HAVE AN INSPECTOR OF YOUR CHOICE INSPECT THE PROPERTY.

The undersigned Buyer acknowledges receipt of the foregoing notice.

(6) The following providers currently provide service to the Property:

Signature of Buyer		Date	Signature of Buyer	Date
Printed Name:			Printed Name:	
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INFORMATION ABOUT ON-SITE SEWER FACILITY

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A. DESCRIF	TION OF ON-SITE SEWER FACILITY	Y ON PROPERTY:	
(1) Type	of Treatment System: Septic Tank	Aerobic Treatment	Unknown
(2) Type	of Distribution System:Latera	e Lines	Unknown
(3) Appro	ximate Location of Drain Field or Distri	bution System: Sunthside	of hause Unknown
(4) Installe	main time to septicimate Age: Time inspected in	tem in 2008 + replication in Jax and entire	Jaced Unknown by Quarter Unknown
B. MAINTEN	ANCE INFORMATION:		
If yes, Phone: Mainter sewer i	er aware of any maintenance contract name of maintenance contractor: cont nance contracts must be in effect to operate facilities.) imate date any tanks were last pumper aware of any defect or malfunction in	ract expiration date: perate aerobic treatment and cere ad?	tain non-standard" on-site
(4) Does So	explain: eller have manufacturer or warranty in MATERIALS, PERMITS, AND CON	formation available for review?	☐Yes ☑No
(1) The folk	owing items concerning the on-site seing materials permit for original interest contract manufacturer info	wer facility are attached: nstallation	when OSSF was installed None
(2) "Plannin submitte	g materials" are the supporting ma d to the permitting authority in order to	terials that describe the on-si o obtain a permit to install the or	te sewer facility that are n-site sewer facility.
	be necessary for a buyer to hared to the buyer.	M	P. m. C
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D. INFORMATION FROM GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES: Pamphlets describing on-site sewer facilities are available from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Information in the following table was obtained from Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) on 10/24/2002. The table estimates daily wastewater usage rates. Actual water usage data or other methods for calculating may be used if accurate and acceptable to TCEQ.

<u>Facility</u>	Usage (gal/day) without water- saving devices	Usage (gal/day) with water- saving devices
		400
Single family dwelling (1-2 bedrooms; less than 1,500 sf)	225	180
Single family dwelling (3 bedrooms; less than 2,500 sf)	300	240
Single family dwelling (4 bedrooms; less than 3,500 sf)	375	300
Single family dwelling (5 bedrooms; less than 4,500 sf)	450	360
Single family dwelling (6 bedrooms; less than 5,500 sf)	525	420
Mobile home, condo, or townhouse (1-2 bedroom)	225	180
Mobile home, condo, or townhouse (each add'l bedroom)	75	60

This document is not a substitute for any inspections or warranties. This document was completed to the best of Seller's knowledge and belief on the date signed. Seller and real estate agents are not experts about on-site sewer facilities. Buyer is encouraged to have the on-site sewer facility inspected by an inspector of Buyer's choice.

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Date

Signature of Seller

Rebecca M Sahd

Date

Receipt acknowledged by:

Signature of Buver

Date

Signature of Buyer

Date



Information About Brokerage Services

Texas law requires all real estate licensees to give the following information about brokerage services to prospective buyers, tenants, sellers and landlords.

TYPES OF REAL ESTATE LICENSE HOLDERS:

- A BROKER is responsible for all brokerage activities, including acts performed by sales agents sponsored by the broker.
- A SALES AGENT must be sponsored by a broker and works with clients on behalf of the broker.

A BROKER'S MINIMUM DUTIES REQUIRED BY LAW (A client is the person or party that the broker represents):

- Put the interests of the client above all others, including the broker's own interests;
- Inform the client of any material information about the property or transaction received by the broker:
- Answer the client's questions and present any offer to or counter-offer from the client; and
- Treat all parties to a real estate transaction honestly and fairly.

