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This Summary outlines potentially significant issues from a cost or safety standpoint. This section is provided as a courtesy and cannot be considered a substitute for reading the entire report. Please read the complete document. <u>Priority Maintenance Items</u>

# Exterior

# EXTERIOR GLASS/WINDOWS \ Sashes

#### Condition: • Rot

Observed deteriorated wood behind the lower metal sash on front right side bedroom window. Observed wood deteriorated at the lower rail at window sash on the interior side of window. Mid levels of moisture present when tested. Recommend further evaluation and repair.

Implication(s): Chance of water damage to structure, finishes and contents | Material deterioration

Location: Front Right Side Bedroom window

Task: Further evaluation



1. Loose metal trim at window



**3.** Interior lower rail damaged



2. Wood deteriorated behind metal trim



4. Moisture present at window

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# **EXTERIOR GLASS/WINDOWS \ Frames**

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Condition: • Rot

Observed loose metal trim on rear glass window. Observed wood deteriorated behind metal trim on both sides of window. Observed no moisture on the interior side of window. Recommend further evaluation repair.

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Implication(s): Material deterioration

Location: Rear window of sunroom

# Task: Further evaluation



5. Wood deteriorated behind metal frame



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6. Wood deteriorated behind metal frame



7. Rear window at sunroom

# **IRRIGATION/SPRINKLER SYSTEM \ Observations**

Condition: • Observed ponding of water inside the the manual shut off valve or ICV (irrigation cut off valve) on left side of home. Observed 10-12 ft section of wet- muddy ground along side of garage wall. Unable to see damage at valve. Recommend further evaluation by an irrigation specialist.

Location: Left Side of garage.

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## Task: Further evaluation



8. Water inside ICV for sprinkler



10. Ponding of water near ICV



9. Ponding of water along garage wall



**11.** Ponding of water along garage wall

This concludes the Summary section.

The remainder of the report describes each of the home's systems and also details any recommendations we have for improvements. Limitations that restricted our inspection are included as well.

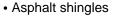
The suggested time frames for completing recommendations are based on the limited information available during a pre-purchase home inspection. These may have to be adjusted based on the findings of specialists.

Home Improvement - ballpark costs



# **General Information**

Sloped roofing material:







12. Asphalt shingles

Sloped roof flashing material: • Metal Probability of leakage: • Low Typical life expectancy: • 20-25 years

# **Inspection Methods & Limitations**

General: • While your inspector makes every reasonable attempt to report accurately on the condition of the roof some limitations such as but not limited to: weather (high winds, rain, snow, ice, lightening), loose roof granulate, steep pitch, height, fragile coverings, lack of access, signs of failed roof structure will prevent the inspector from safely walking on the roof, wet covering, snow and ice can also hide defects. ASHI or State regulations do not require home inspectors to walk on roofs, only method for viewing. Conditions of roof covering including the ability of the roof covering to shed water is based on observed findings at the time of the inspection. As hard as we try we can not guarantee a roof is free from leaks or how long a roof covering will last before it does so. The only way to determine whether a roof is absolutely water tight is to observe it during a prolonged rainfall. Many times, this situation is not present during the inspection.

Inspection performed: . By walking on roof

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# Recommendations, Issues & Observations

# **RECOMMENDATIONS \ Overview**

1. Condition: • Roof inspection is based on the visible condition of the roof this day. Recommend monitor the roof seasonally and after heavy weather for evidence of damage.

**Location**: Throughout

Task: Evaluation by a qualified contractor

# **SLOPED ROOFING \ Asphalt shingles**

2. Condition: • Damage

Observed minor impact damage at various areas of roof. Recommend monitoring.

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Implication(s): Chance of water damage to structure, finishes and contents

Location: Various areas on Roof

Task: Monitor





15. Minor impact damage

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14. Minor impact damage

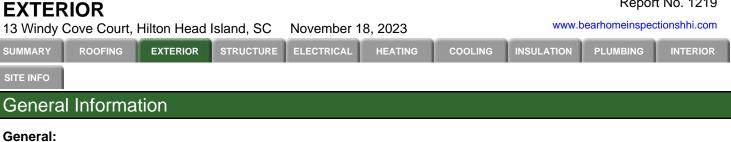
# 3. Condition: • Debris/moss

Observed leaves and debris at several valleys on roof. Recommend cleaning. Implication(s): Shortened life expectancy of material Location: Front & Rear Roof Task: Clean

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19. Exterior Views



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20. Exterior Views

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21. Exterior Views

General: • Observed aluminum hurricane panels stored in service area on left side of home.



22. Aluminum panels for windows



23. Aluminum panels for windows

Gutter & downspout material: • Aluminum Gutter & downspout type: • Eave mounted Soffit (underside of eaves) and fascia (front edge of eaves): • Wood Wall surfaces and trim: • Wood Driveway: • Concrete Walkway: • Concrete Patio: • Concrete

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# Garage vehicle door operator (opener): • Manually operated

Irrigation/Lawn sprinklers: • Observed 6 station Orbit Irrigation Panel in left side service area.

Model number: 57946



24. Orbit Irrigation Panel in service area

# **Inspection Methods & Limitations**

**General:** • While the inspector makes every reasonable attempt to report on the exterior components of a home some areas may be concealed by vegetation, owners belongings, wall coverings, carpet, lack of access, weather conditions, vehicle in garage, stored items in the garage. Inspection reporting is based on the condition of the home at the time of the inspection and available accessibility.

