

#### Real Estate Auction

Monday, August 10th @ 11:00AM

#### **5.47 Acre Commercial Lot**

#### Raiders Road, Frazeysburg, Ohio 43822

Auction held off-site at:

## **Longaberger Golf Club**

1 Long Drive, Nashport, Ohio 43830

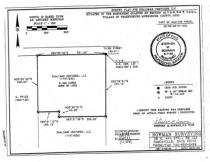


This property is offered in a 3-Tract multi-par auction. Tracts will be offered separately & together. See Nora Drive Apartments and Shalimar Village Auction listings for information on the additional assets offered.

This is a fantastic Investor/Developer/Builder opportunity!)

#### Online Bidding available at www.BidNowllc.com





**Tract 1 Description:** Subject property is a 5.47+/- Acre Commercial Lot with 521' Feet of Road Frontage on Primary Road entering Frazeysburg, Ohio. Lot has 4 Build-Ready Lots abutting the Shalimar Village Project. If sold separately from Shalimar Village, Purchaser will grant an Easement to the Purchaser of Shalimar Village. This lot is ideal for a C-Store, Medical Offices or Small Strip Center!

**Open Inspection:** Land - View Anytime

Bidder Seminars: Tuesday, August 4th & Sunday, August 9th 3:00pm to 3:30pm in Shalimar Clubhouse

**Muskingum County PID:** 29-59-02-01-001 **Annual Taxes:** \$3,535.72

**Terms:** Sells subject to Seller Confirmation on auction day with no contingencies for financing or inspection. 10% buyer's premium in effect. Short tax proration. Buyer pays all closing costs. Warranty deed at closing with no liens or encumbrances. Offered separately from and together with Shalimar Village and/or Nora Drive Apartments.

**Deposit and Closing:** \$10,000 cashier's check made to Ohio Real Estate Title is required to register to bid. Successful bidder will be required to increase deposit (if necessary) to 10% of the total contract price by personal or business check which will be your non-refundable deposit. Checks of all non-winning bidders returned immediately after the auction. If Bidding online, \$10,000 registration deposit must be in the hands of Ohio Real Estate Title by 5:00pm on Friday, August 7, 2015 and balance of 10% deposit within 36 hours after auction. Close on or before September 10, 2015.

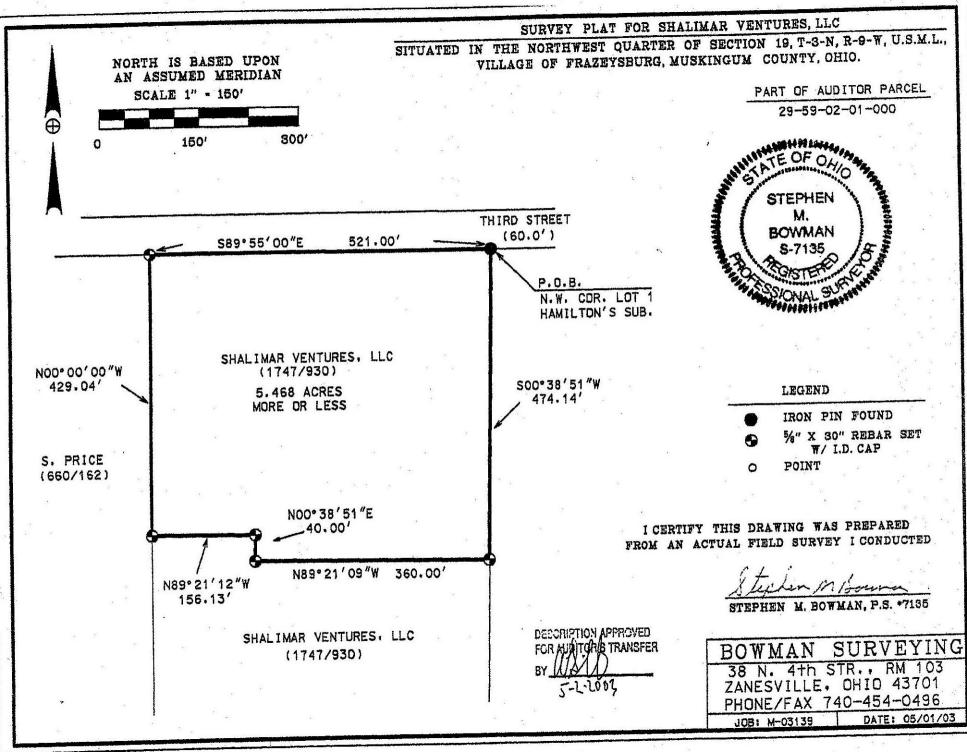
**Realtor Participation:** 2% Commission available to Ohio Licensee representing a successful bidder who closes on transaction. To collect a commission, Realtor's must: 1) Register your bidder no less than 24 hours prior to auction; 2) Accompany your client to a scheduled Inspection; 3) Accompany your client to the auction; 4) Guide buyer to closing. **NOTE: If bidding online, you must register your client prior to their registering online.** 

