



# Inspection Report

## Sample Customer 2

**Property Address:**  
New Construction  
Lee's Summit MO 12345



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<b>Property:</b> New Construction Lee's Summit MO 12345	<b>Customer:</b> Sample Customer 2	<b>Real Estate Professional:</b> World's Best Realtor

**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.

**Repair or Replace (RR)** = 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.

**Standards of Practice:**

Kansas Home Inspection Registration Board  
- Standards of Practice

**In Attendance:**

Customer and their agent

**Type of building:**

Single Family (2 story)

**Approximate age of building:**

New Construction

**Home Faces:**

North

**Temperature:**

Over 60

**Weather:**

Cloudy

**Ground/Soil surface condition:**

Damp

**Rain / Snow in last 3 days:**

Yes

**Radon Test:**

Yes

**Water Test:**

No

**Termite Inspection:**

No

**1. Roofing**

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.

**Items**

**1.0 ROOF COVERINGS**

**Comments:** Inspected, Repair or Replace

(1) I did not see any roof damage from recent hail storm. There were a few exposed nails - I would recommend covering with roofing sealant.



1.0 Picture 1



1.0 Picture 2

(2) There is an area at the front of the house that will naturally collect leaves & debris. Recommend cleaning out this area as needed.



1.0 Picture 3

**1.1 FLASHINGS**

**Comments:** Inspected

There is a section of flashing at the front above the garage that is banged up. It is working properly.



1.1 Picture 1

**1.2 SKYLIGHTS, CHIMNEYS AND ROOF PENETRATIONS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**1.3 ROOF DRAINAGE SYSTEMS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**Styles & Materials**

**Roof Covering:**

3-Tab Composite  
Architectural

**Viewed roof covering from:**

Walked roof

**Sky Light(s):**

None

**Chimney (exterior):**

N/A

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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 doors manually 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.

**Items**

**2.0 WALL CLADDING FLASHING AND TRIM**

**Comments:** Inspected, Repair or Replace

(1) There is a small section of siding that needs to be repainted on the east side second floor.



2.0 Picture 1

(2) There is cracking at the stone pillars at both sides of the entry way. Recommend qualified contractor investigate further and repair or replace as needed.



2.0 Picture 2



2.0 Picture 3

(3) Recommend caulking at base of front pillars.



2.0 Picture 4

(4) Small amount of caulking and paint at west side of house.



2.0 Picture 5

(5) There is a section of siding that has been replaced at the front. This will need to be caulked and painted.



2.0 Picture 6

**2.1 DOORS (Exterior)**

**Comments:** Inspected, Repair or Replace

Back door needs touch-up paint.



2.1 Picture 1

**2.2 WINDOWS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**2.3 DECKS, BALCONIES, STOOPS, STEPS, AREAWAYS, PORCHES, PATIO/ COVER AND APPLICABLE RAILINGS**

**Comments:** Inspected

Make sure when the builder grades the yard & adds topsoil & grass that the deck posts are not covered with soil. Soil to wood contact will cause premature deterioration.



2.3 Picture 1

**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, Repair or Replace

To insure proper drainage from house and to protect the foundation, slope from house should be at least 1" per foot for at least 6'. There is negative slope at the north / front side of the house. I would also recommend adding an underground extension to the downspout at this area to properly divert water away from the foundation.



2.4 Picture 1

**2.5 EAVES, SOFFITS AND FASCIAS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**Styles & Materials**

**Siding Style:**

Lap  
Woodsman on three sides

**Siding Material:**

Composite board

**Exterior Entry Doors:**

Wood  
Steel

**Appurtenance:**

Deck with steps

**Driveway:**

Concrete

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**3. Garage**

**Items**

**3.0 GARAGE CEILINGS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**3.1 GARAGE WALLS (INCLUDING FIREWALL SEPARATION)**

**Comments:** Inspected

There is a small ding in the garage that needs to be patched and repainted.



3.1 Picture 1

**3.2 GARAGE FLOOR**

**Comments:** Inspected

**3.3 GARAGE DOOR (S)**

**Comments:** Inspected

**3.4 OCCUPANT DOOR FROM GARAGE TO INSIDE HOME**

**Comments:** Inspected

The door between the living space and the garage failed to close by itself. Modern safety requirements require that the door between the home interior and the garage be self-closing for safety reasons related to fire hazard and toxic fumes. This is easily accomplished by installing a self closing hinge.

