

City of Ann Arbor - Rental Housing

Title (Permit #, Inspection Type, Address, Date):

CR20-0045 - Initial Inspection - 1616 Traver - 8-17-2020

Address

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Inspector Name Brandon Boggs

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Failed Responses

This section lists responses that were set as "failed responses" in the template used for this audit.

Question	Response	Details
Measures must be retained to ensure there is adequate common area.	Non- Compliant	Living room: 238 sqft Kitchen: 122 sqft Bath: 46 sqft Study room: 8.56x7.57ft (65 sqft) Bed 1: 90 sqft Bed 2: 114 sqft
Must have adequate insulation in the attic, this will require the owner/agent to provide a ladder on site.	Non- Compliant	Unable to access. Was insulated a few years ago. Provide access or insulation certificatate.
Location: (In every sleeping area and every level, within 21 feet in the path of egress from each bedroom, must be 3 ft away from bathroom door, tip of ceiling fan blades, HVAC supply vents, and 10 feet from stove).	Non- Compliant	Kitchen smoke detector must be 10' or more from stove.
Seal penetrations in walls/ceilings with equivalent rated material to maintain approved constructed assembly.	Non- Compliant	Garage is adjoined to house. Drywall is 1/4". Obtain a building permit to separate garage wall from house. Drywall must be 1/2" and seams sealed.
Appendix 1 Appendix 2		
Ungrounded 3 prong outlets shall be grounded, 2 prong, or GFCI protected.	Non- Compliant	Gfci in bath won't test with tester. If ungrounded label no equipment ground. Bed 1: Repair open ground outlets.
Install GFCI outlets anywhere within 6' of the edge of a sink or tub, all bath, and exterior.	Non- Compliant	Gfci protect all outlets within 6' of laundry tub. Outlet at washer has reverse polarity.
Must have ceiling/sidewall light or switched outlet in all habitable rooms, mechanical, storage, and rec rooms.	Non- Compliant	Living room requires switch outlet or switch light fixture. Permit required.

Question	Response	Details
Water heaters installed within 5 years of the Rental inspection shall have City approved stickers affixed by the Building Department.	Non- Compliant	Repair dripping T&P on water heater.
Appendix 3 Appendix 4		
Wood burning fireplace must be inspected every 5 years or firebox sealed from use.	Non- Compliant	Fire place failed. Make corrections or seal fire box from use.
Appendix 5		
Must have a privacy lock (chain, hotel bar, etc) on all unit entry doors. Exception: Not required for Fraternity, Sorority, ICC Co-ops and State Licensed inspected group homes.	Non- Compliant	Add to front door. Add to rear door.
Appendix 6		
Pin locks or ventilation locks are required for double hung windows.	Non- Compliant	All windows require vent locks.

Preliminary Questions

Question	Response	Details		
Existing Layout on File?	No			
Acquire current layout and attach				
Are there open permits less than 5 years old on record for the property?	No			
First Time Rental?	Yes			
Ensure rooms meet light and ventilation requirement of 8% and 4%	Compliant			
The completion of the Cellar Occupancy Checklist is required for cellars with habitable space.	N/A			
Room measurements are required to ensure they are adequate for habitable space and to determine occupant load.	Compliant			
Ensure stairs are ≥ 27 " wide, risers ≤ 9 " in height, treads ≥ 9 " in depth.	N/A			
Measures must be retained to ensure there is adequate common area.	Non- Compliant	Living room: 238 sqft Kitchen: 122 sqft Bath: 46 sqft Study room: 8.56x7.57ft (65 sqft) Bed 1: 90 sqft Bed 2: 114 sqft		
Adequate egress must be determined based on the type of structure (such as egress window, stairs, etc.)	Compliant			
Must have adequate insulation in the attic, this will require the owner/agent to provide a ladder on site.	Non- Compliant	Unable to access. Was insulated a few years ago. Provide access or insulation certificatate.		
Is there an active radon system?	N/A			
Does the property have any variances?	No			
General Property Notes				

