## **Required Contents**

## **Notice of Hearing**

G.S. 45-21.16(a), (c), and (c2)

1. Time and place for the hearing before the clerk	
2. Description of property subject to foreclosure	
3. Date of the deed of trust	
4. Original amount of the note	
5. Original holder of the note	
6. Book and page number of the recorded deed of trust	
7. Name of the holder at the time the notice of hearing filed	
8. Address of the holder at the time the notice of hearing filed	
9. Nature of the default	
10. Statement the debt was accelerated (only required if debt accelerated)	
11. Right of debtor to pay debt or cure default (if permitted)	
12. 30 day notice letter sent	
13. Statement regarding compliance with Borrower requests for information	
14. Right of the borrower to appear at the hearing	
15. Statement that if borrower does not contest, does not have to appear and failure to appear does not impact obligation to pay the debt or sale of the property	
16. The Substitute Trustee is a neutral party and may not advocate	
17. The Borrower may enjoin the sale on any legal or equitable ground, provided they comply with GS 45-21.34 (bond)	
18. Right of the Borrower to contest the foreclosure at the hearing and to authorize the foreclosure the clerk must find existence certain factors	
19. If Borrower fails to appear, substitute trustee will ask for an order to sell the property	
20. Borrower has right to seek the advice and counsel of an attorney and free services may be available through Legal Aid	
21. If sale held, then purchaser at sale is entitled to possession of the property and Borrower may be evicted if still on property	
22. Name of current trustee or mortgagee under the deed of trust	
23. Telephone number of current trustee or mortgagee under the deed of trust	
24. Address of current trustee or mortgagee under the deed of trust	
25. Request that the Borrower keep trustee up to date on his or her address so that the trustee can mail notices to the borrower	
26. Hearing may be on a date later in the notice and if notice will be sent of the new date	
27. If the Borrower is on military duty, the foreclosure may be prohibited	

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28. Certification that the 45-day letter provided in all material respects, requisite information was registered with AOC, and all applicable time periods have elapsed (G.S. 45-107; G.S. 45-21.16(d)(v))