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## PROPERTY INSPECTION REPORT

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•	(Name of Client)
Concerning:	18527 Haughland Dr, Cypress, TX 77433 (Address or Other Identification of Inspected Property)
By:	Kelly M Herbert, Lic #TREC21822 06/05/2019 (Name and License Number of Inspector) (Date)
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#### PURPOSE, LIMITATIONS AND INSPECTOR / CLIENT RESPONSIBILITIES

This property inspection report may include an inspection agreement (contract), addenda, and other information related to property conditions. If any item or comment is unclear, you should ask the inspector to clarify the findings. It is important that you carefully read ALL of this information.

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In this report, the inspector shall indicate, by checking the appropriate boxes on the form, whether each item was inspected, not inspected, not present or deficient and explain the findings in the corresponding section in the body of the report form. The inspector must check the Deficient (D) box if a condition exists that adversely and materially affects the performance of a system or component or constitutes a hazard to life, limb or property as specified by the TREC Standards of Practice. General deficiencies include inoperability, material distress, water penetration, damage, deterioration, missing components, and unsuitable installation. Comments may be provided by the inspector whether or not an item is deemed deficient. The inspector is not required to prioritize or emphasize the importance of one deficiency over another.

Some items reported may be considered life-safety upgrades to the property. For more information, refer to Texas Real Estate Consumer Notice Concerning Recognized Hazards or Deficiencies below.

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Property conditions change with time and use. For example, mechanical devices can fail at any time, plumbing gaskets and seals may crack if the appliance or plumbing fixture is not used often, roof leaks can occur at any time regardless of the apparent condition of the roof, and the performance of the structure and the systems may change due to changes in use or occupancy, effects of weather, etc. These changes or repairs made to the structure after the inspection may render information contained herein obsolete or invalid. This report is provided for the specific benefit of the client named above and is based on observations at the time of the inspection. If you did not hire the inspector yourself, reliance on this report may provide incomplete or outdated information. Repairs, professional opinions or additional inspection reports may affect the meaning of the information in this report. It is recommended that you hire a licensed inspector to perform an inspection to meet your specific needs and to provide you with current information concerning this property.

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Each year, Texans sustain property damage and are injured by accidents in the home. While some accidents may not be avoidable, many other accidents, injuries, and deaths may be avoided through the identification and repair of certain hazardous conditions. Examples of such hazards include:

- malfunctioning, improperly installed or missing ground fault circuit protection (GFCI) devices for electrical receptacles in garages, bathroom, kitchens, and exterior areas;
- malfunctioning arc fault protection (AFCI) devices;
- ordinary glass in locations where modern construction techniques call for safety glass;
- malfunctioning or lack of fire safety features such as, smoke alarms, fire-rated doors in certain locations, and functional emergency escape and rescue openings in bedrooms;
- malfunctioning carbon monoxide alarms;
- excessive spacing between balusters on stairways and porches;
- improperly installed appliances;
- improperly installed or defective safety devices;
- lack of electrical bonding and grounding; and
- lack of bonding on gas piping, including corrugated stainless steel tubing (CSST).

To ensure that consumers are informed of hazards such as these, the Texas Real Estate Commission (TREC) has adopted Standards of Practice requiring licensed inspectors to report these conditions as "Deficient" when performing an inspection for a buyer or seller, if they can be reasonably determined.

These conditions may not have violated building codes or common practices at the time of the construction of the home, or they may have been "grandfathered" because they were present prior to the adoption of codes prohibiting such conditions. While the TREC Standards of Practice do not require inspectors to perform a code compliance inspection, TREC considers the potential for injury or property loss from the hazards addressed in the Standards of Practice to be significant enough to warrant this notice.

Contract forms developed by TREC for use by its real estate licensees also inform the buyer of the right to have the home inspected and can provide an option clause permitting the buyer to terminate the contract within a specified time. Neither the Standards of Practice nor the TREC contract forms requires a seller to remedy conditions revealed by an inspection. The decision to correct a hazard or any deficiency identified in an inspection report is left to the parties to the contract for the sale or purchase of the home.

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# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PROVIDED BY INSPECTOR

	☑ Occupied	l [	□ Vacant		
	PRESENT AT INSPE	CTION: Buye	r / Buyer's Agent		
Weather Condition at Time of Inspection					
□ Clear	□ Overcast/Hazy	□ Cloudy	☑ Rainy	□ Ice/Snow	
	Outside Temperature: Arriv	val <b>75</b> <sup>0</sup>	Departure	: <b>75</b> °	

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The photos provided in this report SHOULD NOT be considered representative of the 'only' -or- 'most significant' items in the report. The photos provided are merely for 'visual reference' of random items in the report.

