

Wood Destroying Insect Inspection Report

Notice: Please read important consumer information on page 2.

Section I. General Information

Inspection Company, Address & Phone

Accel Hampton Roads

1236 Jensen Dr

Virginia Beach VA 23451

Company's Pest Control Business Lic. No.

12445

Date of Inspection

7/29/2020

Address of Property Inspected

441 Washington St

Portsmouth VA 23704

Inspector's Name, Signature & Certification, Registration, or Lic. #

David Sprouse

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Structure(s) Inspected

Office building

Section II. Inspection Findings This report is indicative of the condition of the above identified structure(s) on the date of inspection and is not to be construed as a guarantee or warranty against latent, concealed, or future infestations or wood destroying insect damage. **Based on a careful visual inspection of the readily accessible areas of the structure(s) inspected:**

- ☒ **A. No visible** evidence of wood destroying insects was observed.
- ☐ **B. Visible** evidence of wood destroying insects was observed as follows:

- ☐ 1. Live insects (description and location): _____
- ☐ 2. Dead insects, insect parts, frass, shelter tubes, exit holes, or staining (description and location): _____
- ☐ 3. **Visible** damage from wood destroying insects was noted as follows (description and location): _____

NOTE: This is not a structural damage report. If box B above is checked, it should be understood that some degree of damage, including hidden damage, may be present. If any questions arise regarding damage indicated by this report, it is recommended that the buyer or any interested parties contact a qualified structural professional to determine the extent of damage and the need for repairs.

Section III. Recommendations

- ☒ No action and/or treatment recommended: (Explain if Box B in Section II is checked) _____
- ☐ Recommend action(s) and/or treatment(s) for the control of: _____

Section IV. Obstructions and Inaccessible Areas

The following areas of the structure(s) inspected were obstructed or inaccessible:

- ☒ Basement 4,5,6,7,9,11,13
- ☐ Crawlspace N/a
- ☒ Main Level 1,3,4,6,7,9,11,13
- ☒ Attic 5,24
- ☐ Garage N/a
- ☒ Exterior 17
- ☐ Porch N/a
- ☐ Addition N/a
- ☐ Other _____

The inspector may write out obstructions or use the following optional key:

- | | |
|-------------------------|--|
| 1. Fixed ceiling | 15. Standing water |
| 2. Suspended ceiling | 16. Dense vegetation |
| 3. Fixed wall covering | 17. Exterior siding |
| 4. Floor covering | 18. Window well covers |
| 5. Insulation | 19. Wood pile |
| 6. Cabinets or shelving | 20. Snow |
| 7. Stored items | 21. Unsafe conditions |
| 8. Furnishings | 22. Rigid foam board |
| 9. Appliances | 23. Synthetic stucco |
| 10. No access or entry | 24. Duct work, wiring, and/or plumbing |
| 11. Limited access | 25. Spray foam insulation |
| 12. No access beneath | 26. Equipment |
| 13. Only visual access | |
| 14. Cluttered condition | |

Section V. Additional Comments and Attachments (these are an integral part of the report) An inspection of this structure was conducted for the presence of wood destroying insects. Please refer to page two of this document for inspection details. Hidden damages may exist.

Attachments _____

Signature of Seller(s) or Owner(s) if refinancing. Seller discloses to the buyer all information, to their knowledge, regarding W.D.I. infestation, damage, repair, and treatment history.

X

Signature of Buyer. The undersigned hereby acknowledges receipt of a copy of both page 1 and page 2 of this report and understands the information reported.

X

Important Consumer Information Regarding the Scope and Limitations of the Inspection

Please read this entire page as it is part of this report. Please refer to the NPMA Suggested Guidelines for instructions on completing this report. This report is not a guarantee or warranty as to the absence of wood destroying insects nor is it a structural integrity report. The inspector's training and experience do not qualify the inspector in damage evaluation or any other building construction technology and/or repair.

