

## **Providing Peace of Mind**

## Enhanced Owner's Policy vs. Basic Owner's Policy

We understand that your home is possibly the largest financial investment you will make, but the investment is not just financial. Buying a home is also an investment in the future for you and your family. That is why we offer the Enhanced Owner's Policy of Title Insurance. This Owner's Policy provides more than safeguards for the title to your property—it provides you with peace of mind.

The Enhanced Owner's Policy provides expanded title coverage for owners of one-to-four family residences, including condominiums. Coverages included in the Enhanced Owner's Policy offer the highest levels of protection available to homeowners.

## **Enhanced Owner's Policy Coverage**

Subject to the conditions in the policy, covered matters include:

- ✓ Post-Policy Forgery
- ✓ Post-Policy Encroachments by Neighbors
- ✓ Post-Policy Adverse Possession
- ✓ Post-Policy Easement by Prescription
- Building Permit and Zoning Violations
- ✓ Vehicular and Pedestrian Access
- ✓ Encroachment of Improvements
  Onto Easements and Set-Backs
- ✓ Subdivision Violation
- ✓ Restrictive Covenant Violations
- ✓ Structural Damage caused by Mineral Extraction or Easement Use by Others
- Encroachment of Boundary Walls and Fences

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	PROTECTION FROM:		
1	Someone else owns an interest in your title	✓	✓
2	A document is not properly signed	✓	✓
3	Forgery, fraud, duress in the chain of title	✓	✓
4	Defective recording of any document	✓	✓
5	There are restrictive covenants	✓	$\checkmark$
6	There is a lien on your title because there is:		
	a) a deed of trust	✓	✓
	b) a judgment, tax or special assessment	✓	✓
_	c) a charge by a homeowners' association	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
7	Title is unmarketable	✓	✓
8	Mechanics Lien		✓
9	Forced removal of a structure because it:		
	a) extends on another property and/or easement		✓
	b) violates a restriction in Schedule B		✓
	c) violates an existing zoning law*		✓
10	Cannot use the land for a Single-Family Residence because the use violates a		✓
	restriction in Schedule B or a zoning ordinance		
11	Unrecorded lien by a homeowners' association		✓
12	Unrecorded easements		✓
13	Building permit violations*		✓
14	Restrictive covenant violations		✓
15	Post-policy forgery		✓
16	Post-policy encroachment		✓
17	Post-policy damage from extraction of minerals or water		✓
18	Lack of vehicular and pedestrian access		✓
19	Map not consistent with legal description		✓
20	Post-policy adverse possession		✓
21	Post-policy prescriptive easement		✓
22	Covenant violation resulting in your title reverting to a previous owner		✓
23	Violation of building setback regulations		✓
24	Discriminatory covenants		✓
	OTHER BENEFITS:		
25	Pays rent for substitute land or facilities		✓
26	Rights under unrecorded leases		<b>√</b>
27	Plain language statements of policy coverage and restrictions		✓
28	Subdivision law violation		<b>√</b>
29	Coverage for boundary wall or fence encroachment*		✓
30	Added ownership coverage leads to enhanced marketability		<i>✓</i>
31	Insurance coverage for a lifetime		<b>▼</b>
31 32			<b>∨</b>
<b>5</b> 2	Post-policy inflation coverage with automatic increase in value up to 150% over five years		•
33	Post-policy Living Trust coverage		✓

<sup>\*</sup>Subject to maximum indemnity liability, which may be less than policy amount. In certain states, a deductible may apply.