

Vacant Land Contract

- 1 **1. Sale and Purchase ("Contract"):** Rui Jorge Cruz and Luciene Ribeiro, Husband and Wife,
2 ("Seller") and City of Port St. Lucie, a Florida municipal corporation
3 ("Buyer") (the "parties") agree to sell and buy on the terms and conditions specified below the property ("Property")
4 described as:
5 Address: Portion of 703 Se Evergreen Terr., Port St. Lucie, Florida
6 Legal Description:
7 Portion of Lot 2, Block 406, Port St. Lucie Section Three, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book
8 12, Page(s) 13A to 13I, of the Public Records of St. Lucie County, Florida (Containing 40 Square Feet more or
9 less)
10 SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A"
11 SEC ___/TWP ___/RNG ___ of ___ County, Florida. Real Property ID No.: 3420-510-0559-000-8
12 including all improvements existing on the Property and the following additional property: ___
13
14 **2. Purchase Price:** (U.S. currency) \$ 400.00
15 All deposits will be made payable to "Escrow Agent" named below and held in escrow by:
16 Escrow Agent's Name: N/A
17 Escrow Agent's Contact Person: _____
18 Escrow Agent's Address: _____
19 Escrow Agent's Phone: _____
20 Escrow Agent's Email: _____
21 **(a) Initial deposit (\$0 if left blank) (Check if applicable)**
22 ☐ accompanies offer
23 ☐ will be delivered to Escrow Agent within _____ days (3 days if left blank)
24 after Effective Date \$ _____
25 **(b) Additional deposit will be delivered to Escrow Agent (Check if applicable)**
26 ☐ within _____ days (10 days if left blank) after Effective Date
27 ☐ within _____ days (3 days if left blank) after expiration of Due Diligence Period \$ _____
28 **(c) Total Financing** (see Paragraph 6) (express as a dollar amount or percentage) \$ _____
29 **(d) Other:** \$ _____
30 **(e) Balance to close** (not including **Buyer's** closing costs, prepaid items, and prorations)
31 to be paid at closing by wire transfer or other Collected funds \$ 400.00
32 **(f)** ☐ (Complete only if purchase price will be determined based on a per unit cost instead of a fixed price.) The
33 unit used to determine the purchase price is ☐ lot ☐ acre ☐ square foot ☐ other (specify): _____
34 prorating areas of less than a full unit. The purchase price will be \$ _____ per unit based on a
35 calculation of total area of the Property as certified to **Seller** and **Buyer** by a Florida licensed surveyor in
36 accordance with Paragraph 8(c). The following rights of way and other areas will be excluded from the
37 calculation: _____
38 **3. Time for Acceptance; Effective Date:** Unless this offer is signed by **Seller** and **Buyer** and an executed copy
39 delivered to all parties on or before September 15, 2023, this offer will be withdrawn and **Buyer's** deposit, if
40 any, will be returned. The time for acceptance of any counter-offer will be 3 days after the date the counter-offer is
41 delivered. **The "Effective Date" of this Contract is the date on which the last one of the Seller and Buyer**
42 **has signed or initialed and delivered this offer or the final counter-offer.**
43 **4. Closing Date:** This transaction will close on October 13, 2023 ("Closing Date"), unless specifically
44 extended by other provisions of this Contract. The Closing Date will prevail over all other time periods including,
45 but not limited to, Financing and Due Diligence periods. However, if the Closing Date occurs on a Saturday,
46 Sunday, or national legal holiday, it will extend to 5:00 p.m. (where the Property is located) of the next business
47 day. In the event insurance underwriting is suspended on Closing Date and **Buyer** is unable to obtain property
48 insurance, **Buyer** may postpone closing for up to 5 days after the insurance underwriting suspension is lifted. If
49 this transaction does not close for any reason, **Buyer** will immediately return all **Seller** provided documents and
50 other items.
51 **5. Extension of Closing Date:** If Paragraph 6(b) is checked and Closing Funds from Buyer's lender(s) are not
52 available on Closing Date due to Consumer Financial Protection Bureau Closing Disclosure delivery requirements

Buyer () () and Seller (DC) (LR) acknowledge receipt of a copy of this page, which is 1 of 8 pages.

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("CFPB Requirements), if applicable, then Closing Date shall be extended for such period necessary to satisfy CFPB Requirements, provided such period shall not exceed 10 days.

6. Financing: (Check as applicable)

(a) ☒ **Buyer** will pay cash for the Property with no financing contingency.

(b) ☐ This Contract is contingent on **Buyer** qualifying for and obtaining the commitment(s) or approval(s) specified below ("Financing") within _____ days after Effective Date (Closing Date or 30 days after Effective Date, whichever occurs first, if left blank) ("Financing Period"). **Buyer** will apply for Financing within _____ days after Effective Date (5 days if left blank) and will timely provide any and all credit, employment, financial, and other information required by the lender. If **Buyer**, after using diligence and good faith, cannot obtain the Financing within the Financing Period, either party may terminate this Contract and **Buyer's** deposit(s) will be returned.

(1) ☐ **New Financing:** **Buyer** will secure a commitment for new third party financing for \$ _____ or _____% of the purchase price at (Check one) ☐ a fixed rate not exceeding _____% ☐ an adjustable interest rate not exceeding _____% at origination (a fixed rate at the prevailing interest rate based on **Buyer's** creditworthiness if neither choice is selected). **Buyer** will keep **Seller** and Broker fully informed of the loan application status and progress and authorizes the lender or mortgage broker to disclose all such information to **Seller** and Broker.

