



# **Inspection Report**

# Mr. Howard Fisher Mrs. Beth Fisher

Property Address: 4858 Pleasantview Kalamazoo, MI 49001



Front view of home



Rear view of home

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Property:	Customer:	Real Estate Professional:
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#### **Comment Key or Definitions**

The following definitions of comment descriptions represent this inspection report. All comments by the inspector should be considered before purchasing this home. Any recommendations by the inspector to repair or replace suggests a second opinion or further inspection by a qualified contractor. All costs associated with further inspection fees and repair or replacement of item, component or unit should be considered before you purchase the property.

**Inspected (IN)** = I visually observed the item, component or unit and if no other comments were made then it appeared to be functioning as intended allowing for normal wear and tear.

**Not Inspected (NI)** = I did not inspect this item, component or unit and made no representations of whether or not it was functioning as intended and will state a reason for not inspecting.

**Not Present (NP)** = This item, component or unit is not in this home or building.

**<u>Repair or Replace (RR)</u>** = The item, component or unit is not functioning as intended, or needs further inspection by a qualified contractor. Items, components or units that can be repaired to satisfactory condition may not need replacement.

In Attendance:	<b>Type of building:</b>	<b>Approximate age of building:</b>
Customer and their agent	Single Family (1 story)	Over 25 Years
Temperature:	Weather:	Ground/Soil surface condition:
Below 32	Cloudy	Frozen
<b>Rain in last 3 days:</b> No	<b>Radon Test:</b> Yes Test ID : xxxxxxxxxxx	Water Test: No

# **General Summary**



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The following items or discoveries indicate that these systems or components **do not function as intended** or **adversely affects the habitability of the dwelling;** or **warrants further investigation by a specialist,** or **requires subsequent observation.** This summary shall not contain recommendations for routine upkeep of a system or component to keep it in proper functioning condition or recommendations to upgrade or enhance the function or efficiency of the home. This Summary is not the entire report. The complete report may include additional information of concern to the customer. It is recommended that the customer read the complete report.

# 1. Roofing / Chimneys / Roof Structure and Attic

# 1.1 FLASHINGS

- Repair or Replace
- (1) Flashing is rusted and appears to be loose in areas. Recommend that a qualified contractor repair as necessary.

# 2. Exterior

# 2.8 OTHER

#### Repair or Replace

(1) Electrical service entrance has a gap around it. This should be sealed to keep pests and water from damaging the structure.

# 5(D). Sunroom

5.6.D	OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES
	Repair or Replace
	The outlet on the West wall has reversed polarity. Recommend a qualified contractor repair.
5(E).	Master Bedroom
5.6.E	OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES
	Repair or Replace
<b>4</b>	The outlet under the front window has reversed polarity. Recommend a qualified contractor repair.
0(4)	
6(A).	Main Floor Full Bath
6.5.A	OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES
	Repair or Replace
<b>4</b>	GFCI at sink does not trip. Recommend a qualified contractor repair.
8. PI	umbing System
8.3	MAIN WATER SHUT-OFF DEVICE (Describe location)
	Inspected
	Water supply shout off is located at the water meter in the utility room.
8.5	MAIN FUEL SHUT OFF (Describe Location)
	Inspected
<b>*</b>	The gas supply shut off is located at the gas meter.

#### 9. Electrical System

# 9.6 LOCATION OF MAIN AND DISTRIBUTION PANELS Inspected

Main electrical panel is located in the lower level bedroom on the South wall.

Home inspectors are not required to report on the following: Life expectancy of any component or system; The causes of the need for a repair; The methods, materials, and costs of corrections; The suitability of the property for any specialized use; Compliance or non-compliance with codes, ordinances, statutes, regulatory requirements or restrictions; The market value of the property or its marketability; The advisability or inadvisability of purchase of the property; Any component or system that was not observed; The presence or absence of pests such as wood damaging organisms, rodents, or insects; or Cosmetic items, underground items, or items not permanently installed. Home inspectors are not required to: Offer warranties or guarantees of any kind; Calculate the strength, adequacy, or efficiency of any system or component; Enter any area or perform any procedure that may damage the property or its components or be dangerous to the home inspector or other persons; Operate any system or component that is shut down or otherwise inoperable; Operate any system or component that does not respond to normal operating controls; Disturb insulation, move personal items, panels, furniture, equipment, plant life, soil, snow, ice, or debris that obstructs access or visibility; Determine the presence or absence of any suspected adverse environmental condition or hazardous substance, including but not limited to mold, toxins, carcinogens, noise, contaminants in the building or in soil, water, and air; Determine the effectiveness of any system installed to control or remove suspected hazardous substances; Predict future condition, including but not limited to failure of components; Since this report is provided for the specific benefit of the customer(s), secondary readers of this information should hire a licensed inspector to perform an inspection to meet their specific needs and to obtain current information concerning this property.