Life Safety 8:527;8:509;8:504;8:503

Question	Response	Details	
Fire Safety 8:527;8:509;8:504;8:503			
Smoke detectors must be in working order at the time of inspection.	Compliant		
Location: (In every sleeping area and every level, within 21 feet in the path of egress from each bedroom, must be 3 ft away from bathroom door, tip of ceiling fan blades, HVAC supply vents, and 10 feet from stove).	Non- Compliant	Kitchen smoke detector must be 10' or more from stove.	
A smoke detector must be installed on the ceiling at the bottom of the basement / cellar stairs.	Compliant		
Replace outdated smoke detectors 10 year old or greater. Exception: A fire alarm system that is inspected annually by a licensed fire alarm company.	Compliant		
Remove hasp/barrel bolt from egress doors.	N/A		
Exit signs/emergency lights must be working properly and maintained per approved installation.	N/A		
Is there a monitored fire alarm?	N/A		
Does the property require a group kitchen certificate?	N/A		
Do fire extinguishers have current certification?	N/A		
Is inhabitable space being used as bedroom?	No		
Is property over-occupied?	No		

Fire Chase 8:509

Question	Response	Details
Fire Chase 8:509		
Seal penetrations in walls/ceilings with equivalent rated material to maintain approved constructed assembly.	Non- Compliant	Garage is adjoined to house. Drywall is 1/4". Obtain a building permit to separate garage wall from house. Drywall must be 1/2" and seams sealed.
Appendix 1 Appendix 2		
Is there damaged drywall/plaster?	No	

Interior Surfaces 8:509

Question	Response	Details
Do interior walls/ceilings have peeling paint?	No	

Electrical 8:505

Question	Response	Details
Electrical 8:505		
GFCI		
Ungrounded 3 prong outlets shall be grounded, 2 prong, or GFCI protected.	Non- Compliant	Gfci in bath won't test with tester. If ungrounded label no equipment ground. Bed 1: Repair open ground outlets.
Limit extension cord usage to one properly rated cord per appliance, max 6' in length.	Compliant	
Install GFCI outlets anywhere within 6' of the edge of a sink or tub, all bath, and exterior.	Non- Compliant	Gfci protect all outlets within 6' of laundry tub. Outlet at washer has reverse polarity.
Outlets / Switches		
Repair/replace missing or damaged outlets/ switches/covers.	Compliant	
Ensure outlets are properly wired. (check for reverse polarity and open ground)	Compliant	
Washers and dryers shall plug directly into an outlet.	Compliant	
Lighting		
Must have ceiling/sidewall light or switched outlet in all habitable rooms, mechanical, storage, and rec rooms.	Non- Compliant	Living room requires switch outlet or switch light fixture. Permit required.
Lights must be in operable condition.	Compliant	
Globe/safety shield must be on light fixtures where required.	Compliant	
Ensure 3 way switches are properly wired.	Compliant	
Electrical Panel		
Ensure fuses are properly sized and S rated.		
Install approved dead front (inside cover) panel.		

Question	Response	Details	
Unused but missing breaker knock-outs shall be properly covered with a breaker blank.			
Provide a minimum 3 foot clearance in front and side of panel.			
Wiring	Wiring		
All electrical wiring is properly secured with no deterioration.	Compliant		
Misc Electrical			
Garbage disposal must be working and electrical strain relief clamp in place.	Compliant		
Ensure there are no open junction boxes.	Compliant		

Basic Winterization 8:528,8:502,8:509

Question	Response	Details
Basic Winterization 8:528,8:502,8:509	9	
There shall be no broken or cracked glass present at the time of inspection.	Compliant	
Windows must be weather tight and free of leaks.	Compliant	
Windows must be easily opened and have the ability to stay open without props.	Compliant	
Screens must be free of holes and tears and be installed between May 1 – September 30.	Compliant	

Exits 8:504

Question	Response	Details
Exits 8:504		
Existing stairs must be kept in good repair and capable of supporting a live load of 100 lbs/sqft.	N/A	
Existing handrails must be 26" to 38" above stair nosing and in good repair.	N/A	
Guardrail and intermediate guard or balusters on open sides must be in good repair.	N/A	
An emergency escape window must be in each bedroom (20" x 20" or min 14" w or 16" h with 500 sq in, clear window openings cannot be more than 54" above the floor).	Compliant	
Multifamily only - Doors in the means of egress must self-close and latch.	N/A	
Fire escape is structurally sound.	N/A	

