## The Homebuyers Report (tm)

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# **Report Information**

#### **Client Information**

Client Name Tom Jones

Client Phone 777-777-7777

#### **Property Information**

Approximate Year Built 1986

Approximate Square Footage 2700

Number of Bedrooms 3

Number of Baths 2

**Direction House Faces** South

### **Inspection Information**

Inspection Date 3/28/25

Inspection Time 10 AM

Weather Conditions Recently Rained.

Outside Temperature 51 F

This Homebuyers Report is <u>not</u> a substitute for a Full Home Inspection Report. A Full Home Inspection covers many additional systems and components which are excluded from this report. The Homebuyers Report is intended to provide basic information which may be helpful to prospective buyers.

2024 Pennsylvania Consolidated & Unconsolidated Statutes Title 68 - REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY Chapter 75 - Home Inspection Section 7508 - Home inspection reports

The following statement is required by the above referenced PA statute:

"A home inspection is intended to assist in evaluation of the overall condition of the dwelling. The inspection is based on observation of the visible and apparent condition of the structure and its components on the date of inspection. The results of this home inspection are not intended to make any representation regarding the presence or absence of latent or concealed defects that are not reasonably ascertainable in a competently performed home inspection. No warranty or guaranty is expressed or implied.

If the person conducting your home inspection is not a licensed structural engineer or other professional whose license authorizes the rendering of an opinion as to the structural integrity of a building or its other component parts, you may be advised to seek a professional opinion as to any defects or concerns mentioned in the report.

This home inspection report is not to be construed as an appraisal and may not be used as such for any purpose."

### TO BE INSPECTED AND WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE HOMEBUYERS INSPECTION

The scope of the Homebuyers Inspection and Report is limited to a visual inspection of the systems and components as listed below, in order to identify those, if any, which may need replacement or repair.

- 1) Crawl Space Foundation
- 2) Plumbing System: Water Heater, Water Supply/Drains/Fixtures, and Locating (But Not Testing) Shut Off Valve;
- 3) Electrical System: Service Drop, Main Panel, Ground Wire, and Smoke Detectors;
- 4) Heating/Cooling System: Heating Equipment, Air Conditioning Equipment, Operating Controls;
- 5) Leaks: Roof leaks as observed from the attic and ceilings, readily visible pipes, under sinks, and toilets;
- 6) Appliances: operational status, general condition;

The scope of the Homebuyers Inspection and Report is limited to the description and the general condition of the above systems only. Alternatively, a full home inspection follows a Standard of Practice (SOP) and can be reviewed at the following link:

https://www.nachi.org/documents2012/InterNACHI SOP and COE-Dec-2015.pdf

#### **EXCLUDED AND OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF THE HOMEBUYERS INSPECTION**

Any part of the home, systems, or components not listed in the "TO BE INSPECTED AND WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE HOMEBUYERS INSPECTION:" are excluded from the Homebuyers Inspection and Report.

Any area which is not exposed to view or is inaccessible because of soil, walls, floors, carpets, ceilings, furnishings, lack of access or crawl spaces or any major system (water or electrical systems, heating system, or air conditioner) that is not currently functional is not included in this inspection. The inspection does not include any destructive testing or dismantling. Client agrees to assume all the risk for all conditions which are concealed from view at the time of the inspection. This is not a home warranty, guarantee, insurance policy, substitute for a traditional home inspection, or real estate disclosures, which may be required by law. Whether or not they are concealed, the following are also outside the scope of the inspection:

Building code or zoning ordinance violations - Thermostatic or time clock controls or Low Voltage wiring systems - Geological stability or soils conditions - Water softener or water purifier systems or solar heating systems - Structural stability or engineering analysis - Saunas, steam baths, or fixtures and equipment - Building value appraisal or cost estimates - Pools or spa bodies or sprinkler systems and underground piping - Radio-controlled devices, automatic gates, elevators, lifts, and dumbwaiters - Furnace heat exchanger, security alarms or personal property - Specific components noted as being excluded on the individual system inspection form - Adequacy or efficiency of any system or component - Prediction of life expectancy of any item.

The Inspector is a home inspection generalist and is not acting as an engineer or expert in any craft or trade. If the Inspector recommends consulting other specialized experts, Clients do so at Client's expense.

#### CONFIDENTIAL REPORT

The written report to be prepared by the Inspector shall be considered the final and exclusive findings of the Inspector/Inspection Company regarding the home inspection at the Inspection Address. The inspection report to be prepared for the Client is solely and exclusively for the Client's own information and may not be relied upon by any other person. Client agrees to maintain the confidentiality of the inspection report and agrees not to disclose any part of it to any other person with the exception of the seller and/or the real estate agents directly involved in this transaction. Client(s) or the inspector may distribute copies of the inspection report to the seller and real estate agents directly involved in this transaction, but neither the seller nor the real estate agent are intended beneficiaries of this Agreement or the inspection report. Client agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold the Inspector/inspection Company harmless from any third party claims arising out of the Client's or Inspectors distribution of the inspection report.