(2) ☐ **Seller Financing:** **Buyer** will execute a ☐ first ☐ second purchase money note and mortgage to **Seller** in the amount of \$ _____, bearing annual interest at _____% and payable as follows:

The mortgage, note, and any security agreement will be in a form acceptable to **Seller** and will follow forms generally accepted in the county where the Property is located; will provide for a late payment fee and acceleration at the mortgagee's option if **Buyer** defaults; will give **Buyer** the right to prepay without penalty all or part of the principal at any time(s) with interest only to date of payment; will be due on conveyance or sale; will provide for release of contiguous parcels, if applicable; and will require **Buyer** to keep liability insurance on the Property, with **Seller** as additional named insured. **Buyer** authorizes **Seller** to obtain credit, employment, and other necessary information to determine creditworthiness for the financing. **Seller** will, within 10 days after Effective Date, give **Buyer** written notice of whether or not **Seller** will make the loan.

(3) ☐ **Mortgage Assumption:** **Buyer** will take title subject to and assume and pay existing first mortgage to

LN# _____ in the approximate amount of \$ _____ currently payable at \$ _____ per month, including principal, interest, ☐ taxes and insurance, and having a ☐ fixed ☐ other (describe) _____ interest rate of _____% which ☐ will ☐ will not escalate upon assumption. Any variance in the mortgage will be adjusted in the balance due at closing with no adjustment to purchase price. **Buyer** will purchase **Seller's** escrow account dollar for dollar. If the interest rate upon transfer exceeds _____% or the assumption/transfer fee exceeds \$ _____, either party may elect to pay the excess, failing which this Contract will terminate; and **Buyer's** deposit(s) will be returned. If the lender disapproves **Buyer**, this Contract will terminate; and **Buyer's** deposit(s) will be returned.

7. Assignability: (Check one) **Buyer** ☐ may assign and thereby be released from any further liability under this Contract, ☐ may assign but not be released from liability under this Contract, or ☒ may not assign this Contract.

8. Title: **Seller** has the legal capacity to and will convey marketable title to the Property by ☒ statutory warranty deed ☐ special warranty deed ☐ other (specify) _____, free of liens, easements, and encumbrances of record or known to **Seller**, but subject to property taxes for the year of closing; covenants, restrictions, and public utility easements of record; existing zoning and governmental regulations; and (list any other matters to which title will be subject) _____, provided there exists at closing no violation of the foregoing.

(a) **Title Evidence:** The party who pays for the owner's title insurance policy will select the closing agent and pay for the title search, including tax and lien search (including municipal lien search) if performed, and all other fees charged by closing agent. **Seller** will deliver to **Buyer**, at

(Check one) ☐ **Seller's** ☒ **Buyer's** expense and

(Check one) ☐ within _____ days after Effective Date ☒ at least 20 days before Closing Date,

(Check one)

(1) ☐ a title insurance commitment by a Florida licensed title insurer setting forth those matters to be discharged by **Seller** at or before closing and, upon **Buyer** recording the deed, an owner's policy in the

amount of the purchase price for fee simple title subject only to the exceptions stated above. If **Buyer** is paying for the owner's title insurance policy and **Seller** has an owner's policy, **Seller** will deliver a copy to **Buyer** within 15 days after Effective Date.

- (2) ☐ an abstract of title, prepared or brought current by an existing abstract firm or certified as correct by an existing firm. However, if such an abstract is not available to **Seller**, then a prior owner's title policy acceptable to the proposed insurer as a base for reissuance of coverage may be used. The prior policy will include copies of all policy exceptions and an update in a format acceptable to **Buyer** from the policy effective date and certified to **Buyer** or **Buyer's** closing agent together with copies of all documents recited in the prior policy and in the update. If such an abstract or prior policy is not available to **Seller**, then (1) above will be the title evidence.

- (b) **Title Examination:** After receipt of the title evidence, **Buyer** will, within 10 days (10 days if left blank) but no later than Closing Date, deliver written notice to **Seller** of title defects. Title will be deemed acceptable to **Buyer** if (i) **Buyer** fails to deliver proper notice of defects or (ii) **Buyer** delivers proper written notice and **Seller** cures the defects within 30 days (30 days if left blank) ("Cure Period") after receipt of the notice. If the defects are cured within the Cure Period, closing will occur within 10 days after receipt by **Buyer** of notice of such cure. **Seller** may elect not to cure defects if **Seller** reasonably believes any defect cannot be cured within the Cure Period. If the defects are not cured within the Cure Period, **Buyer** will have 10 days after receipt of notice of **Seller's** inability to cure the defects to elect whether to terminate this Contract or accept title subject to existing defects and close the transaction without reduction in purchase price.

- (c) **Survey:** **Buyer** may, at **Buyer's** expense, have the Property surveyed and must deliver written notice to **Seller**, within 5 days after receiving survey but not later than 5 days before Closing Date, of any encroachments on the Property, encroachments by the Property's improvements on other lands, or deed restriction or zoning violations. Any such encroachment or violation will be treated in the same manner as a title defect and **Seller's** and **Buyer's** obligations will be determined in accordance with Paragraph 8(b).

