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Prepared by: Karen Moore @ 515/223-5727

MORTGAGOR(S):

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MORTGAGEE:

LAST NAME  Leners	FIRST  Thomas	INITIAL  J
STREET ADDRESS  1711 Patricia Acres	CITY  Winterset	STATE  IA
	ZIP  50273	

AMERICAN FAMILY  
FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.  
3737 Westown Parkway, Suite F  
West Des Moines, IA 50265

WITNESSETH, that Mortgagor(s), does hereby Sell, Convey and Mortgage unto Mortgagee, its successors or assigns the following described Real Estate in the County of Madison, State of Iowa, to wit:

Lot Six (6) of Patricia Acres, Plat No. One (1), a subdivision of part of the Southeast Quarter (¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), Township Seventy-six (76) North, Range Twenty-eight (28) West of the 5th P.M., Madison County, Iowa.

This mortgage is junior and subsequent to:

**This (is) (is not) Homestead Property.**

together with all buildings and improvements now or hereafter erected thereon and heating, lighting, plumbing, gas, electric, ventilating, refrigerating and air-conditioning equipment used in connection therewith, all of which for the purpose of this mortgage, shall be deemed fixtures and subject to the lien hereof, and the hereditaments and appurtenances pertaining to the property above described, all of which is referred to hereinafter as the "premises".

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the above-described premises, with the appurtenances and fixtures, unto the said Mortgagee, its successors and assigns, forever, for the purposes and uses herein set forth.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF SECURING: (1) Performance of each agreement of Mortgagor contained herein; (2) Payment of the principal sum with interest as provided in accordance with the terms and provisions of a Promissory Note/Loan Agreement (hereafter referred to as "Promissory Note") dated 04/07/97, and having the date of its final payment due on 04/07/04, or as extended deferred or rescheduled by renewal or refinancing herewith executed by Mortgagor and payable to the order of Mortgagee, to which Promissory Note reference is hereby made; (3) Payment of any additional advances in a principal sum not exceeding, and this Mortgage shall not secure more than, the aggregate sum of \$ 13,511.00, with interest thereon, as may be hereafter loaned by Mortgagee to Mortgagor, or any of them, with interest thereon. This paragraph shall not constitute a commitment to make additional loans in any amount; (4) The payment of any money that may be advanced by the Mortgagee to Mortgagor or to third parties, with interest thereon, where the amounts are advanced to protect the security or in accordance with the covenants of this Mortgage.

All payments made by Mortgagor on the obligation secured by this Mortgage shall be applied in the following order:

FIRST: To the payment of taxes and assessments that may be levied and assessed against said premises, insurance premiums, repairs, and all other charges and expenses agreed to be paid by the Mortgagor.

SECOND: To the payment of interest due on said loan. THIRD: To the payment of principal.

