Watson Home Inspection Services, LLC. Property Inspection Report



16466 Olalee Rd , Apple Valley Ca., 92307 Inspection prepared for: Jesse Owens & Zona Owens Agent: Ofir Andrews - Hamilton Landon

> Inspection Date: 4/2/2010 Time: 9:30 Age: 18 years Weather: Clear Front of house faces east

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Report Summary

The summary below consists of potentially significant findings. These findings can be a safety hazard, a deficiency requiring a major expenses to correct or items I would like to draw extra attention to. The summary is not a complete listing of all the findings in the report, and reflects the opinion of the inspector. Please review all of the pages of the report as the summary alone does not explain all the issues. All repairs must be done by a licensed &bonded trade or profession. I recommend obtaining a copy of all receipts, warranties and permits for the work done.

Interior Areas		
Page 4 Item: 13	Fireplace	• Damper closes all the way. On gas log fire places a stop is required on the flue. Recommend installing a stop to prevent flu from closing.
Bathroom	1	
Page 8 Item: 13	Showers	 In the inspectors opinion the faucet in the master bath shower is near the end of its useful life and should be replaced by a qualified professional.
Kitchen		
Page 10 Item: 9	Spray Wand	The spray wand did not operate when tested.
Page 11 Item: 17	Electrical	 Outlet damaged/not working on right side of sink.
Laundry		
Page 12 Item: 3	Dryer Vent	 The dryer vent terminates in the garage.
Page 12 Item: 5	GFCI	 No GFCI protection present, suggest installing GFCI protected receptacles for safety.
Water Heater		
Page 15 Item: 10	Strapping	The water heater is not strapped.
Garage		
Page 16 Item: 2	Walls	• Garage drywall ceiling needs to be properly repaired, an access hole has been cut into the garage ceiling to allow access to the attic. This has compromised the firewall. Recommend a qualified professional repair the ceiling.
Page 16 Item: 8	Fire Door	• There is no self-closing device on the door from the house leading to the garage. It is strongly recommended that one be installed in order to protect the residence against garage originated fires.
Electrical		
Page 18 Item: 1	Electrical Panel	 The sub panel is bonded. Have licensed electrician evaluate.
Grounds		
Page 24 Item: 4	Grounds Electrical	• Light above front door did not operate at time of inspection.

Inspection Details

1. Attendance

In Attendance: Client present • Client present • Buyer Agent present • Fully Participated

2. Home Type

Home Type: Single Family Home

3. Occupancy

Occupancy: Occupied • Moderate storage was observed.

Interior Areas

The Interior section covers areas of the house that are not considered part of the Bathrooms, Bedrooms, Kitchen or areas covered elsewhere in the report. Interior areas usually consist of hallways, foyer, and other open areas. Within these areas the inspector is performing a visual inspection and will report visible damage, wear and tear, and moisture problems if seen. Personal items in the structure may prevent the inspector from viewing all areas on the interior.

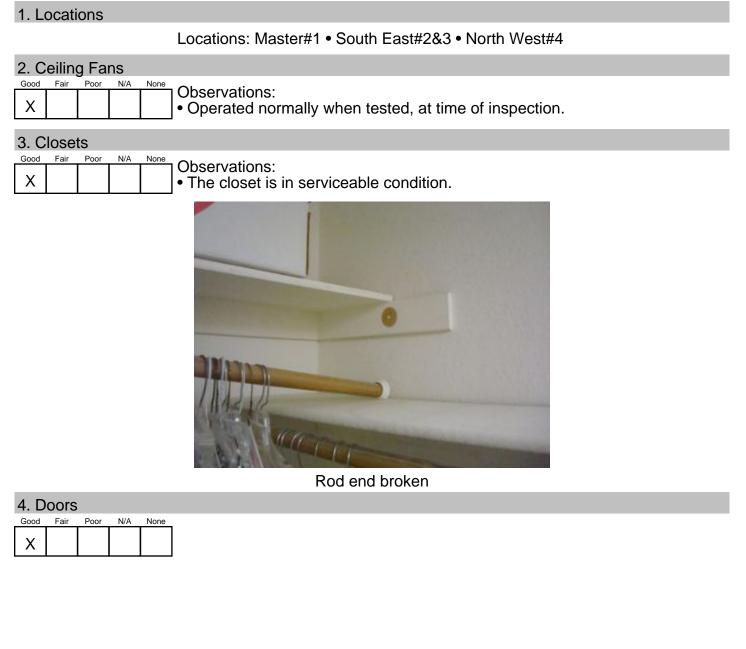
The inspector does not usually test for mold or other hazardous materials. A qualified expert should be consulted if you would like further testing.