- (d) **Ingress and Egress:** **Seller** warrants that the Property presently has ingress and egress.

9. **Property Condition:** **Seller** will deliver the Property to **Buyer** at closing in its present "as is" condition, with conditions resulting from **Buyer's** Inspections and casualty damage, if any, excepted. **Seller** will not engage in or permit any activity that would materially alter the Property's condition without the **Buyer's** prior written consent.

- (a) **Inspections: (Check (1) or (2))**

- (1) ☐ **Due Diligence Period:** **Buyer** will, at **Buyer's** expense and within _____ days (30 days if left blank) ("Due Diligence Period") after Effective Date and in **Buyer's** sole and absolute discretion, determine whether the Property is suitable for **Buyer's** intended use. During the Due Diligence Period, **Buyer** may conduct a Phase 1 environmental assessment and any other tests, analyses, surveys, and investigations ("Inspections") that **Buyer** deems necessary to determine to **Buyer's** satisfaction the Property's engineering, architectural, and environmental properties; zoning and zoning restrictions; subdivision statutes; soil and grade; availability of access to public roads, water, and other utilities; consistency with local, state, and regional growth management plans; availability of permits, government approvals, and licenses; and other inspections that **Buyer** deems appropriate. If the Property must be rezoned, **Buyer** will obtain the rezoning from the appropriate government agencies. **Seller** will sign all documents **Buyer** is required to file in connection with development or rezoning approvals. **Seller** gives **Buyer**, its agents, contractors, and assigns, the right to enter the Property at any time during the Due Diligence Period for the purpose of conducting Inspections, provided, however, that **Buyer**, its agents, contractors, and assigns enter the Property and conduct Inspections at their own risk. **Buyer** will indemnify and hold **Seller** harmless from losses, damages, costs, claims, and expenses of any nature, including attorneys' fees, expenses, and liability incurred in application for rezoning or related proceedings, and from liability to any person, arising from the conduct of any and all Inspections or any work authorized by **Buyer**. **Buyer** will not engage in any activity that could result in a construction lien being filed against the Property without **Seller's** prior written consent. If this transaction does not close, **Buyer** will, at **Buyer's** expense, (i) repair all damages to the Property resulting from the Inspections and return the Property to the condition it was in before conducting the Inspections and (ii) release to **Seller** all reports and other work generated as a result of the Inspections.

Before expiration of the Due Diligence Period, **Buyer** must deliver written notice to **Seller** of **Buyer's** determination of whether or not the Property is acceptable. **Buyer's** failure to comply with this notice requirement will constitute acceptance of the Property as suitable for **Buyer's** intended use in its "as is" condition. If the Property is unacceptable to **Buyer** and written notice of this fact is timely delivered to **Seller**, this Contract will be deemed terminated, and **Buyer's** deposit(s) will be returned.

(2) ☒ **No Due Diligence Period:** Buyer is satisfied that the Property is suitable for Buyer's purposes, including being satisfied that either public sewerage and water are available to the Property or the Property will be approved for the installation of a well and/or private sewerage disposal system and that existing zoning and other pertinent regulations and restrictions, such as subdivision or deed restrictions, concurrency, growth management, and environmental conditions, are acceptable to Buyer. This Contract is not contingent on Buyer conducting any further investigations.

(b) **Government Regulations:** Changes in government regulations and levels of service which affect Buyer's intended use of the Property will not be grounds for terminating this Contract if the Due Diligence Period has expired or if Paragraph 9(a)(2) is selected.

(c) **Flood Zone:** Buyer is advised to verify by survey, with the lender, and with appropriate government agencies which flood zone the Property is in, whether flood insurance is required, and what restrictions apply to improving the Property and rebuilding in the event of casualty.

(d) **Coastal Construction Control Line ("CCCL"):** If any part of the Property lies seaward of the CCCL as defined in Section 161.053, Florida Statutes, Seller will provide Buyer with an affidavit or survey as required by law delineating the line's location on the Property, unless Buyer waives this requirement in writing. The Property being purchased may be subject to coastal erosion and to federal, state, or local regulations that govern coastal property, including delineation of the CCCL, rigid coastal protection structures, beach nourishment, and the protection of marine turtles. Additional information can be obtained from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, including whether there are significant erosion conditions associated with the shore line of the Property being purchased.

☐ Buyer waives the right to receive a CCCL affidavit or survey.

10. Closing Procedure; Costs: Closing will take place in the county where the Property is located and may be conducted by mail or electronic means. If title insurance insures Buyer for title defects arising between the title binder effective date and recording of Buyer's deed, closing agent will disburse at closing the net sale proceeds to Seller (in local cashier's check if Seller requests in writing at least 5 days before closing) and brokerage fees to Broker as per Paragraph 21. In addition to other expenses provided in this Contract, Seller and Buyer will pay the costs indicated below.