TO PROTECT THE SECURITY HEREOF, MORTGAGOR(S) COVENANTS AND AGREES: (1) to keep said premises insured against loss by fire and other hazards, casualty and contingencies up to the full value of all improvements for the protection of Mortgagee in such manner, in such amounts, and in such companies as Mortgagee may from time to time approve, and to keep the policies therefore, properly endorsed, on deposit with Mortgagee, and that loss proceeds (less expense of collection) shall, at Mortgagee's option, be applied on said indebtedness, whether due or not or to the restoration of said improvements. In event of loss Mortgagor will give immediate notice by mail to the Mortgagee who may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Mortgagor, and each insurance company concerned is hereby authorized and directed to make payment for such loss directly to the Mortgagee instead of to the Mortgagor. (2) To pay all taxes and special assessments of any kind that have been or may be levied or assessed upon said premises, or any part thereof, and to procure and deliver to Mortgagee ten (10) days before the day fixed by law for the first interest or penalty to accrue thereon, the official receipt of the proper officer showing payment of all such taxes and assessments. (3) In the event of default by Mortgagor under Paragraphs 1 or 2 above, Mortgagee, at its option (whether electing to declare the whole indebtedness secured hereby due and collectible or not), may (a) effect the insurance above provided for and pay the reasonable premiums and charges therefor; (b) pay all said taxes and assessments without determining the validity thereof; and (c) pay such liens and all such disbursements with interest thereon from the time of payment at the highest rate allowed by law, and such disbursements shall be deemed a part of the indebtedness secured by this Mortgage and shall be immediately due and payable by Mortgagor to Mortgagee. (4) To keep the buildings and other improvements now existing or hereafter erected in a good condition and repair as the same may now be or are hereafter placed, ordinary wear and tear excepted, not to commit or suffer any waste or any use of said premises contrary to restrictions of record or contrary to laws, ordinances or regulations or proper public authority, and to permit Mortgagee to enter at all reasonable times for the purpose of inspecting the premises. (5) That he will pay, promptly the indebtedness secured hereby, in full compliance with the terms of said Promissory Note and this Mortgage, and that the time of payment of the indebtedness hereby secured, or of any portion thereof, may be extended or renewed, and any portions of the premises herein described may, without notice, be released from the lien hereof, without releasing or affecting the personal liability of any person for the payment of said indebtedness or the lien of this instrument upon the remainder of said premises for the full amount of said indebtedness then remaining unpaid, and no charge in the ownership of said premises shall release, reduce or otherwise affect any such personal liability or the lien hereby created. (6) That he is seized of the premises in fee simple and has good and lawful right to convey the same; and that he does hereby forever warrant and will forever defend the title and possession thereof against the lawful claims of any and all persons whatsoever, and hereby fully and absolutely waives and releases all rights and claims he or she may have in or to said premises in the nature of homestead, dower, or curtesy, or any statutory substitute therefor.

IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED THAT: (1) If the said Mortgagor shall fail or neglect to pay installments on said Promissory Note or on any other advance or obligation which may be secured hereby as the same may hereafter become due, or upon default in performance of any agreement hereunder, or upon sale or other disposition of the premises by Mortgagor, or should any action or proceeding be filed in any court to enforce any lien on, claim against or interest in the premises, then all sums owing by the Mortgagor to the Mortgagee under this Mortgage or under the Promissory Note secured hereby shall immediately become due and payable at the option of the Mortgagee, on the application of the Mortgagee, or assignee, or any person who may be entitled to the monies due thereon. In such event the Mortgagee shall have the right immediately to foreclose this mortgage by complaint for that purpose, and such complaint may be prosecuted to judgment and execution and sale for the collection of the whole amount of the indebtedness and interest thereon; reasonable expenses as permitted by law and any amounts advanced pursuant to the mortgage; At any time after the commencement of an action in foreclosure, or during the period of redemption, the court having jurisdiction of the case shall, at the request of the Mortgagee, appoint a Receiver to take immediate possession of said property, and of the rents and profits accruing therefrom, and to rent or cultivate the same as he may deem best for the interest of all parties concerned, and shall be liable to account to said Mortgagors only for the net profits, after application of rents, issues and profits upon the costs and expenses of the Receivership and foreclosure and the indebtedness, charges and expenses hereby secured and herein mentioned.