**3.5 GARAGE DOOR OPERATORS (Report whether or not doors will reverse when met with resistance)**

**Comments:** Not Present

**Styles & Materials**

**Garage Door Type:**

Two manual

**Garage Door Material:**

Insulated  
Metal

**Auto-opener Manufacturer:**

N/A

**4. Interiors**

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.

**Items**

**4.0 CEILINGS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**4.1 WALLS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**4.2 FLOORS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**4.3 STEPS, STAIRWAYS, BALCONIES AND RAILINGS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**4.4 COUNTERS AND A REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER OF CABINETS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**4.5 DOORS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)**

**Comments:** Inspected

**4.6 WINDOWS (REPRESENTATIVE NUMBER)**

**Comments:** Inspected

**Styles & Materials**

**Ceiling Materials:**

Gypsum Board

**Wall Material:**

Gypsum Board

**Floor Covering(s):**

Carpet  
Hardwood T&G  
Tile

**Interior Doors:**

Raised panel  
Wood

**Window Types:**

Thermal/Insulated  
Single-hung

**Window Manufacturer:**

Jeld-Wen

**Cabinetry:**

Wood

**Countertop:**

Granite

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The interior 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. The inspection did not involve moving furniture and inspecting behind furniture, area rugs or areas obstructed from view. 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. 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.

**Items**

**5.0 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

**5.1 WALLS (Structural)**

**Comments:** Inspected

**5.2 COLUMNS OR PIERS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**5.3 FLOORS (Structural)**

**Comments:** Inspected

**5.4 CEILINGS (structural)**

**Comments:** Inspected

**5.5 ROOF STRUCTURE AND ATTIC**

**Comments:** Inspected

**Styles & Materials**

**Foundation:**

Poured concrete

**Floor Structure:**

2 X 10

**Wall Structure:**

2 X 4 Wood

**Columns or Piers:**

Steel lally columns

**Ceiling Structure:**

2X10

**Roof Structure:**

2 X 6 Rafters

**Roof-Type:**

Hip

**Method used to observe attic:**

Walked

**Attic info:**

Scuttle hole

Extra Info : located in laundry room

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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.

## 6. Plumbing System

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.

### Items

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

**Comments:** Inspected

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

**Comments:** Inspected

#### 6.2 HOT WATER SYSTEMS, CONTROLS, CHIMNEYS, FLUES AND VENTS

**Comments:** Inspected

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

**Comments:** Inspected

Main water is yellow handle valve in basement at north west corner



6.3 Picture 1

#### 6.4 FUEL STORAGE AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS (Interior fuel storage, piping, venting, supports, leaks)

**Comments:** Inspected

All visible natural gas were tested for leaks - none found.

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

**Comments:** Inspected

The main fuel shut off is at gas meter outside

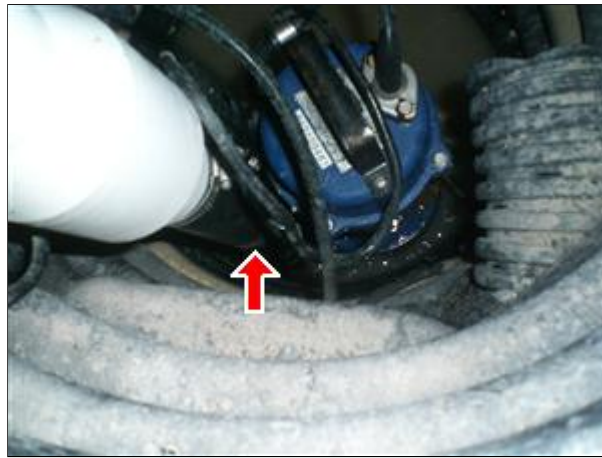


6.5 Picture 1

**6.6 SUMP PUMP**

**Comments:** Inspected, Repair or Replace

Sump pump discharge pipe is broken and needs to be replaced. Recommend qualified plumber service & correct.



6.6 Picture 1

**6.7 Water Conditioning Systems**

**Comments:** Not Present

**6.8 Radon Mitigation System**

**Comments:** Not Present

**Styles & Materials**

**Water Source:**

Public

**Water Filters:**

None

**Plumbing Water Supply (into home):**

Copper

**Plumbing Water Distribution (inside home):**

PEX

**Washer Drain Size:**

2" Diameter

**Plumbing Waste:**

PVC

**Water Heater Power Source:**

Gas (quick recovery)

**Water Heater Capacity:**

50 Gallon (2-3 people)

**Manufacturer:**

STATE

**Water Heater Location:**

Basement

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

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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.