This is a visual observation of the exterior wall surface conditions of the property at the time of the inspection. During renovations or remodeling it is possible that discoveries will be made regarding the condition of the walls or structure behind the exterior wall siding. We are not responsible for concealed damage found behind the wall, wall sheathing, vapor barrier components, structural supports, plumbing and electrical components that are not visible.

**Inspection limited/prevented by:** • The siding was inspected for the presence of visible defects only. No invasive techniques were employed. Moisture testing of the structure behind the siding was neither offered nor implied.

Moisture intrusion behind the siding is not always visible from the exterior or interior therefore, due to the potential for damage resulting from moisture-related issues we recommend evaluation of all siding structures by a qualified contractor prior to closing.

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Not included as part of a building inspection: • Screens, shutters, awnings, and similar seasonal accessories • Fences and boundary walls • Erosion control, earth stabilization measures

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# **ROOF DRAINAGE \ Gutters**

4. Condition: • Clogged

Observed clogged gutters on front and rear portion of home. Recommend cleaning.

Implication(s): Chance of water damage to structure, finishes and contents

Location: Front and rear eave

Task: Clean

Time: As soon as possible

25. Clogged gutters, front 26. Clogged gutters, rear **ROOF DRAINAGE \ Downspouts** 

5. Condition: • Discharge too close to building

Observed gutter downspouts on rear portion of home discharging close to building. Observed one gutter discharge having minor soil erosion washing away old tree roots. The other discharge pipe is covered with pine needles and debris. Recommend improving and provide gutter extension to keep water away from the building. Implication(s): Chance of water damage to structure, finishes and contents

Location: Rear

Task: Improve

Time: As soon as possible



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27. Minor soil eroding below gutter discharge



28. Discharge covers with debris

# WALLS \ Wood siding

6. Condition: • Open gap

Observed open penetration on front left side of entryway along garage wall. Possibly old hose bib was at that location. Recommend sealing opening.

Implication(s): Chance of water damage to structure, finishes and contents | Material deterioration

Location: Front Left Side garage wall

Task: Improve/ seal





**29.** Open gap in siding

# WALLS \ Vent (fan, clothes dryer, etc.)

7. Condition: • Cover does not close properly

Dryer vent missing flapper on exterior side. You can see through pipe into interior of home. Recommend repairing or ireplacement.

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# **Implication(s)**: Chance of pests entering building | Increased heating and cooling costs **Location**: Service Area/Laundry room

Task: Repair Replace





**31.** Dryer vent missing flapper

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8. Condition: • Rot

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Implication(s): Chance of water damage to structure, finishes and contents | Material deterioration

Location: Front Right Side Bedroom window

Task: Further evaluation



33. Loose metal trim at window



34. Wood deteriorated behind metal trim

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36. Moisture present at window

35. Interior lower rail damaged

# **EXTERIOR GLASS/WINDOWS \ Frames**

# 9. Condition: • Rot

Observed loose metal trim on rear glass window. Observed wood deteriorated behind metal trim on both sides of window. Observed no moisture on the interior side of window. Recommend further evaluation repair.

Implication(s): Material deterioration

Location: Rear window of sunroom

Task: Further evaluation



37. Wood deteriorated behind metal frame



38. Wood deteriorated behind metal frame

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39. Rear window at sunroom

# **DOORS \ Doors and frames**

10. Condition: • Damaged Weatherstripping
 Door sweep loose on the exterior side of left door in rear sunroom. Monitor
 Implication(s): Chance of damage to finishes and structure
 Location: Rear Sunroom, Left side door
 Task: Monitor



40. Loose Weatherstripping

# LANDSCAPING \ Patios

**11. Condition:** • Minor Cracking
Observed minor cracking of cement patio on rear left side of home. Monitor. **Location**: Rear Left Side patio. **Task**: Monitor

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41. Minor Cracking on rear patio

# LANDSCAPING \ Driveway

12. Condition: • Minor cracking Observed minor cracking on cement driveway. Monitor. Location: Front driveway Task: Monitor



42. Minor cracking on driveway

# LANDSCAPING \ Fence

13. Condition: • Deteriorated

Observed minor deterioration to a couple of the vertical fence boards at service area fencing. Recommend monitoring, improve if condition worsens. Implication(s): Material deterioration

Location: Left Side Service Area



43. Minor cracking on driveway

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## Task: Improve Monitor



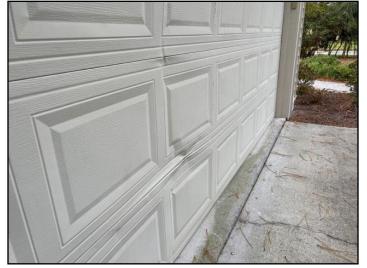
44. Minor deterioration to fence boards



45. Minor deterioration to fence boards

#### **GARAGE \ Vehicle doors**

14. Condition: • Dented Observed dent on two lower panels at middle of garage door. Door operates when tested. Monitor Implication(s): Damage to equipment Location: Garage Task: Monitor/ or Improve Time: Discretionary





46. Dented garage door

# **IRRIGATION/SPRINKLER SYSTEM \ Observations**

47. Dent viewed from inside garage

15. Condition: • Panel Not Operational.. Recommend a specialist to further evaluate the irrigation panel and that all zones are operating correctly, the sprinkler heads providing adequate coverage and no apparent leaks in system.