#### **Auctioneers:**

Tim Lile, CAI (937)689-1846 timlileauctioneer@gmail.com & Ron Denney (937)572-4468 ron@rondenney.com

#### Ohio Real Estate Auctions, LLC - Broker

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Muskingum County, Ohio - Property Record Card

Parcel: 29-59-02-01-001

Card: 1

GENERAL PARCEL INFORMATION

Owner SHALIMAR VENTURES LTD

Property Address RAIDERS RD

Mailing Address 1614-H CRYSTAL CT

NEWARK OH 43055

Land Use 400 - COMMERCIAL - VACANT LAND

Legal Description R 9 TP 3 SEC 19 NWSW SIDE 5.47A

A sketch is unavailable for this parcel.

**VALUATION** 

Appraised

Assessed

Land Value \$199,900.00 \$69,970.00

Improvements Value

\$0.00

\$0.00 \$0.00

**CAUV** Value

\$0.00

Taxable Value

\$69,970.00

Annual Tax (w/o delinquencies)

\$3,535.72

**ADDITIONS** 

RESIDENTIAL

**IMPROVEMENTS** 

LAND Land Type Acreage Depth Frontage Depth Value A0 - Row 0.71 0 0 0 0 4.76 0 0 199920 A1 - Primary Site 0

**AGRICULTURAL** 

Land Usage Land Type

SALES

COMMERCIAL

Soil Type Value Acres

Buyer

Seller 10/27/2009 SHALIMAR VENTURES LTD MITCHELL Price

10/27/2009 MITCHELL

SHALIMAR VENTURES LLC 0



# Ohio Real Estate Auctions, LLC CONTRACT TO PURCHASE AT PUBLIC AUCTION

(This is a legally binding contract. If not understood, seek legal advice. For real estate advice, consult your Realtor)

DATE: 10 August 2015

1. **PROPERTY DESCRIPTION:** The undersigned Purchaser agrees to purchase from the undersigned Owner (Seller) through *Ohio Real Estate Auctions, LLC*, (Broker), the following described real estate in <u>Muskingum</u> County, OH and more commonly known as:

#### (5.47 Acre Commercial Lot) Raiders Road Frazeysburg, Ohio 43822; Muskingum County PID: 29-59-02-01-001

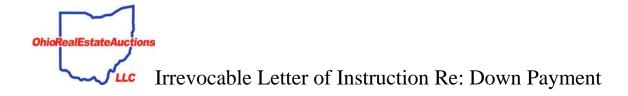
2.	PRICE AND DEPOSIT: Purchaser agrees to pay the High Bid Amount of \$	plus a 10% Buyer Premium of	
	\$ for a Total Contract Price of \$	for the subject Real Estate. A Non-Refundable	
	Down Payment of \$(10% of Total Contract Price) is to	be paid to & deposited by Escrow Agent upon	
	acceptance and applied toward the Total Contract Price at closing. In the event this transaction does	not close for any reason other than non-marketable	
	title or as otherwise agreed by ALL parties, Purchaser agrees that the Down Payment shall be disburse	ed by Escrow Agent as provided for in paragraph 5	
	below, UNLESS: A) Purchaser has requested and been granted an extension in accordance with para	agraph 5 below, or B) Escrow Agent & Broker are	
	previously notified in writing by purchaser that litigation has been filed with a Court of Competent Ju	risdiction (a copy of the filing must be attached).	
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- 3. **BALANCE & CLOSING:** The balance of the Total Contract Price shall be paid in the form required by Escrow Agent on or before 10 September 2015. The closing date shall be automatically extended up to 30 days if Auctioneer deems necessary without penalty to the Seller.
- Transaction will close through: <u>Ohio Real Estate Title as Escrow/Closing Agent; Contact-Theresa Hartley;</u> (937)322-7333; thartley@oret.com.
- 5. **EXTENSION:** If Purchaser requires an extension beyond 10 September 2015, Seller agrees to offer a single extension of up to 20 days ending on 30 September 2015 for a sum of \$1,000 per day. Purchaser must pay entire Extension Fee amount of \$20,000 by certified funds to Escrow Agent and execute the Irrevocable Letter of Instruction Regarding Extension Fee PRIOR TO 9 September 2015 at 5:00pm EST. Purchaser will be credited at closing \$1,000 x the number of days prior to 30 September 2015 the closing takes place. Funds retained from the extension fee WILL NOT be applied to the Total Contract Price. If transaction is not closed as of 1 October 2015, Purchaser's Total Deposit including the Extension Fee will be released to the Sellers and their agents as per the Irrevocable Letters of Instruction Regarding Down Payment & Extension Fee.
- 6. **OBTAINING FINANCING:** This purchase is not contingent upon the Purchaser obtaining financing. There are no buyer contingencies.
- 7. **BINDING OBLIGATION:** Purchaser **is buying the property As-Is, Where-Is and Without Recourse.** If Purchaser fails to close for any reason whatsoever, except a non-marketable title, Purchaser voluntarily agrees to forfeit entire down payment and may be held liable to Seller for any deficiency, plus court costs and reasonable legal fees, resulting from any subsequent resale of the property. Time is of the essence and this is an irrevocable offer to purchase, with no contingencies. In the event Purchaser fails to perform according to the terms of this contract, the down payment shall be forfeited as partial liquidated damages, and not as a penalty, without affecting any of Seller's further remedies. Either party may demand specific performance of this agreement.
- 8. **OWNER'S CERTIFICATION:** Seller(s) certifies to Purchaser that, to the best of Seller's knowledge: (A) there are no undisclosed latent defects; (B) there are no pending orders or ordinances or resolutions that have been enacted or adopted authorizing work or improvements for which the Real Estate may be assessed, except **None**; (C) there are no City, County or State orders that have been served upon Seller(s) requiring work to be done or improvements to be made which have not been performed, except **None**. Inspections regarding habitability and use of the Real Estate shall be the responsibility of the Purchaser. All Inspections must be completed prior to Auction. PURCHASER IS RELYING SOLEY UPON HIS EXAMINATIONS OF THE REAL ESTATE, AND THE SELLER'S CERTIFICATION HEREIN FOR ITS PHYSICAL CONDITION AND CHARACTER, AND NOT UPON ANY REPRESENTATION BY THE AUCTIONEERS/BROKER INVOLVED, WHO SHALL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DEFECTS IN THE REAL ESTATE.
- 9. **INDEMNITY:** Seller and Purchaser recognize that the AUCTIONEERS/BROKER are relying on information provided by Seller or his/her agents in connection with the Real Estate, and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Auctioneers/Broker, their agents and employees, from any claims,

demands, damages, suits, liabilities, costs and expenses (including reasonable legal fees) arising out of any misrepresentation or concealment of facts by Seller or his/her agents.