A LICENSE HOLDER CAN REPRESENT A PARTY IN A REAL ESTATE TRANSACTION:

AS AGENT FOR OWNER (SELLER/LANDLORD): The broker becomes the property owner's agent through an agreement with the owner, usually in a written listing to sell or property management agreement. An owner's agent must perform the broker's minimum duties above and must inform the owner of any material information about the property or transaction known by the agent, including information disclosed to the agent or subagent by the buyer or buyer's agent.

AS AGENT FOR BUYER/TENANT: The broker becomes the buyer/tenant's agent by agreeing to represent the buyer, usually through a written representation agreement. A buyer's agent must perform the broker's minimum duties above and must inform the buyer of any material information about the property or transaction known by the agent, including information disclosed to the agent by the seller or seller's agent.

AS AGENT FOR BOTH - INTERMEDIARY: To act as an intermediary between the parties the broker must first obtain the written agreement of each party to the transaction. The written agreement must state who will pay the broker and, in conspicuous bold or underlined print, set forth the broker's obligations as an intermediary. A broker who acts as an intermediary:

- Must treat all parties to the transaction impartially and fairly;
- May, with the parties' written consent, appoint a different license holder associated with the broker to each party (owner and buyer) to communicate with, provide opinions and advice to, and carry out the instructions of each party to the transaction.
- Must not, unless specifically authorized in writing to do so by the party, disclose:
 - that the owner will accept a price less than the written asking price:
 - that the buyer/tenant will pay a price greater than the price submitted in a written offer; and
 - any confidential information or any other information that a party specifically instructs the broker in writing not to disclose, unless required to do so by law.

AS SUBAGENT: A license holder acts as a subagent when aiding a buyer in a transaction without an agreement to represent the buyer. A subagent can assist the buyer but does not represent the buyer and must place the interests of the owner first.

TO AVOID DISPUTES, ALL AGREEMENTS BETWEEN YOU AND A BROKER SHOULD BE IN WRITING AND CLEARLY ESTABLISH:

- The broker's duties and responsibilities to you, and your obligations under the representation agreement,
- Who will pay the broker for services provided to you, when payment will be made and how the payment will be calculated.

LICENSE HOLDER CONTACT INFORMATION: This notice is being provided for information purposes. It does not create an obligation for you to use the broker's services. Please acknowledge receipt of this notice below and retain a copy for your records.

Corner Post Real Estate, LLC	591006	Katie@CornerPostRealEstate.com	(830)305-0699
Licensed Broker /Broker Firm Name or Primary Assumed Business Name	License No.	Email	Phone
Katie Clark	590071	Katie@CornerPostRealEstate.com	(830)305-0699
Designated Broker of Firm	License No.	Email	Phone
Licensed Supervisor of Sales Agent/ Associate	License No.	Email	Phone
Katie Clark		Katie@CornerPostRealEstate.com	830.305.0699
Sales Agent/Associate's Name	License No.	Email	Phone
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INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS

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CONCERNING THE PROPERTY AT	490 Vogel Ln San Marcos, TX 78666

A. FLOOD AREAS:

- (1) The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) designates areas that have a high risk of flooding as special flood hazard areas.
- (2) A property that is in a special flood hazard area is designated on flood insurance rate maps with a zone beginning in a "V" or "A". Both V-Zone and A-Zone areas indicate a high risk of flooding.
- (3) Some properties may also lie in the "floodway" which is the channel of a river or other watercourse and the adjacent land areas that must be reserved in order to discharge a flood under FEMA rules. Communities must regulate development in these floodways.

B. AVAILABILITY OF FLOOD INSURANCE:

- (1) Generally, flood insurance is available regardless of whether the property is located in or out of a special flood hazard area. Contact your insurance agent to determine if any limitations or restrictions apply to the property in which you are interested.
- (2) FEMA encourages every property owner to purchase flood insurance regardless of whether the property is in a high, moderate, or low risk flood area.
- (3) A homeowner may obtain flood insurance coverage (up to certain limits) through the National Flood Insurance Program. Supplemental coverage is available through private insurance carriers.
- (4) A mortgage lender making a federally related mortgage will require the borrower to maintain flood insurance if the property is in a special flood hazard area.