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......Unable to get irrigation System panel to operate. I tried testing panel in manual mode, cycling through the 6 stations. Unable to get sprinkler system on. Display shows each station was operating but observed no water at sprinkler heads throughout property. Recommend further evaluation or disclosure from owner to its specific operation. Location: Middle Service Area

Task: Request disclosure Further evaluation





48. Panel not operating.

49. Panel not operating

16. Condition: • Observed ponding of water inside the the manual shut off valve or ICV (irrigation cut off valve) on left side of home. Observed 10-12 ft section of wet- muddy ground along side of garage wall. Unable to see damage at valve. Recommend further evaluation by an irrigation specialist.

Location: Left Side of garage.

Task: Further evaluation



50. Water inside ICV for sprinkler



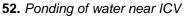
51. Ponding of water along garage wall

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**53.** Ponding of water along garage wall

# IRRIGATION/SPRINKLER SYSTEM \ Sprinkler heads

17. Condition: • Tilted

Observed several sprinkler heads that are leaning along the front shrubs and on right side of home. Unable to test system to see if heads are operational.

Implication(s): Reduced operability

Location: Various Exterior Wall

Task: Monitor





54. Tilted sprinkler heads

55. Tilted sprinkler heads

18. Condition: • Observed exposed loose sprinkler head and piping at rear patio. Recommend securing.
 Location: Rear patio
 Task: Improve

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56. Exposed piping and loose sprinkler head

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# **STRUCTURE**

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# **General Information**

Configuration: 
 Slab-on-grade

Foundation material: • Poured concrete

Floor construction: • Slab - concrete

Exterior wall construction: • Wood frame

#### Roof and ceiling framing:

• Rafters/ceiling joists



- 57. Rafters/ceiling joists garage attic
- · Plywood sheathing



58. Rafters/ceiling joists, main attic



59. Plywood sheathing

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# **Inspection Methods & Limitations**

General: • Limitations: Home inspector is not required to enter a crawl space where access is less than 16x24 inches and under floor crawl space areas that have less than 24 inches vertical clearance between components and ground. The home inspector is not required to traverse load-bearing components that are concealed by insulation or other materials and or where vertical clearance is limited. Entering these areas that will, in the professional judgement of the home inspector likely be dangerous, is the sole discretion of the inspector. • Foundations Limitations. Areas hidden from view by finished walls or stored items can not be judged and are not a part of this inspection. Minor cracks are typical in many foundations and most do not represent a structural problem. If major cracks are present along with bowing, we routinely recommend further evaluation be made by a gualified structural engineer. All exterior grades should allow for surface and roof water to flow away from the foundation. All concrete floor slabs experience some degree of cracking due to shrinkage and it's drying process. In most instances floor coverings prevent recognition of cracks or settlement in all but the most severe cases. Where carpeting and other floor coverings are installed, the materials and condition of the flooring underneath cannot be determined.

We do not inspect for termite damage or prior termite damage. Please refer to your termite report (CL-100 report) for all wood rot, wood fungi, wood fungus and/or termite damage. (Also known as a 'Wood Infestation Report'. The 'CL' stands for Clear Letter' indicating there is no current termite infestations in the home.) During the sale of a structural property in South Carolina involving a lending institution, a CL-100 is a report that may be required at the time of closing. This report is performed by a Licensed Pest Control professional. Usually the seller and their attorney sets this up. Please request disclosure from your Real Estate agent or attorney if and when this scheduled inspection will be performed and obtaining the results from the CL-100 Inspection.

Inspection limited/prevented by: • Ceiling, wall and floor coverings • New finishes/paint

#### Attic/roof space:

· Entered but access was limited Pull downstairs in garage.



60. Pull down stairs in garage

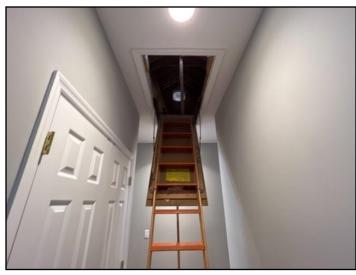
Inspected from access hatch

Pulldown steps in hallway of home. Access to main portion of attic.

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61. Pull down steps in hallway

# Recommendations, Issues & Observations

# FOUNDATIONS \ General notes

19. Condition: • Typical minor cracks

Observed minor cracking & spalling of the cement foundation on middle right side of home. Recommend Monitoring **Implication(s)**: Chance of water entering building

Location: Middle Right Side

Task: Monitor





62. Typical minor cracks at slab

# ROOF FRAMING \ Sheathing (roof/attic)

# **20. Condition:** • Water stains

Observed water stains on sheathing on front left side corner of the garage attic. No moisture present when tested. Monitor.

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Implication(s): Material deterioration Location: Garage Attic Left Side Task: Monitor



64. Water stains on door sheathing, garage



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65. No moisture present

21. Condition: • Water stains Observed minor water stains at two areas on roof sheathing in main portion of attic. Observed no moisture when tested. Recommend monitoring. Implication(s): Material deterioration Location: Middle of attic

Task: Monitor



66. Water stains on roof sheathing

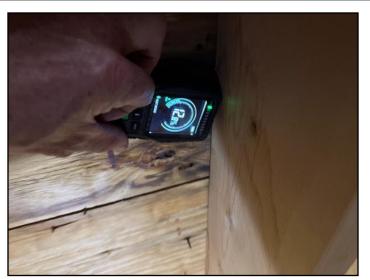


67. Low to no moisture detected

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68. Water stains on rear sheathing



69. Low to no moisture present

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Service entrance cable and location: • Underground aluminum	
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Service size: • 200 Amps (240 Volts)	
Main disconnect/service box rating: • 200 Amps	



