

SUMMARY 2100 Whitehall Rd, Frederick, MD 21702 Michael Frustaci September 29, 2022



2.2.1 Siding, Flashing & Trim

LOOSE BOARDS



One or more siding/trim pieces were loose, which could result in moisture intrusion. Recommend a qualified siding contractor secure and fasten.

Recommendation Contact a qualified siding specialist.



2.3.1 Exterior Doors

WEATHERSTRIPPING NOT PRESENT



Door is missing standard weatherstripping. This can result in significant energy loss and moisture intrusion. Recommend installation of standard weatherstripping.

Here is a DIY guide on weatherstripping.

2.4.1 Decks, Balconies, Porches & Steps

DECK-WATER SEALANT REQUIRED



Deck is showing signs of weathering and/or water damage. Recommend power washing and water sealant/weatherproofing be applied.

Here is a helpful article on staining & sealing your deck.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified handyman.





2.4.2 Decks, Balconies, Porches & Steps IMPROPER DECK CONSTRUCTION



PRACTICES

Deck support beam is UNSAFE. Recommend immediate evaluation by a qualified carpenter/ deck contractor.

Recommendation Contact a qualified deck contractor.



3.1.1 Coverings

KICK-OUT FLASHING



Recommend installing kick-out flashing where the roof edge meets the side of the house.

Recommendation Contact a qualified gutter contractor



4.1.1 Foundation

FOUNDATION CRACKS - MINOR



Minor cracking was noted at the foundation. This is common as concrete ages and shrinkage surface cracks are normal. Recommend monitoring for more serious shifting/displacement.

Here is an informational article on foundation cracks.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified masonry professional.





5.1.1 Equipment **CORROSION**



Outdoor Compressor was corroded in one or more areas. This could be the result of improper venting, which the source would need to be identified. Recommend a HVAC contractor evaluate and repair.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified HVAC professional.



5.1.2 Equipment

AGE

The age of the unit is past it's expected service life

Recommendation

Contact a qualified HVAC professional.



6.1.1 Cooling Equipment

INSULATION MISSING OR DAMAGED



Missing or damaged insulation on refrigerant line can cause energy loss and condensation.



7.4.1 Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents



NO DRIP PAN

No drip pan was present. Recommend installation by a qualified plumber.



7.5.1 Sump Pump IMPROPER INSTALLATION

Sump pump is missing the cover.

Recommendation Contact a qualified handyman.





7.6.1 Bathroom

SHOWER CAULKING



Recommend replacement of shower caulking. Mold has entered behind the caulking. Recommend handyman to replace

Recommendation Contact a qualified professional.



8.2.1 Main & Subpanels, Service & Grounding, Main Overcurrent Device



NEUTRAL WIRES SHARING LUGS

Neutral wires are sharing the same lugs in the main service panel. A loose connection could result in fire.

Recommendation
Contact a qualified electrical contractor.



11.1.1 Doors

POOR WEATHER-STRIPPING



At the time of the inspection, weather-stripping at interior doors was generally damaged or deteriorated. The Inspector recommends replacement/installation of effective weather-stripping components as necessary by a qualified contractor.