## 7. 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.

### Items

#### 7.0 SERVICE ENTRANCE CONDUCTORS

**Comments:** Inspected

#### 7.1 SERVICE AND GROUNDING EQUIPMENT, MAIN OVERCURRENT DEVICE, MAIN AND DISTRIBUTION PANELS

**Comments:** Inspected

Main panel is located in the basement on the west wall.



7.1 Picture 1

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

**Comments:** Inspected

#### 7.3 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

#### 7.4 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

#### 7.5 OPERATION OF GFCI (GROUND FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTERS)

**Comments:** Inspected

**7.6 SMOKE DETECTORS**

**Comments:** Not Inspected

The smoke detectors should be tested and batteries changed at common hallway and bedrooms upon moving in to home. Make sure there are smoke detectors in all bedrooms.

**Styles & Materials**

**Electrical Service Conductors:**

Below ground

**Panel capacity:**

200 AMP

**Panel Type:**

Circuit breakers

**Electric Panel Manufacturer:**

SQUARE D

**Branch wire 15 and 20 AMP:**

Copper

**Wiring Methods:**

Romex

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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.

## 8. 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.

### Items

#### 8.0 HEATING EQUIPMENT

**Comments:** Inspected

Furnace was operational at the time of the inspection.



8.0 Picture 1

#### 8.1 NORMAL OPERATING CONTROLS

**Comments:** Inspected

#### 8.2 AUTOMATIC SAFETY CONTROLS

**Comments:** Inspected

#### 8.3 DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS (including fans, pumps, ducts and piping, with supports, insulation, air filters, registers, radiators, fan coil units and convectors)

**Comments:** Inspected

#### 8.4 PRESENCE OF INSTALLED HEAT SOURCE IN EACH ROOM

**Comments:** Inspected

#### 8.5 CHIMNEYS, FLUES AND VENTS (for fireplaces, gas water heaters or heat systems)

**Comments:** Not Inspected

#### 8.6 SOLID FUEL HEATING DEVICES (Fireplaces, Woodstove)

**Comments:** Not Present

#### 8.7 GAS/LP FIRELOGS AND FIREPLACES

**Comments:** Inspected

#### 8.8 COOLING AND AIR HANDLER EQUIPMENT

**Comments:** Inspected

The ambient air test was performed by using thermometers on the air handler of Air conditioner to determine if the difference in temperatures of the supply and return air are between 14 degrees and 22 degrees which indicates that the unit is cooling as intended. The supply air temperature on your system read 51 degrees, and the return air temperature was 69 degrees. This indicates the range in temperature drop is normal.



8.8 Picture 1

**8.9 NORMAL OPERATING CONTROLS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**8.10 PRESENCE OF INSTALLED COOLING SOURCE IN EACH ROOM**

**Comments:** Inspected

**8.11 Whole House Humidification System**

**Comments:** Inspected

Make sure to change the filter several times during the winter when in use. Unit should be turned on in the winter and off in the summer.



8.11 Picture 1

**Styles & Materials**

**Heat Type:**

Forced Air

**Energy Source:**

Natural Gas

**Number of Heat Systems (excluding wood):**

One

**Heat System Brand:**

BRYANT

Serial # : 5010A18481

**Ductwork:**

Non-insulated

**Filter Type:**

Disposable

**Filter Size:**

20x25x5

**Types of Fireplaces:**

Vented gas logs

**Operable Fireplaces:**

One

**Number of Woodstoves:**

None

**Cooling Equipment Type:**

Air conditioner unit

**Cooling Equipment Energy Source:**

Electricity

**Central Air Manufacturer:**

BRYANT

**Number of AC Only Units:**

One

**Whole House Exhaust Fan:**

No

Serial # : 1910E25763

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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.

**9. Insulation and Ventilation**

The home inspector shall observe: Insulation and vapor retarders in unfinished spaces; Ventilation of attics and foundation areas; Kitchen, bathroom, and laundry venting systems; and the operation of any readily accessible attic ventilation fan, and, when temperature permits, the operation of any readily accessible thermostatic control. The home inspector shall describe: Insulation in unfinished spaces; and Absence of insulation in unfinished space at conditioned surfaces. The home inspector shall: Move insulation where readily visible evidence indicates the need to do so; and Move insulation where chimneys penetrate roofs, where plumbing drain/waste pipes penetrate floors, adjacent to earth filled stoops or porches, and at exterior doors. The home inspector is not required to report on: Concealed insulation and vapor retarders; or Venting equipment that is integral with household appliances.