Any deficiencies reported are the buyer's responsibility to obtain additional reviews and evaluations by a certified technician prior to the end of the option period. Additional investigations from qualified technicians may lead to additional discoveries or deficiencies that may not be visible or accessible at the time of the inspection and may require additional repairs or costs. Failure to address these deficiencies may lead to additional costs in the future. It is not the responsibility of the inspector to provide these additional evaluations or to verify that these evaluations/repairs have been made.

Note: Any statements made in the body of this inspection report pertaining to left, right, front or rear were referenced by standing in front of and facing the property.

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#### I. STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS

 $\square$   $\square$   $\square$  A. Foundations

Type of Foundation(s): Slab on Grade

Comments:

(If all crawl space areas not inspected, provide an explanation.)

Performance Opinion:

☑ At this time, the *foundation appears to be supporting the structure* and immediate significant *repair needs are not evident*.

☐ Prior to closing, the *foundation should be inspected* by a qualified structural engineer, familiar with the soils and construction methods of the region, in order to determine if permanent repairs are required.

**Notes:** The client should understand that inspectors are not professional engineers. Our opinion is based on general observation of the foundation and the the inspector's personal experience with similar structures. This inspection does not predict or guarantee future performance.

**Note:** Observed evidence of movement may be perceived differently by a Buyer or inspector at the time of re-sell. You have the option of having this foundation further inspected by a licensed structural engineer. The engineer report may serve as a baseline against future observations of movement. Otherwise, you are accepting this foundation on an "as is" basis and may find repairs necessary in the future.

Note: Where face of foundation is covered / obstructed the foundation cannot be inspected.

Additional Notes (An opinion on performance is mandatory):

☑ □ □ ☑ B. Grading and Drainage

Comments:

☐ No evidence of water penetration observed at this time.

☐ Water spots evident

**Notes:** Proper drainage and soil moisture contents should be maintained around the foundation to help minimize foundation problems.

Additional Notes:

High soil levels at Front & back of Structure. Recommend corrective action to prevent water and/or pest intrusion.

Drainage needs to be corrected at Right & Left sides of structure. Water ponding next to foundation.





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C.	Roof Covering Materia	ls			
	Type(s) of Roof Covering	: Composition			
	Viewed From: From lade	der at eave			
	Comments:				
	Condition: The entire	roof should be evaluated	l by a qualified	roofing co.	
	☐ Ridge shingles crac	ked /missing /loose		_	
	☑ Shingles cracked / missing / loose / damaged / worn / aged				
	☐ Valley in need of rep	pair	J		
	☐ Caulking needed:	□ Nails or staples expos	ed □ Small	I holes or openings	
	Gutters:	☐ Bent Sections	□ Debri	S	
	Down spouts:	☐ Missing	□ Extension / S <sub>I</sub>	plash block missing	
	Additional Notes: (This	s inspector is not a roofing	expert. Client sh	hould have a roofing company	y
		her evaluation if the the Cli			
		nent cannot be inspected if			
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nspector observed lifted shingles and grit loss. Seller's disclosure indicates roof is 1 year old. Recommend contacting the Roofing Contractor to re-inspect roof material for defects.



Roof shows evidence of sagging; recommend estimate from roofing company.



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Water stains observed on Deck boards from Attic Side. These appear to be active leaks around plumbing vents. Recommend inspection by Qualified Roofing Contractor.









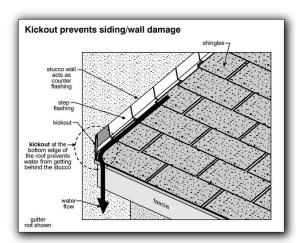
Recommend installing Kick-out flashing at Chimney to direct run-off away from Wall.





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Inspector recommends installing Rain Gutters to direct run-off away from foundation.