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# 4858 Pleasantview

# 1. Roofing / Chimneys / Roof Structure and Attic

The home inspector shall observe: Roof covering; Roof drainage systems; Flashings; Skylights, chimneys, and roof penetrations; and Signs of leaks or abnormal condensation on building components. The home inspector shall: Describe the type of roof covering materials; and Report the methods used to observe the roofing. The home inspector is not required to: Walk on the roofing; or Observe attached accessories including but not limited to solar systems, antennae, and lightning arrestors. - -

	Styles & Materials	
Viewed roof covering from:	Roof-Type:	Roof Covering:
Walked roof	Gable	Architectural
	Hip	Asphalt/Fiberglass
Chimney (exterior):	Sky Light(s):	<b>Roof Ventilation:</b>
Brick	None	Ridge vents
		Soffit Vents
Method used to observe attic:	Roof Structure:	Ceiling Structure:
Walked	Engineered wood trusses	2X4
	Stick-built	
Attic info:	Attic Insulation:	
Scuttle hole	Blown	
	Cellulose	
	R-30 or better	
	Inspection Items	
1.0 ROOF COVERINGS		
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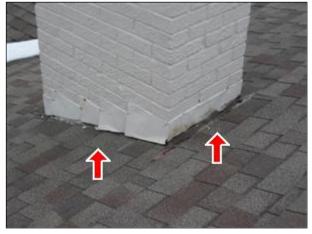
#### 1.0

Comments: Inspected

#### **1.1 FLASHINGS**

Comments: Repair or Replace

1) Flashing is rusted and appears to be loose in areas. Recommend that a qualified contractor repair as necessary.



1.1 Picture 1 rusted and loose flashing

### **1.2 SKYLIGHTS, CHIMNEYS AND ROOF PENETRATIONS**

**Comments:** Inspected

#### **1.3 ROOF VENTILATION**

- 1.4 ROOF DRAINAGE SYSTEMS (gutters and downspouts) Comments: Inspected
- 1.5 ROOF STRUCTURE AND ATTIC (Report leak signs or condensation) **Comments:** Inspected



1.1 Picture 2 rusted thru flashin

# **1.6 VENTILATION FANS AND THERMOSTATIC CONTROLS (ATTIC)**

Comments: Not Present

#### **1.7 INSULATION IN ATTIC**

Comments: Inspected

#### **1.8 VISIBLE ELECTRIC WIRING IN ATTIC**

#### Comments: Not Present

The roof of the home was inspected and reported on with the above information. While the inspector makes every effort to find all areas of concern, some areas can go unnoticed. Roof coverings and skylights can appear to be leak proof during inspection and weather conditions. Our inspection makes an attempt to find a leak but sometimes cannot. Please be aware that the inspector has your best interest in mind. Any repair items mentioned in this report should be considered before purchase. It is recommended that qualified contractors be used in your further inspection or repair issues as it relates to the comments in this inspection report.

# 2. Exterior

The home inspector shall observe: Wall cladding, flashings, and trim; Entryway doors and a representative number of windows; Garage door operators; Decks, balconies, stoops, steps, areaways, porches and applicable railings; Eaves, soffits, and fascias; and Vegetation, grading, drainage, driveways, patios, walkways, and retaining walls with respect to their effect on the condition of the building. The home inspector shall: Describe wall cladding materials; Operate all entryway doors and a representative number of windows; Operate garage door smanually or by using permanently installed controls for any garage door operator; Report whether or not any garage door operator will automatically reverse or stop when meeting reasonable resistance during closing; and Probe exterior wood components where deterioration is suspected. The home inspector is not required to observe: Storm windows, storm doors, screening, shutters, awnings, and similar seasonal accessories; Fences; Presence of safety glazing in doors and windows; Garage door operator remote control transmitters; Geological conditions; Soil conditions; Recreational facilities (including spas, saunas, steam baths, swimming pools, tennis courts, playground equipment, and other exercise, entertainment, or athletic facilities); Detached buildings or structures; or Presence or condition of buried fuel storage tanks. The home inspector is not required to: Move personal items, panels, furniture, equipment, plant life, soil, snow, ice or debris that obstructs access or visibility.

