

**NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE SALE**

<b>Deed of Trust Date:</b> 7/11/2013	<b>Grantor(s)/Mortgagor(s):</b> JOHN A. AVANT, A SINGLE MAN
<b>Original Beneficiary/Mortgagee:</b> MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS") SOLELY AS A NOMINEE FOR LRS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC, DBA HNB MORTGAGE, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS	<b>Current Beneficiary/Mortgagee:</b> PENNYMAC LOAN SERVICES, LLC
<b>Recorded in:</b> <b>Volume:</b> 1341 <b>Page:</b> 215 <b>Instrument No:</b> 2013-00005052	<b>Property County:</b> HOWARD
<b>Mortgage Servicer:</b> PennyMac Loan Services, LLC is representing the Current Beneficiary/Mortgagee under a servicing agreement with the Current Beneficiary/Mortgagee.	<b>Mortgage Servicer's Address:</b> 3043 Townsgate Rd, Suite 200, Westlake Village, CA 91361
<b>Date of Sale:</b> 6/2/2026	<b>Earliest Time Sale Will Begin:</b> 10am
<b>Place of Sale of Property:</b> Howard County Courthouse, 300 S. Main Street, Big Spring, TX 79720 OR IN THE AREA DESIGNATED BY THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 51.002 OF THE TEXAS PROPERTY CODE.	

**Legal Description:** BEING LOT SEVEN (7), BLOCK TWENTY SIX (26), MONTICELLO ADDITION, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS, ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF OF RECORD IN ENVELOPE NO. 73/A, PLAT RECORDS OF HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS.

In accordance with TEX. PROP. CODE §51.0076 and the Deed of Trust referenced above, the undersigned as attorney for Mortgagee or Mortgage Servicer does hereby remove the original Trustee and all successor substitute trustees and appoints in their stead, Shelley Nail, Donna Trout, Zane Nail, Zia Nail, Zoey Fernandez, Charles Green, Kristopher Holub, Ramiro Cuevas, Patrick Zwiers, Auction.com LLC, Zia Nail or Zoey Fernandez, Cole Patton, Myra Homayoun, Thuy Frazier, McCarthy & Holthus, LLP, as Substitute Trustee, who shall hereafter exercise all powers and duties set aside to the said original Trustee under there said Deed of Trust; and, further, does hereby request, authorize, and instruct said Substitute Trustee to conduct and direct the execution of remedies set aside to the beneficiary therein

The Substitute Trustee will sell the property by public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the place and date specified. The sale will begin at the earliest time stated above or within three (3) hours after that time.

The Property will be sold "AS IS," without any express or implied warranties, except as to warranties of title, and at the purchaser's own risk, pursuant to the terms of TEX. PROP. CODE §51.002 and §51.009. Prospective bidders are advised to conduct an independent investigation of the nature and physical condition of the Property.

Substitute Trustee reserves the right to set further reasonable conditions for conducting the public auction. Any such further conditions shall be announced before bidding is opened for the first sale of the day held by Substitute Trustee.

**THIS INSTRUMENT APPOINTS THE SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE(S) IDENTIFIED TO SELL THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THE SECURITY INSTRUMENT IDENTIFIED IN THIS NOTICE OF SALE. THE PERSON SIGNING THIS NOTICE IS THE ATTORNEY OR AUTHORIZED AGENT OF THE MORTGAGEE OR MORTGAGE SERVICER.**

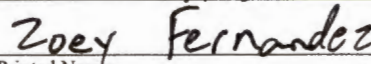
**NOTICE PURSUANT TO TEX. PROP. CODE § 51.002(I): ASSERT AND PROTECT YOUR RIGHTS AS MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES. IF YOU OR YOUR SPOUSE ARE SERVING ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY, INCLUDING ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY AS A MEMBER OF THE TEXAS NATIONAL OR THE NATIONAL GUARD OF ANOTHER STATE OR AS A MEMBER OF A RESERVE COMPONENT OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES, PLEASE SEND WRITTEN NOTICE OF THE ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY SERVICE TO THE SENDER OF THIS NOTICE IMMEDIATELY.**

Dated: 4/14/2026

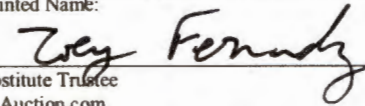


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Dated: 4/16/26



Printed Name:



Substitute Trustee  
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<https://sales.mccarthyholthus.com/>

**MH File Number:** TX-25-122804-POS  
**Loan Type:** USDA Farm Loan

POSTED at 12:25 P.M O'clock 4-16-2026  
JURY PADRON, County Clerk, Howard County, Texas  
By Vernice Schmal Deputy