#### **Definition of Conditions:**

**AA = Appears Adequate:** The item appeared to be in working or usable condition with no major discrepancies noted.

**MD** = Material Defect: A Material Defect is a specific issue with a system or component of a residential property that may have a significant, adverse impact on the value of the property.

**D** = **Defect**: A condition of a system or component that renders it non-working, non-performing, or non-functioning, or is otherwise deficient, and should be evaluated, monitored, repaired, corrected or replaced by a qualified contractor.

A = Aged: The item was at or near the end of its useful lifespan. Buyer should anticipate the need for repair or replacement.

**S = Safety Issue**: The item is considered a safety hazard and can cause harm to people or property. These items need to be repaired immediately.

NI = Not Inspected: The item was not inspected during the inspection.

# 1 Electrical

### **Incoming Service From Street**

Service Type Underground

Wire Type Copper

1.1) Overhead Service Components

NI

Not Present

1.2) Meter Condition



**Appeared Adequate** 



#### **Main Panel**

Panel Manufacturer Siemens

Panel Location Basement

Main Service Disconnect As Pictured



Main Breaker

Type of Wiring Copper

Amperage 200 AMP Service

**Type of Service Bonding and** Ground Rod on Exterior of Home **Grounding** 

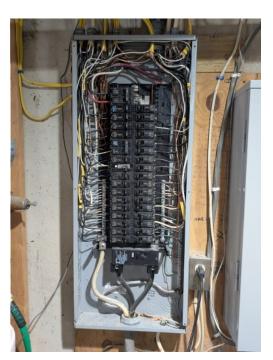
1.3) Main Panel Conditions

AA

Appeared Adequate. Note: Equipment was placed in front of panel. Seller removed but 3 feet of unobstructed space in front of electrical panels is required at all times for safety. As a general statement, Inspectors cannot confirm the accuracy of circuit breaker labeling. Buyer should be aware, for safety reasons, that circuits may not be labeled correctly.



Obstructed



Service Panel Removed

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### 2 Crawl Space-Basement

#### **Foundation**

Foundation Type Walkout Basement

Foundation Material Poured Concrete

2.1) Foundation Condition

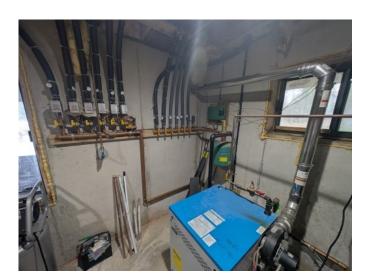
AA

Appears Adequate. The inspection of the foundation was limited. Approximately 90% of the basement was finished and the concrete walls were not visible.

Inspector noticed pot that appeared to previously have water in it. Seller stated that twice in approximately 10 years water entered above where the pot is and was entering through the electric conduit hole that penetrates the foundation. The entry was abandoned and filled with expanding foam sealant. To date, and according to the seller, there has not been water entry at that point. This is not a guarantee and the area should be monitored for water entry. If water entry is observed, inspector recommends hiring a qualified professional to perform a a permanent repair.

In the area directly under the main sewer line exit point, the inspector observed significant staining. Seller indicated that this had been an issue when they purchased the home and had it repaired by Esselman Sewer & Drain (phone: 845-798-5959). Seller stated the pipe was pitched incorrectly and the area was excavated and new sewer line to tank connections were installed. Inspector recommends that the buyer or a buyer's representative contact Esselman to confirm that the septic system is in good working order. Esselman has maintained and pumped the system as well.

Typical hairline cracks most likely caused by initial settlement of the home were observed.



**Exposed Foundation Corner** 



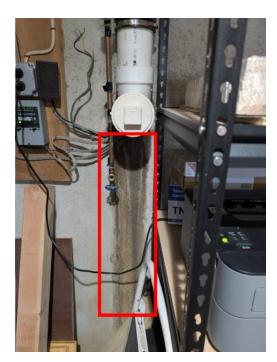
Concrete Patch



Indication of Prior Leak



**Exposed Foundation Wall** 



Foundation Staining

# 3 Leaks

#### Roof

- 3.1) Attic
- 3.2) Ceilings



Note: This is not an indication of a roof leak. Leak was on ceiling of walkout basement bedroom.



Ceiling in Walkout Basement Bedroom

# **Plumbing**

3.3) Visible Pipes



No leaks observed.

3.4) Under Sinks



No leaks observed.

3.5) Toilets



No leaks observed.

# 4 HVAC

### Heating

**Heating System Type** Boiler. Hot water baseboard.



**Energy-Fuel Type** 

Propane. 500 gallon underground tank.



In Ground Propane Tank

### 4.1) Thermostat(s) Location

AA

4 zones on main level. Heating zones are independently controlled. Basement is on one zone/one thermostat.



One of three.

**Number of Zones** 

5 in total.

### 4.2) Heating System Condition



Main floor bathroom heating not functioning. Inspector observed corrosion adjacent to the circulator pump and loose pieces of rust on the floor under the pump. Recommend evaluation by PA licensed HVAC contractor.