#### **Styles & Materials**

Siding Style:	Siding Material:	Exterior Entry Doors:
Lap	Vinyl	Steel
	Brick veneer	
Appurtenance:	Driveway:	
Deck with steps	Concrete	
Covered porch		

**Inspection Items** 

#### 2.0 WALL CLADDING FLASHING AND TRIM

Comments: Inspected

#### 2.1 DOORS (Exterior)

Comments: Inspected

#### 2.2 WINDOWS

Comments: Inspected

2.3 DECKS, BALCONIES, STOOPS, STEPS, AREAWAYS, PORCHES, PATIO/ COVER AND APPLICABLE RAILINGS Comments: Inspected

# 2.4 VEGETATION, GRADING, DRAINAGE, DRIVEWAYS, PATIO FLOOR, WALKWAYS AND RETAINING WALLS (With respect to their effect on the condition of the building)

Comments: Inspected

#### 2.5 EAVES, SOFFITS AND FASCIAS

Comments: Inspected

# 2.6 PLUMBING WATER FAUCETS (hose bibs)

Comments: Inspected

# 2.7 OUTLETS (exterior)

Comments: Inspected

# 2.8 OTHER

Comments: Repair or Replace

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(1) Electrical service entrance has a gap around it. This should be sealed to keep pests and water from damaging the structure.



2.8 Picture 1 electrical service entrance

(2) This crack is located on the North side of the garage and should be monitored for further movement.



2.8 Picture 2 crack in foundation on North side of garage

The exterior of the home was inspected and reported on with the above information. While the inspector makes every effort to find all areas of concern, some areas can go unnoticed. Please be aware that the inspector has your best interest in mind. Any repair items mentioned in this report should be considered before purchase. It is recommended that qualified contractors be used in your further inspection or repair issues as it relates to the comments in this inspection report.

# 3. Garage



Attached 2 stall garage Styles & Materials

Garage Door Type:

One automatic

Garage Door Material: Insulated Metal Auto-opener Manufacturer: GENIE

**Inspection Items** 

#### **3.0 GARAGE CEILINGS**

Comments: Inspected

- 3.1 GARAGE WALLS (INCLUDING FIREWALL SEPARATION) Comments: Inspected
- 3.2 GARAGE FLOOR Comments: Inspected
- 3.3 GARAGE DOOR (S) Comments: Inspected

# 3.4 OCCUPANT DOOR FROM GARAGE TO INSIDE HOME

Comments: Inspected

# 3.5 GARAGE DOOR OPERATORS (Report whether or not doors will reverse when met with resistance) Comments: Inspected

# 4. Kitchen Components and Appliances

The home inspector shall observe and operate the basic functions of the following kitchen appliances: Permanently installed dishwasher, through its normal cycle; Range, cook top, and permanently installed oven; Trash compactor; Garbage disposal; Ventilation equipment or range hood; and Permanently installed microwave oven. The home inspector is not required to observe: Clocks, timers, self-cleaning oven function, or thermostats for calibration or automatic operation; Non built-in appliances; or Refrigeration units. The home inspector is not required to operate: Appliances in use; or Any appliance that is shut down or otherwise inoperable.



#### Styles & Materials

Disposer Brand: KENMORE Serial # : WH13716165

Built in Microwave: WHIRLPOOL Serial # : TRM1113186

Countertop: Laminate Exhaust/Range hood: NONE

Trash Compactors: NONE

Clothes Dryer Vent Material: Both Flexible Metal Metal

# Dryer Power Source:

**Dishwasher Brand:** 

Serial # : fm3102993

Serial # : 28462840QY

WHIRLPOOL

Range/Oven:

MAYTAG

**Cabinetry:** 

Wood

Both (your choice)

**Inspection Items** 

4.0 CEILINGS

Comments: Inspected

4.1 WALLS

Comments: Inspected

4.2 FLOORS Comments: Inspected

#### 4.3 PANTRY/CLOSET DOORS Comments: Inspected

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4.4 WINDOWS

Comments: Inspected

#### 4.5 COUNTERS AND A REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER OF CABINETS

Comments: Inspected

# 4.6 PLUMBING DRAIN AND VENT SYSTEMS

# 4.7 PLUMBING WATER SUPPLY FAUCETS AND FIXTURES

Comments: Inspected

# 4.8 OUTLETS WALL SWITCHES and FIXTURES

Comments: Inspected

#### 4.9 DISHWASHER

Comments: Inspected

#### 4.10 RANGES/OVENS/COOKTOPS

Comments: Inspected

#### 4.11 RANGE HOOD

Comments: Not Present

#### 4.12 TRASH COMPACTOR

Comments: Not Present

#### 4.13 FOOD WASTE DISPOSER

Comments: Inspected

#### 4.14 MICROWAVE COOKING EQUIPMENT

**Comments:** Inspected

#### **4.15 CLOTHES DRYER VENT PIPING**

#### Comments: Inspected

The built-in appliances of the home were inspected and reported on with the above information. While the inspector makes every effort to find all areas of concern, some areas can go unnoticed. Please be aware that the inspector has your best interest in mind. Any repair items mentioned in this report should be considered before purchase. It is recommended that qualified contractors be used in your further inspection or repair issues as it relates to the comments in this inspection report.

