## City of Minneapolis Truth in Sale of Housing

# CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

Cynthia A Dean 3836 38TH AVE S Minneapolis, MN 55406



Address Evaluated: 3836 38TH AVE S

Issued To: Cynthia A Dean

Issued Date: March 11, 2016

Report Number: 20160953

Report Date: March 11, 2016

Certificate Expires: March 11, 2018

This is to certify that the above mentioned address has been inspected pursuant to Minneapolis City Ordinance 248 and that any repairs required per Minneapolis City Ordinance 248 as amended December 23, 2005 have been repaired or replaced as required.

The Truth-in-Sale-of-Housing Disclosure Report, subsequent inspections and issuance of this certificate are not guarantees or warranties to any individual buyer, seller or renter regarding the condition of the dwelling; nor is the evaluation report, inspection(s) or certificate intended for the special benefit of any individual.

The City of Minneapolis does not assume any responsibility or liability in connection with the inspection addressed herein or in connection with the issuance of this Certificate of Approval

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## Truth in Sale of Housing Disclosure Report

NOTICE - Read Entire Report Carefully. This is not a Buyer's Inspection!

Address: 3836 38TH AVE S Minneapolis, MN

Current Owner Name: Cynthia A Dean

Contact: Cynthia A Dean Business/Relationship:

Owner Address: 3836 38TH AVE S

Minneapolis, MN 55406

I declare to the best of my k	nowledge the follow	ing information:				
This property has had environ Agency, Minnesota Pollution C	mental testing, remov Control Agency, other	al, or remediation of governmental agen	environmental	contamination by the direction of such age	United Stat	tes Environmental Protection No
If yes, the seller shall provide						
Water Damage to Property:	flood damage	sewer backup	water seepad			
Please Describe:	-	·		<b>.</b>		
Age of Roof:	Condition of Roof	: Poor Fair Goo	Excellent	Currently Leaking:	Yes / No	Patched: Yes / No
Signature of Owner: (Repor	t Not Valid Without Si			Date:	03/14/20	016

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* SEE ATTACHED PAGES FOR IMPORTANCE TO SUMER INFORMATION \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Observed Number of Units: 1

City Reference as: 1

**Building Type:** Single Family Home

Present Occupancy: Conforming

Zoning: R1A - Single Family District(`99)

Housing Orders: No

Condemnation Status: NA

Reason: NA

- 1. This report offers a limited overview of the building components and fixtures and is not technically extensive. Prospective buyers may want to seek additional opinions from various experts in the inspections field prior to purchase. This report is not a warranty or guarantee, expressed or implied, by the City of Minneapolis or by the evaluator or of any building component or fixture. Further, the buyer may want to seek additional information regarding any open permits. For 1st time condominium units, this report includes only those items located within the residential units. The Professional Opinion covers those items in the common areas of the building.
- 2. The buyer must repair all items marked Repair/Replace, unless the seller agrees to do the repairs. The seller is not required to complete the RR's if the property does not sell. All required Repair/Replace items are enforceable by Minneapolis Ordinance Chapter 248 and/or 250. All other items will not be used by the Inspections Division as a basis for enforcing Minneapolis ordinances.
- 3. The ordinance requires that no person shall exhibit or show a dwelling for sale without first having obtained an official Evaluation Report and places the responsibility on the seller or agent to make sure that this report (and in the case of 1st time condo conversions, the Professional Opinion,) is publicly displayed on the premises at all times when the house is shown to prospective buyers. Also, the seller or agent must give a copy of this report (and Professional Opinion for 1st time condo conversions) to the buyer prior to the signing of a Purchase Agreement, or as otherwise required in Minneapolis Ordinance Chapter 248 and/or 250.
- 4. This report covers only those items listed on the form. The evaluator is not required to ignite the heating plant, use a ladder to observe the condition of the roofing, evaluate inaccessible or concealed areas or disassemble items. This report does not address formaldehyde, lead paint, any airborne gasses (including radon), asbestos, wood stoves, fireplaces or air conditioners. Gas inserts in fireplaces WILL be evaluated.
- 5. This report is not an FHA, VA or Section 8 inspection. This report is not a code compliance inspection. It is not an appraisal. This report may be based upon different standards than the lender. FHA or VA.
- 6. The seller is required to provide the disclosure information in the box above. If this is not filled out, buyers are advised to request the seller to do so.
- 7. This report is valid for two years from the date of issue and only for the owner named on the report. It is required for all single-family homes, duplexes, townhouses or 1st time condominium conversions offered for sale.
- 8. Any questions regarding this report should be directed to the evaluator whose name and phone number appear below. Any complaints regarding this report should be directed to Truth in Housing at (612) 673-5840, Minneapolis Inspections Division, 250 South 4th Street #300, Minneapolis, MN 55415.