71. 200 Amps Main disconnect

# Main disconnect/service box type and location:

• Breakers - garage

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72. Breakers - garage

# System grounding material and type:

• Aluminum - ground rods



73. Aluminum - ground rods

Distribution panel rating: • 200 Amps

# Electrical panel manufacturers:

Square D

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74. Square D

75. Panel cover removed

Distribution wire (conductor) material and type: 
 • Copper - non-metallic sheathed

Circuit interrupters: Ground Fault (GFCI) & Arc Fault (AFCI): • GFCI - exterior • GFCI - panel

# Smoke alarms (detectors):

Ionization type

Observed six ionization types smoke alarms throughout home. All are new 2022'



76. Smoke alarms

Carbon monoxide (CO) alarms (detectors): • None noted



77. Ionization type Smoke alarm

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# **Inspection Methods & Limitations**

General: • Limitations: Any electrical repairs attempted by anyone other than a licensed electrician should be approached with caution. The

power to the entire house should be turned off prior to beginning any repair efforts, no matter how trivial the repair may seen. The home inspector is not required to: Insert any tool, probe, or testing device inside the panels; Test or operate any over current device except ground fault circuit interrupters; Dismantle any electrical device or control other than to remove the covers of the main and auxiliary distribution panels; or Observe: Low voltage systems; Security system devices, heat detectors, or carbon monoxide detectors; Telephone, security, cable TV, intercoms, or other ancillary wiring that is not a part of the primary electrical distribution system; or Built-in vacuum equipment. The inspection is not technically exhaustive the use of voltage meters and other specialized tools are used to measure amperage, voltage and impedance. Inspection of the electrical system is limited to visual components only, inspector can not report on wiring concealed inside the building envelope, by insulation or where access is limited. Per the ASHI Standard of Practice a represented number of receptacles, wall switches and lighting are tested, systems and components that do not respond to normal operating controls and remote control devices, and smoke detectors are not required to be tested. Because many smoke detectors are wired to security systems they are not tested. Aluminum wiring requires periodic inspection and maintenance by a licensed electrician. Operation of time clock motors is not verified.

**System ground:** • Quality of ground not determined at electrical components.

Not included as part of a building inspection: • Determination of the age of smoke and carbon monoxide alarms. It is recommended that smoke and carbon monoxide detectors

(alarms) be tested monthly. Smoke Alarms should be installed within 15 feet of all bedroom

doors, tested regularly and changed out every 10 years for safety concerns. Those that are older than 10 years should be replaced.

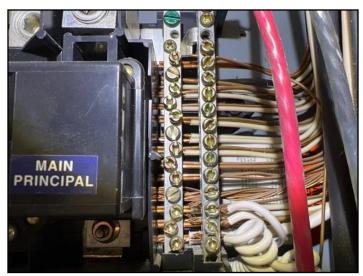
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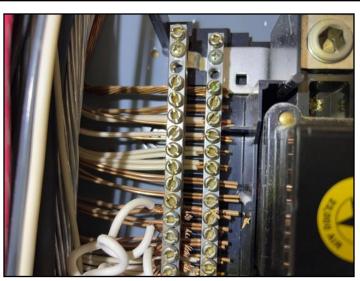
22. Condition: • Multi-wire circuit on same bus Observed multiple ground and neutral wires on same lugs at busbar in electrical panel. Consult with a licensed electrician if this condition is acceptable practice. Implication(s): Arcing / Electric shock | Fire hazard Location: Garage panel Task: Further evaluation by electrician

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78. Multi-wire circuit on same bus



79. Multi-wire circuit on same bus

# DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM \ Wiring (wires) - damaged or exposed

23. Condition: • Exposed on walls or ceilings

Observed two electrical junction boxes attached to the roof rafters with exposed wires at top ridge on left and right side of attic. Possibly went to an old mechanical attic fan that is no longer present. Observed new plywood sheathing at those locations. Unable to reach junction boxes to test if wires are live. Recommend further evaluation and request disclosure of repair.

Implication(s): Electric shock Location: Attic Task: Further evaluation Improve



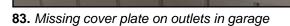
81. Exposed wires at junction box, attic

80. Exposed wires in attic

# **DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM \ Switches**

24. Condition: • Rotary knob missing on electrical switch for rear kitchen light. Light is operational. Provide

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DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM \ Cover plates 25. Condition: • Missing Cover plates missing on two electrical outlets in Implication(s): Electric shock Location: Garage Task: Provide	garage. Provide.		



84. Missing cover plate at receptacle

# 26. Condition: • Missing

Cover plates missing at electrical outlet and cable junction box in kitchen closet. Provide. **Implication(s)**: Electric shock

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85. Missing cover plates

# **DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM \ Lights**

27. Condition: • Inoperative Light inoperative in service area. Improve. Implication(s): Inadequate lighting Location: Left Side Service Area Task: Improve



86. Inoperative light at service area.

**28. Condition:** • Inoperative Bulbs inoperative at kitchen light fixture. Improve or provide. Implication(s): Inadequate lighting

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# Location: Rear Kitchen Task: Provide



87. Bulbs out at light in kitchen

# 29. Condition: • Inoperative

Bulbs missing /inoperative at light fixture in front right bedroom. Recommend providing. Implication(s): Inadequate lighting Location: Front Right Side Bedroom Task: Provide Improve



88. Bulbs missing at light fixture

30. Condition: • Inoperative
Spotlights off of primary bedroom inoperative. Recommend improving.
Implication(s): Inadequate lighting
Location: Rear Right Side patio

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# Task: Improve



89. Inoperative spot light

31. Condition: • Inoperative

Lights bulbs inoperative in middle and left side of attic. Improve. Implication(s): Inadequate lighting

Location: Attic

Task: Improve



90. Inoperative lights in attic



91. Inoperative lights in attic

32. Condition: • Missing Missing lens cover at vent fan in primary bathroom. Provide. Implication(s): Inadequate lighting Location: Primary Bathroom Task: Provide

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92. Missing lens cover at light/vent fan

# DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM \ Smoke alarms (detectors)

**33. Condition:** • Recommend homeowner check and TEST the smoke alarm once a month on a regular basis. Change and replace the batteries at least every six months. The lifespan of a smoke alarm is 10 years. According the NFPA they recommend that smoke alarms be replaced every ten years. Having working smoke alarm that are within their lifespan saves lives.