# 5(A). Living Room

The home inspector shall observe: Walls, ceiling, and floors; Steps, stairways, balconies, and railings; Counters and a representative number of installed cabinets; and A representative number of doors and windows. The home inspector shall: Operate a representative number of windows and interior doors; and Report signs of abnormal or harmful water penetration into the building or signs of abnormal or harmful condensation on building components. The home inspector is not required to observe: Paint, wallpaper, and other finish treatments on the interior walls, ceilings, and floors; Carpeting; or Draperies, blinds, or other window treatments.



#### Living room Styles & Materials

**Inspection Items** 

# Ceiling Materials:

Drywall

Interior Doors: Solid Wood

Wall Material:

Window Types:

Double-hung

Drvwall

Floor Covering(s): Carpet

Window Manufacturer: ANDERSEN

#### **5.0.A CEILINGS**

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.1.A WALLS

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.2.A FLOORS

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.3.A STEPS, STAIRWAYS, BALCONIES AND RAILINGS

Comments: Inspected

# 5.4.A DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

# 5.5.A WINDOWS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

# 5.6.A OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES

#### Comments: Inspected

# 5(B). Dining Room

The home inspector shall observe: Walls, ceiling, and floors; Steps, stairways, balconies, and railings; Counters and a representative number of installed cabinets; and A representative number of doors and windows. The home inspector shall: Operate a representative number of windows and interior doors; and Report signs of abnormal or harmful water penetration into the building or signs of abnormal or harmful condensation on building components. The home inspector is not required to observe: Paint, wallpaper, and other finish treatments on the interior walls, ceilings, and floors; Carpeting; or Draperies, blinds, or other window treatments.



#### Dining room Styles & Materials

Floor Covering(s):

ANDERSEN

Window Manufacturer:

Tile

Wall Material:

Window Types:

Double-hung

Drvwall

#### Ceiling Materials:

Drywall

Interior Doors: Solid Wood

# Inspection Items

#### **5.0.B CEILINGS**

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.1.B WALLS

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.2.B FLOORS

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.3.B STEPS, STAIRWAYS, BALCONIES AND RAILINGS

Comments: Inspected

# 5.4.B DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

# 5.5.B WINDOWS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

# 5.6.B OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES

#### Comments: Inspected

# 5(C). Hallway and Other Rooms

The home inspector shall observe: Walls, ceiling, and floors; Steps, stairways, balconies, and railings; Counters and a representative number of installed cabinets; and A representative number of doors and windows. The home inspector shall: Operate a representative number of windows and interior doors; and Report signs of abnormal or harmful water penetration into the building or signs of abnormal or harmful condensation on building components. The home inspector is not required to observe: Paint, wallpaper, and other finish treatments on the interior walls, ceilings, and floors; Carpeting; or Draperies, blinds, or other window treatments.



gas log fireplace

lower level living room



lower level living room

Drywall

Window Types:

Double-hung



wet bar area in lower level

#### **Ceiling Materials:** Drywall

# **Interior Doors:**

Solid Wood

#### **5.0.C CEILINGS**

Comments: Inspected

5.1.C WALLS

Comments: Inspected

#### **5.2.C FLOORS**

Comments: Inspected

# 5.3.C STEPS, STAIRWAYS, BALCONIES AND RAILINGS

Comments: Inspected

# Styles & Materials Wall Material:

Floor Covering(s): Carpet

Window Manufacturer: ANDERSEN

#### **Inspection Items**

# 5.4.C DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

# 5.5.C WINDOWS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

# **5.6.C OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES**

### Comments: Inspected

# 5(D). Sunroom

The home inspector shall observe: Walls, ceiling, and floors; Steps, stairways, balconies, and railings; Counters and a representative number of installed cabinets; and A representative number of doors and windows. The home inspector shall: Operate a representative number of windows and interior doors; and Report signs of abnormal or harmful water penetration into the building or signs of abnormal or harmful condensation on building components. The home inspector is not required to observe: Paint, wallpaper, and other finish treatments on the interior walls, ceilings, and floors; Carpeting; or Draperies, blinds, or other window treatments.