- 10. CONVEYANCE AND CLOSING: Seller shall convey marketable title to the Real Estate by <u>Warranty</u> deed with release of dower right, if any, AND SUBJECT TO THE RIGHTS OF THE TENANTS, if any, under existing leases and State Law. Title shall be free and unencumbered as of Closing, except restrictions and easements of record and except the following assessments (certified or otherwise): <u>of record</u>.
- 11. **CONDITION OF IMPROVEMENTS:** The risk of destruction or substantial damage by fire or Act of God prior to delivery of deed is assumed by Seller. Seller agrees that on possession, the Real Estate shall be in the same condition as it is on the date of this contract, except for ordinary wear and tear. If the Real Estate should be damaged or destroyed by fire or other casualty and if, prior to Closing, the real Estate shall not be repaired or restored by and at the Sellers expense, to a condition as good as it was prior to the damage or destruction, then Purchaser, at his option, may terminate this contract by written notice to Seller and the Down Payment Shall be returned to Purchaser. While this contract is pending, Sellers shall not change any existing lease or enter into any new lease, nor make any substantial alterations or repairs without the consent of the Purchaser. In addition, the Purchaser also has an insurable interest in the property from date of this contract. Purchaser is hereby notified that insurance should be placed upon the property immediately to protect Purchasers' interest.
- 12. **DISCLOSURE:** Buyer Seller is a licensed Real Estate Broker or Sales Person.
- 13. **POSSESSION:** Possession shall be given at closing subject to Tenants' Rights, with deed. (Until such date, Seller shall have the right of possession free of rent, but shall pay for all utilities.) No work can be done on the property by the Purchaser until possession is given.
- 14. AGENCY DISCLOSURE STATEMENT: Purchaser acknowledges having reviewed and signed the Agency Disclosure Statement.
- 15. **SOLE CONTRACT:** The parties agree that this offer constitutes their entire agreement and that no oral or implied agreement exists. Any amendments to this offer shall be made in writing, signed by all parties, and copies shall be attached to all copies of the original offer. This offer shall be binding upon the parties, their heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns.
- 16. **TERMS**: The property sells subject to Seller's Confirmation on Auction Day.
- 17. \$\frac{\\$10,000}{\}\$ must be deposited at the time of Auction Registration as down payment by Cash or Cashier's Check (presented with positive I.D). Upon being declared a winning bidder and receiving Seller Confirmation, Purchaser must increase this deposit to an amount equal to \$\frac{10\%}{\}\$ of the Total Contract Price (if an increase is warranted by the High Bid Amount) by personal or business check made to Ohio Real Estate Title. This non-refundable down payment will be applied to the contract purchase price at closing and will be held in trust by Ohio Real Estate Title as Escrow Agent.
- 18. BUYER'S PREMIUM: A 10% Buyer Premium will be added to the high bid amount to determine the Total Contract Price to be paid by Purchaser.
- 19. **TAXES:** Real Estate taxes will be prorated using the Short Proration Method. In this formula, Buyer will assume accrued taxes for a 6 month period of time in which the Seller owned the property.
- 20. This property is being sold at Public Auction, without recourse. Personal on-site inspection/s of the property or properties is strongly recommended. The property will sell "as is, where is," with no warranty expressed or implied as to improvements, availability of utilities, zoning, or environmental and wetland issues. Information presented online and in all other marketing materials was obtained via sources deemed reliable. However, neither Ohio Real Estate Auctions, LLC nor their agents will be responsible for any errors or omissions herein. Announcements made at the auction will take precedence over written material, advertisements, or any other oral statements made prior to the day of auction. Purchasers should carefully verify all items and make their own decision as to the accuracy thereof before relying on same. Except in the case of an absolute auction, Auction Firm reserves the right to bid on behalf of the sellers. Auctioneer reserves the right to bid on behalf of himself at any auction. The Seller and Auctioneers/Broker reserve the right to preclude any person from bidding if there are any questions as to the person's credentials, fitness, etc.
- 21. Auctioneers/Broker hereby acknowledge that they represent the Seller. An Agency Disclosure Statement must be signed by the Purchaser.
- 22. Purchaser shall be responsible for all transfer taxes, recording fees, title search, and deed preparation. Seller is responsible for real estate tax prorata, mortgage releases and guarantees to convey a good and marketable title. The Purchaser, Seller, Seller, split 50/50, is responsible for survey cost, if a survey is required for a transfer. \*Purchaser is responsible for all other costs associated with closing.
- 23. By bidding, Purchaser agrees to waive their right to rescind this Contract to Purchase.
- 24. Real Estate is sold through Ohio Real Estate Auctions, LLC.

