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FOR THE PROPERTY AT:

Sample report Fort Collins, CO 80525

PREPARED FOR: JOHN DOE

INSPECTION DATE: Saturday, June 13, 2015



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January 20, 2016

Dear John Doe,

RE: Report No. 1005 Sample report Fort Collins, CO 80525

Thanks very much for choosing us to perform your home inspection. The inspection itself and the attached report comply with the requirements of the Standards of Practice of our national Association. This document defines the scope of a home inspection.

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Again, thanks very much for choosing us to perform your home inspection.

Sincerely,

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SUMMARY	ROOFING	EXTERIOR	STRUCTURE	ELECTRICAL	HEATING	COOLING	INSULATION	PLUMBING	INTERIOR		

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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>

Roofing

SLOPED ROOFING \ Asphalt shingles

Condition: • Leak

Roof Decking (sheathing) at junction point where the roof above the garage meets the second story exterior wall showed evidence of significant moisture damage. Discoloration of sheathing and evidence of leaking was present at time of inspection. Lack of flashing is the probable cause of this condition. Recommend repair of roof sheathing and the installation of a proper flashing as soon as possible by a licensed, qualified ROOFING CONTRACTOR. Failure to do so will lead to major damage and costly repairs.

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

Location: Attic Task: Repair Time: Immediate

Condition: • Missing, loose or torn

Implication(s): Chance of water damage to contents, finishes and/or structure Location: Northwest Roof Task: Replace Time: Immediate

SLOPED ROOF FLASHINGS \ Roof/wall flashings

Condition: • Siding not cut back

Signs of rotting on siding above roof covering. Recommend further evaluation by a professional roofing contractor. Implication(s): Chance of water damage to contents, finishes and/or structure Location: Throughout Roof Task: Further evaluation Time: Immediate

Exterior

WALLS \ Wood siding

Condition: • Too close to grade

Siding on north side of home is in direct contact with newer portion of driveway. Recommend a qualified contractor make repairs and replacements to prevent further damage to siding.

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

Location: North Exterior Wall Task: Repair Time: Immediate

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DOORS \ General

Condition: • Weather stripping on exterior door leading into garage is deteriorating and cable found improperly leading through door. Also, ants have entered the garage at the base of the door. Recommend a qualified contractor replace the weather stripping or entire door.

Location: Rear Garage Task: Replace

Time: Immediate

Electrical

SERVICE BOX, GROUNDING AND PANEL \ Distribution fuses/breakers

Condition: • Loose breakers or fuses

Extra breaker found resting at bottom of panel. Recommend further evaluation by a licensed and qualified electrician. **Implication(s)**: Electric shock | Fire hazard

Task: Further evaluation

Time: Immediate

DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM \ Outlets (receptacles)

Condition: • <u>No GFCI (Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter)</u> Current standards call for GFCI protected outlets in bathrooms. Outlet near sind in basement bathroom was not GFCI protected. Recommend replacement by a licensed electrician. Implication(s): Electric shock Location: Basement Bathroom Task: Replace Time: Immediate

DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM \ Smoke detectors

Condition: • Smoke detector near end of life expectancy. **Implication(s)**: When smoke detector plastic turns yellow it is a sign that they are at the end of life and should be replaced.

Task: Replace Time: Immediate

Heating

GAS FURNACE \ Mechanical air filter

Condition: • Loose or collapsed Air filter not installed correctly. Recommend correctly installing filter in channel provided up against the return air supply. Monitor monthly and replace when dirty Implication(s): Increased fire hazard | Increased heating costs | Reduced comfort Task: Improve Time: Immediate Sample report, Fort Collins, CO June 13, 2015

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HEATING COOLING

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Cooling & Heat Pump

ROOFING

AIR CONDITIONING \ Life expectancy

Condition: • <u>Near end of life expectancy</u> Implication(s): Equipment failure | Reduced comfort Task: Service annually

Plumbing

FIXTURES AND FAUCETS \ Toilet

Condition: • Loose

Implication(s): Chance of water damage to contents, finishes and/or structure | Sewage entering the building
Location: Basement Bathroom
Task: Repair or replace
Time: Immediate