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# **General Information**

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Heating system type: • Fireplace • Heat pump

Fuel/energy source: • Electricity • Wood

Heat distribution: • Ducts and registers

Exhaust venting method: • Natural draft

#### Fireplace/stove:

• Wood-burning fireplace

Wood-burning fireplace in living room. Metal flu operational. Observed no cracks on the brick refractory inside of fireplace.

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Model number: AE 93834/ RD 43004 Serial number: SGR3843



93. Wood-burning fireplace



95. Fireplace data tag



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94. Metal flue operational



96. Brick refractory

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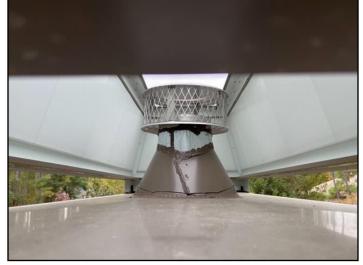
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## Chimney/vent:

# Metal





97. Metal cap and crown

98. Metal chimney shroud



**99.** *Metal vent piping in attic* 

**Mechanical ventilation system for building:** • Kitchen exhaust fan • Bathroom exhaust fan **Location of the thermostat for the heating system:** • Hallway

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## **Inspection Methods & Limitations**

General: • Limitations: Inspector does not inspect the interior of vents systems, concealed ducting or ducting that is installed in attic or crawl spaces without adequate clearances or safe passage, heat exchangers, humidifiers, dehumidifiers, electric air cleaning and sanitation devices, heating systems using ground-source, water-source, solar, and renewable energy technologies, heat-recovery and similar whole-house mechanical ventilation systems. Determine: heat supply adequacy and distribution balance, the adequacy of combustion air components, condition of inaccessible chimneys and flues. The inspector is not equipped to inspect furnace heat exchangers for evidence of cracks or holes, as this can only be

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done by dismantling the unit. Interior of ductwork is not inspected (not part of this inspection) for mold or mildew. Older ductwork was not

required to be sealed at joints and connections. We recommend having joints and connections properly sealed as needed for better air performance by a professional contractor. We also recommend having them further evaluate interior of duct system prior to sealing duct system. This is beyond the scope of this inspection. Some furnaces are designed in such a way

that inspection is almost impossible. The inspector can not light pilot lights. Safety devices are not tested by the inspector.

Inspection prevented/limited by: • A/C or heat pump operating

Fireplace/wood stove: • Dataplate not visible, illegible or inaccessible • Connection to chimney not inspected

## Recommendations, Issues & Observations

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS \ Overview**

**34.** Condition: • No heating recommendations are offered as a result of this inspection.

#### **OPTIONAL \ Heating**

**35.** Condition: • Annual maintenance: It is recommended to have the HVAC system inspected and serviced annually, service records are not available to the home inspector. You may be able to obtain service records from the home seller, absence of any evidence of recent servicing, we recommend the HVAC system serviced by a HVAC technician with a annual service agreement going forward.

Implication(s): loss of serviceable life to the system, higher utility bills, undiscovered hidden defects

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Air conditioning type: • Air cooled

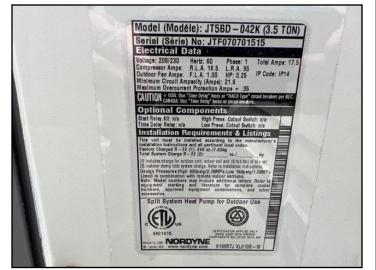
Heat pump type: • Air source

#### Manufacturer:

Nordyne

Observed 3 1/2 ton, July of 2007' heat pump. *Model number:* JT5BD-042K *Serial number:* JTF070701515





100. Nordyne Heat pump

101. Nordyne data tag, 2007'

Nordyne

Nordyne air handler in Attic. 3 1/2 ton unit, May 2007' Model number: GB5BM-T42K-B-10 Serial number: GBA070502522



102. Nordyne air handler in attic

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103. Nordyne air handler, 2007'

#### Temperature difference across cooling coil:

• Temp. Difference in Heat Mode. Acceptable difference is 14\*F to 35 \*F

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Observed a temperature difference of 24\*F -31\*F with-in 10 minutes of testing system in heat mode. Suggests good performance.



104. Return air 67.3\*F



106. Supply air 91.4\*F



105. Supply air 93.5\*F



107. Supply air 92.9\*F

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108. Supply air 98.8\*F



110. Supply air 96.3\*F

Location of the thermostat for the cooling system:

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109. Supply air 92.5\*F



111. Supply air 91.2\*F

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112. Hallway

#### Condensate system:

• Discharges to exterior



113. Discharges to exterior

## **Inspection Methods & Limitations**

General: • Limitations: The inspector is not required to determine cooling supply adequacy and distribution, inspect cooling units that are not permanently installed such as window units, inspect cooling systems that use geothermal technology, solar and renewable energy. Heat pumps and air conditioners are not tested when outdoor temperatures are below 60\*f as it can harm the system. • Testing of the HVAC equipment conducted during a home inspection is no substitute for the opinion of a qualified HVAC technician.