25. OTHER: If sold separately from Shalimar Village, Purchaser agrees that an Ingress/Egress Easement shall be provided to the Purchaser			
	Shalimar Village.		
26.	EXPIRATION AND APPROVAL:		
27.	MAKE DEED TO: (print)		
	Purchaser has read, fully understand	s and approves the foregoing Contra	ct To Purchase and acknowledges receipt of a signed copy.
	<u>Print</u>	<u>Sign</u>	<u>Date</u>
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FUI	LL ADDRESS:		
PHO	ONE NUMBERS:		
WI	TNESS:		
	convey the Real Estate according to the about by Seller(s). Counteroffer shall become restrandand Time on	we terms and conditions, Rejects and and void if not accepted in wriend, 20 Seller acknowledges the risto pay an auction selling fee and r	s the foregoing offer and hereby:  Accepts said offer and agrees to said offer, or  Counteroffers according to the modifications initialed ting on or before  o'clock  A.M.  P.M. EASTERN at Agency Disclosure Statement has been signed.
	<u>Print</u>	Sign	<u>Date</u>
SEL	LER: Shalimar Ventures, LTD by		
SEL	LER:		
FUI	LL ADDRESS: 1614-H Crystal Ct., Newark,	Oh 43055	
PHO	ONE NUMBERS:		
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		BID ADVANCE	
	OhioRealEstateAuctions	COMPENSATION: \$	EMAIL



I have agreed to purchase the real estate located at:

Paragraph 2 states:

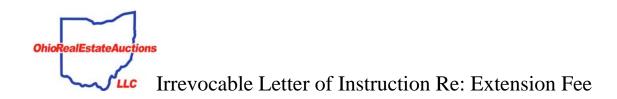
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under the terms and conditions of the attached Contract to Purchase at Public Auction dated: **10 August 2015.** 

As part of this transaction I have made a down payment of money to **Ohio Real Estate Title** who will hold the money in Trust as Escrow Agent until closing.

I understand the funds I have provided <u>Ohio Real Estate Title</u> are to be applied to the Total Contract Price. However, in the event I do not close on this property on or before <u>15 September 2015</u>, I irrevocably instruct <u>Ohio Real Estate Title</u> to disburse my down payment as required under paragraph 2 of the contract <u>UNLESS</u> I have executed the Irrevocable Letter of Instruction Re: Extension Fee and paid said fee to Escrow Agent.

PRICE AND DEPOSIT: Purchaser agrees to pay the amount of of \$ for a Total Contract Price of	the High Bid of \$ plus the 10% Buyer Premium  f \$ for the Subject Real Estate. A Non  (10% of Total Contract Price) is to be paid to & deposited by Escrov
Agent upon acceptance and applied toward the Total Contract Printer in the ALL parties, Purch for in paragraph 5 below, UNLESS: A) Purchaser has requested a	(10% of Total Contract Price) is to be paid to & deposited by Escrovice at closing. In the event this transaction does not close for any reason other that haser agrees that the down payment shall be disbursed by Escrow Agent as provide and been granted an extension in accordance with paragraph 5 below, or <b>B</b> ) Escrovice that litigation has been filed with a Court of Competent Jurisdiction (a copy of the
	nstruction from the Broker and the authority granted in thi direct <b>Ohio Real Estate Title</b> to follow the instructions of the t.
Further, I agree to hold Broker & Ohio Reindividuals or entities.	eal Estate Title harmless for any such disbursements to any
I have reviewed the Contract to Purchase a Letter of Instruction and:	at Public Auction dated 10 August 2015 and this Irrevocable
1. I understand the terms and conditions of	f both documents. (Initial)
2. I have voluntarily executed these agree	ments. (Initial)
3. I acknowledge this authorization and my direction to Escrow Agent may result in none of my down payment being returned to me. ( <b>Initial</b> )	
	Dated:
Purchaser:	
Print:	Sign:
Witness:	
Print:	Sign:



I have agreed to purchase the real estate located at:

#### (5.47 Acre Commercial Lot) Raiders Road, Frazeysburg, Ohio 43822

under the terms and conditions of the attached Contract to Purchase at Public Auction dated: 10 August 2015. As per said Contract to Purchase, I agreed to close on this transaction on or before 10 September 2015. It has now become necessary for me to accept the single extension offered by the Seller as outlined in paragraph 5 of the Contract to Purchase.

