

101 Fake road Elmira, Ny 14901

Prepared for: Home owner Prepared by: Aber Inspection Services

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### Definitions

NOTE: All definitions listed below refer to the property or item listed as inspected on this report at the time of inspection

- A Acceptable Functional with no obvious signs of defect.
- NP Not Present Item not present or not found.
- NI Not Inspected Item was unable to be inspected for safety reasons or due to lack of power, inaccessible, or disconnected at time of inspection.
- M Marginal Item is not fully functional and requires repair or servicing.
- D Defective Item needs immediate repair or replacement. It is unable to perform its intended function.

## **General Information**

**Property Information** 

Property Address: 101 Fake road City: Elmira State: Ny Zip: 14901

**Client Information** 

Client Name: Home owner Client Address: City: State: Zip:

Referrer Name: no referrer

**Inspection Company** 

Inspector Name John Aber Company Name Aber Inspection Services City: Pine City State: NY Zip: 14871 Email: aberinspectionservices@gmail.com

Conditions

Others Present: Home Owner (Family member) Property Occupied: Occupied Estimated Age: 80 years Entrance Faces: West Inspection Date: 05-26-22 Start Time: 1:30 PM End Time: 4:30 PM Utilities On: • Yes O No O Not Applicable Temperature: 80 Weather: Partly cloudy Soil Conditions: Dry Space Below Grade: Basement Building Type: Single family Garage: Detached Water Source: City How Verified: Visual Inspection Sewage Disposal: City How Verified: Visual Inspection

# Lots and Grounds

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- 1. Driveway: asphalt at alleyway
  - Walks: Concrete

Steps/Stoops: Concrete, Stone - small trip hazard at garage (steps not uniform)



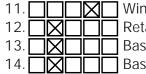


5. Patio: 6. Deck: 7. Balcony: 8. Grading: 9. Swale:

10.

Vegetation: Shrubs, Trees - Tree limbs over hang the roof and should be cut back.





Window Wells: Covered - not completely covers window well

Retaining Walls:

Basement Stairwell:

Basement Stairwell Drain:

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# Lots and Grounds (Continued)



## Exterior

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Facing West Exterior Surface -

1. Type: Wood - minor paint peeling in a few spots and at window sills, siding contacting roof surface, recommend about one inch gap between to eliminate any future moisture damage.





Fascia: Aluminum

Soffits: Wood - Damaged, Wood rot



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Door Bell: Hard wired Entry Doors: Wood, Metal - front storm door catches on door frame, cracked glass



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## Exterior (Continued)

- 7. Patio Door: French door
  - Windows: Vinyl double hung
    - Storm Windows: None
    - Window Screens: Metal
      - Basement Windows: Wood casement
      - Exterior Lighting: Surface mounted lamps front and rear
      - Exterior Electric Outlets:
        - Hose Bibs: Rotary Rear hose bib leak at knob, hose bib at south side of house inoperable



15. Gas Meter: Basement 16. Main Gas Valve: Located at gas meter

### Roof

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Main Roof Surface —

1. Method of Inspection: On roof

2. Unable to Inspect: 10%

3. A Material: Asphalt shingle

4. Type: Gable

5. Approximate Age: 10-15 years

Garage Roof Surface -

6. Method of Inspection: Ground level

- 7. Unable to Inspect: 10%
- 8. Material: Asphalt shingle
- 9. Type: Gable

10. Approximate Age: 10-15 years

- 11. Flashing: Aluminum
- 12. Valleys:
- 13. Skylights:
- 14. Plumbing Vents: Cast Iron
- 15. Electrical Mast: Surface mount
- 16. Gutters: Aluminum
- 17. Downspouts: Aluminum
- 18. X Leader/Extension: Aluminum

# Roof (Continued)

North Chimney -	
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19.	Chimney: Block

20. Flue/Flue Cap: Metal

21. Chimney Flashing: Galvanized

# Garage/Carport

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Rear Garage -

1. Type of Structure: Detached Car Spaces: 1

- 2. Garage Doors: Metal
- 3. Door Operation: Mechanized
  - Door Opener: Craftsman
- 4.

