# STEPS TO SUCCESS WHEN BUYING A PROPERTY ATAUCTION<sup>2</sup>

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### How to BUY REAL ESTATE at **AUCTION**<sup>2</sup> (cheat-sheet)

Buyers get these 10 tips before you bid.

Do not let the bidding process scare anyone. Just ask the Auctioneer how to make the offer.

### 1. **Purpose**

To provide an overview of the subject property. Auctioneers want all bidders to be informed. Consequently, Auctioneers feel that an informed buyer is a good buyer. The Auctioneer does not want any mishaps so general information is provided for the bidder's convenience.

### 2. Inspections

Purchasers may conduct inspections prior to auction date. Schedule your inspection with your contractor or certified home inspector. Doing this in advance will keep the fear of bidding out of mind. Being prepared is the best choice a bidder can make, prior to making any offer. Remember properties sell as is.

### 3. Expectations

Purchasers are to inspect the property at their own expense. Escrow deposits in addition to closing costs, buyer's premium shall be the purchaser's responsibility. This transaction may be non-contingent on financing; however, the seller may accept an offer with financing provisions. Placing an offer in advance of the Auction date would be a great option. Close the transaction is normally within 30 days of auction, however, make sure the amount of time to close is noted in your offer prior to the auction date.

### 4. **Representation**

Auctioneer and Brokers represent the seller in most cases. The Supreme Court has ruled that when selling real property at Auction the Auctioneer will represent the seller. You may hire a real estate professional to represent you, advise and assist you in your luxury home auction purchase. Ask for the disclosures, most times the information is in the announcements or provided to your agent in the documents within the MLS System.

### 5. **Buyer's Premium**

A Buyers Premium will be paid by the buyer in addition to the highest bid. This is also in the disclosures in advance of the Auctioneer calling for the offers. Sample calculations prior to bidding may help you understand the final price you will pay the day of the auction. Luxury home and Estate Property require extensive marketing. In exchange for ensuring qualified buyers know about the property Auctioneers may send you marketing alerts. The Buyer's Premium maybe an offset cost to make this happen. If you want to spend 1,000,000 on a home purchase, simply bid 900,000. The Auctioneer will assess 10% percent, that brings the total to 990,000 that a purchaser would be responsible for. Well now looks like you may say 10 grand or so in this scenario. Use the bidding calculations wisely, submit bids with your own judgment.

### 6. Terms and Conditions

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Auctioneers will announce final terms prior to start of auction. Make sure you read the terms and conditions completely. There will be important information in the details and small print. In many cases the Auctioneer will make oral announcements. Circumstance can change, so listen close and pay attention. Once you bid you have an agreement under those terms.

### 7. Purchase and Sale Agreement

Purchase and Seller shall sign an agreement the day of auction. The purchase and sale agreements are available in advance in most cases. If you cannot find this document, ask the Auctioneer for a copy. Ensure your legal advisor reviews the documents prior to Auction Day. As stated in the section above, Auctioneers will not represent you. Auctioneers do not give legal advice.

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### 8. Independent Reports Obtained

Examination of the premises may be obtained by the purchaser at purchaser expense. It is highly suggested that any perspective purchaser gets their inspections and reports prior to bidding. This could mean a home inspection, flood zone reports, environmental hazard reports or other inspections that you wish to obtain. In most cases there will be no grace period after the auction and bids are accepted.

### 9. **Intended Use of this Document**

Informational purposes only. Purchasers should not rely solely on the information present in this or other documents. Claims against the Auctioneer or Broker will not be applicable. It is the purchaser's responsibility to understand the legal requirements in advance. The Auctioneer may accept your bid and in doing so a unilateral agreement is created between buyer and seller based on the buyer's representation that they have made the offer subject to terms presented.

### 10. **Questions for the Auctioneer**

You have heard it said there is never a silly question. True with Auctioneers as well, however under disclosure laws and confidentiality agreements there may be some things that cannot be discussed. With that said, ask questions that are on your mind. The Auctioneer will in most cases insure you re pointed in the right direction.

