

PRELIMINARY TITLE SEARCH REPORT

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Report No: 2518630 Report Effective Date: May 16, 2022, at 7:30 a.m. Property Address: 13368 121st Rd, Winfield, KS 67156

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1. **Fee Simple** interest in the Land described in this Report is owned, at the Report Effective Date, by

Nathaniel L. Lowery and Mary E. Lowery

2. The Land referred to in this Report is described as follows:

Lot 5 and the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 6, Township 32 South, Range 5 East of the 6th P.M., Cowley County, Kansas.

- 3. If asked to issue a title insurance commitment for a potential buyer of the subject property, the commitment would include the following requirements, along with any other matters that may arise after the date of this report:
 - 1. The Proposed Insured must notify the Company in writing of the name of any party not referred to in this Commitment who will obtain an interest in the Land or who will make a loan on the Land. The Company may then make additional Requirements or Exceptions.
 - 2. Pay the agreed amount for the estate or interest to be insured.



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- 3. Pay the premiums, fees, and charges for the Policy to the Company.
- 4. Documents satisfactory to the Company that convey the Title or create the Mortgage to be insured, or both, must be properly authorized, executed, delivered, and recorded in the Public Records.
- 5. Our search of the public records does not disclose a mortgage/deed of trust on the property. We must be advised if you have any knowledge of an unreleased mortgage/deed of trust, recorded or unrecorded. The Company reserves the right to make such further requirements as it deems necessary.
- 6. File a Warranty Deed from Nathaniel L. Lowery and Mary E. Lowery, stating marital status and joined by spouse, if any, to TBD.
- 7. Provide this Company with a properly completed and executed Owner's Affidavit.
- 8. Recording Fees and Information for Kansas Counties:

Deed:\$21.00 (first page) + \$17.00 (each additional page)Mortgage:\$21.00 (first page) + \$17.00 (each additional page)Mortgage Release:\$20.00 (first page) + \$4.00 (each additional page)Mortgage Assignment:\$20.00 (first page) + \$4.00 (each additional page)page)

The above fees do not include all documents that may be filed in each county. Some fees may vary. For a full list of recording fees, services and format requirements, please contact the Register of Deeds Office for the specific county in question.

(NOTE: Beginning January 1, 2019, Mortgage Registration Tax is no longer required in the State of Kansas.)

NOTE: The State of Kansas requires that any deed transferring real estate must be accompanied by a Real Estate Validation Questionnaire. This form must be executed by either the Grantor (Seller) or the Grantee (Buyer). Certain exemptions do apply. The official form can be obtained from the Register of Deeds or from Security 1st Title. Photocopies of the official form will not be accepted.

NOTE: For documents electronically recorded, there is an additional



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third-party service fee of \$5.00 per document, which is in addition to the County recording fees.

- 4. If asked to issue a title insurance commitment for a potential buyer of the subject property, the commitment would include the following exceptions, along with any other matters that may arise after the date of this report:
 - 1. Any defect, lien, encumbrance, adverse claim, or other matter that appears for the first time in the Public Records or is created, attaches, or is disclosed between the Commitment Date and the date on which all of the Schedule B, Part I-Requirements are met
 - 2. Rights or claims of parties in possession not shown by the Public Records
 - 3. Easements, or claims of easements, not shown by the Public Records
 - 4. Any encroachment, encumbrance, violation, variation or adverse circumstances affecting Title that would be disclosed by an accurate and complete survey of the Land or that could be ascertained by an inspection of the Land
 - 5. Any lien, or right to lien, for services, labor, or material heretofore or hereafter furnished, imposed by law and not shown by the Public Records.
 - 6. Taxes, or special assessments, if any, not shown as existing liens by the Public Records
 - General taxes and special assessments for the fiscal year 2021 in the amount of \$1,568.10, PAID IN FULL. Property ID # 14810
 - 8. Taxes for the fiscal year 2022, a lien not yet due or payable.
 - Timber Creek Watershed Joint District No. 38, Butler and Cowley Counties, Kansas, as shown by instrument filed May 10, 1960 and recorded in Jr. Book 35, Page 478, and by instrument filed December 19, 1963 and recorded in Jr. Book 43, Page 495.
 - 10. Rights or claims of parties in possession not shown by the public records.



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- **11.** Roadway easement, if any, over the West of subject property.
- 12. Terms and provisions of the oil and gas lease executed between Nathaniel L. Lowery and Mary E. Lowery, husband and wife, lessor, and Paramount Field Services, LLC, lessee, for a primary term of 3 years, filed October 29, 2013, recorded in/on Book 930, Page 631, together with all subsequent assignments and conveyances.

NOTE: If there is no production of oil and gas <u>from all of the property</u> <u>covered by the above lease</u>; if any set terms including options to renew in the lease have expired; and if a properly executed Affidavit of Non-Production is recorded, the above exception will not appear on the policy to be issued.

13. Any claim to (a) ownership of or rights to minerals and similar substances, including but not limited to ores, metals, coal, lignite, oil, gas, uranium, clay, rock, sand, and gravel located in, on, or under the Land or produced from the Land, whether such ownership or rights arise by lease, grant, exceptions, conveyance, reservation, or otherwise; and (b) any rights, privileges, immunities, rights of way, and easements associated therewith or appurtenant thereto, whether or not the interest or rights excepted in (a) or (b) appear in the Public Records or are shown in Schedule B.

Dated: May 16, 2022, at 7:30 a.m.

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