C. GROUND FLOOR REQUIREMENTS:

- (1) Many homes in special flood hazard areas are built-up or are elevated. In elevated homes the ground floor typically lies below the base flood elevation and the first floor is elevated on piers, columns, posts, or piles. The base flood elevation is the highest level at which a flood is likely to occur as shown on flood insurance rate maps.
- (2) Federal, state, county, and city regulations:
 - (a) restrict the use and construction of any ground floor enclosures in elevated homes that are in special flood hazard areas.
 - (b) may prohibit or restrict the remodeling, rebuilding, and redevelopment of property and improvements in the floodway.
- (3) The first floor of all homes must now be built above the base flood elevation.
 - (a) Older homes may have been built in compliance with applicable regulations at the time of construction and may have first floors that lie below the base flood elevation, but flood insurance rates for such homes may be significant.

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- (b) It is possible that modifications were made to a ground floor enclosure after a home was first built. The modifications may or may not comply with applicable regulations and may or may not affect flood insurance rates.
- (c) It is important for a buyer to determine if the first floor of a home is elevated at or above the base flood elevation. It is also important for a buyer to determine if the property lies in a floodway.
- (4) Ground floor enclosures that lie below the base flood elevation may be used only for: (i) parking; (ii) storage; and (iii) building access. Plumbing, mechanical, or electrical items in ground floor enclosures that lie below the base flood elevation may be prohibited or restricted and may not be eligible for flood insurance coverage. Additionally:
 - (a) in A-Zones, the ground floor enclosures below the base flood elevation must have flow-through vents or openings that permit the automatic entry and exit of floodwaters:
 - (b) in V-Zones, the ground floor enclosures must have break-away walls, screening, or lattice walls; and
 - (c) in floodways, the remodeling or reconstruction of any improvements may be prohibited or otherwise restricted.

D. COMPLIANCE:

- (1) The above-referenced property may or may not comply with regulations affecting ground floor enclosures below the base flood elevation.
- (2) A property owner's eligibility to purchase or maintain flood insurance, as well as the cost of the flood insurance, is dependent on whether the property complies with the regulations affecting ground floor enclosures.
- (3) A purchaser or property owner may be required to remove or modify a ground floor enclosure that is not in compliance with city or county building requirements or is not entitled to an exemption from such requirements.
- (4) A flood insurance policy maintained by the current property owner does not mean that the property is in compliance with the regulations affecting ground floor enclosures or that the buyer will be able to continue to maintain flood insurance at the same rate.
- (5) Insurance carriers calculate the cost of flood insurance using a rate that is based on the elevation of the lowest floor.
 - (a) If the ground floor lies below the base flood elevation and does not meet federal, state, county, and city requirements, the ground floor will be the lowest floor for the purpose of computing the rate.
 - (b) If the property is in compliance, the first elevated floor will be the lowest floor and the insurance rate will be significantly less than the rate for a property that is not in compliance.
 - (c) If the property lies in a V-Zone the flood insurance rate will be impacted if a ground floor enclosure below the base flood elevation exceeds 299 square feet (even if constructed with break-away walls).

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E. ELEVATION CERTIFICATE:

The elevation certificate is an important tool in determining flood insurance rates. It is used to provide elevation information that is necessary to ensure compliance with floodplain management laws. To determine the proper insurance premium rate, insurers rely on an elevation certificate to certify building elevations at an acceptable level above flood map levels. If available in your area, it is recommended that you obtain an elevation certificate for the property as soon as possible to accurately determine future flood insurance rates.

You are encouraged to: (1) inspect the property for all purposes, including compliance with any ground floor enclosure requirement; (2) review the flood insurance policy (costs and coverage) with your insurance agent; and (3) contact the building permitting authority if you have any questions about building requirements or compliance issues.

Signature	Date	Signature	Date
Receipt acknowledged by:			

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