Fixing Real Estate Headaches



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Where are we going?

- Helpful Sources
- Creating a Game Plan
- Dealing with Title Companies
- Hypotheticals





Helpful Sources

- Texas Title Examination Standards
- CAD Maps & Records
- Online Recorded Documents
- CLE Libraries



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Creating a Game Plan

- Who are you trying to satisfy?
- Identify issues
- Get greenlight before curative work
- CYA



Dealing with Title Companies

- Solicit their input
- We all are working towards the same goal: close the deal
- Not all title companies are created equally



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Deceased Trustee

- Successor Trustee provisions?
- Petition to Appoint Successor?
 - Venue issues...
 - Necessary Parties
 - Service







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