### 11. Bonus Tips:

Buying at auction forms under two types of preset conditions. Buying property at Absolute Auction or Buying a luxury home or other property with reserve. The Auctioneer will announce the right of the seller to accept or reject offers. It is important that you understand how the property is being offered. Absolute Auctions may be advertised; however, buyers must be able to qualify not only to make the purchase, but also buyers may be required to perform specific actions during the sale. The sale in question is selling subject to confirmation and is conditional based on the offers that are made from perspective buyers. The seller has initiated the liberty of bidding understanding that Buyers may make early bids in writing, via Online bidding or in person. The seller reserves the right to adjust accordingly.

### 12. SUPER BONUS:

Terms and Conditions on Auction Day. Terms announced the day of the auction that precedes the sale will be the governing conditions. The Auctioneer reserves all rights to change, alter, remake, adjust, add, delete, or modify terms up to and until the bidding starts. Additionally, seller and Auctioneer reserve the right to modify qualifying conditions, allow participants to qualify or disallow participants to qualify to bid based on financial. Seller, Broker, and Auctioneer shall maintain equality and shall adhere to the standards of the fair Housing Act and Shall not discriminate based on race, color, religion, national origin, Sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), familiar status or disability.

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## **MULTIPLE OFFERS and**



#### The Bidding Stage Process and Procedures

"Property up for BIDS (that means OFFERS, like multiple offer situations). The SELLER hired the Auctioneer to get YOUR OFFER. Detailed information may be obtained by contacting the Auctioneer, Myers Jackson. Sellers hired the Auctioneer to receive and evaluate ALL OFFERS. Do not delay. Make your OFFER HAPPEN."

- 1) Offline Bidding Written Electronic Offers
- Written Offers Sent to the Auctioneer, Seal Bids
- Submit Pre-Approvals, Financing, Other Buyer Terms
- Seller May Accept Offers Subordinate to Published Terms
- 2) Online Bidding
- Offers Are Made Online Only
- Terms and Conditions of Sale
- Auctioneer Announcements
- <u>https://myersjackson.bid</u>

#### 3) Live Bidding

- In Person Out-Cry Auction
- Seller Terms and Conditions
- Auctioneer Announcements
- 4) Simulcast Bidding

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- Live and Online or Sealed Bid Combinations
- Any Combination / Bidding Processes
- Seller Terms and Conditions
- Auctioneer Announcements

The bid (offering) stage will be announced on each property sale. The tab on the bidding system shall indicate how to make the offer. Each property may have different bidding stages. The Auctioneer may announce the bidding stage as determined by interest and offers. <u>https://myersjackson.bid</u>

The Reserve: There is a statement "Reserve has not been met" (in RED)

When the sellers reserve is met this button shall go from RED to GREEN (green means the reserve has been met and the seller has authorized the sale).

At such time the Auctioneer may place the highest and best deadline on the countdown clock. Example: "24 hours form now bidding will expire". At expiration of the time clock countdown the bid shall be awarded to the best bidder that immediately performs under the terms and conditions of sale.

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## **REAL ESTATE AUCTION ANNOUNCEMENT**

Required opening bid published. <u>(Message the Auctioneer about how to access the reserve)</u> This property may be purchased immediately as the Reserve Met light goes green. Make the bid and offer the price you are willing to pay, no matter what you are willing to pay, make your offer as soon as possible. Bidding is active now, you can see the last bid, just ask. Cash or Seller may consider qualified financing offers. Submit all offers to the Auctioneer (<u>Multiple forms</u> <u>considered</u>). Subject to Terms and Conditions of Sale, Buyer Costs, "as is" Condition, Competitive Bids, and Auctioneer Fees. Message the Auctioneer for other details and how to place an offer.

