

## SELLER'S DISCLOSURE NOTICE

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Section 5.008, Property Code requires a seller of residential property of not more than one dwelling unit to deliver a Seller's Disclosure Notice to a buyer on or before the effective date of a contract. This form complies with and contains additional disclosures which exceed the minimum disclosures required by the Code.

## CONCERNING THE PROPERTY AT: 8316 Merlin Drive, Houston, Texas 77055

THIS NOTICE IS A DISCLOSURE OF SELLER'S KNOWLEDGE OF THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AS OF THE DATE SIGNED BY SELLER AND IS NOT A SUBSTITUTE FOR ANY INSPECTIONS OR WARRANTIES THE BUYER MAY WISH TO OBTAIN. IT IS NOT A WARRANTY OF ANY KIND BY SELLER, SELLER'S AGENTS, OR ANY OTHER AGENT.

Seller  $\square$  is  $\boxtimes$  is not occupying the property. If unoccupied (by Seller), how long since Seller has occupied the Property? 1 day (approximate date) or  $\square$  never occupied the Property

## Section 1. The Property has the items marked below: (Mark Yes (Y), No (N), or Unknown (U).)

This Notice does not establish the items to be conveyed. The contract will determine which items will & will not convey.

tem	Y	N	U	Item	Υ	N	U	Item	Υ	N	U
Cable TV Wiring	Х			Liquid Propane Gas		Х		Pump: ☐ sump ☐ grinder		Х	
Carbon Monoxide Det.	Х			- LP Community (Captive)		Х		Rain Gutters	X		
Ceiling Fans	Х			- LP on Property		Х		Range/Stove	Х		
Cooktop	Х			Hot Tub		Х		Roof/Attic Vents		Х	
Dishwasher	Х			Intercom System		Х		Sauna		Х	
Disposal	Х			Microwave	Х			Smoke Detector	Χ		
Emergency Escape _adder(s)		Х		Outdoor Grill	Х			Smoke Detector Hearing Impaired			Χ
Exhaust Fan	Х			Patio/Decking	Х			Spa		Х	
ences	Х			Plumbing System	Х			Trash Compactor		Х	
Fire Detection Equipment	Х			Pool		Х		TV Antenna		Х	
French Drain	Х			Pool Equipment		Х		Washer/Dryer Hookup	Х		
Gas Fixtures	Х			Pool Maint. Accessories		Х		Window Screens	Х		
Natural Gas Lines	Х			Pool Heater		Х		Public Sewer System	Х		

Item	Υ	N	U	Additional Information		
Central A/C	Χ			☑ electric ☐ gas number of units: 1 unit dual zone		
Evaporative Coolers		Χ		number of units:		
Wall/Window AC Units		Χ		number of units:		
Attic Fan(s)		Χ		if yes, describe:		
Central Heat	Χ			□ electric ⊠ gas number of units: 0ne		
Other Heat		Χ		if yes, describe:		
Oven	Χ			number of ovens: one ⊠ electric □ gas □ other		
Fireplace & Chimney	Χ			□wood ⊠ gas log □mock □ other		
Carport		Χ		□ attached □ not attached		
Garage	Χ			☑ attached ☐ not attached		
Garage Door Openers	Χ			number of units: One number of remotes: two		
Satellite Dish & Controls		Χ		□ owned □ leased from:		
Security System	Χ			oximes owned $oximes$ leased from:		
Solar Panels		Χ		□ owned □ leased from:		
Water Heater	Χ			□ electric □ gas ☒ other tankless gas number of units: one		
Water Softener		Χ		□ owned □ leased from:		