D.	Roof Structures and Attics Viewed From: Attic (Inside) Approximate Average Depth of Ins Approximate Average Thickness of Comments: Attic Attic Insulation: Loose Fill		ccessible
	Roof Ventilation Observed: Yes  ☐ Water leaks noted ☐ Prev	Condition: <b>Ventilation</b> ious repairs noted	Adequate  ☐ Vermin activity noted
	Notes: Some areas of the atticated belongings etc. Additional Notes: Insulation appears to be marg Water stains/active leaks observed.	jinal and compressed.	o low clearance, insulation, stored
E.	Walls (Interior and Exterior)  Comments:  Prevalent exterior siding: Maso Interior Wall:  □ Water Stains / Damage  □ Mildew / Fugal discolor.  ☑ Fresh Paint	onry / Brick / Stone, Woo ☐ Small drywall cracks ☐ Holes	
	Exterior Wall:   Water damage	□ Damage	□ Small cracks

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All wall penetrations and exposed openings should be sealed to help prevent pest and moisture penetration into the wall cavity including areas such as electrical outlets, exterior light fixtures, window and door frames, and water and gas supply lines.

Damage/Wood Deterioration at Fiber Board Siding and Trim. Repair/replace as required.



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## Caulking weathered and split at Expansion joints. Recommend re-caulking.



Repairs observed on drywall at Master Bath.



NOTE: Interior walls freshly painted. Fresh paint may conceal cracks in drywall.

F.	Ceilings and Floors		
	Comments:		
	☐ Water Stains / damage ☐	☐ Holes and openings	□ Rotting evident
	☑ Tiles-cracked / damage / loose	/ missing	☐ Settlement crack
	☐ Vinyl damage ☐	☐ Slight sloping	
	Additional Notes:		
	NOTE: If the home is occupied, r	not all floors are visible	during inspection for review due to
	furniture or storage obstructions.		-

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## Floor tiles cracks observed at Master & Hall Baths.







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				□ Damaged □ Holes and openings □ Rotting evident □ Not closing properly □ Hardware damage /	inoperative	
				Exterior		
				□ Damaged □ Hollow □ Holes and openings □ Rotting evident □ Not closing properly □ Hardware damage /	inoperative	
				Garage Door:  ☐ Damaged	☐ Bent panel	☐ Entry door damaged

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NOTE: The majority of the chimney flue cannot be safely inspected. It was inspected from the

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damper opening only.

Fire place dirty, requires cleaning. It appears wood/wood product was burned in the fireplace. There is build up of potentially flammable material in the firebox and chimney. I recommend servicing and cleaning the chimney and fireplace prior to use.



The inspector recommends a competent contractor/chimney sweep be contacted to perform the appropriate remedial work. Draft, proper combustion, smoke leakage, cleanliness, fire worthiness, etc. are not part of this inspection; therefore, you may wish to obtain the services of a professional chimney sweep for these inspections and other services related to the fireplace/chimney. Damper does not close.



K. Porches, Balconies, De	ecks, and Carports	
Comments:		
□ Rotting evident	☐ Insect Damage	□ Wood / Soil contact
☑ Trip Hazard	☐ Loose boards	☐ Handrail / railing missing / damaged
☐ Areas inaccessible		
Note: Structural load	capabilities were not inspected	
Additional Notes:	·	

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Back Patio concrete poured higher that Back Entry Door Landing. Water ponds next to foundation and back door. Repair as required.

## II. ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

	A.	Service Entrance and Panels  Comments:  Main panel location: Exterior Wall  ☐ Improper panel location ☐ Burned wires ☐ Do  Type of wiring: Aluminum	Sub panel loca □ Inadequate uble-Tapping	ation: panel labeling □ Defective breakers □ Defective breakers
		Panel Manufacture: Federal Pacific ARC Fault	Size o	f Service Breaker:100-amp
ARC outlet locations(s):Maste 2nd Be 3rd Be 4th Be 5th Be		ARC outlet locations(s):Master 2nd Bed 3rd Bed 4th Bed 5th Bed Comn	<ul><li>☑ Missing</li><li>☑ Missing</li><li>☑ Missing</li><li>☐ Missing</li><li>☐ Missing</li><li>☑ Missing</li><li>☑ Missing</li></ul>	<ul> <li>□ Not tripping</li> </ul>
		Grounding Electrode present: <b>Yes</b> ☑ Due to defects observed, recommer electrician.  ☐ Due to aluminum wiring being found licensed electrician.  Notes: Unable to inspect underground not reasonably accessible due to shrul removed for safety.  Additional Notes:	d, recommend se	rvice and complete system check by e depth of the ground rods. Any covers

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The service panel is a Federal Pacific stab lock type. These panels no longer have a U.L. listing due to reports of breakers not responding to overload conditions. A qualified electrician should further inspect the breaker panel or the client should consider replacing the panel.