1. Cabinets
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Second seco
2. Ceiling Fans
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: X Operated normally when tested, at time of inspection.
3. Closets
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Source and the second sec
4. Door Bell
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Operated normally when tested.
5. Doors
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
6. Electrical
Good Fair Poor N/A None
Missing cover

7. Smoke Detectors
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Operated when tested
8. Window Condition Good Fair Poor N/A None X None Materials: Aluminum framed sliding window noted.
9. Ceiling Condition Good Fair Poor N/A None X Materials: There are drywall ceilings noted.
10. Patio Doors Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • The sliding patio door was functional during the inspection.
11. Screen Doors Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Sliding door screen is functional.
12. Wall Condition Good Fair Poor N/A None X Materials: Drywall walls noted.
13. Fireplace x Fair Poor NA Nome Materials: Prefabricated "zero clearance" fireplace noted. Observations: Deservations: • Damper was opened and closed several times. • Damper closes all the way. On gas log fire places a stop is required on the flue. Recommend installing a stop to prevent flu from closing.

Bedrooms

The main area of inspection in the bedrooms is the structural system. This means that all walls, ceilings and floors will be inspected. Doors and windows will also be investigated for damage and normal operation. Personal items in the bedroom may prevent all areas to be inspected as the inspector will not move personal items.



5. Electrical	
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations:	
X • No Arc-Fault	Circuit Interrupter (AFCI) protection was installed to protect
Building codes AFCI protection detect electrica Although AFCI originally const improved with reflect current provide AFCI p Arc-fault protec 1. Arc Fault Cin capability built 2. AFCI circuit	ction can be provided using either of two methods: cuit Interrupters (AFCI's) electrical outlets which have this
6. Floor Condition	
Good Fair Poor N/A None	· Carpatia pated
X Fiboring Types	: Carpet is noted.
7. Smoke Detectors	
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations:	
	etectors operated during the inspection.
8. Wall Condition	
X None Materials: Dryv	vall walls noted.
9. Window Condition	
X None Materials: Alun	ninum framed sliding window noted.
10. Ceiling Condition	
Good Eair Poor N/A None	e are drywall ceilings noted.
X Materials. The	
11. Patio Doors	
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations:	
	atio door was functional during the inspection. The seal at the ing on the carpet and has pulled away, this should be
12. Screen Doors	
Good Fair Poor N/A None	

Bathroom

Bathrooms can consist of many features from jacuzzi tubs and showers to toilets and bidets. Because of all the plumbing involved it is an important area of the house to look over. Moisture in the air and leaks can cause mildew, wallpaper and paint to peel, and other problems. The home inspector will identify as many issues as possible but some problems may be undetectable due to problems within the walls or under the flooring..

1. Locations

Locations: Master Bathroom • Guest bathroom • Full bath

2. Cabinets
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Solution of the second se
3. Ceiling Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: N/A None Materials: There are drywall ceilings noted.
4. Counters
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Solid Surface tops noted.
5. Doors
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Source of the second seco
6. Electrical
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7. GFCI
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Solution of the second se
8. Exhaust Fan
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Second seco
9. Floor Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: N/A Materials: Carpet is noted. Ceramic tile is noted.
10. Heating
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Central heating and cooling noted in this room. At the time of the inspection, all appeared to be functioning and in serviceable condition.
11. Mirrors
Good Fair Poor N/A None
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12. Plumbing Good Fair Poor N/A None X X X X X
Faucet needs to be replaced
13. Showers
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • In the inspectors opinion the faucet in the master bath shower is near the end of its useful life and should be replaced by a qualified professional .
14. Shower Walls
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Solution of the second se

Caulking needed around perimeter.