Interior

EXHAUST FANS \ Exhaust fan

Condition: • Inoperative Ventilation fan in basement bathroom was inoperative at the time of inspection. Recommend repair or replacement by a qualified professional. Implication(s): Chance of condensation damage to finishes and/or structure Location: Basement Bathroom Task: Repair or replace Time: Immediate

EXHAUST FANS \ Power vent for roof space

Condition: • Not well secured

The bathroom fan was observed to exhaust into the attic, which is an improper INSTALLATION. The fan should be vented to the exterior, either through the roof or through an outside wall, rather than to the soffit vent at the eaves of the roof. The present installation permits the bathroom fan to vent moisture into the attic space, which can reduce the R-value of the insulation, and promote mildew and mold growth on the underside of the roof sheathing. Recommend correction of the bathroom fan vent so that it exhausts to the exterior.

Implication(s): Damage to equipment

Location: Attic

Task: Repair

Time: Immediate

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.

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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

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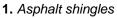
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Description

Sloped roofing material:

<u>Asphalt shingles</u>







3. Asphalt shingles

Limitations

Inspection performed: • By walking on roof



2. Asphalt shingles



4. Asphalt shingles

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Observations & Recommendations

SLOPED ROOFING \ Asphalt shingles

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COOLING

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

Location: Attic

Task: Repair

Time: Immediate





2. Condition: • Missing, loose or torn Implication(s): Chance of water damage to contents, finishes and/or structure Location: Northwest Roof Task: Replace Time: Immediate

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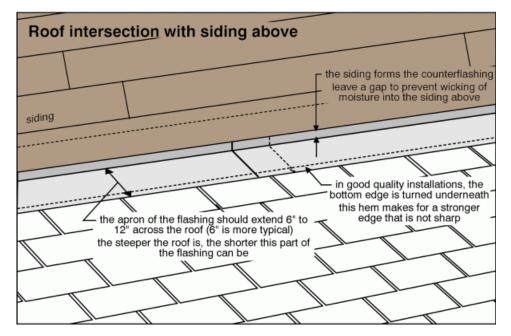
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Location: Throughout Roof

Task: Further evaluation



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7. Siding not cut back

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Description

General: • Exterior





8. Front Entrance

9. Driveway



10. Backyard

Gutter & downspout material: • <u>Aluminum</u> Gutter & downspout discharge: • <u>Below grade</u> • <u>Above grade</u> Lot slope: • <u>Away from building</u> Wall surfaces - wood: • <u>Hardboard, plywood or OSB</u> Wall surfaces - masonry:

Brick

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Soffit and fascia: • Wood

Driveway: • Concrete

Walkway: • Concrete

Deck:

• Wood



12. Wood

Garage:

General

Successfully operated by garage door opener

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Limitations

Exterior inspected from: • Ground level

Observations & Recommendations

WALLS \ Wood siding

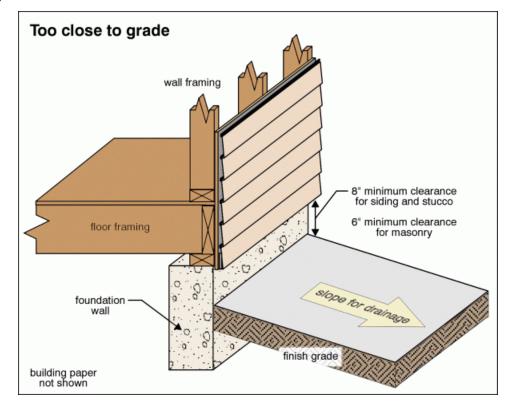
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Location: North Exterior Wall

Task: Repair



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13. Too close to grade

DOORS \ General

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Location: Rear Garage Task: Replace Time: Immediate





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Report No. 1005 **STRUCTURE** www.sitelogicinspections.com Sample report, Fort Collins, CO June 13, 2015 ROOFING STRUCTURE ELECTRICAL

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Description

- **Configuration:**
- Basement
- Crawl space

Crawlspace hatch located in utility room, in basement



16. Crawl space

Foundation material: • Poured concrete Floor construction: • Joists • Subfloor - plywood Exterior wall construction: • Wood frame Roof and ceiling framing: • Trusses

Limitations

Percent of foundation not visible: • 75 %

System grounding material and type:

• Aluminum - water pipe

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18. Aluminum - water pipe

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

Observations & Recommendations

SERVICE BOX, GROUNDING AND PANEL \ Distribution fuses/breakers

6. Condition: • Loose breakers or fuses
Extra breaker found resting at bottom of panel. Recommend further evaluation by a licensed and qualified electrician.
Implication(s): Electric shock | Fire hazard
Task: Further evaluation
Time: Immediate

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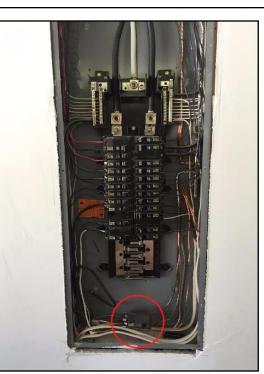
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19. Loose breakers or fuses

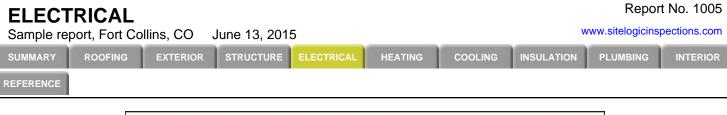
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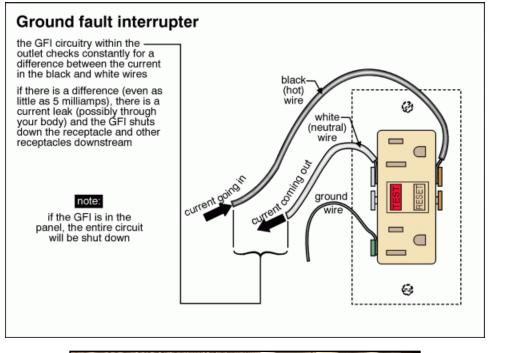
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Current standards call for GFCI protected outlets in bathrooms. Outlet near sind in basement bathroom was not GFCI protected. Recommend replacement by a licensed electrician.

Implication(s): Electric shock

Location: Basement Bathroom Task: Replace







20. No GFI (Ground Fault Interrupter)

DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM \ Smoke detectors

8. Condition: • Smoke detector near end of life expectancy.

Implication(s): When smoke detector plastic turns yellow it is a sign that they are at the end of life and should be replaced.

Task: Replace

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HEATING Sample report, Fort Collins, CO June 13, 2015 www.sitelogicinspections.com UMMMARY ROOFING EXTERIOR STRUCTURE ELECTRICAL HEATING COOLING INSULATION PLUMBING INTERIOR REFERENCE Description Fueldenergy source: • Gas System type: • Furnace

22. Furnace

Furnace manufacturer: • Amana

Heat distribution: • Ducts and registers

Approximate capacity: • 70,000 BTU/hr

Exhaust venting method:
• Forced draft

Approximate age: • <u>25 years</u>

Typical life expectancy:

• Furnace (conventional or mid-efficiency) 18 to 25 years Furnace is near life expectancy. Budget for replacement.

Main fuel shut off at: • Basement

Fireplace:

Gas fireplace

Operated with normal controls with no issues at time of inspection

Chimney/vent: • Metal

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Limitations

Warm weather: • Prevented testing in heating mode

Observations & Recommendations

GAS FURNACE \ Life expectancy

9. Condition: • <u>Near end of life expectancy</u>
 Implication(s): Equipment failure | No heat for building

GAS FURNACE \ Mechanical air filter

10. Condition: • Loose or collapsed

Air filter not installed correctly. Recommend correctly installing filter in channel provided up against the return air supply.