# Sunroom Styles & Materials

**Inspection Items** 

# Ceiling Materials:

Drywall

Interior Doors: Solid Wood

Wall Material:

Window Types:

Drvwall

Sliders

Floor Covering(s): Carpet

Window Manufacturer: ANDERSEN

# 5.0.D CEILINGS

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.1.D WALLS

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.2.D FLOORS

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Comments: Inspected

#### 5.3.D STEPS, STAIRWAYS, BALCONIES AND RAILINGS

#### Comments: Not Present

#### 5.4.D DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Not Present

#### 5.5.D WINDOWS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

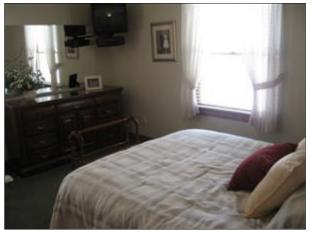
#### **5.6.D OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES**

Comments: Repair or Replace

The outlet on the West wall has reversed polarity. Recommend a qualified contractor repair.

# 5(E). Master Bedroom

The home inspector shall observe: Walls, ceiling, and floors; Steps, stairways, balconies, and railings; Counters and a representative number of installed cabinets; and A representative number of doors and windows. The home inspector shall: Operate a representative number of windows and interior doors; and Report signs of abnormal or harmful water penetration into the building or signs of abnormal or harmful condensation on building components. The home inspector is not required to observe: Paint, wallpaper, and other finish treatments on the interior walls, ceilings, and floors; Carpeting; or Draperies, blinds, or other window treatments.



# Master bedroom Styles & Materials

# Ceiling Materials:

Drywall

Interior Doors: Solid Wood Window Types: Double-hung

Wall Material:

Drvwall

Window Manufacturer: ANDERSEN

Floor Covering(s):

Carpet

#### **Inspection Items**

#### **5.0.E CEILINGS**

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.1.E WALLS

Comments: Inspected

#### **5.2.E FLOORS**

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Comments: Inspected

#### 5.3.E STEPS, STAIRWAYS, BALCONIES AND RAILINGS

#### Comments: Not Present

#### 5.4.E DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.5.E WINDOWS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

#### **5.6.E OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES**

#### Comments: Repair or Replace

The outlet under the front window has reversed polarity. Recommend a qualified contractor repair.

# 5(F). Bedroom #2 Mainfloor

The home inspector shall observe: Walls, ceiling, and floors; Steps, stairways, balconies, and railings; Counters and a representative number of installed cabinets; and A representative number of doors and windows. The home inspector shall: Operate a representative number of windows and interior doors; and Report signs of abnormal or harmful water penetration into the building or signs of abnormal or harmful condensation on building components. The home inspector is not required to observe: Paint, wallpaper, and other finish treatments on the interior walls, ceilings, and floors; Carpeting; or Draperies, blinds, or other window treatments.



#### Bedroom #2 Styles & Materials

Floor Covering(s):

Window Manufacturer:

Carpet

ANDERSEN

Wall Material:

Window Types:

Double-hung

Drvwall

# Ceiling Materials:

Drywall

Interior Doors: Solid Wood

# Inspection Items

#### **5.0.F CEILINGS**

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.1.F WALLS

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.2.F FLOORS

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.3.F STEPS, STAIRWAYS, BALCONIES AND RAILINGS

Comments: Not Present

#### 5.4.F DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.5.F WINDOWS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

#### **5.6.F OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES**

#### Comments: Inspected

# 5(G). Bedroom #3 Lower Level

The home inspector shall observe: Walls, ceiling, and floors; Steps, stairways, balconies, and railings; Counters and a representative number of installed cabinets; and A representative number of doors and windows. The home inspector shall: Operate a representative number of windows and interior doors; and Report signs of abnormal or harmful water penetration into the building or signs of abnormal or harmful condensation on building components. The home inspector is not required to observe: Paint, wallpaper, and other finish treatments on the interior walls, ceilings, and floors; Carpeting; or Draperies, blinds, or other window treatments.



#### Bedroom #3 Styles & Materials

Floor Covering(s):

Window Manufacturer:

Carpet

ANDERSEN

Wall Material:

Window Types:

Double-hung

Drvwall

# Ceiling Materials:

Drywall

Interior Doors: Solid Wood

#### **Inspection Items**

#### **5.0.G CEILINGS**

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.1.G WALLS

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.2.G FLOORS

Comments: Inspected

#### **5.3.G STEPS, STAIRWAYS, BALCONIES AND RAILINGS**

#### Comments: Not Present

#### 5.4.G DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

#### 5.5.G WINDOWS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

#### **5.6.G OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES**

#### Comments: Inspected

# 6(A). Main Floor Full Bath



Main Floor Full Bath Styles & Materials

**Exhaust Fans:** 

Fan with light

**Inspection Items** 

# 6.0.A COUNTERS AND CABINETS

Comments: Inspected

#### 6.1.A DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

#### 6.2.A WINDOWS

Comments: Inspected

### 6.3.A PLUMBING DRAIN, WASTE AND VENT SYSTEMS

Comments: Inspected

#### 6.4.A PLUMBING WATER SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS AND FIXTURES Comments: Inspected

# 6.5.A OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES

Comments: Repair or Replace

GFCI at sink does not trip. Recommend a qualified contractor repair.