Plumbing 8:507

Question	Response	Details
Plumbing 8:507		
Water heaters installed within 5 years of the Rental inspection shall have City approved stickers affixed by the Building Department.	Non- Compliant	Repair dripping T&P on water heater.
Appendix 3 Appendix 4		
Plumbing fixtures, drains and systems must be free from leaks, obstructions and defects and operating properly.	Compliant	
Ensure adequate water pressure is maintained to allow fixtures to operate properly.	Compliant	
Ensure both hot and cold water are operable (Hot water capable of a minimum 110 degrees).	Compliant	
Vacuum breakers are required on all faucets capable of having a hose attached.	Compliant	
Toilets must be secured to wall/floor.	Compliant	
Maintain caulk around tub/shower, toilet, backsplash, sinks.	Compliant	
Provide recent copy of sewer cleaning of basement with bedrooms.	N/A	

Mechanical 8:506

Question	Response	Details	
Mechanical 8:506			
Must provide furnace/boiler clean and check every 5 years. State certified boilers must have current State certificate. New boilers/furnaces with approved permits within 5 years are acceptable.	Compliant		
Wood burning fireplace must be inspected every 5 years or firebox sealed from use.	Non- Compliant	Fire place failed. Make corrections or seal fire box from use.	
Appendix 5			
Ensure gas lines are secured and shutoff valve is accessible.	Compliant		
Clothes dryer duct must be hard pipe metal and vented to the exterior with a damper (no screens). Some exceptions may apply, previously approved UL Listed materials installed are acceptable.	Compliant		
Bath and Toilet rooms must have natural or mechanical ventilation.	Compliant		

Storage 8:509,8:504

Question	Response	Details
Storage 8:509,8:504		
No storage within 5' of fuel fired furnace/ boiler/water heater.	Compliant	
No storage on/under common area means of egress stairs in multifamily.	N/A	
No storage within 2' of ceiling.	Compliant	
Storage in multifamily units must be 1 hour fire-rated rooms or sprinklered.	N/A	
Must maintain 27" aisles throughout dwelling.	Compliant	

Sanitation 8:508

Question	Response	Details
Sanitation 8:508		
Dwellings must be kept in a clean and sanitary condition.	Compliant	
Bathrooms, kitchens and toilet rooms must have impervious flooring.	Compliant	
Sink and tub coatings must be free of rust and chips.	Compliant	

Security 8:503

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Appendix 6				
Must have deadbolts (1" throw) on all unit entry doors.	Compliant			
Must have peephole on main unit entry door unless door has window or sidelight.	Compliant			
Dowel rods (5/8") are required for all sliding windows/doors.	Compliant			
Pin locks or ventilation locks are required for double hung windows.	Non- Compliant	All windows require vent locks.		
Window sash locks must be installed and operate properly.	Compliant			

Exterior 8:509

Question	Response	Details	
Exterior 8:509			
Walkways/driveways/parking lots must be free from trip hazards, holes and projections.	Compliant		
Roof must be weather tight and free from leaks.	Compliant		
Exterior veneer must be weather tight, free of missing or loose brick and cracked mortar joints.	Compliant		
Chimney cap, brick, flashing must be in good condition.	Compliant		
Exterior surface must be in good condition, free of rot, holes and no more than 15% of surface peeling/chipping/bare.	Compliant		

Work Completed Without Permit

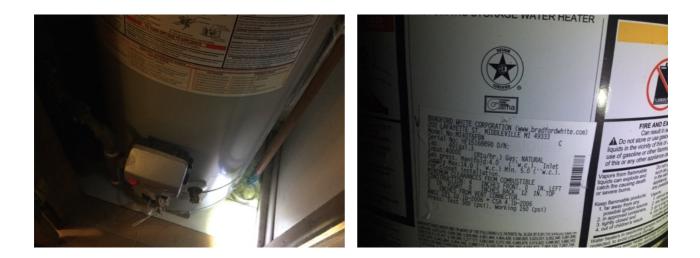
Question	Response	Details
Has any work been performed without required Permits?	No	

Media



Appendix 1

Appendix 2



Appendix 3

Appendix 4



Appendix 5

Appendix 6