(a) Seller Costs:

Taxes on deed

Recording fees for documents needed to cure title

Title evidence (if applicable under Paragraph 8)

Estoppel Fee(s)

Other: BUYER SHALL PAY ALL CLOSING COSTS, OTHER THAN THE RECORDING FEES NECESSARY TO CURE TITLE

(b) Buyer Costs:

Taxes and recording fees on notes and mortgages

Recording fees on the deed and financing statements

Loan expenses

Title evidence (if applicable under Paragraph 8)

Lender's title policy at the simultaneous issue rate

Inspections

Survey

Insurance

Other: BUYER SHALL PAY ALL CLOSING COSTS, OTHER THAN THE RECORDING FEES NECESSARY TO CURE TITLE

(c) **Prorations:** The following items will be made current and prorated as of the day before Closing Date: real estate taxes (including special benefit tax liens imposed by a CDD), interest, bonds, assessments, leases, and other Property expenses and revenues. If taxes and assessments for the current year cannot be determined, the previous year's rates will be used with adjustment for any exemptions.

(d) **Special Assessment by Public Body:** Regarding special assessments imposed by a public body, Seller will pay (i) the full amount of liens that are certified, confirmed, and ratified before closing and (ii) the amount of the last estimate of the assessment if an improvement is substantially completed as of Effective Date but has not resulted in a lien before closing; and Buyer will pay all other amounts. If special assessments may be paid in installments, ☐ Seller ☒ Buyer (Buyer if left blank) will pay installments due after closing. If Seller is checked, Seller will pay the assessment in full before or at the time of closing. Public body does not include a Homeowners' or Condominium Association.

(e) **PROPERTY TAX DISCLOSURE SUMMARY:** BUYER SHOULD NOT RELY ON THE SELLER'S CURRENT PROPERTY TAXES AS THE AMOUNT OF PROPERTY TAXES THAT BUYER MAY BE OBLIGATED TO PAY IN THE YEAR SUBSEQUENT TO PURCHASE. A CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP OR PROPERTY

IMPROVEMENTS TRIGGERS REASSESSMENTS OF THE PROPERTY THAT COULD RESULT IN HIGHER PROPERTY TAXES. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING VALUATION, CONTACT THE COUNTY PROPERTY APPRAISER'S OFFICE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

- (f) **Foreign Investment in Real Property Tax Act ("FIRPTA"):** If **Seller** is a "foreign person" as defined by FIRPTA, **Seller** and **Buyer** will comply with FIRPTA, which may require **Seller** to provide additional cash at closing.
- (g) **1031 Exchange:** If either **Seller** or **Buyer** wish to enter into a like-kind exchange (either simultaneously with closing or after) under Section 1031 of the Internal Revenue Code ("Exchange"), the other party will cooperate in all reasonable respects to effectuate the Exchange including executing documents, provided, however, that the cooperating party will incur no liability or cost related to the Exchange and that the closing will not be contingent upon, extended, or delayed by the Exchange.

11. Computation of Time: Calendar days will be used when computing time periods, except time periods of 5 days or less. Time periods of 5 days or less will be computed without including Saturday, Sunday, or national legal holidays specified in 5 U.S.C. 6103(a). Other than time for acceptance and Effective Date as set forth in Paragraph 3, any time periods provided for or dates specified in this Contract, whether preprinted, handwritten, typewritten or inserted herein, which shall end or occur on a Saturday, Sunday, or national legal holiday (see 5 U.S.C. 6103) shall extend until 5:00 p.m. (where the Property is located) of the next business day. **Time is of the essence in this Contract.**

12. Risk of Loss; Eminent Domain: If any portion of the Property is materially damaged by casualty before closing or **Seller** negotiates with a governmental authority to transfer all or part of the Property in lieu of eminent domain proceedings or an eminent domain proceeding is initiated, **Seller** will promptly inform **Buyer**. Either party may terminate this Contract by written notice to the other within 10 days after **Buyer's** receipt of **Seller's** notification, and **Buyer's** deposit(s) will be returned, failing which **Buyer** will close in accordance with this Contract and receive all payments made by the governmental authority or insurance company, if any.

13. Force Majeure: **Seller** or **Buyer** will not be required to perform any obligation under this Contract or be liable to each other for damages so long as the performance or non-performance of the obligation is delayed, caused, or prevented by an act of God or force majeure. An "act of God or "force majeure" is defined as hurricanes, earthquakes, floods, fire, unusual transportation delays, wars, insurrections, and any other cause not reasonably within the control of **Seller** or **Buyer** and which by the exercise of due diligence the non-performing party is unable in whole or in part to prevent or overcome. All time periods, including Closing Date, will be extended for the period that the act of God or force majeure is in place. However, in the event that such act of God or force majeure event continues beyond 30 days, either party may terminate this Contract by delivering written notice to the other; and **Buyer's** deposit(s) will be returned.

14. Notices: All notices will be in writing and delivered to the parties and Broker by mail, personal delivery, or electronic means. **Buyer's failure to timely deliver written notice to Seller, when such notice is required by this Contract, regarding any contingency will render that contingency null and void, and this Contract will be construed as if the contingency did not exist. Any notice, document, or item delivered to or received by an attorney or licensee (including a transactions broker) representing a party will be as effective as if delivered to or received by that party.**

15. Complete Agreement; Persons Bound: This Contract is the entire agreement between **Seller** and **Buyer**. **Except for brokerage agreements, no prior or present agreements will bind Seller, Buyer, or Broker unless incorporated into this Contract.** Modifications of this Contract will not be binding unless in writing, signed or initialed, and delivered by the party to be bound. Electronic signatures will be acceptable and binding. This Contract, signatures, initials, documents referenced in this Contract, counterparts, and written modifications communicated electronically or on paper will be acceptable for all purposes, including delivery, and will be binding. Handwritten or typewritten terms inserted in or attached to this Contract prevail over preprinted terms. If any provision of this Contract is or becomes invalid or unenforceable, all remaining provisions will continue to be fully effective. **Seller** and **Buyer** will use diligence and good faith in performing all obligations under this Contract. This Contract will not be recorded in any public record. The terms "**Seller**," "**Buyer**," and "**Broker**" may be singular or plural. This Contract is binding on the heirs, administrators, executors, personal representatives, and assigns, if permitted, of **Seller**, **Buyer**, and **Broker**.