Paragraph 5 states:

Print:

EXTENSION: If Purchaser requires an extension beyond 10 September 2015, Seller agrees to offer a single extension of up to 20 days ending on 30 September 2015 for a sum of \$1,000 per day. Purchaser must pay entire Extension Fee amount of \$20,000 by certified funds to Ohio Real Estate Title as Escrow Agent and execute the Irrevocable Letter of Instruction Regarding Extension Fee PRIOR TO 9 September 2015 at 5:00pm EST. Purchaser will be credited at closing \$1,000 x the number of days prior to 30 September 2015 the closing takes place. Funds retained from the extension fee WILL NOT be applied to the Purchase Price. If transaction is not closed as of 1 October 2015, Purchaser's Total Down Payment including the Extension Fee will be released to the Sellers and their agents as per the Irrevocable Letters of Instruction Regarding Down Payment & Extension Fee.

Pursuant to paragraph 5, as of 1 October 2015, upon written instruction from the Broker and the aı aı D

authority granted in the Irrevocable Letters of Instruction Regarding Down Payment & Extension Fee, I hereby
authorize and direct <b>Ohio Real Estate Title</b> to follow the instructions of the Broker as to the distribution of my Down Payment of:
\$plus the Extension Fee of <b>\$20,000.</b>
Further, I agree to hold Broker & Ohio Real Estate Title harmless for any such disbursements made to any individuals or entities.
I have reviewed the Contract to Purchase at Public Auction and the Irrevocable Letter of Instruction Regarding Down Payment dated <u>10 August 2015</u> and this Irrevocable Letter of Instruction Regarding Extension Fee and confirm that:
1. I understand the terms and conditions of all three documents. (Initial)
2. I have voluntarily entered these agreements. (Initial)
3. I acknowledge this authorization and my direction to Escrow Agent may result in none of my Down Payment including Extension Fee being returned to me. ( <b>Initial</b> )
Dated:
Purchaser:
Print: Sign:
Witness:

Sign:

#### CONSUMER GUIDE TO AGENCY RELATIONSHIPS



We are pleased you have selected **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** to help you with your real estate needs. Whether you are selling, buying or leasing real estate, **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** can provide you with expertise and assistance. Because this may be the largest financial transaction you will enter into, it is important to understand the role of the agents and brokers with whom you are working. Below is some information that explains the various services agents can offer and their options for working with you.

For more information on agency law in Ohio you can also contact the Ohio Division of Real Estate & Professional Licensing at (614) 466-4100, or on their website www.com.state.oh.us.

#### **Representing Sellers**

Most sellers of real estate choose to list their home for sale with a real estate brokerage. When they do so, they sign a listing agreement that authorizes the brokerage and the listing agent to represent their interests. As the seller's agent, the brokerage and listing agent must: follow the seller's lawful instructions, be loyal to the seller, promote the seller's best interests, disclose material facts to the seller, maintain confidential information, act with reasonable skill and care and, account for any money they handle in the transaction. In rare circumstances, a listing broker may offer "subagency" to other brokerages which would also represent the seller's interests and owe the seller these same duties.

#### **Representing Buyers**

When purchasing real estate, buyers usually choose to work with a real estate agent as well. Often the buyers want to be represented in the transaction. This is referred to as buyer's agency. A brokerage and agent that agree to represent a buyer's interest in a transaction must: follow the buyer's lawful instructions, be loyal to the buyer, promote the buyer's best interests, disclose material facts to the buyer, maintain confidential information and account for any money they handle in the transaction.

#### **Dual Agency**

Occasionally the same agent and brokerage who represents the seller also represents the buyer. This is referred to as dual agency. When a brokerage and its agents become "dual agents," they must maintain a neutral position in the transaction. They may not advocate the position of one client over the best interests of the other client, or disclose any confidential information to the other party without written consent.

#### Representing Both the Buyer & Seller

On occasion, the buyer and seller will each be represented by two different agents from the same brokerage. In this case the agents may each represent the best interest of their respective clients. Or, depending on company policy, the agents may both act as dual agents and remain neutral in the transaction. When either of the above occurs, the brokerage will be considered a dual agent. As a dual agent the brokerage and its managers will maintain a neutral position and cannot advocate for the position of one client over another. The brokerage will also protect the confidential information of both parties.