Additional information can be read on internet at www.inspect-ny.com/fpe/fpepanel.htm.

Most circuit breakers functions were not listed on panel.



The color of branch circuit wires are required to be black, red or marked. There are some branch circuit wires that have not been marked as required.



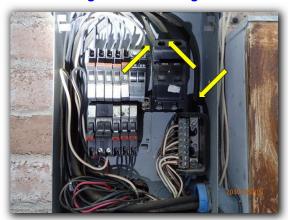
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Anti- Oxidant grease is missing and needed on the three main aluminum service wires.



Panel door latch missing.



The gas meter is not visibly bonded to the remainder of the electrical system. The unit may be bonded at a point later in the line / system. However, the clamp and bond wire are required to be in a location that is visible and accessible for inspection. I did not locate a bonding clamp or wire on the gas meter at the time of the inspection.



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Improper clamp was used to attach the ground wire to the ground rod. An acorn clamp should be used.



Further evaluation of electrical system by Licensed Electrician strongly recommended.

В.	Branch Circuits, Connected Devitype of Wiring: Copper Comments:  Receptacle Type: □ 2 pr □ Due to aluminum wiring bein licensed electrician.	ong □ 3 pr	rong □ Aluminum v	viring observed ete system check by
	Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter GFCI Outlet location(s)		<ul><li>☐ Missing</li><li>☑ Missing</li><li>☑ Missing</li><li>☑ Missing</li><li>☑ Missing</li></ul>	<ul><li>☐ Not tripping</li><li>☐ Not tripping</li><li>☐ Not tripping</li><li>☐ Not tripping</li><li>☐ Not tripping</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>□ Loose / broken / inoperative</li> <li>□ Loose / broken / inoperative</li> <li>□ Ceiling fan inoperative</li> <li>□ Exposed wiring</li> <li>□ Reversed Polarity</li> <li>□ Wire splices / open junction</li> </ul>	light	<ul> <li>□ Loose / broken / ino</li> <li>☑ Smoke detector mis</li> <li>□ Improper wiring</li> <li>□ Double-lugging</li> <li>□ Open ground</li> </ul>	•
	Additional notes: NOTE: The walls are obstructionspection. Only outlets that storage, or high up on ceiling Per today's standards, Smok R314.3 Location 1. In each sleeping room. 2. Outside each separate slee GFCI lacking at Exterior, Gar require GFCI protection.	essible are tested. Ou at are not accessible was king at required areas. e immediate vicinity of	tlets behind furniture or ere not tested.  the bedrooms.	

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## Globe covers missing at Bedroom Closet fixtures and Ceiling Fans.





Light fixture/Bulb not functional at Attic.



#### III. HEATING, VENTILATION AND AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS

☑ Heating unit(s) v 70 degrees Fahrer Furnace (Heat Cy temperature rise	re not inspected since outs were inspected but were no	of operated since the ambie by operation; however wa	ent temperature exceeds
properly	at Location: Hall ondition:	□ Not level	☐ Not registering
Gas:	E: <b>Disposable</b> Cond ☐ Rust on burner ☐ Improper venting ☐ Gas leak ☐ Gas line not support	dition: <b>Dirty</b> ☐ Flame Inconsistent ☐ Copper gas line ☐ Air blowing in burnered	☐ No gas shut-off

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	Electri Blowe		☐ Inoperable ☐ Limit switch missinonside blower	g/inoperable □ Noisy
	Additional Note			
☑ □ □ ☑ в.	Comments:  ☐ Heat pumps ☐ Air condition	Central/Split System s are operated in one mod		d since the ambient temperature is
	Unit 1	Supply Temp: 46	Return Temp: 68	Difference: 22
		☑ Hig	h/low differential (Temp	erature differential should fall between 15 F & 20 F for
	Compressor:	<ul><li>☐ Not on</li><li>☐ Improper clearance</li><li>☐ Fan not on</li></ul>	proper cooling)  ☐ Not level ☐ Fin damage ☐ Coils need cleaning	☐ Not shutting off ☐ Inoperative ☐ Noisy
	Condensate D Primary:	rain: □ Clogged □ Tray debris / standin	□ No trap g water / rust	<ul><li>□ Not insulated</li><li>□ Tray leak</li></ul>
	Secondary	y: ☐ Does to exist location:	☐ Not readily visible	
	Freon line:	☐ Insulation missing / clocation:	lamaged □ Re	frigerant leak possible
	Additional Note	es:		





I recommend the heating and cooling systems be serviced by a licensed HVAC technician prior to each heating and cooling season. It cannot be verified that the previous occupants performed regular or routine maintenance.