16. Default and Dispute Resolution: This Contract will be construed under Florida law. This Paragraph will survive closing or termination of this Contract.

- (a) **Seller Default:** If **Seller** fails, neglects, or refuses to perform **Seller's** obligations under this Contract, **Buyer** may elect to receive a return of **Buyer's** deposit(s) without thereby waiving any action for damages resulting

from **Seller's** breach and may seek to recover such damages or seek specific performance. **Seller** will also be liable for the full amount of the brokerage fee.

- (b) **Buyer Default:** If **Buyer** fails, neglects, or refuses to perform **Buyer's** obligations under this Contract, including payment of deposit(s), within the time(s) specified, **Seller** may elect to recover and retain the deposit(s), paid and agreed to be paid, for the account of **Seller** as agreed upon liquidated damages, consideration for execution of this Contract, and in full settlement of any claims, whereupon **Seller** and **Buyer** will be relieved from all further obligations under this Contract; or **Seller**, at **Seller's** option, may proceed in equity to enforce **Seller's** rights under this Contract.

- 17. Attorney's Fees; Costs:** In any litigation permitted by this Contract, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the non-prevailing party costs and fees, including reasonable attorney's fees, incurred in conducting the litigation. This Paragraph 17 shall survive Closing or termination of this Contract.

- 18. Escrow Agent; Closing Agent:** **Seller** and **Buyer** authorize Escrow Agent and closing agent (collectively "Agent") to receive, deposit, and hold funds and other items in escrow and, subject to Collection, disburse them upon proper authorization and in accordance with Florida law and the terms of this Contract, including disbursing brokerage fees. "Collection" or "Collected" means any checks tendered or received have become actually and finally collected and deposited in the account of Agent. The parties agree that Agent will not be liable to any person for misdelivery of escrowed items to **Seller** or **Buyer**, unless the misdelivery is due to Agent's willful breach of this Contract or gross negligence. If Agent interpleads the subject matter of the escrow, Agent will pay the filing fees and costs from the deposit and will recover reasonable attorneys' fees and costs to be paid from the escrowed funds or equivalent and charged and awarded as court costs in favor of the prevailing party.

- 19. Professional Advice; Broker Liability:** Broker advises **Seller** and **Buyer** to verify all facts and representations that are important to them and to consult an appropriate professional for legal advice (for example, interpreting this Contract, determining the effect of laws on the Property and this transaction, status of title, foreign investor reporting requirements, the effect of property lying partially or totally seaward of the CCCL, etc.) and for tax, property condition, environmental, and other specialized advice. **Buyer** acknowledges that all representations (oral, written, or otherwise) by Broker are based on **Seller** representations or public records. **Buyer agrees to rely solely on Seller, professional inspectors, and government agencies for verification of the Property condition and facts that materially affect Property value.** **Seller** and **Buyer** respectively will pay all costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees at all levels, incurred by Broker and Broker's officers, directors, agents, and employees in connection with or arising from **Seller's** or **Buyer's** misstatement or failure to perform contractual obligations. **Seller** and **Buyer** hold harmless and release Broker and Broker's officers, directors, agents, and employees from all liability for loss or damage based on (i) **Seller's** or **Buyer's** misstatement or failure to perform contractual obligations; (ii) the use or display of listing data by third parties, including, but not limited to, photographs, images, graphics, video recordings, virtual tours, drawings, written descriptions, and remarks related to the Property; (iii) Broker's performance, at **Seller's** or **Buyer's** request, of any task beyond the scope of services regulated by Chapter 475, Florida Statutes, as amended, including Broker's referral, recommendation, or retention of any vendor; (iv) products or services provided by any vendor; and (v) expenses incurred by any vendor. **Seller** and **Buyer** each assume full responsibility for selecting and compensating their respective vendors. This Paragraph will not relieve Broker of statutory obligations. For purposes of this Paragraph, Broker will be treated as a party to this Contract. This Paragraph will survive closing.

- 20. Commercial Real Estate Sales Commission Lien Act:** If the Property is commercial real estate as defined by Section 475.701, Florida Statutes, the following disclosure will apply: The Florida Commercial Real Estate Sales Commission Lien Act provides that when a broker has earned a commission by performing licensed services under a brokerage agreement with you, the broker may claim a lien against your net sales proceeds for the broker's commission. The broker's lien rights under the act cannot be waived before the commission is earned.

- 21. Brokers:** The licensee(s) and brokerage(s) named below are collectively referred to as "Broker." **Instruction to closing agent:** **Seller** and **Buyer** direct Closing Agent to disburse at Closing the full amount of the brokerage fees as specified in separate brokerage agreements with the parties and cooperative agreements between the Brokers, except to the extent Broker has retained such fees from the escrowed funds. This Paragraph will not be used to modify any MLS or other offer of compensation made by **Seller** or listing broker to cooperating brokers.