#### **Working With Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC**

Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC does offer representation to both buyers and sellers. Therefore the potential exists for one agent to represent a buyer who wishes to purchase property listed with another agent in our company. If this occurs each agent will represent their own client, but Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC and its managers will act as a dual agent.

This means the brokerage and its managers will maintain a neutral position and not take any actions that will favor one side over the other. **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** will still supervise both agents to assure that their respective clients are being fully represented and will protect the parties' confidential information.

In the event that both the buyer and seller are represented by the same agent, that agent and **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** will act as dual agents but only if both parties agree. As dual agents they will treat both parties honestly, prepare and present offers at the direction of the parties, and help the parties fulfill the terms of any contract. They will not, however, disclose any confidential information that would place one party at an advantage over the other or advocate or negotiate to the detriment of either party.

If dual agency occurs you will be asked to consent to it in writing. If you do not agree to your agent acting as a dual agent, you can ask that another agent in our company be assigned to represent you or you can seek representation from another brokerage.

As a buyer, you may also choose to represent yourself on properties **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** has listed. In that instance **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** will represent the seller and you would represent your own best interests. Because the listing agent has a duty of full disclosure to the seller you should not share any information with the listing agent that you would not want the seller to know.

#### **Working With Other Brokerages**

When **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** lists property for sale it also cooperates with, and offers compensation to, other brokerages that represent buyers. **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** does reserve the right, in some instances, to vary the compensation it offers to other brokerages. As a seller, you should understand that just because **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** shares a fee with a brokerage representing the buyer, it does not mean that you will be represented by that brokerage. Instead that company will be looking out for the buyer and **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** will be representing your interests. When acting as a buyer's agent, **Ohio Real Estate Auctions LLC** also accepts compensation offered by the listing broker. If the property is not listed with any broker, or the listing broker does not offer compensation, we will attempt to negotiate for a seller-paid fee.

#### **Fair Housing Statement**

It is illegal, pursuant to the Ohio Fair Housing Law, division (H) of Section 4112.02 of the Revised Code and the Federal Fair Housing Law, 42 U.S.C.A. 3601, to refuse to sell, transfer, assign, rent, lease, sublease or finance housing accommodations, refuse to negotiate for the sale or rental of housing accommodations, or otherwise deny or make unavailable housing accommodations because of race, color, religion, sex, familial status as defined in Section 4112.01 of the Revised Code, ancestry, disability as defined in that section, or national origin or to so discriminate in advertising the sale or rental of housing, in the financing of housing, or in the provision of real estate brokerage services. It is also illegal, for profit, to induce or attempt to induce a person to sell or rent a dwelling by representations regarding the entry into the neighborhood of a person or persons belonging to one of the protected classes.

We hope you find this information to be helpful to you as you begin your real estate transaction. When you are ready to enter into a transaction, you will be given an Agency Disclosure Statement that specifically identifies the role of the agents and brokerages. Please ask questions if there is anything you do not understand.

Because it is important that you have this information, Ohio law requires that we ask you to sign below, acknowledging receipt of this Consumer Guide. Your signature will not obligate you to work with our company if you do not choose to do so.

Name	(Please Print)	Name	(Please Print)
Signature	Date	Signature	Date





# AGENCY DISCLOSURE STATEMENT



The real estate agent who is providing you with this form is required to do so by Ohio law. You will not be bound to pay the agent or the agent's brokerage by merely signing this form. Instead, the purpose of this form is to confirm that you have been advised of the role of the agent(s) in the transaction proposed below. (For purposes of this form, the term "seller" includes a landlord and the term "buyer" includes a tenant.)