Due to High Temperature Differential, Recommend servicing unit by Licensed HVAC Contractor.

Recommend installing a Float Sensor at A/C Overflow Drain pan to provide early warning of an overflow condition.

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☐ Faucet leak ☐ Drain leak

☐ Drain slow

☐ Sink leak

☐ Spray leak

□ Low / no pressure

Type: Galvanized

Additional Notes:

Kitchen Sink:

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#### Shut-off valve handle missing at Kitchen Sink.



#### Hall:

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☐ Drain Leak ☑ Slow drain ☐ Faucet leak ☐ Faucet/knob missing ☐ Faucet/knob damaged ☐ Stopper missing/non-functioning

#### Bathtubs:

- □ Drain leak□ Slow drain□ Faucet leak□ Faucet/knob missing□ Stopper missing/non-functioning
- ☐ Diverter leak ☐ Diverter non-functioning
- ☐ Grout/caulk missing ☐ Water damage

## Shower:

- □ Drain leak □ Slow drain □ Faucet leak □ Faucet/knob missing
- ☐ Faucet/knob damaged☐ Head leak☐ Door not closing properly☐ Water damage☐ Grout/caulk missing

#### Commodes:

- □ Loose on floor □ Fills slow □ Not flushing properly □ Leaking
- ☐ Not turning off

## Additional Notes:

Sink drain slower than normal at Hall Bath.



Drain stop does not work at Hall Bath.

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## Observed surface damage to tub at Hall Bath.



## Master:

Bath s	inks:						
	□ Drain Leak ☑ Slow of	drain	☐ Fauce	et leak 🛮 Fai	ucet/knob missing		
	☐ Faucet/knob damaged		☐ Stopp	er missing/no	n-functioning		
Bathtu	ıbs:			-	-		
	<ul> <li>□ Drain leak</li> <li>□ Slow drain</li> <li>□ Faucet/knob damaged</li> <li>□ Diverter leak</li> <li>□ Grout/caulk missing</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>☐ Faucet leak</li> <li>☐ Faucet/knob missing</li> <li>☐ Stopper missing/non-functioning</li> <li>☐ Diverter non-functioning</li> <li>☐ Water damage</li> </ul>				
Shower:							
	<ul><li>□ Drain leak</li><li>□ Slow drain</li><li>☑ Faucet/knob damaged</li><li>□ Door not closing properly</li></ul>		<ul><li>☐ Faucet leak</li><li>☐ Head leak</li><li>☐ Water damage</li></ul>		<ul><li>☐ Faucet/knob missing</li><li>☐ Pan leak</li><li>☐ Grout/caulk missing</li></ul>		
Commodes:							
	☐ Loose on floor ☐ ☐ Not turning off	□ Fills s	slow l	□ Not flushinç	g properly □ Leaking		

## Additional Notes:

Sink drains slower than normal at Master Bath.



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## Caulk/grout missing at Master Shower.





Toilet loose at Base Mount at Master Bath. Recommend replacing wax seal and resetting.



Shower/Tub fixture loose on Wall. Repair as required.



## Outside Faucets:

- ☐ Leak Location:
- ☐ Inoperative
- ☐ Missing / broken handle
- ☑ Missing anti-siphon

Additional Notes:

- ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ Side
- ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ Side ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ Side
- ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☑ Side

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Additional Notes:

Electric Unit: ☐ Improper Venting ☐ Inoperative heating element

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Water Heater flue vent to the Right-side of Structure. Vent cap missing.



- $\square$   $\square$   $\square$   $\square$  D. Hydro-Massage Therapy Equipment Comments:
- $\square$   $\square$   $\square$   $\square$   $\square$   $\square$  E. Other

Comments:

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## V. APPLIANCES

A.	Dishwashers Comments:			
	☐ Inoperative	□ Leak	☑ Missing High Loop	□ Noisy
	☑ Soap tray defective	□ Rust	□ Rollers missing	□ Trays damaged
	☐ Loose in cabinet	☐ Door dam	nage	-

Insufficient loop in drain line to disposal. Elevate line to counter top level.