N/A

Seller's Sales Associate/License No.

N/A

Buyer's Sales Associate/License No.

Seller's Sales Associate Email Address

Buyer's Sales Associate Email Address

Seller's Sales Associate Phone Number

Buyer's Sales Associate Phone Number

Listing Brokerage

Buyer's Brokerage

Listing Brokerage Address

Buyer's Brokerage Address

22. Addenda: The following additional terms are included in the attached addenda and incorporated into this Contract (Check if applicable):

☐ A. Back-up Contract

☐ B. Kick Out Clause

☒ C. Other **BUYER'S ADDENDUM**

23. Additional Terms:

THIS CONTRACT SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE UNLESS AND UNTIL PASSED AND ADOPTED VIA RESOLUTION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE, PORT ST. LUCIE, FLORIDA.

The City shall cause the palm trees located in the right-of-way in the front of the Sellers' property to be removed.

COUNTER-OFFER/REJECTION

☐ Seller counters Buyer's offer (to accept the counter-offer, Buyer must sign or initial the counter-offered terms and deliver a copy of the acceptance to Seller).

☐ Seller rejects Buyer's offer

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367 This is intended to be a legally binding Contract. If not fully understood, seek the advice of an attorney before
368 signing.

369 **ATTENTION: SELLER AND BUYER**

370 **CONVEYANCES TO FOREIGN BUYERS:** Part III of Chapter 692, Sections 692.201 - 692.205, Florida Statutes, 2023
371 (the "Act"), in part, limits and regulates the sale, purchase and ownership of certain Florida properties by certain buyers
372 who are associated with a "foreign country of concern", namely: the People's Republic of China, the Russian
373 Federation, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the Republic of Cuba, the
374 Venezuelan regime of Nicolás Maduro, or the Syrian Arab Republic. **It is a crime to buy or knowingly sell property**
375 **in violation of the Act.**

376 **At time of purchase, Buyer must provide a signed Affidavit which complies with the requirements of the Act.**
377 **Seller and Buyer are advised to seek legal counsel regarding their respective obligations and liabilities under the Act.**

378 *City of Port St. Lucie, a Florida municipal corporation*

379 **Buyer:** _____ **Date:** _____
380 **Print name:** Jesus Merejo, City Manager

381 **Buyer:** _____ **Date:** _____
382 **Print name:** _____

383 **Buyer's address for purpose of notice:**

384 **Address:** 121 SW Port St. Lucie Blvd., Port St. Lucie, Florida 34984

385 **Phone:** 772-871-5294 **Fax:** 772-344-4298 **Email:** mcarland@cityofpsl.com

386 **Seller:** Rui Jorge Cruz **Date:** 8-29-2023
387 **Print name:** Rui Jorge Cruz

388 **Seller:** Luciene Ribeiro **Date:** 8-29-2023
389 **Print name:** Luciene Ribeiro

390 **Seller's address for purpose of notice:**

391 **Address:** 703 SE Evergreen, Port St. Lucie, Florida

392 **Phone:** 908-482-6396 **Fax:** _____ **Email:** _____

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Exhibit "A"

Plat of Port St. Lucie, Section Three
(Section 34, Township 36 S, Range 40 E)
5-10-21

Fee Simple Right of Way

Floresta Drive Saint Lucie County

A portion of Lot 2, Block 406, PORT ST. LUCIE, SECTION THREE, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 12, Page 13 of the Public Records of Saint Lucie County, Florida, lying in Section 34, Township 36 South, Range 40 East, Saint Lucie County, Florida, being more particularly described as follows:

Commence at the Northwest Corner of said Lot 2, said corner being on the Easterly Existing Right of Way line for Floresta Drive, thence South 35°08'30" East along the Westerly line of said Lot 11 and the said Easterly Existing Right of Way line, a distance of 33.90 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence South 39°43'51" East, a distance of 35.77 feet to a point on the Southwest line of said Lot 2 and a point on a non-tangent curve concave to the Northeast, having a chord bearing of North 48°59'03" West; thence Northerly along said curve, having a radius of 25.00 feet, through a central angle of 27°41'06", an arc distance of 12.08 feet to a point on the Easterly existing Right of Way line of said Floresta Drive; thence North 35°08'30" West along said Westerly line of Lot 2 and said Easterly Right of Way line, a distance of 24.04 feet to the Point of Beginning.

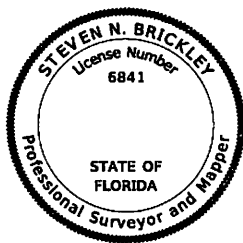
Containing 40 square feet, more or less.

SURVEYORS NOTES

1. THE BEARINGS SHOWN HERON ARE RELATIVE TO THE CENTERLINE OF FLORESTA AVENUE AS SHOWN ON THE PLAT OF PORT ST. LUCIE ~ SECTION THREE RECORDED AMONG THE LAND RECORDS OF ST. LUCIE COUNTY IN PLAT BOOK 12, PAGE 13
2. THIS PARCEL SKETCH WAS PREPARED FOR THE PURPOSE OF PREPARING A LAND DESCRIPTION
3. THIS IS NOT A SURVEY.