Water damage

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Caulking needed around perimeter.

15.	Bath 7	Гubs
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16. Enclosure

Good	Fair	Poor	N/A	None
x				

Observations: • The shower enclosure was functional at the time of the inspection.

17. Sinks



18. Toilets

Good	Fair	Poor	N/A	None
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19. Window Condition

Good	Fair	Poor	N/A	None
Х				

Materials: Aluminum framed sliding window noted.

Kitchen

The kitchen is used for food preparation and often for entertainment. Kitchens typically include a stove, dishwasher, sink and other appliances.

1. Cabinets	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • No deficiencies observed.	
2. Counters	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • • No discrepancies noted. • • No discrepancies noted.	
3. Dishwasher	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • operated	
4. Garbage Disposal	
X Poor N/A None Observations: • Operated - appeared functional at time of inspection.	
5. Cook top condition	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Second Hard Stress • Electric cook top noted. • All heating elements operated when tested.	
6. Oven & Range	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Oven(s) operated when tested.	
7. Sinks	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X	
8. Drinking Fountain	
Good Fair Poor N/A None	
9. Spray Wand	
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: X • The spray wand did not operate when tested.	
10. Hot Water Dispenser	
Good Fair Poor N/A None	
11. Soap Dispenser	
Good Fair Poor N/A None	
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12. Vent Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None Materials: Recirculating
X Observations:
Recommend cleaning filter regularly for fire safety.
13. Window Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None Materials: Garden style window noted.
14. Floor Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None Materials: Vinyl squares (tiles) are noted
X Observations:
In the inspectors opinion the floor is near the end of its useful life due to .
15. Plumbing
Good Fair Poor N/A None
16. Ceiling Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None Materials: There are drywall ceilings noted.
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17. Electrical
X Observations: • Outlet damaged/not working on right side of sink.
18. GFCI
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations:
X • GFCI in place and operational
Outlet is broken needs to be replaced
19. Wall Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None Materials: Drywall walls noted.
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Laundry
1. Locations
Locations: In the garage area
2. Cabinets
X Poor N/A None Observations: • No deficiencies observed.
3. Dryer Vent
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: X • The dryer vent terminates in the garage.
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4. Electrical Good Fair Poor N/A None
5. GFCI
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: • No GFCI protection present, suggest installing GFCI protected receptacles for safety.
6. Gas Valves
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • functional
7. Floor Condition
X None Materials: Bare concrete floors noted.
8. Plumbing
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
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Heat/AC

The heating, ventilation, and air conditioning and cooling system (often referred to as HVAC) is the climate control system for the structure. The goal of these systems is to keep the occupants at a comfortable level while maintaining indoor air quality, ventilation while keeping maintenance costs at a minimum. The HVAC system is usually powered by electricity and natural gas, but can also be powered by other sources such as butane, oil, propane, solar panels, or wood.

The inspector will usually test the heating and air conditioner using the thermostat or other controls. For a more thorough investigation of the system please contact a licensed HVAC service person.

1. Heater Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Materials: Location: • The furnace is located in the garage Materials: Gas fired forced hot air
2. Heater Base
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: X Description Observations: • The heater base appears to be functional.
3. Venting
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Source of the state of the
4. Gas Valves
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Source of the second seco
5. Refrigerant Lines
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Source of the second seco
6. AC Compress Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: A structure Compressor Type: electric Location: The compressor is located on the exterior grounds. Observations: Observations: • Appeared functional at the time of inspection, however it was not tested due to temp.
7. Air Supply
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Second seco
8. Registers
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
9. Filters
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Deservations: • Poor type of filter installed

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10. Thermostats						
Good	Fair	Poor	N/A	None		
Х					Observations: • Digital - programmable type.	