- 1. About the Inspection:** A visual inspection was conducted in the readily accessible areas of the structure(s) indicated (see Page 1) including attics and crawlspaces which permitted entry during the inspection. The inspection included probing and/or sounding of unobstructed and accessible areas to determine the presence or absence of visual evidence of wood destroying insects. The WDI inspection firm is not responsible to repair any damage or treat any infestation at the structure(s) inspected, except as may be provided by separate contract. Also, wood destroying insect infestation and/or damage may exist in concealed or inaccessible areas. The inspection firm cannot guarantee that any wood destroying insect infestation and/or damage disclosed by this inspection represents all of the wood destroying insect infestation and/or damage which may exist as of the date of the inspection. **For purposes of this inspection, wood destroying insects include: termites, carpenter ants, carpenter bees, and reinfesting wood boring beetles. This inspection does not include mold, mildew or noninsect wood destroying organisms.** This report shall be considered invalid for purposes of securing a mortgage and/or settlement of property transfer if not used within ninety (90) days from the date of inspection. **This shall not be construed as a 90-day warranty.** There is no warranty, express or implied, related to this report unless disclosed as required by state regulations or a written warranty or service agreement is attached.
- 2. Treatment Recommendation Guidelines Regarding Subterranean Termites:** Treatment or corrective action should be recommended if live termites are found. If no evidence of a previous treatment is documented and evidence of infestation is found, even if no live termites are observed, treatment or corrective action by a licensed pest control company should be recommended. Treatment or corrective action may be recommended if evidence of infestation is observed, and a documented treatment occurred previously, unless the structure is under warranty or covered by a service agreement with a licensed pest control company.
For other Wood Destroying Insects, please refer to the NPMA suggested guidelines for added guidance on actions and or treatment.
- 3. Obstructions and Inaccessible Areas:** No inspection was made in areas which required the breaking apart or into, dismantling, removal of any object, including but not limited to: moldings, floor coverings, wall coverings, siding, fixed ceilings, insulation, furniture, appliances, and/or personal possessions; nor were areas inspected which were obstructed or inaccessible for physical access on the date of inspection. Your inspector may write out inaccessible areas or use the key in Section IV. Crawl spaces, attics, and/or other areas may be deemed inaccessible if the opening to the area is not large enough to provide physical access for the inspector or if a ladder was required for access. Crawl spaces (or portions thereof) may also be deemed inaccessible if there is less than 24 inches of clearance from the bottom of the floor joists to the surface below. If any area which has been reported as inaccessible is made accessible, the inspection company may be contacted for another inspection. An additional fee may apply.
- 4. Consumer Maintenance Advisory Regarding Integrated Pest Management for Prevention of Wood Destroying Insects.** Any structure can be attacked by wood destroying insects. Homeowners should be aware of and try to eliminate conditions which promote insect infestation in and around their structure(s). Factors which may lead to wood destroying insect infestation include: earth to wood contact, foam insulation at foundation in contact with soil, faulty grade, improper drainage, firewood against structure(s), insufficient ventilation, moisture, wood debris in crawlspace, wood mulch or ground cover in contact with the structure, tree branches touching structure(s), landscape timbers and wood decay. Should these or other conditions exist, corrective measures should be taken in order to reduce the chances of infestation of wood destroying insects and the need for treatment.
- 5. Neither the inspecting company nor the inspector has had, presently has, or contemplates having any interest in the property inspected.**

MOISTURE INSPECTION REPORT

ADDRESS OF PROPERTY INSPECTED

441 Washington St
Portsmouth VA 23704



DATE OF INSPECTION: 7/29/2020

Accel Pest & Termite Control • 1236 Jensen Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23451 • (757)270-3338

BASED ON A CAREFUL INSPECTION OF THE READILY ACCESSIBLE AREAS OF THE UNDERSTRUCTURE (AS DESCRIBED ON THE SECOND PAGE) OF THE PROPERTY LISTED ABOVE

There is evidence of the presence of wood destroying fungi below the floor level of the first main floor

YES ☐ NO ☒

There is evidence of the presence of the excessive moisture conditions below the floor level of the first main floor
(If yes, describe under comments)

YES ☐ NO ☒

At the time of our inspection, there were visible damaged wooden members below the floor level of the first main floor caused by fungi

YES ☐ NO ☒

IF ANY DAMAGE IS OBSERVED (AS SHOWN ABOVE) THAT DAMAGE WILL (CHECK ONE BELOW)

☐ Be corrected or has been corrected by this company.