6.5.A Picture 1 GFCI in main floor full bath

6.6.A EXHAUST FAN



laundry area

1/2 bath

# Exhaust Fans:

Fan with light

**Inspection Items** 

**Styles & Materials** 

# 6.0.B COUNTERS AND CABINETS

Comments: Inspected

# 6.1.B DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

#### 6.2.B WINDOWS

Comments: Inspected

# 6.3.B PLUMBING DRAIN, WASTE AND VENT SYSTEMS

Comments: Inspected

# 6.4.B PLUMBING WATER SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS AND FIXTURES Comments: Inspected

# 6.5.B OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES

Comments: Inspected

# 6.6.B EXHAUST FAN

# 6(C). Lower Level Full Bath



lower level full bath

lower level full bath

Styles & Materials

Exhaust Fans:

Fan with light

**Inspection Items** 

# 6.0.C COUNTERS AND CABINETS

Comments: Inspected

# 6.1.C DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)

Comments: Inspected

#### 6.2.C WINDOWS

Comments: Not Present

#### 6.3.C PLUMBING DRAIN, WASTE AND VENT SYSTEMS

Comments: Inspected

# 6.4.C PLUMBING WATER SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS AND FIXTURES Comments: Inspected

#### **6.5.C OUTLETS SWITCHES AND FIXTURES**

Comments: Inspected

#### 6.6.C EXHAUST FAN

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# 7. Structural Components

The Home Inspector shall observe structural components including foundations, floors, walls, columns or piers, ceilings and roof. The home inspector shall describe the type of Foundation, floor structure, wall structure, columns or piers, ceiling structure, roof structure. The home inspector shall: Probe structural components where deterioration is suspected; Enter under floor crawl spaces, basements, and attic spaces except when access is obstructed, when entry could damage the property, or when dangerous or adverse situations are suspected; Report the methods used to observe under floor crawl spaces and attics; and Report signs of abnormal or harmful water penetration into the building or signs of abnormal or harmful condensation on building components. The home inspector is not required to: Enter any area or perform any procedure that may damage the property or its components or be dangerous to or adversely effect the health of the home inspector or other persons.

	Styles & Materials	
Foundation:	Method used to observe Crawlspace:	Floor Structure:
Poured concrete	No crawlspace	2 X 10
Wall Structure:	Columns or Piers:	Floor System Insulation:
2 X 4 Wood	Steel lally columns	Unfaced
		R-19

#### Inspection Items

7.0 FOUNDATIONS, BASEMENTS AND CRAWLSPACES (Report signs of abnormal or harmful water penetration into the building or signs of abnormal or harmful condensation on building components.) Comments: Inspected

# 7.1 WALLS (Structural)

Comments: Inspected

#### 7.2 COLUMNS OR PIERS

Comments: Inspected

#### 7.3 FLOORS (Structural)

Comments: Inspected

#### 7.4 CEILINGS (structural)

Comments: Inspected

#### 7.5 INSULATION UNDER FLOOR SYSTEM

#### Comments: Inspected

#### 7.6 VAPOR RETARDERS (ON GROUND IN CRAWLSPACE OR BASEMENT)

Comments: Not Present

#### 7.7 VENTILATION OF FOUNDATION AREA (crawlspace or basement)

#### Comments: Not Present

The structure of the home was inspected and reported on with the above information. While the inspector makes every effort to find all areas of concern, some areas can go unnoticed. Please be aware that the inspector has your best interest in mind. Any repair items mentioned in this report should be considered before purchase. It is recommended that qualified contractors be used in your further inspection or repair issues as it relates to the comments in this inspection report.