Water Heater
1. Base
X Poor N/A None Observations: • The water heater base is functional.
2. Heater Enclosure
X Poor N/A None Observations: • The water heater enclosure is functional.
3. Combusion
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Second Hamber Observations: Image: Second Hamber • The combustion chamber appears to in functional condition.
4. Venting
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
5. Water Heater Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: N/A None Heater Type: gas Location: The heater is located in the exterior closet. Observations: Observations: • Tank appears to be in satisfactory condition no concerns.
6. TPRV
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Appears to be in satisfactory condition no concerns.
7. Gas Valve
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • functional
8. Plumbing
Good Fair Poor N/A None X A Materials: copper Observations: • No deficiencies observed at the visible portions of the supply piping.
9. Overflow Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Appears to be in satisfactory condition no concerns.
10. Strapping
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: X • The water heater is not strapped.

Garage
1. Roof Condition
Materials: Roofing is the same as main structure. Materials: Concrete tiles noted. Observations:
 No major system safety or function concerns noted at time of inspection.
2. Walls Good Fair Poor N/A None
 Constructions: Observations: Garage drywall ceiling needs to be properly repaired, an access hole has been cut into the garage ceiling to allow access to the attic. This has compromised the firewall. Recommend a qualified professional repair the ceiling.
3. Anchor Bolts
Good Fair Poor N/A None
4. Floor Condition
X None Materials: Bare concrete floors noted.
5. Rafters & Ceiling
X Poor N/A None Observations: • Same as the main house.
6. Electrical
7. Exterior Door
7. Exterior Door Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Appeared functional, at time of inspection.
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Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: • Appeared functional, at time of inspection. 8. Fire Door • Observations: • There is no self-closing device on the door from the house leading to the garage. It is strongly recommended that one be installed in order to protect the residence against garage originated fires. 9. Garage Door Condition Good Fair Poor Materials: Roll-up door noted. Observations: • Maintenance repairs needed
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: • Appeared functional, at time of inspection. 8. Fire Door • Observations: • There is no self-closing device on the door from the house leading to the garage. It is strongly recommended that one be installed in order to protect the residence against garage originated fires. 9. Garage Door Condition Good Fair Poor Materials: Roll-up door noted. Observations: • Maintenance repairs needed