- Make a Bid or an Offer "do either one". It is the same thing. It's easy, its simple, it transparent.
- <u>Trust ~ Verify ~ Bid Details are online, documents online. If you can't see them message me.</u>
- <u>13 Percent Buyer's Premium.</u> \* Myers Jackson Texas Auctioneer TDLR 17057 \*

### Special Remarks:

Agents say "I have never done this before. You may be right, there is nothing a transparent as this process." Your buyer can see the last money offer made. You buyer can bid just a hundred dollars more. When the "RESERVE" Text is green, the reserve is off, and then the property may sell without notice. Terms & Conditions published in advance. Agents have a chance to earn more with Auctioneers variable payouts. Seller has authorized higher payments. America's Auctioneer Myers Jackson will answer questions. The most important thing is making a BID. Even if you do not think the seller will take it. Sellers change their mind. The Auction method of Marketing is a highly transparent sales process. The only part that is missing is your offer. It is the easiest to make the offer online. Register your buyer (see the form online). Submit TREC Contract if you choose to the Auctioneer. Starting bids are important, your offer is MORE IMPORTANT Bidding online will save time, get an instant answer. Message Auctioneer, Myers Jackson at 469-460-4848 for how to enter the bidding process.

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### **Bidding Instructions and RESERVE**

### **BID OPENING**

Auctioneer shall make announcements, may open bids, update terms and conditions, allow inspections prior to bid opening. All being subject to prior sale without public notice. Check the bidding stage. Typically, the offers come in at different times, the Auctioneer monitors each offer. The most important thing is MAKE THE OFFER as soon as possible. Procrastination leads to disappointment and losing a great opportunity.

### **OPEN HOUSE**

See the open house schedule. Subject to immediate or prior sale. Additional opportunities for learning how to submit offers and questions for the Auctioneer. Call the Auctioneer direct at 469-460-4848.

### **TIMELINE for HIGHEST and BEST**

### STARTING BID

The minimum required stated in the ONLINE BIDDING SYSTEM. Subject to seller confirmation and other announcements. The reserve is met when the words "**RESERVE MET**" turns green. However, the seller may accept and offer without warning. It is important that a MAX BID is made as soon as possible.

#### **HOW to SUBMIT OFFERS**

Licensed Realtors may submit offers using the TREC approved form during OFFLINE BIDDING. Check to see of the Bidding Stage is OFFLINE, ONLINE, LIVE, or SIMULCAST Offers may be submitted to the Auctioneer: Myers Jackson by email at <u>411@myersjackson.com</u>

### **QUESTIONS about BIDDING at AUCTION**

Questions about the auction process may be submitted by text message or a call to the Auctioneer @ 469-460-4848. <u>VIEWING the PROPERTY:</u> Licensed Realtors may view the property and access the home by lock-box or supra. Helpful reminder to turn off lights and lock all doors. Call the Auctioneer or Message the Auctioneer @ 469-460-4848

#### RESERVES NOT MET

The reserve is undisclosed. Reasons are given in the book that will be published soon "The Number One Thing the Auctioneer Does Not Want the Buyer to Know" Ask for a copy when publishing is finalized.

The main reason is the sellers do not know. This is a literal and commonly a factual statement. Sellers change their mind all the time about the RESERVE. In over 1000 auctions the buyers have changed their mind over 90% of the time.

### RESERVE MET

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The indicator light will turn "GREEN" in the Online Bidding APP. At that time the seller has authorized the property to sell. For best practices and to ensure your bidding position, create an account and register to the sale. Make sure you get notified for any changes or updates.

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# VARIBLE COMMISSIONS AND USE OF BROKERS PREMIUM

The REALTOR® Code of Ethics defines a variable-rate commission arrangement as a listing in which one amount of commission is payable if the listing broker's firm is the procuring cause of sale and a different amount of commission is payable if the sale results from the efforts of the seller or a cooperating broker.

The Code of Ethics and NAR's Handbook on Multiple Listing Policy require listing brokers to disclose a variable-rate commission to potential cooperating brokers as soon as is practical. In response to inquiries from potential cooperating brokers, REALTORS® are also required to disclose the difference between the two rates.

In addition, once a cooperating broker knows that a variable-rate commission has been offered, the cooperating broker must disclose this information to his or her client before the client makes an offer to purchase. In this situation, a buyer who makes an offer that's identical to an offer from a buyer who's represented by the listing broker's firm is at a disadvantage, since the commission on the other offer will be lower.