Not addressed in a home inspection:

- interiors of the duct work (which could effect the ventilation in the property and the efficiency of the equipment to cool and heat effectively),

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- condition or the effectiveness of air filter,

- heat gain/loss calculations,
- physical condition of the evaporator coil,
- verification the indoor coil matches the outdoor coil, cooling system distribution balance,
- cooling system adequacy.

It would be prudent to consider having this equipment inspected by a qualified technician prior to closing.

**Inspection limited/prevented by:** • Testing of the HVAC equipment conducted during a home inspection is no substitute for the opinion of a qualified HVAC technician. It would be prudent to consider having this equipment inspected by a qualified technician prior to closing.

Your Realtor is a good source for referrals of qualified contractors. ... If you have

further questions regarding the performance or remaining life of the HVAC equipment I recommend that you contact a qualified HVAC technician prior to closing. ...The interior of the duct work is not examined as part of this inspection.

In older homes where the age of the ducts appears to match that of the property we advise you seek further evaluation of the ducts by a qualified technician prior to closing to determine the functionality and efficiency.

Furthermore, older duct work will affect the ability of newer HVAC components to achieve maximum efficiency.

Heat pump only tested in: • Heating mode

Not included as part of a building inspection: • Heat gain or heat loss calculations; Not done as part of building inspection. • Air filters including disposable, washable, electronic, media/high efficiency, UV lighting Thermostats are not inspected.

Thermostats are engaged for testing the HVAC equipment then returned to their pre-testing positions. This does not constitute a test or inspection of the function of the thermostat. This includes mercury, digital, WIFI enabled, programmable, humistats and multi-zone systems.

## Recommendations, Issues & Observations

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS \ General**

**36.** Condition: • Annual Maintenance; It is recommended to have the HVAC system inspected and serviced annually, service records are not available to the home inspector.

You may be able to obtain service records from the home seller, absence of any evidence of recent servicing. We recommend the HVAC system serviced by a HVAC technician with a annual service agreement going forward. Possible Implication(s): loss of serviceable life to the system, higher utility bills, undiscovered hidden defects.

#### AIR CONDITIONING \ Condensate system

**37. Condition:** • Rust in Pan

Observed minor rust in condensate drain pan over air handler. Observed no noticeable holes. Recommend monitoring. **Implication(s)**: Chance of water damage to structure, finishes and contents, Damage to equipment **Location**: Middle Attic

Task: Monitor

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114. Rust in condensate pan



115. Rust in pan

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#### **General Information**

#### Attic/roof insulation material:

Glass fiber





116. Glass fiber

#### Attic/roof insulation amount/value:

• R-30



118. R-30 in attic

#### Attic/roof ventilation:

- Soffit vent
- Gable vent

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Ridge vent

Wall insulation amount/value: • Not visible

## **Inspection Methods & Limitations**

**General:** • The inspector is not required to disturb or remove insulationinsulation or report on concealed areas such as between walls, under floors and above ceilings where access is not available.

#### Inspection limited/prevented by lack of access to:

Attic

Items stored in garage attic.



120. Stored items in garage attic

Attic inspection performed: • From access hatch

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## Recommendations, Issues & Observations

#### ATTIC/ROOF \ Insulation

38. Condition: • Debris in attic

Observed roofing debris, wood and old dissambled fans in attic.

Location: Attic

Task: Clean

#### Time: Discretionary



121. Debris in main attic



122. Debris in attic

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Water supply source (based on observed evidence): • Public

#### Supply piping in building:

• PEX (cross-linked Polyethylene)

Observed PEX plumbing in attic near water heater and under sinks in home..



123. PEX (cross-linked Polyethylene)

#### Main water shut off valve at the:

• Meter

At meter on left side of driveway. Observed no cover at meter.



124. Meter on left side of property

Garage

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125. Main water shut off Garage.

Water heater type: • Tank

Water heater fuel/energy source: • Electric

#### Water heater manufacturer:

• General Electric (GE)

GE water heater on left side of attic over kitchen /laundry area. 50 gallons 2007. Water valve shut off at GE water heater. Unable to get hot water at fixtures throughout home.

Model number: GE0407D12200 Serial number: SE50T12TAH



126. General Electric water heater



127. 50 Gal / 2007'

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128. Plumping on top of water heater



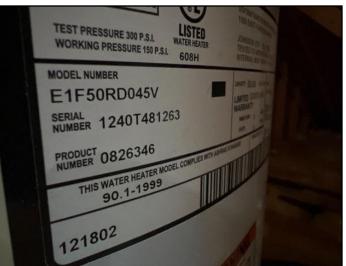
129. Water valve turned off

#### Whirlpool

Observed a whirlpool 50 gallon water heater, 2012' on right side of home over bedrooms. Water heater possibly inoperative. No supply lines attached to piping at water heater. Electricity to water heater is live. Request disclosure. Model number: E1F50RD045V Serial number: 1240T481263



130. Whirlpool Water heater



131. 50 gal, 2012'

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**132.** No water supply attached



133. Live ware to water heater.

#### Hot water temperature (Generally accepted safe temp. is 120° F):

• Less than 100° F

Observed no hot water at all three faucets in bathrooms and at kitchen sink. Water valve turned off at GE water heater.



134. Less than 100° F



135. Less than 100° F

## Waste and vent piping in building:

Plastic

Observed plastic waste piping under sinks and vent piping in attic and on roof.