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10. Garage Door Parts	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • The garage door is missing some contacting a qualified contractor to	of its hardware. We recommend repair the door.
11. Garage Opener Status	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Screw drive opener noted.	
12. Garage Door's Reverse Status	
Good Fair Poor N/A None	
13. Ventilation	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Gable louver vents noted. • Attic fan appears to be controlled performed. Suggest verification of performed.	by a thermostat; no operational test was performance prior to closing.
14. Vent Screens	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Value Observations: • Vent screens noted as functional.	
15. Cabinets	
X None Observations: • No deficiencies observed.	
16. Counters	
Good Fair Poor N/A None	
17. Wash Basin	
Good Fair Poor N/A None X I I I	
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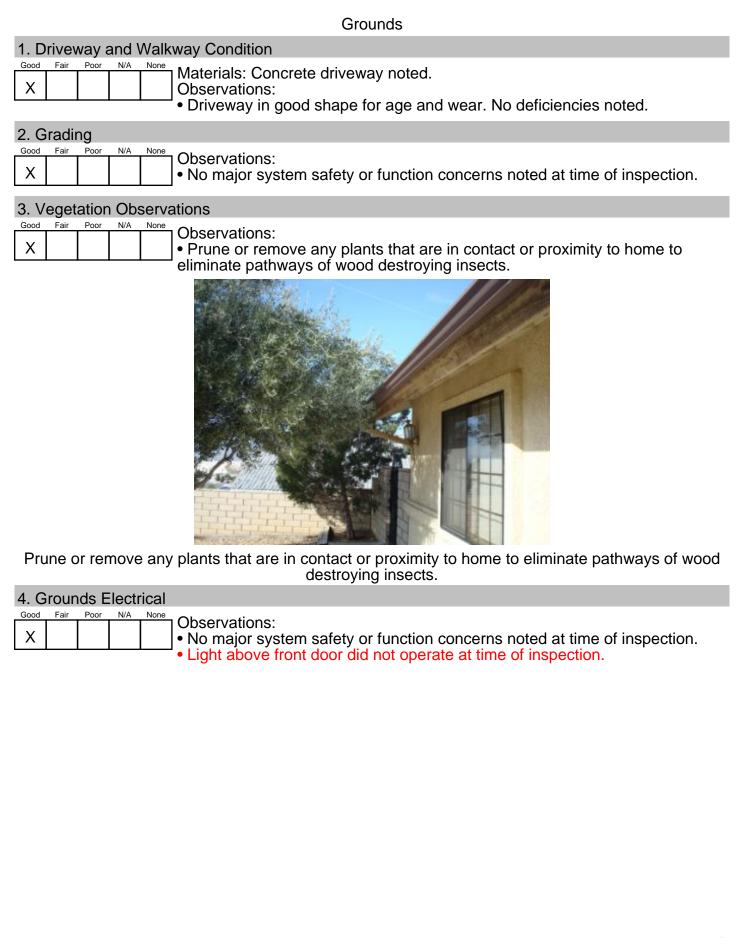
Electrical
1. Electrical Panel
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Location: Main Location: • South side of the house. Location: Sub Panel Location: • Located in the garage. Observations: • Located in the garage.
 No major system safety or function concerns noted at time of inspection at main panel box. The sub panel is bonded. Have licensed electrician evaluate.
2. Main Amp Breaker
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • 200 amp
3. Breakers in off position
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • 0
4. Cable Feeds
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Second seco
5. Breakers
Good Fair Poor N/A None X All of the circuit breakers appeared serviceable. Materials: Copper non-metallic sheathed cable noted.

Roof
1. Roof Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None X A Materials: Inspected from ladder. Materials: Concrete tiles noted. Observations: • No major system safety or function concerns noted at time of inspection.
2. Flashing
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
3. Chimney
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Second stress of the seco
4. Spark Arrestor
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
5. Vent Caps
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
6. Gutter
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: Second state Image: Second state Image: Second state Image: Second state Image: No major system safety or function concerns noted at time of inspection. Image: Second state Image: Second state Image: Second state

Attic
1. Access
X Poor N/A None Observations: • Access at hallway ceiling
2. Structure
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
3. Ventilation
X Fair Poor N/A None Observations: • Gable louver vents noted along with dormer vents.
4. Vent Screens
X Poor N/A None Observations: • Vent screens noted as functional.
5. Duct Work
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • functional
6. Electrical
X Poor N/A None Observations: • most not accessible due to insullation
7. Attic Plumbing
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
8. Insulation Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None X A A A A A A B B B B B B B
9. Chimney
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
10. Exhaust Vent
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • functional

Exterior Areas
1. Doors
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Image: N/A Observations: Image: N/A Image
2. Window Condition
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Components appeared in satisfactory condition at time of inspection. • No major system safety or function concerns noted at time of inspection.
3. Eaves & Facia
Good Fair Poor N/A None X
4. Exterior Paint
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5. Stucco
Good Fair Poor N/A None X

Foundation						
1. Slab Foundation						
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • Concrete slab not visible due to floor coverings.						
2. Foundation Perimeter						
Good Fair Poor N/A None X Observations: • No deficiencies were observed at the visible portions of the structural components of the home.						
3. Anchor Bolts						
Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: X • The anchor bolts were not visible.						



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Missing cover

5. GFCI

Good	Fair	Poor	N/A	None	
Х					• GFCI receptacles are in good condition.