The home inspector shall observe: Interior water supply and distribution system, including: piping materials, supports, and insulation; fixtures and faucets; functional flow; leaks; and cross connections; Interior drain, waste, and vent system, including: traps; drain, waste, and vent piping; piping supports and pipe insulation; leaks; and functional drainage; Hot water systems including: water heating equipment; normal operating controls; automatic safety controls; and chimneys, flues, and vents; Fuel storage and distribution systems including: interior fuel storage equipment, supply piping, venting, and supports; leaks; and Sump pumps. The home inspector shall describe: Water supply and distribution piping materials; Drain, waste, and vent piping materials; Water heating equipment; and Location of main water supply shutoff device. The home inspector shall operate all plumbing fixtures, including their faucets and all exterior faucets attached to the house, except where the flow end of the faucet is connected to an appliance. The home inspector is not required to: State the effectiveness of anti-siphon devices; Determine whether water supply and waste disposal systems are public or private; Operate automatic safety controls; operate any valve except water closet flush valves, fixture faucets, and hose faucets; Observe: Water conditioning systems; Fire and lawn sprinkler systems; On-site water supply quantity and quality; On-site waste disposal systems; Foundation irrigation systems; Spas, except as to functional flow and functional drainage; Swimming pools; Solar water heating equipment; or Observe the system for proper sizing, design, or use of proper materials.

#### **Styles & Materials**

Water Source:	Water Filters:	Plumbing Water Supply (into home):
Public	None	Copper
Plumbing Water Distribution (inside home):	Washer Drain Size:	Plumbing Waste Line:
Copper	2" Diameter	Cast iron
Water Heater Power Source:	Water Heater Capacity:	Water Heater Manufacturer:
Gas (quick recovery)	40 Gallon (1-2 people)	BRADFORD-WHITE

#### **Inspection Items**

#### 8.0 PLUMBING DRAIN, WASTE AND VENT SYSTEMS

Comments: Inspected

#### 8.1 PLUMBING WATER SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS AND FIXTURES

Comments: Inspected

8.2 HOT WATER SYSTEMS, CONTROLS, CHIMNEYS, FLUES AND VENTS

Comments: Inspected

#### 8.3 MAIN WATER SHUT-OFF DEVICE (Describe location)

Comments: Inspected

- Water supply shout off is located at the water meter in the utility room.
- 8.4 FUEL STORAGE AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS (Interior fuel storage, piping, venting, supports, leaks) Comments: Not Present

#### 8.5 MAIN FUEL SHUT OFF (Describe Location)

Comments: Inspected

The gas supply shut off is located at the gas meter.

# 8.6 SUMP PUMP

#### Comments: Not Present

The plumbing in the home was inspected and reported on with the above information. While the inspector makes every effort to find all areas of concern, some areas can go unnoticed. Washing machine drain line for example cannot be checked for leaks or the ability to handle the volume during drain cycle. Older homes with galvanized supply lines or cast iron drain lines can be obstructed and barely working during an inspection but then fails under heavy use. If the water is turned off or not used for periods of time (like a vacant home waiting for closing) rust or deposits within the pipes can further clog the piping system. Please be aware that the inspector has your best interest in mind. Any repair items mentioned in this report should be considered before purchase. It is recommended that qualified contractors be used in your further inspection or repair issues as it relates to the comments in this inspection report.

### 9. Electrical System

The home inspector shall observe: Service entrance conductors; Service equipment, grounding equipment, main over current device, and main and distribution panels; Amperage and voltage ratings of the service; Branch circuit conductors, their over current devices, and the compatibility of their ampacities and voltages; The operation of a representative number of installed ceiling fans, lighting fixtures, switches and receptacles located inside the house, garage, and on the dwelling's exterior walls; The polarity and grounding of all receptacles within six feet of interior plumbing fixtures, and all receptacles in the garage or carport, and on the exterior of inspected structures; The operation of ground fault circuit interrupters; and Smoke detectors. The home inspector shall describe: Service amperage and voltage; Service entry conductor materials; Service type as being overhead or underground; and Location of main and distribution panels. The home inspector shall report any observed aluminum branch circuit wiring. The home inspector shall report on presence or absence of smoke detectors, and operate their test function, if accessible, except when detectors are part of a central system. 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.



service panel Styles & Materials

Electrical Service Conductors: Overhead service

Electric Panel Manufacturer: SIEMENS Panel capacity: 200 AMP

Branch wire 15 and 20 AMP: Copper

#### **Inspection Items**

#### 9.0 SERVICE ENTRANCE CONDUCTORS

Comments: Inspected

9.1 SERVICE AND GROUNDING EQUIPMENT, MAIN OVERCURRENT DEVICE, MAIN AND DISTRIBUTION PANELS Comments: Inspected

# 9.2 BRANCH CIRCUIT CONDUCTORS, OVERCURRENT DEVICES AND COMPATIBILITY OF THEIR AMPERAGE AND VOLTAGE

Comments: Inspected

9.3 CONNECTED DEVICES AND FIXTURES (Observed from a representative number operation of ceiling fans, lighting fixtures, switches and receptacles located inside the house, garage, and on the dwelling's exterior walls)

