Instrument # 201100000585 01/31/2011 At 12:27PM Recording 2 Pages, DEED \$28.00 Tamara K. Barger, Recorder, Mercer County, OH Dropped Off By: HOWELL/EMILY

TRANSFER NOT NECESSARY

JAN 3 1 2011

MARK GIESIGE COUNTY AUDITOR MERCER COUNTY, OHIO

DESCRIPTION
SUFFICIENT
FOR TAX MAPPING PURPOSES

JAN 3 1 2011

MERCER COUNTY TAX MAP DEPARTMENT

WARRANTY DEED (JOINT AND SURVIVORSHIP)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT Steven R. Gerlach and Jane L. Gerlach, husband and wife, GRANTORS, of Mercer County, Ohio, for valuable consideration do hereby **GRANT**, **BARGAIN**, **SELL**, **AND CONVEY** to Steven R. Gerlach and Jane L. Gerlach, of 408 E. Plum Street, Coldwater, Ohio, 45828, for their joint lives, the remainder to the survivor of them, the following described real estate, situated in the Village of Coldwater, County of Mercer, and State of Ohio:

Lot Number Four Hundred and Ninety-nine (499) in FAIRVIEW ADDITION to the Village of Coldwater, Ohio, as the same appears upon the recorded plat thereof.

Grantees shall pay all real estate taxes and assessments due and payable in February 2011 and thereafter.

LAST TRANSFER: Volume 289, Page 392, of the Mercer County Deed Records.

Tax #05-088000.0000 Map #08-27-357-009

and all the **ESTATE**, **RIGHT**, **TITLE AND INTEREST** of the said Grantors in and to the said premises; to have and to hold the same, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, to said Grantees, their heirs and assigns forever.

And the said *Steven R. Gerlach and Jane L. Gerlach* do hereby **COVENANT AND WARRANT** that the title so conveyed is **CLEAR**, **FREE AND UNENCUMBERED**, and that they will defend the same against all lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The said Steven R. Gerlach and Jane L. Gerlach, husband and wife, hereby release their right and expectancy of dower in said premises and have hereunto set their hands this <u>ash</u> day of January, 2011.

Signed and acknowledged by:

Steven R. Gerlach

Jane I. Gerlach

STATE OF OHIO COUNTY OF MERCER SS.

BE IT REMEMBERED, THAT on the <u>18th</u> day of January, 2011, before me, the subscriber, a notary public in and for said state, personally came Steven R. Gerlach and Jane L. Gerlach, the Grantors in the foregoing Deed, and acknowledged the signing thereof to be their voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at St. Henry, Ohio the 28th day of January, 2011.

Notary Public

PAUL E. HOWELL
Attorney At Law
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF OHIO
My Commission Has
No Expiration Date
Section 147.03 O.R.C.

Instrument prepared by: Paul E. Howell, HOWELL, GAST-SCHLATER & CO., L.P.A., Attorneys at Law, 397 N. Eastern Ave., P.O. Box 317, St. Henry, Ohio 45883-0317, (419) 678-7111, FAX: (419) 678-7332, E-MAIL: phowell@howellcolaw.com, REG. NO. 0029631.