Additionally, The Auctioneer, Broker has made commissions payable on a sliding scale or variable rates dependent upon the status of the buyer's agent in the bid process. Buyer's agents must adhere to the terms and conditions of sale when submitting offers on behalf of a buyer.

Example 1: Sellers Reserve \$1,000,000 Buyers Offer \$1,100,000 4% shall be payable based on the 1,100,00 offer or a total of \$44,000

Example 2: Sellers Reserve: \$1,100,000 Buyers Opening Bid: \$500,000 3% Commission on \$500,000 shall be \$15,000 1% on the balance of the sale \$600,000 or \$6,000 For a total commission of \$21,000

Example 3: Sellers Reserve: \$1,100,000 Buyers Opening Bid 1,000,000 Buyer's Agent Not Procuring Cause may receive \$10,000 \*Subject to verified representation.

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Example 4: Sellers Reserve \$1,000,000 Buyers Offer \$1,100,000 No Buyers Agent at Time of Notification of Sale, No Procuring Cause Buyer's Agent Commission paid by Auctioneer / Broker will be \$0

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### UP TO 4 PERCENT PAID AT CLOSING BROKER PARTICIPATION FORM

For Property Address:

Date Registered:

(REAL ESTATE BROKER) wishes to register. (Buyer) for property being offered in the sale

indicated above. The broker/agent may be deemed to have earned a commission if all the following conditions have been met:

- 1. Broker must be licensed in the State of which property is located. Referrals approved with notice.
- 2. Broker/Agent shows the property to client prior to the auction or attends bidder seminars/open houses.
- 3. Broker/Agent attends client throughout sale and remains with the client until contracting is complete.
- 4. Broker/Agent client is the high bidder, places required deposit and signs real estate sales contract.
- 5. Broker/Agent has acknowledged all General and Special Terms and Conditions of Sale.
- 6. Broker/Agent's client closes the transaction in full in terms under the contract as procuring cause.
- 7. Broker/Agent agrees that he/she will not claim any exceptions to the foregoing procedures.
- 8. Brokers/Agents are only paid if the successfully funds and transaction closes.
- 9. Offers on TREC approved forms shall be acknowledged as an initial bid.
- 10. All offers are made through the Auctioneer and Broker of record, under terms and conditions published.

Provided the above listed conditions are met in full at closing the undersigned broker will collect a commission up to 4% (FOUR PERCENT) of the BID (1% commission may apply if Broker/Agent is not procuring cause or alters conditions of sale) (3% of the opening bid that does not exceed reserve) commissions to be listed on the settlement statement for purchases made by the undersigned buyer based on the initial bid made by buyer as a part of the buyer's premium. Procuring cause, alterations to the term or other conditions not met may result is less commission.

### BROKER PARTICIPATION COMMISSION is VARIBLE

A duly qualified broker may be paid a variable commission (1-4% fee) based on the consummated purchase at bid award with Buyer registration subject to procuring cause. Being subject to the Buyer's Premium payment and agreement to terms and conditions. An incentive up to a 4% total commission may be paid only if the Buyer's Agent is actual procuring cause and the buyer makes the offer for more than the seller's reserve. Additionally, the buyer's agent shall only be paid a commission after proper registration of their client. Registration may be submission of a Purchase and Sale Agreement presented to the seller with the Buyer's Agent full and correct information or by completing the authorized form in writing or by completing full registration in an authorized bidding system or other approved written document.

Buyer Agent Name	Buyer Broker's Firm Name
Buyer Agent Real Estate License Number	Buyer Broker Real Estate License Number
Phone	Phone
Email Address	Email Address
Buyer Name for Reference	Agency Relationship
Buyer or Agent Signature	Broker or Broker's Agent Signature
Myere Jackson	Myers Jackson America's Auctioneer P.O. Box 2014, Grapevine, Texas 76099 (469) 460-4848 / (844) 400-2828 (Texas Real Estate Broker 0698695– Texas Auctioneer 17057)

### Call Myers Jackson America's Auctioneer at 469-460-4848 for additional instructions.

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### **PRE-BIDDING AVAILABLE**



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This undersigned Buyer acknowledges that he/she has agreed to purchase the following Tracts:

Address	

### Legal Description:

 Bid Price:
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Escrow Deposit: \_\_\_\_\_

### A 13% BUYERS PREMIUM

Total Buyer's Premium Due: \$

Property information is believed to be correct and accurate, however, not guaranteed. Buyer acknowledges the following constitutes the bidders acknowledgment also known as and accepted as a memorandum of sale:

- 1. Buyer has been given the opportunity to review information on, inspect and make an independent evaluation of the property. Buyer is not relying on statements or verbal representations made by Seller, their Affiliates, agents, subagents, vendors, or employees.
- 2. The term "Sold" as stated by the Auctioneer upon the acceptance of a bid is an acknowledgment that such bid is the buyer's bid accepted by the seller and may be an outcry announcement or an acceptance of the buyer when signing this form or other manner approved by the seller and that seller has authorized the auctioneer to notify the buyer that the Buyer's bid has been accepted by voice, electronic notification, text, live, voice, online, offline, in writing or other practical manner to consummate the sale.
- 3. A Buyers' Bid may not be accepted, and all bids are subject to whether the sale is "Absolute" or subject to a "Reserve." In a Reserve Auction the seller has reserved the liberty of bidding.
- 4. The terms "AS-IS WHERE-IS-WITH-ALL-FAULTS" means that the property is purchased, as it exists without any representations or warranties whatsoever.
- 5. This agreement is binding upon the parties hereto and their heirs, successors, and assigns.
- 6. Auctioneer-Broker may offer to bid or rebid on any property in individual tracts, combinations of tracts, in whole or part, defense of bids or any upset bid during the bid process. All bids are subject to regrouping of tracts and award of such bid will not be validated until the Auctioneer makes the Final Gavel call and awards the highest bidder the final right to memorialize the purchase and sale agreement as posted and subject to all terms thereof. In the event of buyer default, the seller may resale the property. In such case the signed buyer agrees that buyer shall repay the seller and difference in bid price plus all costs to effect a sale to produce another buyer. Buyers agrees to pay all costs in advance of the sale to promote, market and advertise the re-sale, plus any legal fees that would be incurred, at the entirety of the balance at the time the resale takes place with a new buyer is identified.
- 7. Seller, in their sole discretion, may accept any additional increase on any posted bid by combinations, defense of bids or any upset bid, during the bidding process or after any bid has been posted, prior to final confirmation and acceptance by Auctioneer's bid award.
- 8. Receipt of any bid by the Auctioneer does not constitute Buyer's rights of contract until the Auctioneer's Announcement of the Final Gavel Call (auctioneers grant of bid award authorized by seller), at which point Buyer is bound to Buyer's obligations to contract. The written contract shall only be binding on Seller upon final execution by both Buyer and Seller.

Buyer's execution of this Bid Acknowledgment is in effect and Buyer agrees to (A) Terms and Conditions as published or announced prior to the sale which have been posted and available for Buyer's review and shall be incorporated as part of this bid acknowledgment. (B) Auctioneer's opening remarks all of which are incorporated into this Bid Acknowledgment. (C) A 13% Buyer's premium. (D) Deposit and escrow requirements. (E) Sign a purchase and sale agreement with the Broker of Record (F) Comply with all survey arrangements (G) Comply with all closing terms. (H) All of this may be incorporated into a Purchase and Sale Agreement written by the listing broker, however in the event the buyer fails to execute the Purchase and Sale Agreement the bid award stands valid and buyer shall assume all responsibilities to purchase and transfer the property. In the event the buyer refuses to comply, seller shall be entitled to 100% of all earnest money as calculated on the buyers bid. In addition, the buyer shall pay the auctioneer separately 100% of the published buyer's premium. Both seller and auctioneer may pursue any legal remedy to enforce collection

IN WITNESS	WHEREOF, the parties hereto	have signed this Agreement day of _	2023
STATE OF	COUNTY OF:	BIDDER #	
NAME:		PURCHASER SIGNATURE	

Seller agrees to accept the amount bid as written above.

 SELLER SIGNATURE
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# ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS ASK

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