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136. Plastic on roof

137. Plastic in attic

#### Sewer cleanout location:

· Side yard



138. Side yard

## **Inspection Methods & Limitations**

General: • The inspector does not inspect: plumbing systems concealed in walls or slabs, cloths washer connections, interiors of flues, and chimneys that are not readily accessible, wells, well pumps, and water storage related equipment, water conditioning equipment/systems, solar/geothermal or reviewable energy water heating systems, fire extinguishing and sprinkler systems, irrigation sprinkler systems, septic or other sewage disposal systems. Determine: If water supply and waste sewage disposal is public or private, water quality, the adequacy of combustion air components, measure water supply flow and pressure and well water quality, fill water pans and fixtures to test for leaks. It is very important to maintain all grouting and caulking in the bath areas. Very minor imperfections can allow water to get into

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the wall or floor areas and cause damage. Proper ongoing maintenance will be required in the future. Water quality or hazardous materials (lead) testing is available from local testing labs. All underground piping related to water supply, waste or sprinkler use are excluded from this inspection. Leakage or corrosion in underground piping related by a visual inspection.

#### Inspection limited/prevented by:

• Water supply turned off

Observed water valve shut off at GE water heater in attic over laundry area. No hot water present.



139. Water supply turned off

## Recommendations, Issues & Observations

#### SUPPLY PLUMBING \ Water supply piping in building

**39. Condition:** • Observed supply plumbing attached to main water shut off on garage. Supply piping not secure on garage wall. Piping penetrates ceiling into attic over garage and over into main attic under sub flooring near GE water heater. Recommend securing piping on garage wall.

#### Location: Garage

Task: Improve /secure

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140. Supply piping loose in garage

**40. Condition:** • Observed abandoned supply plumbing under kitchen sink. Recommend monitoring. **Location**: Kitchen sink

Task: Monitor



141. Abandoned supply piping



142. Older abandoned supply lines

#### WATER HEATER \ Water heater

**41. Condition:** • Inoperative

Observed abandoned Whirlpool water heater in attic that is not attached to supply plumbing. Electrical connections still attached to component that are live. Recommend further evaluation and request disclosure. **Implication(s)**: No hot water

Location: Right Side Attic

Task: Further evaluation/ Request disclosure

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143. Inoperative water heater



144. Live wire connected to WH



**145.** Cut supply piping

#### WASTE PLUMBING \ Drain piping - installation

**42. Condition:** • Accordion type drain... This accordion type drain lines do not have a smooth interior surface and are subject to poor drainage conditions called 'fouling' due to possible blockage and/or sagging along the flexible ribbing. Recommend that a qualified plumbing contractor replace the flexible accordion type drain line with standard plumbing components with a smooth interior surface.

......Observed flexible accordion type waste plumbing at P-traps below both sinks in primary bathroom and under sink in middle bathroom. No leaks present. Recommend replacing.

Location: Primary Bathroom/ Middle Bathroom

Task: Replace

Time: Discretionary

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**146.** Flexible accordion waste piping



147. Flexible accordion waste piping



**148.** Flexible accordion waste piping

## FIXTURES AND FAUCETS \ Hose bib or bibb (outdoor faucet)

43. Condition: • Inoperative
Left side hose bib under kitchen window inoperative. Possibly its disconnected to water supply piping that was abandoned under kitchen sink. Request disclosure
Implication(s): Equipment inoperative
Location: Middle Left Side
Task: Request disclosure

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#### FIXTURES AND FAUCETS \ Faucet

44. Condition: • Hot and cold reversed

Handles on faucet at vanity sink are reversed. Hot should be on left and Cold on the right. Improve.

Implication(s): Scalding

Location: Middle Bathroom

Task: Improve



**150.** Hot and cold reversed, middle bathroom

#### **FIXTURES AND FAUCETS \ Toilet**

#### 45. Condition: • Loose

Tank has a slight wobble on top of the toilet base . Observed no leaking. Toilet operational. 1/2 Bathroom. Recommend securing.

Implication(s): Chance of water damage to structure, finishes and contents | Sewage entering the building | Possible hidden damage

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151. Loose tank on top of toilet base

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#### **General Information**

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Major floor finishes: • (LVP) Luxury Vinyl Planking • Tile

Major wall and ceiling finishes: • Plaster/drywall

Windows: • Fixed • Casement • Skylight

Exterior doors - type/material: • Sliding glass • Wood • Metal-clad • Garage door - metal • Hollow core

Bathroom ventilation: • Exhaust fan

#### **Inventory Range:**

• LG

Burners and oven operational. Tested in bake mode. Surface vent operational. Vents to the exterior. *Model number:* LSEL6331F *Serial number:* 303 MMZB01125





152. LG Stove/oven

153. Bake mode operational



154. LG dta tag

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#### Inventory Dishwasher:

#### • LG

Tested in Light load. Operational. No hot water in home.. Model number: LDSN3432T Serial number: 203KWCF30059





155. LG Dishwasher

156. LG data tag

#### Inventory Refrigerator:

#### • GE

Water dispenser and ice operational. Temps. 38\*F/3\*F Model number: LRSXC2306S/01 Serial number: 301MRDZ38818





#### Inventory Microwave or Microwave/Rangehood:

Frigidaire

Tested and 30 second mode. Light and fan operational *Model number:* GM0S1962AFA *Serial number:* KG23621266

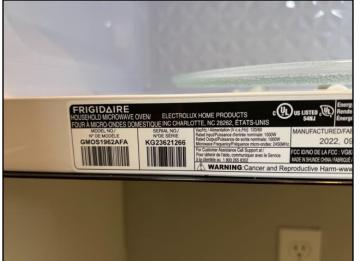


158. GE dat tag

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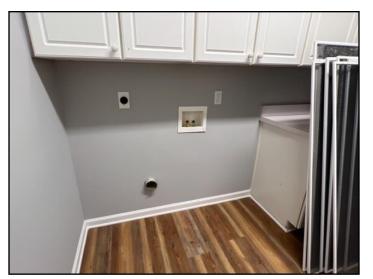




159. Frigidaire Microwave

160. Frigidaire data tag

Inventory Washing Machine: • Observed no washer or dryer in home.