- (2) It is further agreed that if this mortgage covers less than 10 acres of land, and in the event of the foreclosure of this mortgage and sale of the property by sheriff's sale in such foreclosure proceedings, the time of one year for redemption from said sale provided by the statutes of the State of Iowa shall be reduced to 6 months provided the Mortgagee, in such action, files an election to waive any deficiency judgment against the Mortgagors which may arise out of the foreclosure proceedings; all to be consistent with the provisions of Chapter 628, Code of Iowa. It is further agreed that the period of redemption after a foreclosure of this mortgage shall be reduced to 60 days if all of the three following contingencies develop: (1) The mortgaged real estate herein is less than 10 acres in size; (2) The Court finds affirmatively that said real estate has been abandoned by the owners and those persons personally liable under this mortgage at the time of such foreclosure; and (3) The Mortgagee in such action files an election to waive any deficiency judgment against the Mortgagors or their successor in interest in such action. If the redemption period is so reduced, the Mortgagors of their successors in interest or the owner shall have the exclusive right to redeem for the first 30 days after such sale, and the time provided for redemption by creditors as provided in Sections 628.5, 628.15 and 628.16 of the Code shall be reduced to 40 days. Entry of appearance by pleading or docket entry by or on behalf of the Mortgagors shall be a presumption that the property is not abandoned. Any such short redemptive period shall be consistent with all of the provisions of Chapter 408.62nd G.A., amending Chapter 628, Code of Iowa.
- (3) In the event said premises are sold at a foreclosure sale, Mortgagor(s), if a signer on the Promissory Note, shall be liable for any deficiency remaining after sale of the premises, and application of the proceeds of said sale to the indebtedness secured and to the expenses of foreclosure as permitted by law.
- (4) Mortgagor agrees to surrender possession of the hereinabove described Mortgaged premises to the Purchaser after the period of redemption has expired, in the event such possession has not previously been surrendered by Mortgagor and for failure to do so will pay to the Purchaser the reasonable rental value of the premises thereafter.
- (5) Upon sale of the premises, mortgagee, may, at its option, require subordination to the lien of this mortgage of any purchase money mortgage encumbering the premises and mortgagor or will execute and/or obtain and record any instrument necessary to accomplish that purpose.
- (6) Time is of the essence hereof in connection with all obligations of the mortgagor herein or in said note. By accepting payment of any sum accrued hereby after its due date, mortgagee does not waive its right either to require prompt payment when due of all other sums so secured or to declare default for failure so to pay.
- (7) If Mortgagor shall pay said note at the time and in the manner aforesaid and shall abide by, comply with, and duly perform all the covenants and agreements herein, then this conveyance shall be null and void and Mortgagee will, within thirty (30) days after written demand therefor by Mortgagor, execute a release or satisfaction of this mortgage.
- (8) Except otherwise restricted by the provisions of this mortgage, all Mortgagors shall be jointly and severally liable for fulfillment of their covenants and agreements herein contained, and all provisions of this Mortgage shall inure to and be binding upon the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, grantee, lessees and assigns of the parties hereto respectively. Any reference in this Mortgage of the singular shall be construed as plural where appropriate.
- (9) Invalidity or unenforceability of any provisions herein shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any other provisions.
- (10) Should said property or any part thereof be taken by reason of any public improvement or condemnation proceeding, Mortgagee shall be entitled to all compensation, awards, and other payments or relief therefor, to be applied to the amounts secured by this mortgage.
- (11) If any of the undersigned is a married person, he represents and warrants that this instrument has been executed on his behalf, and that he has not executed the same as surety for another.
- (12) In the event the Mortgagor(s) Transfer(s) the ownership of the said premises, or any part thereof, the entire unpaid balance of the debt secured hereby shall immediately become due and payable.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Mortgagors have hereunto set their hands this date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTICE TO CONSUMER: (1) Do not sign this paper before you read it. (2) You are entitled to a copy of this paper. (3) You may prepay the unpaid balance at any time without penalty and may be entitled to receive a refund on the unearned charges in accordance with the law.**

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness

*Thomas J. Leners*  
Thomas J. Leners (SEAL)  
Mortgagor-Borrower

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mortgagor-Borrower (SEAL)

STATE OF IOWA, POLK COUNTY, ss:

On this 7<sup>th</sup> day of April, A.D. 19 97, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared Thomas J. Leners and \_\_\_\_\_ to me known to be the identical persons named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their voluntary act and deed.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_  
*Patricia F. Neel*  
Notary Public in and for said County

This Instrument Was Drafted By: James Strothers, attorney-at-law



Please type or print names under signatures as per Code Sec. 335.2 as amended

IOWA MORTGAGE

No. \_\_\_\_\_

MORTGAGE

From

To

AMERICAN FAMILY FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

Filed for the record of \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, A.D. 19 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M., and recorded in \_\_\_\_\_

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County Records \_\_\_\_\_

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By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy

WHEN RECORDED RETURN TO

AMERICAN FAMILY FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.  
P.O. BOX 65630  
WEST DES MOINES, IOWA 50265