Prop	perty Address:			
Buye	er(s):			
Selle	er(s):			
	I. TRANSACTION	INVOLVING TWO A	GENTS IN TWO DIFFERENT	BROKERAGES
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THE	buyer will be represented by	AGENT(S)	, and _	BROKERAGE
The	seller will be represented by		, and	<del>.</del>
		AGENT(S)		BROKERAGE
If tw	o agents in the real estate brokerage	e	O AGENTS IN THE SAME BI	ROKERAGE
repre	esent both the buyer and the seller,	check the following relat	ionship that will apply:	
	Agent(s)		work(s)	for the buyer and
	Agent(s)	ker and managers will be	"dual agents" which is further a	for the seller. Unless personally
	Agent(s) work(s) for the seller. Unless personally involved in the transaction, the broker and managers will be "dual agents", which is further explained on the back of this form. As dual agents they will maintain a neutral position in the transaction and they will protect all parties' confidential information.			
	Every agent in the brokerage represents every "client" of the brokerage. Therefore, agents and will be working for both the buyer and seller as "dual agents". Dual agency is explained on the back of this form. As dual agents they will maintain a neutral position in the transaction and they will protect all parties"			
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	represent only the ( <i>check one</i> ) $\square$ so represent his/her own best interest.			party is not represented and agrees to the agent's client.
		(	CONSENT	
	I (we) consent to the above relationships as we enter into this real estate transaction. If there is a dual agency in this transaction, I (we) acknowledge reading the information regarding dual agency explained on the back of this form.			
	BUYER/TENANT	DATE	SELLER/LANDLORD	DATE
	DIVED/TENANT	DATE	SELLER/LANDLOPD	DATE

### **DUAL AGENCY**

Ohio law permits a real estate agent and brokerage to represent both the seller and buyer in a real estate transaction as long as this is disclosed to both parties and they both agree. This is known as dual agency. As a dual agent, a real estate agent and brokerage represent two clients whose interests are, or at times could be, different or adverse. For this reason, the dual agent(s) may not be able to advocate on behalf of the client to the same extent the agent may have if the agent represented only one client.

#### As a dual agent, the agent(s) and brokerage shall:

- Treat both clients honestly;
- Disclose latent (not readily observable) material defects to the purchaser, if known by the agent(s) or brokerage;
- Provide information regarding lenders, inspectors and other professionals, if requested;
- Provide market information available from a property listing service or public records, if requested;
- Prepare and present all offers and counteroffers at the direction of the parties;
- Assist both parties in completing the steps necessary to fulfill the terms of any contract, if requested.

#### As a dual agent, the agent(s) and brokerage shall not:

- Disclose information that is confidential, or that would have an adverse effect on one party's position in the transaction, unless such disclosure is authorized by the client or required by law;
- Advocate or negotiate on behalf of either the buyer or seller;
- Suggest or recommend specific terms, including price, or disclose the terms or price a buyer is willing to offer or that a seller
  is willing to accept;
- Engage in conduct that is contrary to the instructions of either party and may not act in a biased manner on behalf of one party.

**Compensation:** Unless agreed otherwise, the brokerage will be compensated per the agency agreement.

**Management Level Licensees:** Generally the broker and managers in a brokerage also represent the interests of any buyer or seller represented by an agent affiliated with that brokerage. Therefore, if both buyer and seller are represented by agents in the same brokerage, the broker and manager are dual agents. There are two exceptions to this. The first is where the broker or manager is personally representing one of the parties. The second is where the broker or manager is selling or buying his own real estate. These exceptions only apply if there is another broker or manager to supervise the other agent involved in the transaction.

**Responsibilities of the Parties:** The duties of the agent and brokerage in a real estate transaction do not relieve the buyer and seller from the responsibility to protect their own interests. The buyer and seller are advised to carefully read all agreements to assure that they adequately express their understanding of the transaction. The agent and brokerage are qualified to advise on real estate matters. IF LEGAL OR TAX ADVICE IS DESIRED, YOU SHOULD CONSULT THE APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.

**Consent:** By signing on the reverse side, you acknowledge that you have read and understand this form and are giving your voluntary, informed consent to the agency relationship disclosed. If you do not agree to the agent(s) and/or brokerage acting as a dual agent, you are not required to consent to this agreement and you may either request a separate agent in the brokerage to be appointed to represent your interests or you may terminate your agency relationship and obtain representation from another brokerage.

Any questions regarding the role or responsibilities of the brokerage or its agents should be directed to an attorney or to:



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