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Initial Escrow Disclosure

The Initial Escrow Disclosure Statement details the specific charges that you will pay into escrow each month as part of a mortgage agreement.

Breaking down the form

1. Your monthly payment includes your current payment for principal and interest on your loan plus extra money put into "escrow" for upcoming tax and insurance bills.
2. This section shows how your escrow money will be spent. Each line includes your monthly escrow payment, any disbursements (withdrawals) to pay taxes and insurance bills, and the running balance held in the account. Note that the escrow amounts could change over time. Also note that anything that is paid out of the escrow account, you will not have to pay separately.

INITIAL ESCROW ACCOUNT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Your monthly mortgage payment until your next escrow analysis will consist of the following:

Principal and Interest:	\$ 955.05
Escrow:	\$ 49.51
Total Monthly Payment:	\$1,004.56

The following are anticipated disbursements and deposits from your escrow account during the coming year:

Month	Deposits to Escrow	Disbursements From Escrow	Description	Escrow Account Balances
<i>Initial deposit</i>				\$ 58.95
SEPTEMBER	\$ 49.51	\$		\$ 108.46
OCTOBER	\$ 49.51	\$		\$ 157.97
NOVEMBER	\$ 49.51	\$		\$ 207.48
DECEMBER	\$ 49.51	\$		\$ 256.99
JANUARY	\$ 49.51	\$		\$ 286.50
FEBRUARY	\$ 49.51	\$		\$ 356.01
MARCH	\$ 49.51	\$ 177.03	CITY TAX	\$ 288.49
APRIL	\$ 49.51	\$		\$ 278.00
MAY	\$ 49.51	\$		\$ 327.51
JUNE	\$ 49.51	\$		\$ 377.02
JULY	\$ 49.51	\$ 240.00	HAZARD INSURANCE	\$ 186.53
AUGUST	\$ 49.51	\$ 177.03	CITY TAX	\$ 59.01

PLEASE KEEP THIS STATEMENT TO COMPARE WITH THE ACTUAL ACTIVITY THAT WILL OCCUR IN YOUR ESCROW ACCOUNT DURING THE UPCOMING YEAR.

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Itemization of anticipated disbursements from your escrow account:

07/01/02	HAZARDINS	240.00
03/01/02	CITY TAX	177.03
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	ANNUALPMI	
09/01/02	CNTY TAX	177.03
	CITY TAX	
	ANN ASSESS	

NOTE: The Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act (RESPA) establishes specific guidelines regarding the amount that lenders are permitted to collect for the payment of escrow items during the initial escrow computation year, i.e. the next twelve months. Unless authorized by you to do otherwise, your lender may collect only for disbursements that will occur during the coming year. If your monthly tax escrow amount has been based on unimproved (or lot) tax amounts or if your taxes were prepaid at closing and the next disbursement is not within the initial 12 month escrow computation year, your initial escrow amount for taxes will be lower than normal or may be zero. This may cause a significant increase in your monthly payment when your escrow account is analyzed in the normal twelve month timeframe. In order to minimize the amount of this payment increase, you may request an early analysis of your escrow account prior to the scheduled annual analysis.

Borrower _____ Date _____

Co-Borrower _____ Date _____

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