Soap dispenser does not work.



	$\overline{\mathbf{V}}$	В.	Food Waste Disposers Comments:			
			☐ Inoperative	☐ Leak ☐ Stud	k hammers	☐ Poorly secured
			☐ Vibration Additional Notes:	☐ Noisy	☐ Damaged s	plash guard

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Protective wire clamp missing at electrical connection. Exposed Wiring.



	C.	C. Range Hood and Exhaust Systems					
		Comments:					
		□ Filters missing	□ Vents into attic	□ Inoperative			
		☐ Damaged switches Additional Notes:	☐ No light	☐ Noisy			
	The micro/vent hood is the recirculating type, it does not vent to the outdoors						
		It vents back into the roo	m. Listed and labeled ductles	s range hoods may be allowed			

The micro/vent hood is the recirculating type, it does not vent to the outdoors as it should. It vents back into the room. Listed and labeled ductless range hoods may be allowed to recirculate, but only when they are installed in accordance with the manufacturers installation instructions, and where mechanical or natural ventilation is otherwise provided according to the air flow requirements.



D.	Ranges, Cooktop	os, and Ovens				
	Comments:					
	Range Source:	Gas				
	Oven Source:	Gas				
	Cooktop Source	: <b>N/A</b>				
	☐ No re	adily accessible gas sl	hut-off in room	□ Gas leak	☐ Anti-tip	
	Cooktop:					
	☐ Not lig	ghting off pilot	□ Right front	□ Left front	□ Right rear	□ Left Rear
	□ Dama	aged/Missing knobs	□ Right front	□ Left front	□ Right rear	□ Left Rear

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G. Garage Door Operators

Comments:

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foundation.

## **Summary**

## GRADING AND DRAINAGE

High soil levels at Front & back of Structure. Recommend corrective action to prevent water and/or pest intrusion.

Drainage needs to be corrected at Right & Left sides of structure. Water ponding next to foundation.

## ROOF COVERING MATERIALS

nspector observed lifted shingles and grit loss. Seller's disclosure indicates roof is 1 year old.

Recommend contacting the Roofing Contractor to re-inspect roof material for defects.

Roof shows evidence of sagging; recommend estimate from roofing company.

Water stains observed on Deck boards from Attic Side. These appear to be active leaks around plumbing vents. Recommend inspection by Qualified Roofing Contractor.

Recommend installing Kick-out flashing at Chimney to direct run-off away from Wall.

Inspector recommends installing Rain Gutters to direct run-off away from foundation.

## ROOF STRUCTURES AND ATTICS

Insulation appears to be marginal and compressed.

Water stains/active leaks observed on Roof Decking.

## WALLS (INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR)

All wall penetrations and exposed openings should be sealed to help prevent pest and moisture penetration into the wall cavity including areas such as electrical outlets, exterior light fixtures, window and door frames, and water and gas supply lines.

Damage/Wood Deterioration at Fiber Board Siding and Trim. Repair/replace as required.

Caulking weathered and split at Expansion joints. Recommend re-caulking.

Repairs observed on drywall at Master Bath.

NOTE: Interior walls freshly painted. Fresh paint may conceal cracks in drywall.

#### CEILINGS AND FLOORS

Floor tiles cracks observed at Master & Hall Baths.

## DOORS (INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR)

Back sliding glass door difficult to lock/unlock. Repair as required.

Entry door from Garage to Structure lacking Self-Closure hinges.

#### WINDOWS

Window screen missing/not installed at Various windows.

Windows do not open at Master Bedroom, Den & Breakfast Area. Windows appear to be painted closed.

## STAIRWAYS (INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR)

Balusters improperly spaced. Spacing between Balusters > 4".(IRC: R312.3)

## FIREPLACES AND CHIMNEYS

Fire place dirty, requires cleaning. It appears wood/wood product was burned in the fireplace. There is build up of potentially flammable material in the firebox and chimney. I recommend servicing and cleaning the chimney and fireplace prior to use.

The inspector recommends a competent contractor/chimney sweep be contacted to perform the appropriate remedial work. Draft, proper combustion, smoke leakage, cleanliness, fire worthiness, etc. are not part of this inspection; therefore, you may wish to obtain the services of a professional chimney sweep for these inspections and other services related to the fireplace/chimney. Damper does not close.

## PORCHES, BALCONIES, DECKS, AND CARPORTS

Cracks observed in drive way, creating a tripping hazard.