6. Main Gas Valve Condition



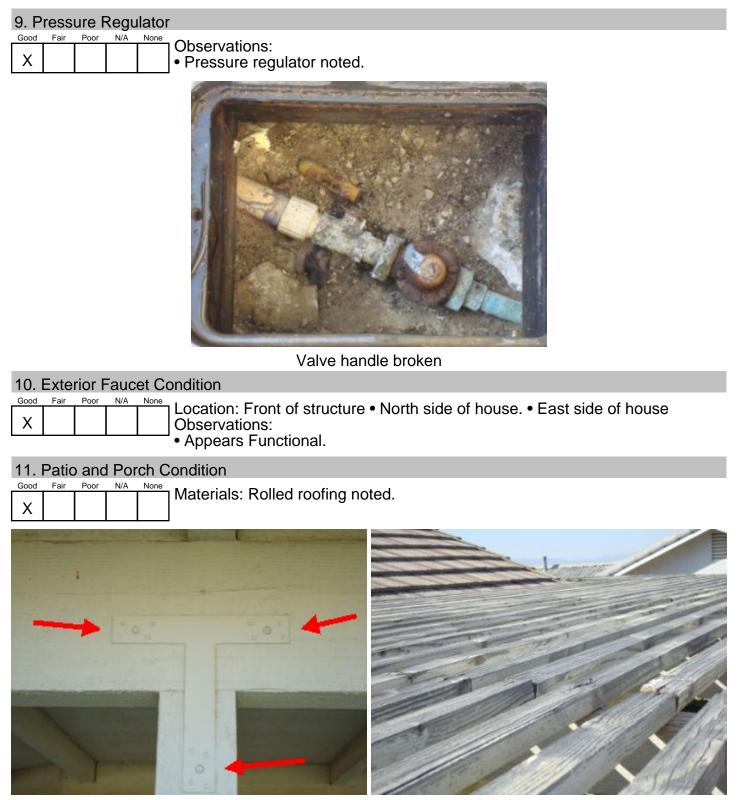
Observations: • Meter located at exterior. All gas appliances have cut-off valves in line at each unit. No gas odors detected.



North side of house

7. Plumbing Poor Good Fair N/A None Materials: Copper piping noted. Х 8. Water Pressure Good Fair Poor N/A None Observations: Х • 50

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Each hole should have a lag bolt

Needs paint

Residential Earthquake Hazards Report				
Yes	No	N/A	Don't Know	
	Х			1. Is the water heater braced, strapped, or anchored to resist falling during an earthquake?
Yes	No	N/A	Don't Know	
			X	2. Is the house anchored or bolted to the foundation?
Yes	No	N/A	Don't Know	3. If the house has cripple walls: a. Are the exterior cripple walls braced?
		X		
Yes	No	N/A	Don't Know	b. If the exterior foundation consists of unconnected concrete piers and
		X		posts, have they been strengthened?
Yes	No	N/A X	Don't Know	4. If the exterior foundation, or part of it, is made of unreinforced masonry, has
				it been strengthened?
Yes	No	N/A X	Don't Know	5. If the house is built on a hillside: a. Are the exterior tall foundation walls braced?
Yes	No	N/A	Don't	-
		X	Know	b. Were the tall posts or columns either built to resist earthquakes or have they been strengthened?
Yes	No	N/A	Don't Know	
		X		6. If the exterior walls of the house, or part of them, are made of unreinforced masonry, have they been strengthened?
Yes	No	N/A	Don't Know	
		X		7. If the house has a living area over the garage, was the wall around the garage door opening either built to resist earthquakes or has it been strengthened?
Yes	No		Don't Know	
]	X	8. Is the house outside an Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zone (zones immediately surrounding known earthquake faults)?
Yes	No]	Don't Know	9. Is the house outside a Seismic Hazard Zone (zone identified as susceptible to liquefication or landsliding)?
EXECUTED BY:				
(Selle	er)			(Seller) Date
I acknowledge receipt of this form, completed and signed by the seller. I understand that if the seller has answered iNoî to one or more questions, or if seller has indicated a lack of knowledge, there may be one or more earthquake weaknesses in this house.				
(Buye	er)			(Buyer) Date

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