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Other Leased Item(s)			f yes,	desc	ribe:					
Underground Lawn Sprinkler	X		⊠ auto	mati	c 🗆 manu	al	area	as covered: Yard and flower b	eds	
Septic / On-Site Sewer Facility		X i	f Yes,	attac	ch Informat	on A	Abou	ut On-Site Sewer Facility.(TXF	र-140	)7)
Water supply provided by: ⊠ city	□w	ell 🗆 N	/IUD	□ сс	op □ unl	nov	vn	□ other:		_
Was the Property built before 197	'8? □	yes ⊠	l no l	⊒ un!	known					
(If yes, complete, sign, and attach	1 TXR	R-1906 d	oncer	ning	lead-based	pai	nt h	azards).		
Roof Type: Composite (Shingles)	)				Age: sever	ı (ap	pro	ximate)		
Is there an overlay roof covering covering)? $\square$ Yes $\boxtimes$ No $\square$ Unk		•	rty (sh	ingle	s or roof co	veri	ng p	placed over existing shingles of	r roo	ıf
Are you (Seller) aware of any of the defects, or are in need of repair?						t are	e not	t in working condition, that have	/e	
Section 2. Are you (Seller) awar		-		or ma	alfunctions	in	any	of the following?: (Mark Ye	s (Y)	if
you are aware and No (N) if you			are.)							
Item Y	-	Item			Y	N	Item	<u> Y</u>	N	
Basement		Floors					X	Sidewalks	$\perp$	X
Ceilings	Х	Founda	tion /	Slab	(s)		X	Walls / Fences		Х
Doors	X	Interior	Walls				X	Windows		X
Driveways	X	Lighting	j Fixtι	ires			Х	Other Structural Componen	ts	Х
Electrical Systems	X	Plumbir	ng Sy:	stem	3		X			
Exterior Walls	Χ	Roof					X			
If the answer to any of the items i	n Sec	ction 2 is	Yes.	expl	ain (attach	addi	ition	al sheets if necessary):		
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Section 3. Are you (Seller) awa	are o	f any of	the f	ollov	ving condi	ion	s? (	Mark Yes (Y) if you are awa	re an	d
No (N) if you are not aware.)										
Condition			Y	N	Conditio	n			Y	N
Aluminum Wiring				X	Radon G	as				X
Asbestos Components				Х	Settling					X
Diseased Trees: ☐ Oak Wilt				Х	Soil Mov	eme	nt			X
Endangered Species/Habitat on I	Prope	ertv		X	Subsurfa	ce S	Struc	cture or Pits		X
Fault Lines				Х	Undergro	unc	Sto	rage Tanks		$T_{X}$
Hazardous or Toxic Waste				X	Unplatte					X
Improper Drainage				X	Unrecord					X
Intermittent or Weather Springs				X				de Insulation	+	X
Landfill				X				lot Due to a Flood Event	+	TX
Lead-Based Paint or Lead-Based	I Dt L	Hazarde		$\frac{1}{x}$	Wetlands				+	$\frac{1}{x}$

Radon Gas	X
Settling	X
Soil Movement	X
Subsurface Structure or Pits	X
Underground Storage Tanks	X
Unplatted Easements	X
Unrecorded Easements	X
Urea-formaldehyde Insulation	X
Water Damage Not Due to a Flood Event	X
Wetlands on Property	X
Wood Rot	X
Active infestation of termites or other wood destroying insects (WDI)	Х
Previous treatment for termites or WDI	X
Previous termite or WDI damage repaired	X
Previous Fires	X

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Encroachments onto the Property

Located in Historic District Historic Property Designation Previous Foundation Repairs

Previous Roof Repairs

Improvements encroaching on others' property

Termite or WDI damage needing repair  X Single Blockable Main Drain in Pool/Hot Tub/Spa*  S Yes, explain (attach additional sheets if necessary):  ction entrapment hazard for an individual.  m, equipment, or system in or on the Property that is in need of sclosed in this notice?  Yes □ No If Yes, explain (attach ced. Refrigerator ice maker under repair, waiting on part required. eeds new ATT Uverse receiver.
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the following conditions?* (Mark Yes (Y) if you are aware and
No (N) if you are not aware.)
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<sup>\*</sup>For purposes of this notice:

<sup>&</sup>quot;100-year floodplain" means any area of land that: (A) is identified on the flood insurance rate map as a special flood hazard area, which is designated as Zone A, V, A99, AE, AO, AH, VE, or AR on the map; (B) has a one percent annual chance of flooding, which is considered to be a high risk of flooding; and (C) may include a regulatory floodway, flood pool, or reservoir.

<sup>&</sup>quot;500-year floodplain" means any area of land that: (A) is identified on the flood insurance rate map as a moderate flood hazard area, which is designated on the map as Zone X (shaded); and (B) has a two-tenths of one percent annual chance of flooding, which is considered to be a moderate risk of flooding.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Flood pool" means the area adjacent to a reservoir that lies above the normal maximum operating level of the reservoir and that

is subject to controlled inundation under the management of the United States Army Corps of Engineers.