Exterior Surface: Wood - Gaps not properly sealed at rear addition, Rot noted at bottom,

recommend clearing vegetation away from siding



6. 🛛			Roof: Asphalt shingle
7. 🛛			Roof Structure: 2x6 Rafter
8. 🛛			Service Doors: Metal
9. 🛛			Ceiling: Exposed framing
10.			Walls: Exposed framing
11.			Floor/Foundation: asphalt
12.	X		Hose Bibs:
13.			Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits
14.	X	$\Box$	Smoke Detector:
15.	X	$\Box$	Heating:
16.		$\Box$	Windows: wood fixed
17.		$\Box$	Gutters: Aluminum
18.			Downspouts: Aluminum
19. 🛛			Leader/Extensions: Aluminum

### Electrical

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1. Service Size Amps: 200 Volts: 110-240 VAC

- 2. Service: Copper and aluminum
- 3. 20 VAC Branch Circuits: Copper and aluminum
- 4. 240 VAC Branch Circuits: Copper and aluminum
- 5. Aluminum Wiring: Old wiring not presently in use
- 6. Conductor Type: Romex and aluminum cloth wrapped, BX
- 7. Ground: Plumbing ground only
- 8. Smoke Detectors: Battery operated
- 9. Carbon Monoxide Detectors:

Basement Electric Panel -

10. Manufacturer: General Electric



11. Maximum Capacity: 200 Amps

- 12. Main Breaker Size: 200 Amps
- 13. Breakers: Copper and Aluminum
- 14. Fuses:
- 15. AFCI:
- 16. GFCI: At GFCI receptacles only
- 17. Is the panel bonded?  $\odot$  Yes  $\bigcirc$  No

# Structure

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### Attic

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Main Attic -

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- 1. Method of Inspection: In the attic
- Unable to Inspect: 30% 2.
- Roof Framing: 2x8 Rafter 3. 🕅



- Sheathing: Dimensional wood 4. X 5. 🕅
  - Ventilation: Ridge and soffit vents
  - Insulation: Blown in, Fiberglass, Batts missing insulation in spots, recommend putting insulation in missing spots to maximize efficiency



Insulation Depth: 6", 12" 7. 🗙

Vapor Barrier:

Attic Fan:

House Fan:

Wiring/Lighting: 110 VAC - recommend putting wire ends in junction box or remove





Moisture Penetration: Bathroom Fan Venting: None

## Basement

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#### Basement -

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			Unable to Inspect: 10%
			Ceiling: Exposed framing
			Walls: Concrete, Exposed framing
			Floor: Poured
	īTī		Floor Drain: capped off
	iTi		Doors: wood
	iTi	٦F	Windows: Wood casement
			Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits - missing covers at junction boxes, exposed wires,
			Open ground at 3 prong outlets
			Smoke Detector:
			HVAC Source: recommend to add register to provide heat to basement if desired
			Vapor Barrier: None
			Insulation: Fiberglass, at foundation
			Ventilation: Windows
. 🗌 🗌		X	Sump Pump: Pedestal - Sump was completely dry/empty-unable to test pump operation/piping for

leaks. space under block wall should be reinforced to prevent any settling or erosion



15. Moisture Location: on wood paneling - past water stains present



16. Basement Stairs/Railings: Wood stairs with wood handrails

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# **Basement** (Continued)

Basement Stairs/Railings: (continued)



# Air Conditioning

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#### outside AC System -

- 1. A/C System Operation: Functional
- 2. Condensate Removal: PVC
- 3. Exterior Unit: Pad mounted
- 4. Manufacturer: Crysler-Airtemp
- 5. Model Number: VS4BD-024KB Serial Number: VSG170530714
- 6. Area Served: Whole building Approximate Age: 5 years
- 7. Fuel Type: 220 VAC Temperature Differential:
- 8. Type: Central A/C Capacity: 2 Ton
- 9. Visible Coil: Copper core with aluminum fins
- 10. Refrigerant Lines: High pressure
- 11. Electrical Disconnect: Breaker disconnect
- 12. Exposed Ductwork: Metal
- 13. Blower Fan/Filters: Direct drive with disposable filter
- 14. Thermostats: Individual

# Fireplace/Wood Stove

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Living Room Fireplace -

- 1. Freestanding Stove: Wood burning
- 2. Fireplace Construction: Brick
- 3. Type: Free standing, Electric
- 4. Fireplace Insert: With blower fan
- 5. Smoke Chamber: Brick
- 6. Flue: Metal
- 7. Damper: Metal
- 8. Hearth: Flush mounted

# Heating System

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Basement Heating System -

- 1. Heating System Operation: Adequate
- 2. Manufacturer: Crysler-Airtemp



- 3. Model Number: 072d-35c1 Serial Number: VGG170652777
- 4. Type: Forced air Capacity: 72k btu
- 5. Area Served: Whole building Approximate Age: 5 years
- 6. Fuel Type: Natural gas
- 7. Heat Exchanger: 4 Burner



- 8. Unable to Inspect: 15%
- 9. Blower Fan/Filter: Direct drive with disposable filter
- 10. Distribution: Metal duct
- 11. Circulator: Pump
- 12. Draft Control: Automatic
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- 14. Controls: Limit switch