Back Patio concrete poured higher that Back Entry Door Landing. Water ponds next to foundation and back door. Repair as required.

## SERVICE ENTRANCE AND PANELS

The service panel is a Federal Pacific stab lock type. These panels no longer have a U.L. listing due to reports of breakers not responding to overload conditions. A qualified electrician should further inspect the breaker panel or the client should consider replacing the panel.

Most circuit breakers functions were not listed on panel.

The color of branch circuit wires are required to be black, red or marked. There are some branch circuit wires that have not been marked as required.

Anti- Oxidant grease is missing and needed on the three main aluminum service wires.

Panel door latch missing.

The gas meter is not visibly bonded to the remainder of the electrical system. The unit may be bonded at a point later in the line / system. However, the clamp and bond wire are required to be in a location that is visible and accessible for inspection. I did not locate a bonding clamp or wire on the gas meter at the time of the inspection.

Improper clamp was used to attach the ground wire to the ground rod. An acorn clamp should be used. Further evaluation of electrical system by Licensed Electrician strongly recommended.

## BRANCH CIRCUITS, CONNECTED DEVICES, AND FIXTURES

Per today's standards. Smoke detectors lacking at required areas.

GFCI lacking at Exterior, Garage, Kitchen. Per today's standards ALL these area outlets require GFCI protection.

Globe covers missing at Bedroom Closet fixtures and Ceiling Fans.

Light fixture/Bulb not functional at Attic.

## HEATING EQUIPMENT

Furnace (Heat Cycle) was engaged to verify operation; however was not operated to check temperature rise due to ambient temperature.

## COOLING EQUIPMENT

Due to High Temperature Differential, Recommend servicing unit by Licensed HVAC Contractor.

Recommend installing a Float Sensor at A/C Overflow Drain pan to provide early warning of an overflow

condition.

## DUCT SYSTEMS, CHASES, AND VENTS

Insulation loose on duct work. Recommend further inspection by licensed HVAC Contractor.

## PLUMBING SUPPLY, DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS AND FIXTURES

Shut-off valve handle missing at Kitchen Sink.

Sink drain slower than normal at Hall Bath.

Drain stop does not work at Hall Bath.

Observed surface damage to tub at Hall Bath.

Sink drains slower than normal at Master Bath.

Caulk/grout missing at Master Shower.

Toilet loose at Base Mount at Master Bath. Recommend replacing wax seal and resetting.

Shower/Tub fixture loose on Wall. Repair as required.

Anti-siphon device missing Left-side hose bib.

## DRAINS, WASTES, AND VENTS

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## WATER HEATING EQUIPMENT

Water Heater flue vent to the Right-side of Structure. Vent cap missing.

#### DISHWASHERS

Insufficient loop in drain line to disposal. Elevate line to counter top level. Soap dispenser does not work.

#### FOOD WASTE DISPOSERS

Protective wire clamp missing at electrical connection. Exposed Wiring.

## RANGE HOOD AND EXHAUST SYSTEMS

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## RANGES, COOKTOPS, AND OVENS

Gas shut-off valve not readily accessible. Oven light not functional.

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## DRYER EXHAUST SYSTEMS

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## LANDSCAPE IRRIGATION (SPRINKLER) SYSTEMS

Recommend an automated sprinkler system to maintain a consistent moisture level at foundation.

# What Causes Galvanized Steel Pipe to Leak? (pipe failure)



Brown or discolored water and low water flow in galvanized piping systems is a sign of rust and corrosion buildup within the pipe.

Galvanized pipe is steel pipe covered with a protective coating of zinc which greatly reduces its tendency to corrode and extends its life expectancy.

No longer used in homes, galvanized pipe was used extensively as water supply lines in new construction prior to the 1960's. Today it is most often found in water well applications of all types.

Galvanized pipe has a tendency to react with minerals in water, producing a buildup of calcium deposits (scale) that can lead to lower water pressure.

A moderate level of calcium helps form a protective coating on the pipe, which may slow down corrosive effects. The operative word is moderate. High levels of calcium may build up in the pipe and restrict water flow.

Galvanized steel also corrodes over a period of time. The pipe rusts from the inside out. Over time, the pipes might corrode to the point where the pipes are completely restricted due to rust.

Galvanized steel can last roughly forty years until it needs to be replaced. Hard water in the home generally reduces the life expectancy of galvanized pipe.

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