☐ Be corrected by another company see attached contract.

☒ **NOT** be corrected by this company which recommends that damage be evaluated by a qualified building expert and that needed repairs be made.

WERE ANY AREAS OF THE UNDERSTRUCTURE OBSTRUCTED OR IN ACCESSIBLE?

(if yes, describe under comments)

YES ☐ NO ☒

COMMENTS

Basement

SIGNATURE OF INSPECTOR:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "J. S.", written over a horizontal line.

This report shall not be valid until the following statement of the property owner(s) or their duty authorized representative is signed

THE UNDERSIGNED OWNER(S) OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED INSPECTED PROPERTY HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THEY ARE UN-AWARE OF ANY PREVIOUS MOISTURE DAMAGE OR DIFFICULTIES INVOLVING MOISTURE THROUGHOUT THEIR OWNERSHIP OF SAID PROPERTY, OTHER THAN AS REPORTED ABOVE.

Date _____ Property Owner _____ Property Owner _____

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: Purchaser acknowledges that he has received a copy of this report

Date Acknowledge _____ Purchaser's Signature _____

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS:

- A: The inspection covered only the readily accessible areas of the understructure including sills, joists, subflooring and sub-structure support timbers which were visible. It was made only in those areas which were readily accessible and was made in areas where moisture conditions were most likely to occur. No inspection was made in areas which required the breaking apart, dismantling or removal of any object and no inspection was made of any portion of the property other than the foundation and the understructure below the floor level of the first main floor.
- B. The inspection did not include areas which were obstructed or inaccessible at the time of inspection.
- C. This is not a structural damage report. Neither is this a warranty as to the absence of moisture.
- D. This report is not a guarantee against future moisture damage or moisture conditions, but is indicative of the conditions of the understructure on the date of inspection.
- E. If damage from moisture or fungi is discovered, it is the responsibility of the property owner to determine whether the damage requires repair by having a licensed building contractor or a structural engineer inspect and estimate the necessary repairs, or submit in writing that the damage does not warrant repair.
- F. This report does not in any way relate to an inspection for infestation or damage from wood destroying insects. Results of any inspection for wood destroying insects infestation or damage is the subject of an entirely separate inspection and report which is in no way involved with the preparation of this report.
- G. This report is not in a comprehensive moisture report regarding the entire structure but only discloses the results of an inspection of the understructure as described in A above. Therefore, this report should not be relied upon in lieu of a physical inspection of the entire premises by any interested parties or persons.
- H. The inspection procedures used in performing the inspection followed the standard guidelines for moisture inspections as outlined in the NPCA's Technical Release No. 54009A.



**NEW HOMEOWNER/TRANSFER
TERMITE WARRANTY REGISTRATION**

This section to be filled out by the new owner, placed in an envelope and mailed to:

Accel Pest & Termite Control, Attention: Termite Warranty, 1236 Jensen Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23451. In order to validate this warranty, this Warranty Registration card is to be completed and signed by the Purchaser and mailed to Accel Pest & Termite Control within 30 days of the closing on your home.

OWNER'S NAME _____

STREET ADDRESS 441 Washington St

CITY Portsmouth STATE VA ZIP 23704 EMAIL _____ Phone _____

HOME OWNER'S SIGNATURE _____

Effective with the date of your purchase of the home and one year thereafter, Accel will extend service annually to the Purchaser for so long as Purchaser may own the property for termites. During the term of this Plan, any further termite treatments found necessary by Accel will be performed free of charge. Accel will re-inspect the identified property annually, or at any time the Purchaser requests it, or if Accel believes it necessary or as required by state law.

This plan does not control or protect against aerial (above ground) infestations of any kind, drywood termites or other wood destroying organisms such as carpenter ants, powder-post beetles, wood decay fungi, etc.

Accel will extend service annually to the Purchaser for so long as Purchaser may own the property for \$ 149 per year payable on or before the end of the previous annual period.