# Heating System (Continued)



- 16. Humidifier: Thermostats: Individual
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- 19. Suspected Asbestos: No

# Plumbing

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- Service Line: Copper 1. X
  - Main Water Shutoff: Basement



- Water Lines: PVC and copper 3. **X** 
  - Drain Pipes: Copper, Cast iron, PVC
  - Service Caps: Not visible
  - Vent Pipes: Cast iron, PVC



7. Gas Service Lines: Cast iron

Basement Water Heater -

8. Water Heater Operation: Functional at time of inspection

9. Manufacturer: whirlpool



# Plumbing (Continued)

10. Model Number: 40T6-34NG 400 Serial Number: 1610102705581

- 11. Type: Natural gas Capacity: 40 Gal.
- 12. Approximate Age: 6 years Area Served: Whole building
- 13. Flue Pipe: Double wall
- 14. TPRV and Drain Tube: Copper

### Bathroom

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1st floor main Bathroom -

- 1. Closet: None
- 2. Ceiling: plaster/sheetrock
- 3. Walls: plaster/sheetrock
- 4. Floor: Hardwood
- 5. Doors: Solid wood
  - Windows: Vinyl slider
    - Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits



8. Counter/Cabinet: Laminate and wood - Peeling laminate



9. Sink/Basin: Molded single bowl

# Bathroom (Continued)

10. Faucets/Traps: metal and pvc - limited access to shut off, missing shut off knob



11.	Tub/Surround: Fiberglass tub and ceramic tile surround
12.	Shower/Surround:
13.	Spa Tub/Surround:
14.	Toilets: Eljer
15.	HVAC Source: Heating system register
16.	Ventilation: Electric ventilation fan and window

## Kitchen

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1st Floor Kitchen -

#### 1. Cooking Appliances: Whirlpool

- 2. Ventilator: Broan
- 3. Disposal:
- 4. Dishwasher: Kenmore
- 5. Air Gap Present? Yes O No
- 6. Trash Compactor:
- 7. Refrigerator: Frigidaire
  - Microwave:
    - Sink: Stainless Steel
      - Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets, Non-GFCI circuit -recommend GFCI circuit be installed, Missing outlet/switch cover plates



Plumbing/Fixtures: Chrome, Stainless Steel 11. 12. Counter Tops: Laminate and composite materials

# Kitchen (Continued)

13.		Cabinets: wood and composite materials
14. 🛛 🗌		Pantry: at entry door way
15. 🛛 🗌		Ceiling: plaster/sheetrock
16. 🛛 🗌		Walls: plaster/sheetrock
17. 🛛 🗌		Floor: Vinyl floor covering
18. 🛛 🗌		Doors: Solid wood, swing door
19. 🛛 🗌		Windows: Vinyl double hung

20. HVAC Source: Heating system register

# Bedroom

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Front Bedroom -

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1. 🛛 🗌		Closet: Single
2. 🛛		Ceiling: plaster/sheetrock
3. 🛛		Walls: plaster/sheetrock
4. 🛛		Floor: Carpet
5. 🛛		Doors: Solid wood
6. 🛛		Windows: Vinyl double hung
7.		Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits - Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets
8. 🛛		HVAC Source: Heating system register
9. 🛛		Smoke Detector: at hallway
10.		Carbon Monoxide Detector:
Rear Beo	droom	 ]
11.		Closet: Single
12.	iFiF	Ceiling: plaster/sheetrock

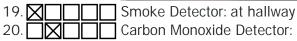
		Closet: Single
12.	$\Box\Box$	Ceiling: plaster/sheetrock
13. 🛛 🗌	$\Box\Box$	Walls: plaster/sheetrock
14.	$\Box \boxtimes$	Floor: Carpet - Carpet Stained/soiled



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Doors: Solid wood Windows: Vinyl double hung Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits - Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets HVAC Source: Heating system register - wall register cover loose





