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 $Important\,Information\,Regarding\,Purchase\,Offer\,Procedures\,and\,Rights\,of\,Buyers\,and\,Sellers$

Prospective buyers and sellers should be aware of the following regarding offers to purchase real property:

- 1.) Purchase offers and acceptances involve <u>contract rights</u> of the buyer and seller.
- 2.) Verbal communications <u>do not</u> create an enforceable obligation on the part of the buyer to purchase, or on the part of the sellers to sell.
- 3.) Until all terms of an offer to purchase are <u>in writing</u> and signed by the buyer it is not binding on the buyer, and unless and until it is countersigned by the seller, it is not binding on both parties.
- 4.) <u>Unless both parties have signed the offer, we are obligated by law to present all offers and seller is able to accept another offer.</u>
- 5.) A seller is <u>not required</u> to accept any offer, regardless of its terms, including a "full price" offer.
- 6.) A seller is not obligated to offer a prospective buyer a "right of first refusal" or the opportunity to improve his/her offer. Although this could occur in negotiations, it is not required. Buyers: In the event the seller receives multiple offers seller is not required to respond to the offers in the order that they were received
- 7.) An offer to purchase, when signed by all parties, becomes a <u>binding contract</u> according to its terms, subject to any and all contingencies contained herein.
- 8.) If contract documents are not fully understood, we highly recommend that you <u>consult an attorney</u> before signing.

"Communication is Key!"