"Flood insurance rate map" means the most recent flood hazard map published by the Federal Emergency Management Agency under the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. Section 4001 et seq.).

"Floodway" means an area that is identified on the flood insurance rate map as a regulatory floodway, which includes the channel of a river or other watercourse and the adjacent land areas that must be reserved for the discharge of a base flood, also referred to as a 100-year flood, without cumulatively increasing the water surface elevation more than a designated height.

"Reservoir" means a water impoundment project operated by the United States Army Corps of Engineers that is intended to retain water or delay the runoff of water in a designated surface area of land.

Section 6. Have you (Seller) ever filed a claim for flood damage to the Property with any insurance provider, including the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)?* □Yes ☑ No If yes, explain (attach additional sheets as necessary):
*Homes in high risk flood zones with mortgages from federally regulated or insured lenders are required to have flood insurance. Even when not required, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) encourages homeowners in high risk, moderate risk, and low risk flood zones to purchase flood insurance that covers the structure(s) and the personal property within the structure(s).
Section 7. Have you (Seller) ever received assistance from FEMA or the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) for flood damage to the Property? □Yes ☒ No If yes, explain (attach additional sheets as necessary):
Section 8. Are you (Seller) aware of any of the following? (Mark Yes (Y) if you are aware. Mark No (N) if you are not aware.)
Y N □ ⊠ Room additions, structural modifications, or other alterations or repairs made without necessary permits, with unresolved permits, or not in compliance with building codes in effect at the time.
If Yes, please explain:
☐ ☑ Homeowners' associations or maintenance fees or assessments.
If Yes, complete the following:  Name of association:  Manager's name:  Fees or assessments are: \$ per and are: □ mandatory □ voluntary  Any unpaid fees or assessment for the Property? □ yes (\$) □ no  If the Property is in more than one association, provide information about the other associations below:

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Concerning the Property at 8316 Merlin Drive, Houston, Texas 77055
$\square$ Any common area (facilities such as pools, tennis courts, walkways, or other) co-owned in undivided interest with others.
If Yes, complete the following:
Any optional user fees for common facilities charged? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If Yes, please explain:
□ ⊠ Any notices of violations of deed restrictions or governmental ordinances affecting the condition or use of the Property.
If Yes, please explain:
<ul> <li>□ ⊠ Any lawsuits or other legal proceedings directly or indirectly affecting the Property. (Includes, but is not limited to: divorce, foreclosure, heirship, bankruptcy, and taxes.)</li> <li>If Yes, please explain:</li> </ul>
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□ ⊠ Any death on the Property except for those deaths caused by: natural causes, suicide, or accident unrelated to the condition of the Property.
If Yes, please explain:
☐ ☑ Any condition on the Property which materially affects the health or safety of an individual.  If Yes, please explain:
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□ ⊠ Any repairs or treatments, other than routine maintenance, made to the Property to remediate environmental hazards such as asbestos, radon, lead-based paint, urea-formaldehyde, or mold.
If Yes, attach any certificates or other documentation identifying the extent of the remediation (for example, certificate of mold remediation or other remediation).

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☐ ☑ Any rainwater harvesting syspublic water supply as an au		ty that is larger than 500 gallons and that uses a
If Yes, please explain:		
☐ ☑ The Property is located in a retailer.	propane gas system service	e area owned by a propane distribution system
If Yes, please explain:		
☐ ☑ Any portion of the Property t	hat is located in a groundw	ater conservation district or a subsidence district.
If Yes, please explain:		
Section 9. Seller □ has ⊠ h	nas not attached a surve	y of the Property.
	inspections and who are	eived any written inspection reports from either licensed as inspectors or otherwise
Note: A buyer should not rely on	the above-cited reports as	a reflection of the current condition of the Property. An appeal of the Property. And the buyer.
Section 11. Check any tax ex	emption(s) which you (Se	ller) currently claim for the Property:
	☐ Senior Citizen	□ Disabled
<ul><li>☐ Wildlife Management</li><li>☐ Other:</li></ul>	☐ Agricultural	<ul><li>□ Disabled Veteran</li><li>□ Unknown</li></ul>
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Section 12. Have you (Seller) with any insurance provider?  ☐ Yes ☒ No	ever filed a claim for dam	nage, other than flood damage, to the Property
	ever received proceeds f	or a claim for damage to the Property (for
example, an insurance claim or make the repairs for which the		a legal proceeding) and not used the proceeds to ⊠ No.
If yes evaluin:	olum was made: - 100	
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	_	tectors installed in accordance with the smoke Safety Code?* ⊠ Yes □ No □ Unknown
If No or Unknown, explain (Attach		•