**Items**

**9.0 INSULATION IN ATTIC**

**Comments:** Inspected

Insulation in attic ranges from 12-14".



9.0 Picture 1



9.0 Picture 2

**9.1 INSULATION UNDER FLOOR SYSTEM**

**Comments:** Inspected

**9.2 VENTILATION OF ATTIC AND FOUNDATION AREAS**

**Comments:** Inspected

**9.3 VENTING SYSTEMS (Kitchens, baths and laundry)**

**Comments:** Inspected

**9.4 VENTILATION FANS AND THERMOSTATIC CONTROLS (ATTIC)**

**Comments:** Not Present

**Styles & Materials**

**Attic Insulation:**

Blown  
Fiberglass

**Ventilation:**

Ridge vents  
Soffit Vents  
Passive

**Exhaust Fans:**

None

**Dryer Power Source:**

220 Electric

**Dryer Vent:**

Metal

**Floor System Insulation:**

Batts at top of foundation perimeter

The insulation and ventilation 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. Venting of exhaust fans or clothes dryer cannot be fully inspected and bends or obstructions can occur without being accessible or visible (behind wall and ceiling coverings). Only insulation that is visible was inspected. 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. Built-In Kitchen 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.

**Items**

**10.0 DISHWASHER**

**Comments:** Not Inspected

**10.1 RANGES/OVENS/COOKTOPS**

**Comments:** Not Inspected

**10.2 RANGE HOOD**

**Comments:** Not Inspected

**10.3 TRASH COMPACTOR**

**Comments:** Not Present

**10.4 FOOD WASTE DISPOSER**

**Comments:** Inspected

**10.5 MICROWAVE COOKING EQUIPMENT**

**Comments:** Not Inspected

**Styles & Materials**

**Dishwasher Brand:**

FRIGIDAIRE

**Disposer Brand:**

IN SINK ERATOR

**Exhaust/Range hood:**

Built Into Microwave Oven

**Range/Oven:**

FRIGIDAIRE

**Built in Microwave:**

FRIGIDAIRE

**Trash Compactors:**

NONE

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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.

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Lee's Summit MO 12345

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

#### ROOF COVERINGS

##### Inspected, Repair or Replace

1. (1) I did not see any roof damage from recent hail storm. There were a few exposed nails - I would recommend covering with roofing sealant.

### 2. Exterior

#### WALL CLADDING FLASHING AND TRIM

##### Inspected, Repair or Replace

2. (1) There is a small section of siding that needs to be repainted on the east side second floor.
3. (2) There is cracking at the stone pillars at both sides of the entry way. Recommend qualified contractor investigate further and repair or replace as needed.
4. (5) There is a section of siding that has been replaced at the front. This will need to be caulked and painted.

#### DOORS (Exterior)

##### Inspected, Repair or Replace

5. Back door needs touch-up paint.

## 2. Exterior

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

#### Inspected, Repair or Replace

6. To insure proper drainage from house and to protect the foundation, slope from house should be at least 1" per foot for at least 6'. There is negative slope at the north / front side of the house. I would also recommend adding an underground extension to the downspout at this area to properly divert water away from the foundation.

## 6. Plumbing System

### SUMP PUMP

#### Inspected, Repair or Replace

7. Sump pump discharge pipe is broken and needs to be replaced. Recommend qualified plumber service & correct.

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<b>Customer Info:</b>	<b>Inspection Property:</b>
Sample Customer 2	New Construction Lee's Summit MO 12345
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**Inspection Fee:**

Service	Price	Amount	Sub-Total
Heated / Under 3,000sf	275.00	1	275.00
Radon test	99.00	1	99.00
			<b>Tax \$0.00</b>
			<b>Total Price \$374.00</b>

**Payment Method:** Check  
**Payment Status:** Paid At Time Of Inspection  
**Note:**

## Inspection Agreement

This inspection was performed in accordance with and under the terms of a Pre-Inspection Agreement. The agreement was signed and agreed upon before the preparation of this report and a signed copy of the agreement is available upon request. An unsigned copy of the agreement may be attached to this report for your information or it may also be available on the company web site.