## Living Space

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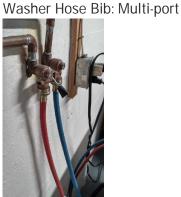
Living Room Living Space -Closet: Single, at entry door way 1. 🛛 2. Ceiling: plaster/sheetrock 3. Walls: plaster/sheetrock Floor: Carpet 4. 🕅 5. 🕅 Doors: None 6. 🕅 Windows: Vinyl double hung Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits - Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets 7. HVAC Source: Heating system register, electric heater in fireplace 8. 🕅 Smoke Detector: 9. Carbon Monoxide Detector: 10. . . Dining Room Living Space -Closet: None 11. 🗙 12. 🗙 Ceiling: plaster/sheetrock Walls: plaster/sheetrock 13. 🛛 Floor: Carpet 14. 🛛 Doors: French door to exterior, swing door 15. 🗙 Windows: Vinyl double hung 16. 🗙 Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits - Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets 17. 18. 🛛 HVAC Source: Heating system register 19.<sup>[</sup> Smoke Detector: 20. Carbon Monoxide Detector: Sun Room Living Space -Closet: 21. Ceiling: vinyl 22. 🛛 23. 🛛 Walls: wood 24. 🛛 Floor: outdoor carpet 25. 🛛 Doors: French Windows: removable screen panels 26. 27. Electrical: 110 VAC - Non-GFCI circuit -recommend GFCI circuit be installed 28. 🛛 🗙 HVAC Source: 29. Smoke Detector: Carbon Monoxide Detector: 30.

# Laundry Room/Area

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Basement Laundry Room/Area -

- 1. Closet: 2. Ceiling: Exposed framing 3. Walls: Concrete Floor: Poured 4. 🛛 Doors: 5.
- 6. X 7.
  - Windows: Wood casement Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits, 220 VAC - Non-GFCI circuit -recommend GFCI circuit be installed
  - Smoke Detector:
- 8. HVAC Source: No heat duct 9. Laundry Tub: PVC 10. 🕅 Laundry Tub Drain: PVC 11. 🕅 12. 🕅



- 13. 🗙 Washer and Dryer Electrical: 220 VAC
- 14. Dryer Vent: Metal flex
- 15. 🔀 Dryer Gas Line: Cast iron
  - Washer Drain: Drains to laundry tub
- Floor Drain: capped off 17. 🛛

# **Final Comments**

overall very well maintained home.

areas of concern:

16. **X** 

-electrical grounding. older home has been undated with three prong outlets on the first floor. all of these have open grounds which defeats the purpose of the three prong grounded outlet. Outlet near kitchen sink is recommended to have a GFCI outlet in today's standards, at the very least I recommend fixing the open ground situation. because of the age of the home these are not a requirement but well worth having an electrician evaluate.

-smoke detectors. only one smoke detector in the house, recommend adding a few more through out the house.

other areas of improvement or recommendations are noted in the marginal summary

## Marginal Summary

This summary is not the entire report. The complete report may include additional information of concern to the client. It is recommended that the client read the complete report.

#### Lots and Grounds

1. Steps/Stoops: Concrete, Stone - small trip hazard at garage (steps not uniform)



2. Vegetation: Shrubs, Trees - Tree limbs over hang the roof and should be cut back.



3. Window Wells: Covered - not completely covers window well

Exterior

4. Facing West Exterior Surface Type: Wood - minor paint peeling in a few spots and at window sills, siding contacting roof surface, recommend about one inch gap between to eliminate any future moisture damage.



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5. Soffits: Wood - Damaged, Wood rot



6. Entry Doors: Wood, Metal - front storm door catches on door frame, cracked glass



7. Hose Bibs: Rotary - Rear hose bib leak at knob, hose bib at south side of house inoperable



### Garage/Carport

8. Rear Garage Exterior Surface: Wood - Gaps not properly sealed at rear addition, Rot noted at bottom, recommend clearing vegetation away from siding



#### Attic

9. Main Attic Wiring/Lighting: 110 VAC - recommend putting wire ends in junction box or remove



#### Basement

10. Basement Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits - missing covers at junction boxes, exposed wires, Open ground at 3 prong outlets



11. Basement Sump Pump: Pedestal - Sump was completely dry/empty-unable to test pump operation/piping for leaks. space under block wall should be reinforced to prevent any settling or erosion



#### Bathroom

12. 1st floor main Bathroom Counter/Cabinet: Laminate and wood - Peeling laminate



13. 1st floor main Bathroom Faucets/Traps: metal and pvc - limited access to shut off, missing shut off knob



### Kitchen

14. 1st Floor Kitchen Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits - Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets, Non-GFCI circuit -recommend GFCI circuit be installed, Missing outlet/switch cover plates



## Bedroom

- 15. Front Bedroom Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets
- 16. Rear Bedroom Floor: Carpet Carpet Stained/soiled



- 17. Rear Bedroom Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets
- 18. Rear Bedroom HVAC Source: Heating system register wall register cover loose



### Living Space

- 19. Living Room Living Space Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets
- Dining Room Living Space Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits Open grounds noted at 3 prong outlets

#### Laundry Room/Area

21. Basement Laundry Room/Area Electrical: 110 VAC outlets and lighting circuits, 220 VAC - Non-GFCI circuit -recommend GFCI circuit be installed