Organizational Documents and Authorized Representatives

This table lists the basic documentation that may be required for each type of entity. Be sure, however, to always look to the requirements shown on the Commitment/Preliminary Report or to contact the title officer.

Type of Entity	Authorized Representative	Event or Document Giving Legal Status	Document Granting Authority
Attorney-in-Fact	As attorney-in-fact for another individual	Current US Government issued identification card	Power of Attorney
Bankruptcy (BK)	Bankruptcy Trustee	Court order appointing trustee	Court order approving sale
Conservatorship	Conservator (for real property)	Court order appointing Conservator	Court order approving sale
Corporation (Inc.)	Corporate Officer: President Vice President Secretary Treasurer	 Articles of Incorporation filed with the Corporation Commission Bylaws Certificate of Good Standing 	BylawsCorporate Resolution
Estate	Personal Representative	Letters of Appointment & Acceptance	Letters of Testamentary or Letters of Administration
General Partnership (GP)	All Partners	Certificate of Partnership recorded with County Recorder	Partnership Agreement & Amendments
Guardianship	Guardian (for personal property or personal care)	Court Order appointing Guardian	Court order approving sale
Individual	For himself/herself	Current US Government issued identification card	n/a
Individual Retirement Account (IRA)	Custodian or Trustee of the IRA Account	Account Agreement	Account Agreement & Amendments
Joint Venture (JV)	Corporate Officer: President Vice President Secretary Treasurer	Certificate of Joint Venture filed with the Secretary of State	Joint Venture Agreement & Amendments
Limited Liability Company (LLC)	Manager Member	Articles of Organization filed with the Corporation Commission	*Operating AgreementFiled Articles of Organization
Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)	Partner(s) as authorized in the Partnership Agreement	Certificate of Registration from the Secretary of State	Partnership Agreement & Amendments
Limited Partnership (LP)	General Partner	Certificate of Partnership filed with Secretary of State	Partnership Agreement & Amendments
Real Estate Investment Trust (REIT)	Corporate Officer	Articles of IncorporationCertificate of Good Standing	Bylaws Corporate Resolution
Receivership	Court appointed receiver	Court order appointing receiver	Court order approving sale
Trust	Trustee	Trust Agreement	Trust Agreement & Amendments
Unincorporated Association	Corporate Officer: President Vice President Secretary Treasurer	By-Laws or Articles of Association	Resolution of the Association approving sale

^{*}If unable to share the Operating Agreement, the portions that state who can sign can be provided. If neither is provided we need a resolution/consent document naming the person approved to sign and ALL members and managers need to sign the resolution/consent.