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THIS FORM PREPARED BY:**Timothy D. Padgett, P.A.****415 North McKinley****Ste 1177****Little Rock, AR 72205****(850) 422-2520****PLG 26-013502-1****Grantor: TIMOTHY D. PADGETT, P.A.****Grantee: KIRBY M BARTON****(or as otherwise noted by the recorder)****MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF DEFAULT AND INTENTION TO SELL****YOU MAY LOSE YOUR PROPERTY IF YOU DO NOT TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on **November 18, 2026**, at or about **11:00 AM**, the subject real property described herein below will be sold **at the main entrance of the Benton County Courthouse, 102 Northeast A Street, Bentonville, AR 72712** to the highest bidder for cash. The sale will extinguish the interests of existing lien holders or previous owners in the property. **THE TERMS OF SALE ARE CASH AT THE TIME OF SALE UNLESS OTHERWISE AGREED TO BY MORTGAGEE AND ALL TRANSFER TAXES WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PURCHASER.**

WHEREAS, the property secured under the Mortgage is located in Benton County, Arkansas more particularly described as follows:

**LOT 178, LEGENDARY SUBDIVISION, PHASE I, TO THE
CITY OF SPRINGDALE, BENTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS,
AS SHOWN ON PLAT RECORD "2007" AT PAGES 791, 792,
AND 794**

Street Address: 4256 Augustine Drive, Springdale, AR 72762

WHEREAS on December 24, 2014, KIRBY M BARTON, A MARRIED MAN, and SARAH LYNN BARTON, husband and wife executed a Mortgage in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS MORTGAGEE, AS NOMINEE FOR BANK OF THE OZARKS, which was recorded on **December 29, 2014 in Book 2014, Page 208819**, in the real estate records of Benton County, Arkansas. The beneficial interest of said Mortgage has been assigned to Rocket Mortgage, LLC, which is the party initiating foreclosure. The party initiating foreclosure is Rocket Mortgage, LLC and can be contacted at or in care of its servicer initiating foreclosure at: Nationstar Mortgage LLC, PO Box 619080, Dallas, TX 75261, at Telephone Number 214-756-2432; and

WHEREAS, there may be tenants that claim an interest in the real property herein based upon said tenancy; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned is the attorney for the mortgagee and is acting on and with the consent and authority of the mortgagee who is exercising its power of sale under Ark. Code Ann. §18-50-115 which implies a power of sale in every mortgage of real property situated in this state that is duly acknowledged and recorded; and default has occurred in the payment of said indebtedness, and the same is now therefore wholly due; and the holder of the debt has requested the undersigned to sell the property to satisfy said indebtedness.

The undersigned is an active, licensed member of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the State of Arkansas, and the law firm of the undersigned maintains an office at 415 North McKinley, Ste 1177, Little Rock, AR 72205 that is located within the State of Arkansas, is accessible to the public during regular business hours, and has the ability to accept funds from a grantor, mortgagor, or obligor to reinstate or pay off a mortgage or deed of trust.

WITNESS my hand this September 10, 2026.

TIMOTHY D. PADGETT, P.A.
SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE FOR ROCKET MORTGAGE, LLC

By: _____

Renee Price

Timothy D. Padgett, P.A.
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Ste 1177
Little Rock, AR 72205
(850) 422-2520

STATE OF ARKANSAS)
) ss.
 COUNTY OF PULASKI)

On this 10 day of September, 2026, before me, Erin Tylor Whitfield, a Notary Public, duly commissioned, qualified and acting, within and for said County and State, appeared in person the within named Renee Price of Timothy D. Padgett, P.A., being the person authorized by said Professional Association, to execute such instrument, stating their respective capacities in that behalf, to me personally well known, who stated that they were an attorney with Timothy D. Padgett, P.A., a Company, the Trustee for Rocket Mortgage, LLC, and was duly authorized in their respective capacity to execute the foregoing instrument for and in the name and behalf of said Company, and further stated and acknowledged that they had so signed, executed, and delivered said foregoing instrument for the consideration, uses, and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

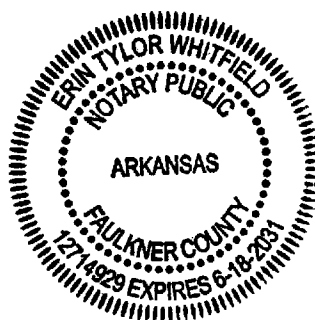
10 IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this day of September, 2026.

My Commission Expires:

6-18-2031

[PLG 26-013502-1]

Erin Tylor Whitfield
 Notary Public, State of Arkansas





CERTIFICATE OF RECORD
STATE OF ARKANSAS, COUNTY OF BENTON
I hereby certify that this instrument was
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in **Doc Num L202652268**
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Brenda DeShields
BENTON COUNTY Circuit Clerk & Recorder