Comments: Inspected

# 9.4 POLARITY AND GROUNDING OF RECEPTACLES WITHIN 6 FEET OF INTERIOR PLUMBING FIXTURES, AND ALL RECEPTACLES IN GARAGE, CARPORT, EXTERIOR WALLS OF INSPECTED STRUCTURE Comments: Inspected

9.5 OPERATION OF GFCI (GROUND FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTERS)

Comments: Inspected

Panel Type:

Romex Conduit

Circuit breakers

Wiring Methods:

# 9.6 LOCATION OF MAIN AND DISTRIBUTION PANELS

Comments: Inspected

Main electrical panel is located in the lower level bedroom on the South wall.

#### 9.7 SMOKE DETECTORS

Comments: Inspected

### 9.8 CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS

#### Comments: Not Present

The electrical system of the home was inspected and reported on with the above information. While the inspector makes every effort to find all areas of concern, some areas can go unnoticed. Outlets were not removed and the inspection was only visual. Any outlet not accessible (behind the refrigerator for example) was not inspected or accessible. Please be aware that the inspector has your best interest in mind. Any repair items mentioned in this report should be considered before purchase. It is recommended that qualified contractors be used in your further inspection or repair issues as it relates to the comments in this inspection report.

# 10. Heating / Central Air Conditioning

The home inspector shall observe permanently installed heating and cooling systems including: Heating equipment; Cooling Equipment that is central to home; Normal operating controls; Automatic safety controls; Chimneys, flues, and vents, where readily visible; Solid fuel heating devices; Heat distribution systems including fans, pumps, ducts and piping, with supports, insulation, air filters, registers, radiators, fan coil units, convectors; and the presence of an installed heat source in each room. The home inspector shall describe: Energy source; and Heating equipment and distribution type. The home inspector shall operate the systems using normal operating controls. The home inspector shall open readily openable access panels provided by the manufacturer or installer for routine homeowner maintenance. The home inspector is not required to: Operate heating systems when weather conditions or other circumstances may cause equipment damage; Operate automatic safety controls; Ignite or extinguish solid fuel fires; or Observe: The interior of flues; Fireplace insert flue connections; Humidifiers; Electronic air filters; or The uniformity or adequacy of heat supply to the various rooms.



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Heat Type:	Energy Source:	Number of Heat Systems (excluding wood):
Forced Air	Gas	One
Heat System Brand: AMERICANAIRE LENNOX Serial # : 5894305400	Ductwork: Non-insulated	Filter Type: Disposable
Filter Size:	Types of Fireplaces:	Operable Fireplaces:
14x25	Gas/LP Log starter	One
Number of Woodstoves:	Cooling Equipment Type:	Cooling Equipment Energy Source:
None	Air conditioner unit	Electricity
Central Air Manufacturer: LENNOX	Number of AC Only Units: One	
Inspection Items		

Comments: Inspected **10.1 NORMAL OPERATING CONTROLS** 

**10.0 HEATING EQUIPMENT** 

# **Comments:** Inspected

**10.2 AUTOMATIC SAFETY CONTROLS Comments:** Inspected

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- 10.3 DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS (including fans, pumps, ducts and piping, with supports, insulation, air filters, registers, radiators, fan coil units and convectors) Comments: Inspected
- 10.4 PRESENCE OF INSTALLED HEAT SOURCE IN EACH ROOM Comments: Inspected
- 10.5 CHIMNEYS, FLUES AND VENTS (for fireplaces, gas water heaters or heat systems) Comments: Inspected
- 10.6 SOLID FUEL HEATING DEVICES (Fireplaces, Woodstove)
  - Comments: Inspected
- 10.7 GAS/LP FIRELOGS AND FIREPLACES
  - Comments: Inspected
- **10.8 COOLING AND AIR HANDLER EQUIPMENT**

Comments: Inspected

**10.9 NORMAL OPERATING CONTROLS** 

Comments: Inspected

# 10.10 PRESENCE OF INSTALLED COOLING SOURCE IN EACH ROOM

#### Comments: Inspected

The heating and cooling system of this home was inspected and reported on with the above information. While the inspector makes every effort to find all areas of concern, some areas can go unnoticed. The inspection is not meant to be technically exhaustive. The inspection does not involve removal and inspection behind service door or dismantling that would otherwise reveal something only a licensed heat contractor would discover. Please be aware that the inspector has your best interest in mind. Any repair items mentioned in this report should be considered before purchase. It is recommended that qualified contractors be used in your further inspection or repair issues as it relates to the comments in this inspection report.

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