SURVEYORS CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE DESCRIPTION AND SKETCH ATTACHED HERETO WAS PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE "STANDARDS OF PRACTICE" FOR SURVEYING AND MAPPING IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA BY THE FLORIDA BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL SURVYORS AND MAPPERS IN CHAPTER 5J-17, FLORIDA ADMINISTATION CODE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 472.027, FLORIDA STATUTES



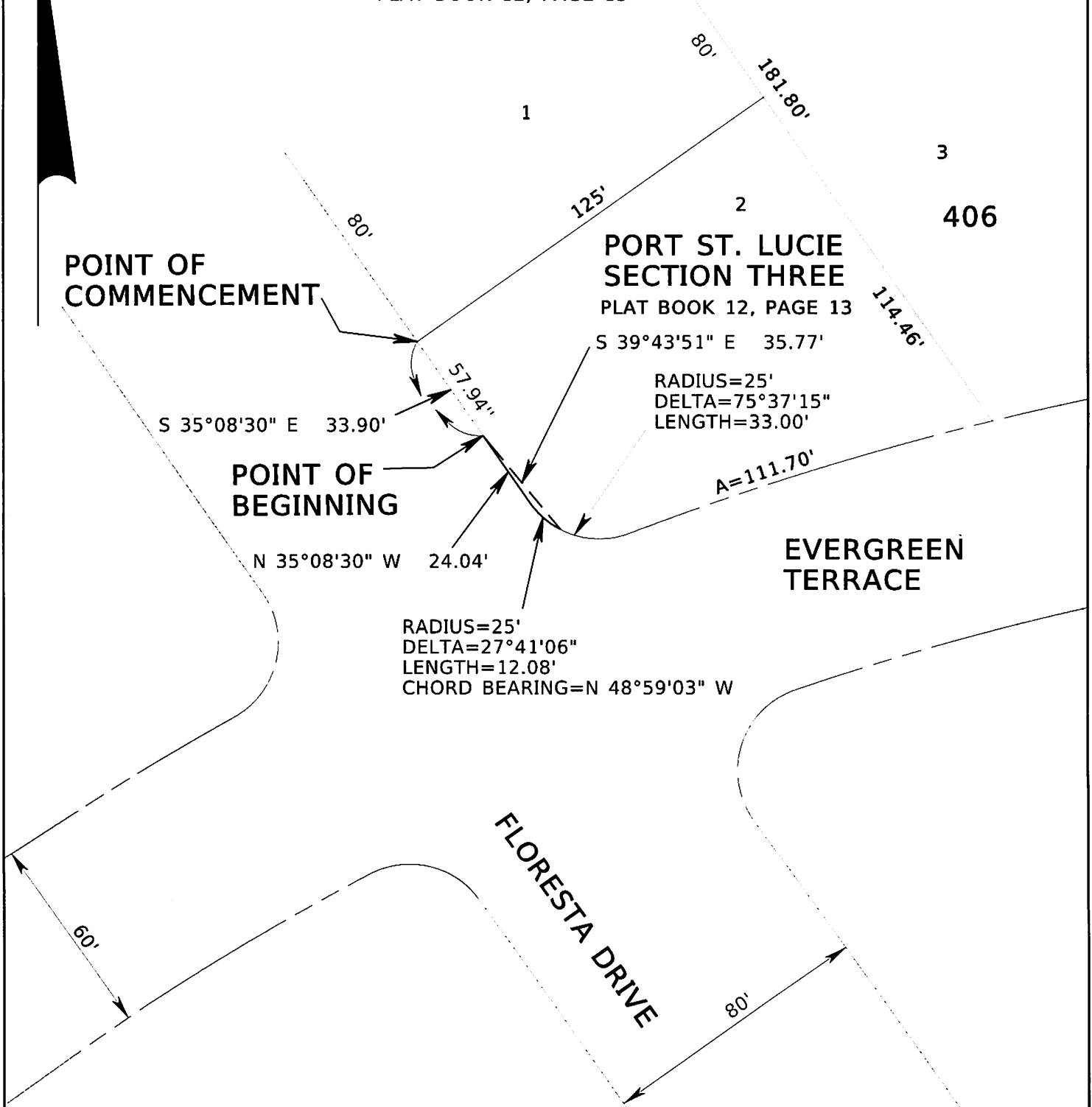
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STEVEN N. BRICKLEY
PROFESSIOINAL SURVEYOR AND MAPPER
FLORIDA LICENSE NO LS 6841

DATE OF SIGNATURE
NOT VALID WITHOUT ORIGINAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL
OR ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE

			CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE			
			SPECIFIC PURPOSE SURVEY - NOT A FIELD SURVEY			
			ROAD : FLORESTA DRIVE		ST. LUCIE COUNTY	
			BY	DATE	PREPARED BY:	DATA SOURCE:
			DRAWN	T.DITMAN	5/25/21	BOWMAN CONSULTING GROUP
			CHECKED	S.BRICKLEY	5/26/21	CONTRACT # 20190112
REVISION	BY	DATE			PHASE 2-3	SHEET 1 OF 2

LOT 2, BLOCK 406
PORT ST. LUCIE SECTION THREE
PLAT BOOK 12, PAGE 13



			FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION				
			SPECIFIC PURPOSE SURVEY - NOT A FIELD SURVEY				
			STATE ROAD NO. FLORESTA DRIVE				ST. LUCIE COUNTY
				BY	DATE	PREPARED BY:	DATA SOURCE:
						BOWMAN CONSULTING GROUP	
			DRAWN	T.DITMAN	5/25/21		
REVISION	BY	DATE	CHECKED	S.BRICKLEY	5/26/21	F.P. NO. 20190112	PHASE 2-3
						SHEET 2 OF 2	

ADDENDUM: BUYER'S ADDENDUM

1. This Addendum will be incorporated into the Vacant Land Contract (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract") between **Rui Jorge Cruz and Luciene Ribeiro** ("Seller") and **City of Port St. Lucie, a Florida municipal corporation** ("Buyer"), and shall supersede any provisions in conflict with the attached Contract, and which may be in conflict with the provisions contained herein below.