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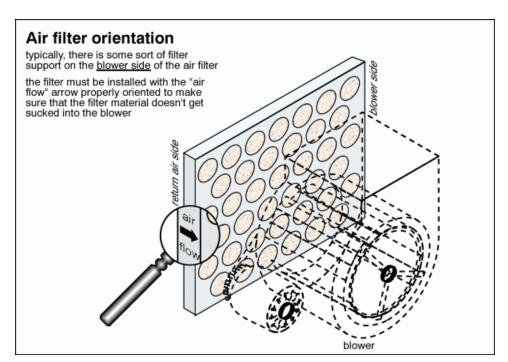
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Monitor monthly and replace when dirty

Implication(s): Increased fire hazard | Increased heating costs | Reduced comfort

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Task: Improve



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23. Loose or collapsed

COOLING & HEAT PUMP

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Description

Air conditioning type: • Air cooled

Manufacturer:

Lennox



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24. Lennox

Cooling capacity: • 42,000 BTU/hr

Compressor approximate age: • 18 years

Observations & Recommendations

AIR CONDITIONING \ Life expectancy

11. Condition: • <u>Near end of life expectancy</u>**Implication(s)**: Equipment failure | Reduced comfort**Task**: Service annually

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Attic/roof insulation material:

Glass fiber





25. Glass fiber

26. Glass fiber

Attic/roof insulation amount/value:

• <u>R-40</u>

Average depth of about 16 inches of blown in insulation in the unfinished attic. This is below standards and homeowner should be advised to increase to 20 inches if the home feel uncomfortable.

Attic/roof ventilation: • Roof and soffit vents

Wall insulation material:

Glass fiber

Observed from crawlspace

Mechanical ventilation system for home: • Kitchen exhaust fan • Bathroom exhaust fan • Laundry room exhaust fan

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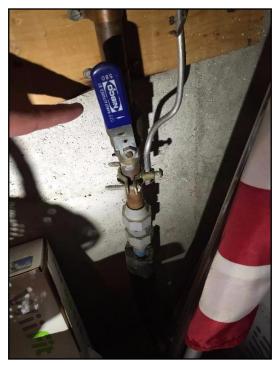
Water supply source: • Public

Service piping into building: • Copper

Supply piping in building: • Copper

Main water shut off valve at the:

Basement



27. Basement

Water heater fuel/energy source: • Gas Water heater type: • Conventional Water heater exhaust venting method: • Natural draft Water heater manufacturer: • General Electric Tank capacity: • 40 gallons Water heater approximate age: • 14 years Waste and vent piping in building: • Plastic Floor drain location: • Near water heater Gas piping: • Steel Main fuel shut off valve at the: • Utility room

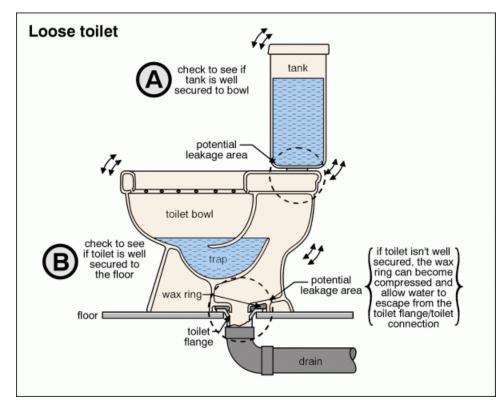
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Time: Immediate





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Major floor finishes: • Carpet • Carpet	
Major wall finishes: • Plaster/drywall	
Windows: • <u>Sliders</u>	
Exterior doors - type/material: • Hinged	
Oven fuel: • Electricity	

29. Electricity

Range fuel: • Electricity

Appliances: • Refrigerator • Dishwasher • Waste disposal • Microwave oven

Bathroom ventilation: • Exhaust fan

Laundry room ventilation: • Exhaust fan

Inventory Thermostat:

Honeywell
 Located in dining Room

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Observations & Recommendations

EXHAUST FANS \ Exhaust fan

13. Condition: • Inoperative

Ventilation fan in basement bathroom was inoperative at the time of inspection. Recommend repair or replacement by a qualified professional.

Implication(s): Chance of condensation damage to finishes and/or structure

Location: Basement Bathroom

Task: Repair or replace

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31. Inoperative

EXHAUST FANS \ Power vent for roof space

14. Condition: • Not well secured

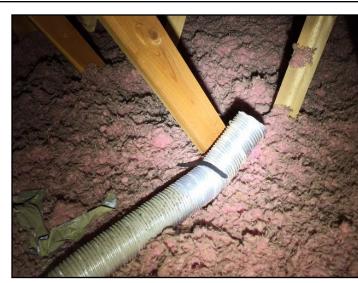
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Implication(s): Damage to equipment

Location: Attic

Task: Repair

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