161. No washer or dryer in laundry room.

#### Inventory Garage Door Opener:

Chamberlain/LiftMaster

Garage door opener, operational. Auto reverse and photo electric sensors operational. Trolley rail and torsion. Springs operate. Dent on door.

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**162.** Chamberlain garage door opener

## 163. Door and mechanism

#### Inventory Garbage disposal (food waste grinder):

• In-sink-erator (ISE)

Disposal operational. Rubber splash guard missing in sink. Provide. Model number: PRO COMACT Serial number: 08031596700



164. In-sink-erator (ISE)



165. In-sink-erator data tag

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166. Splash guard missing

## Inspection Methods & Limitations

General: • The inspection of the interior of the home includes a visual examination of a representative sample of the readily accessible features to identify functional performance issues. Cosmetic issues are beyond the scope of a home inspection.

This is a visual observation of the surface conditions of the property at the time of the inspection. During renovations or remodeling it is possible that discoveries will be made regarding the condition of the walls or structure behind certain wall coverings. We are not responsible for concealed damage found behind wall and/or floor coverings such as wallpaper, paneling, tile, wood, structural supports, plumbing and electrical components.

Inspection limited/prevented by: • New finishes/paint

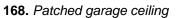
## Recommendations, Issues & Observations

#### **CEILINGS \ General notes**

46. Condition: • Patched Observed several patched areas on drywall ceiling in the garage. No moisture present when tested. Recommend disclosure of repair Implication(s): Chance of damage to contents, finishes and/or structure Location: Garage Task: Request disclosure

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167. Patched ceiling in garage





169. Patched ceiling

#### WALLS \ Wood

**47. Condition:** • Observed small open section at wood wall in garage. Possibly to access plumbing below water shut off. Monitor /Replace

Location: Garage wall Task: Improve Time: Discretionary

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170. Open wall for access to plumbing

#### WINDOWS \ Glass (glazing)

**48. Condition:** • Fogged Glass/Failed thermal Seals

Observed slight fogging at left side window in sunroom. Monitor.

**Implication(s)**: " Cosmetic" defect by definition of the real estate contract. Reduction in UV radiant barrier of glazing, increased energy costs.

Location: Rear Sunroom

Task: Monitor



171. Fogged Glass on window in sunroom

#### WINDOWS \ Hardware

49. Condition: • Broken

Cover at hand crank damaged on front right side bedroom window. Window operational. Repair. **Implication(s)**: System inoperative or difficult to operate

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#### Location: Front Right Side bedroom

Task: Replace

Time: Discresionary



172. Broken cover at hand crank mechanism

#### WINDOWS \ Storms and screens

50. Condition: • Missing

Screens missing on many windows throughout home. Observed screens stored in laundry room. Implication(s): Chance of pests entering building | Increased heating costs | Reduced comfort Location: Throughout

Task: Provide / install



173. Screens in laundry room

**DOORS \ General notes** 51. Condition: • Difficult to open



174. Missing screens an windows

## **INTERIOR**

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Rear glass slider off of Kitchen difficult to operate. It does open with some effort. Observed dirt and debris in lower track. Recommend cleaning track and rollers.

Implication(s): System inoperative or difficult to operate

Location: Rear Kitchen

Task: Improve



175. Glass slider difficult to open

**GARAGE \ Floor** 52. Condition: • Cracked Observed minor cracks on the garage floor. Recommend monitoring. Implication(s): Uneven floors Location: Garage Task: Monitor



176. Minor crack on garage floor

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SITE INFO
General Information
Weather:  • Cloudy
Approximate temperature: • 70°
Access to home provided by:      Lockbox
Occupancy: • There was no one home during the inspection.
Approximate inspection Start time: • The inspection started at 9:30 a.m.
Approximate inspection End time: • The inspection ended at 12:30 p.m.
Approximate date of construction: • 1997
Approximate size of home: • 2100 ft. <sup>2</sup>
Building type:  • Detached home
Number of bedrooms: • 3
Number of bathrooms: • 2 &1/2
Garage, carport and outbuildings: • Attached two-car garage
Area:  • Gated /Named Community
Street type:  • Residential

#### **Inspection Methods & Limitations**

**General:** • This report is intended only as a general guide to help the client make his own evaluation of the overall condition of the

building, and is not intended to reflect the value of the premises, nor make any representation as to the advisability of purchase. The report expresses by the inspector is based upon his visual impressions of the

conditions that existed at the time of the inspection only. The inspection and report are not intended to be technically exhaustive, or to imply that every component was inspected, or that every possible defect was discovered. No disassembly of equipment, opening of walls, moving of furniture, appliances or stored items, or excavation was performed. All components and conditions which by the nature of their location are concealed, camouflaged or difficult to inspect are excluded from the report.

This report does not constitute any express or

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We certify that our inspectors have no interest, present or contemplated, in this property or its improvement and no involvement with tradespeople or benefits derived from any sales or improvements. To the best of our knowledge and belief, all statements and information in this report are true and correct.

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