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Concerning the Property at 8316 Merlin Drive, Houston, Texas 77055

\*Chapter 766 of the Health and Safety Code requires one-family or two-family dwellings to have working smoke detectors installed in accordance with the requirements of the building code in effect in the area in which the dwelling is located, including performance, location, and power source requirements. If you do not know the building code requirements in effect in your area, you may check unknown above or contact your local building official for more information.

A buyer may require a seller to install smoke detectors for the hearing impaired if: (1) the buyer or a member of the buyer's family who will reside in the dwelling is hearing-impaired; (2) the buyer gives the seller written evidence of the hearing impairment from a licensed physician; and (3) within 10 days after the effective date, the buyer makes a written request for the seller to install smoke detectors for the hearing-impaired and specifies the locations for installation. The parties may agree who will bear the cost of installing the smoke detectors and which brand of smoke detectors to install.

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Seller acknowledges that the statements in this notice are true to the best of Seller's belief and that no person, including the broker(s), has instructed or influenced Seller to provide inaccurate information or to omit any material information.

Richard Earl Cain	03/30/2021	Sarah H. Cain	03/30/2021
Signature of Seller	Date	Signature of Seller	Date
Printed Name: Richard E Cain		Printed Name: Sarah H Cain	

## **ADDITIONAL NOTICES TO BUYER:**

- (1) The Texas Department of Public Safety maintains a database that the public may search, at no cost, to determine if registered sex offenders are located in certain zip code areas. To search the database, visit <a href="https://publicsite.dps.texas.gov/SexOffenderRegistry">https://publicsite.dps.texas.gov/SexOffenderRegistry</a>. For information concerning past criminal activity in certain areas or neighborhoods, contact the local police department.
- (2) If the Property is located in a coastal area that is seaward of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway or within 1,000 feet of the mean high tide bordering the Gulf of Mexico, the Property may be subject to the Open Beaches Act or the Dune Protection Act (Chapter 61 or 63, Natural Resources Code, respectively) and a beachfront construction certificate or dune protection permit may be required for repairs or improvements. Contact the local government with ordinance authority over construction adjacent to public beaches for more information.
- (3) If the Property is located in a seacoast territory of this state designated as a catastrophe area by the Commissioner of the Texas Department of Insurance, the Property may be subject to additional requirements to obtain or continue windstorm and hail insurance. A certificate of compliance may be required for repairs or improvements to the Property. For more information, please review Information Regarding Windstorm and Hail Insurance for Certain Properties (TAR 2518) and contact the Texas Department of Insurance or the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association.
- (4) This Property may be located near a military installation and may be affected by high noise or air installation compatible use zones or other operations. Information relating to high noise and compatible use zones is available in the most recent Air Installation Compatible Use Zone Study or Joint Land Use Study prepared for a military installation and may be accessed on the Internet website of the military installation and of the county and any municipality in which the military installation is located.
- (5) If you are basing your offers on square footage, measurements, or boundaries, you should have those items independently measured to verify any reported information.
- (6) The following providers currently provide service to the Property:

Electric:	Ambit Energy	Phone #	
Sewer:	City of Spring Valley	Phone #	
Water:	City of Spring Valley	Phone #	
Cable:	ATT Uverse	Phone #	
Trash:	City of Spring Valley	Phone #	
Natural Gas:	CenterPoint Energy	Phone #	
Phone Company:	ATT	Phone #	
Propane:		Phone #	
Internet:	ATT	Phone #	
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(7) This Seller's Disclosure Notice was completed by Seller as of the date signed. The brokers have relied on this notice as true and correct and have no reason to believe it to be false or inaccurate. YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO HAVE AN INSPECTOR OF YOUR CHOICE INSPECT THE PROPERTY.

The undersigned Buyer acknowledges receipt of the foregoing notice.

Signature of Buyer	Date	Signature of Buyer	Date
Printed Name:		Printed Name:	·

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