2. **Purchase Price.** Buyer agrees to pay to Seller and Seller agrees to accept from Buyer at the time of Closing the sum of **Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00)** for the Buyer's purchase of fee simple title to the real property which is described in Exhibit "A" to the Contract ("Property").

3. **Proration.** The parties hereby agree that the typical pro-rations (such as, but not limited to, utility service, water and sewer costs, electricity, taxes) normally considered being part of closing costs and expenses shall be prorated; however, the payment of any and all delinquent or unpaid real estate taxes, together with the payoff of the special assessment for the City of Port St. Lucie's water and sewer expansion project and any unpaid solid waste assessments shall be borne by the Seller.

4. **Ryan Clause.** Buyer acknowledges and agrees that there may be deed restrictions, restrictive covenants and such other restrictions appearing on the plat or otherwise common to the subdivision affecting the Property. Buyer's acceptance of title to the Property, which is subject to such restrictions, shall not be construed as a waiver of Buyer's claim of exemption as a governmental unit, from any cloud or encumbrance created by the above-mentioned matters pursuant to *Ryan v. Manalapan*, 414 So.2d 193 (Fla. 1982). Buyer and Seller hereby agree that this language shall appear on the face of the deed transferring title to the Property from Seller to Buyer.

5. **Default.** If either party defaults under this Contract, then the other party may waive the default and proceed with closing without adjustment to the Purchase Price, in which event any and all claims with respect to such default shall be deemed extinguished, or either party may seek specific performance. In no event shall either party be liable for any damages (actual, special, consequential, punitive, or otherwise) for any default under this Contract.

6. **Dispute Resolution.** All controversies, claims, and other matters in question arising out of or relating to this transaction or this Contract or its breach shall not be resolved through neutral binding arbitration; any disputes arising out of or relating to this transaction or this Contract shall be resolved through any and all other legal remedies available under the laws of the State of Florida.

7. **Eminent Domain.** The City of Port St. Lucie, as the Buyer in this proposed real estate transaction, reserves the right to file a condemnation action to secure clear fee simple marketable title to the Property against any and all known or unknown persons who may claim

any interest whatsoever in and to the Property. In the event the City determines that it is in its best interest to acquire title through a condemnation proceeding, Seller expressly consents to such proceeding and agrees not to contest the taking on any grounds whatsoever, and to accept the Purchase Price, stated in Paragraph 2 hereinabove pursuant to a settlement agreement and/or a Stipulated Order of Taking and Final Judgment, as required by the City in its sole discretion, that will incorporate all of the obligations and responsibilities of the owner, as full and just compensation for the taking of the Property, including all attorneys' fees and costs and special damages, if any.

8. **WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL.** Buyer and Seller each knowingly, voluntarily and intentionally waive any right which either may have to a trial by jury with respect to any litigation or legal proceeding based upon or arising directly, indirectly or otherwise in connection with, out of, relating to, or from this Contract or transaction. Buyer and Seller have specifically negotiated for this waiver and understand the legal consequences of it. This provision shall survive the closing of this transaction or any earlier termination of this Contract.

9. **Governing Law.** This Contract is governed by and will be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida. In the event any legal or equitable action arises under this Contract, the proper venue of any such action shall lie exclusively within the state courts in and for St. Lucie County, Florida.

10. **Recording.** This Contract or notice thereof may be recorded by Buyer in the minutes of the Clerk of the City Council for Port St. Lucie, St. Lucie County, Florida, but shall not be recorded in the Official Public Records of the Clerk of the Court of St. Lucie County, Florida.

11. **Invalid Provisions.** In the event any term or provision of this Contract is held illegal, unenforceable or inoperative as a matter of law, the remaining terms and provisions will not be affected thereby but will be valid and remain in force and effect, provided that the inoperative provision(s) are not essential to the interpretation or performance of this Contract in accordance with the clear intent of the parties.

12. **Counterparts.** This Contract may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. A facsimile copy and/or email transmission of this Contract and any signatures thereon shall be considered for all purposes as originals.

13. **Entire Agreement.** This Contract contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto as it pertains to the subject matter contained herein and shall supersede and take precedence over any and all prior and contemporaneous agreements and understandings between the parties hereto.

14. **Effectiveness.** The effectiveness of this Contract is contingent upon and subject to approval by the City Council of Port St. Lucie, as well as a public hearing, if applicable. The Contract and the City's obligation to close is conditioned on City Council approval.

BUYER: CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE

Date: _____

By: _____
Jesus Merejo
City Manager

SELLER:

Date: 8-29-2023

By: 
Rui Jorge Cruz

SELLER:

Date: 8-29-2023

By: 
Luciene Ribeiro