Rust staining and loose pieces



Corroded Section of Boiler

### **Equipment Info**

Manufacturer: Slant/Fin Victory

Model #: VSPH-180 Serial #: Not Visible

DOM: 2013 Age: 12 years

### **Air Conditioning**

AC Type Mini Splits

Number of Zones-Units 5 zones. No AC in basement. Seller states it remains a comfortable

temp in summer.









Master Bedroom AC



Loft AC

Thermostat(s) Location Each Room.

### 4.3) AC System Condition

AA

Appeared Adequate.

### **Equipment Info**

Manufacturer: Fujitsu Model: Halcyon

DOM: 2022; In service date 2023

Age: 2 years Other: 230V



Guestroom AC

### **Water Heater**

Water Heater Type Boiler Supplied



**Energy-Fuel Type** Propane

**System Capacity** 35 gallons.

### 4.4) Water Heater Condition

AA

Produced hot water at randomly selected faucet.

#### **Equipment Info**

Manufacturer: Vaughn Model #: S35TPPB Serial #: 111240547

DOM:11/12 Age: 13 years

# **5 Plumbing**

### **Water Main Line**

Private or Public Supply Community Water Supply

Main Shut Off Location Basement



Main Water Shut Off





Appeared Adequate

#### **Fixtures-Faucets-Toilets**

5.2) Toilet(s) Condition



Appeared Adequate.

5.3) Faucets Condition



Appeared Adequate.

5.4) Drainage Condition



All tubs, showers, and sinks drained. Appeared Adequate.

5.5) Functional Water Flow



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Water was turned on at two faucets simultaneously. Appeared Adequate.

### Sewage

**System Type** 

Septic. Inspector recommends inspection by qualified Septic Inspector or Septic Contractor. System is of the mound type.

# **6 Appliances**

### Oven-Range

**Energy-Fuel Type** Propane

6.1) No. of Burners

AA

8 Burners and 2 ovens

6.2) Exhaust



Exhausted to exterior.

Unit Info Manufacturer: JANSKA Sweden Professional Series

Model #: GR-670B (SS)

Serial #: J-GR670BSS-072412

DOM: 07/2024 Age:1 Year

6.3) Condition



Appeared Adequate. All burners functioned.





**Burner Test** 

### Refrigerator

Color Stainless

Style Side by Side

Unit Info Manufacturer: Samsung

AA = Appears Adequate | MD = Material Defect | S = Safety Issue | D = Defect | NI = Not InspectedA = Aged

Model #: RS28CB7600QL Serial #: 0BR54BBX700377X

DOM: 2024 Age: 1 Year

#### 6.4) Condition

Appears Adequate.



#### Dishwasher

**Color** Stainless

**Unit Info** 

Manufacturer: GE

Model #: GDF670SYV1FS

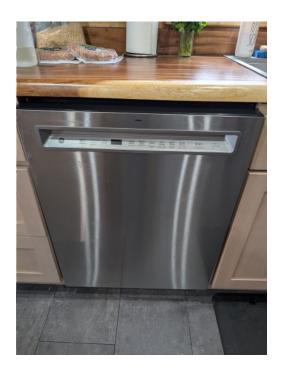
Serial #: RZ848681B

DOM: 2024 Age: 1 Year

6.5) Condition

AA

Appears Adequate. Ran short cycle while inspecting home.



#### **Microwave**

**Color** Stainless

**Unit Info** 

Manufacturer: Panasonic Model #: NN-SD975S Serial #: 6E54080190

DOM: 2024 Age: 1 Year

6.6) Condition

AA

Appears Adequate



### **Washing Machine**

Color White

Unit Info Manufacturer: GE

Model #: GTW325ASW0WW

Serial #: LZ111798G

DOM: 2023 Age: 2 Years

### 6.7) Condition

AA

Appeared Adequate. Tested during inspection.



### **Dryer**

#### **Unit Info**

Manufacturer: Whirlpool Model #: WED4950HW0 Serial #: MD2572018

DOM: 2018; service date; 2023

Age: 2 Years

### 6.8) Condition



Appeared Adequate. Ran short cycle during inspection.

#### 6.9) Vent



Direct vent to through exterior wall. For safety, inspector recommends cleaning of vent prior to use.

#### Color

White



# 7 Additional Inspections-Testing

#### Mold

#### **Assessment**

#### 7.1) Air Results (Mold Spores)

Please see separate mold report for complete detailed results.

#### 7.2) Swab Results (Suspected Mold)

Please see separate mold report for complete detailed results.

#### Radon

- 7.3) Screening Results
- 7.4) Testing Results

### **Wood Destroying Insects (WDI)**

7.5) Inspection Results

### **Air Quality**

#### 7.6) Test Results

Please see separate air quality report for complete detailed results.

#### Water

#### 7.7) Test Results

Please see separate water quality report for complete detailed results.

# **8 Additional Photos**

### **Photos**

**Photos** 

This section contains various property photos. These are provided only as a courtesy. Do NOT consider them as items, systems, or components that were part of the Homebuyers Inspection.