I hereby certify that this report is made in compliance with the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances, Chapter 248, and that I utilized care and diligence reasonable and ordinary for one meeting the Certification Standards. The report covers only those problems listed and reasonably visible at the time of my evaluation and does not warrant future useful life of any house component or fixture. I have included all required information pages with this report.

Evaluator Name: Alan Copia

Phone: 612-824-2000

Evaluation Date: 3/11/2016

City of Minneapolis

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Signature: Alan Copia

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M :=Meets Minimum Requirements

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RRE:=Repair/Replace, Evaluator Verification

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Each item may have more than one code. Items marked "RRE" or "RRP" indicate that the item must be repaired or replaced within 90 days of closing. Items marked "LIC" require a licensed contractor to evaluate the safety of the item and may or may not require a repair. Buyer must sign acknowledgment of responsibility agreement unless a Certificate of Approval (COA) has been issued to seller. If the house doesn't sell, the seller does not have to do the repairs. See attached handout on the "MOST COMMON REPAIRS".

#### **Basement**

- 1. Basement Stairs/Railings
  - B, Riser height is greater than 8".
  - B, Tread depth is less than 9".
  - B, Stairway headroom is less than 6'8".
  - B, Missing guardrail on open side of stairs.
  - B, Below Minimum Requirements: B, Handrail ends do not return to the wall
- 2. Basement Floors
  - C, Other Comment: C, Views of the floor are limited by stored items.
- 3. Foundation Walls
  - C, Other Comment: C, Limited views of foundation walls due to stored items.
- 4. Evidence of Dampness or Staining
  - C, Evidence of past dampness and/or staining.
- 5. First Floor, Floor System
  - M, Meets Minimum Requirements
- 6. Columns & Beams
  - M, Meets Minimum Requirements
- 7. Basement Sleeping Rooms
  - C, There are no basement bedrooms.
- 8. Basement Plumbing Fixtures
  - M, Meets Minimum Requirements
- 9. Sump Pumps
  - C, No sump pump present.
- 10. Smoke Detectors / CO Detectors
  - M, Meets Minimum Requirements
- 11. Basement Electrical Outlets/Fixtures
  - SC, Pendant type lights or outlets in use. Installation of new fixtures requires a state electric permit.
  - B, Below Minimum Requirements: B, inoperative ceiling fixture.

#### **Electric**

Amps: 100

Volts:115/230

- 12. Electrical service installation
  - B, Service panel not (fully) indexed.
- 13. Separate 20-amp Kitchen Circuit indexed at Service Panel
  - M, Meets Minimum Requirements
- 14. Separate 20-amp Laundry Circuit indexed at Service Panel

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

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### **Plumbing**

15. Floor Drains

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

16. Drain, Waste & Vent Piping

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

17. Water Supply Piping

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

18. Gas Piping

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

19. Copper Water Line Visible on the Street Side of Water Meter

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

#### Water heater

20. Water Heater & Installation

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

21. Water Heater Venting

C, Other Comment: - C, electric, no venting required.

### Heating

HeatingFuel: Gas

HeatingType:Forced Air

22. Heating Plant Viewed in Operation

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

23. Heating Plant & Installation

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

24. Heating Plant Combustion Venting

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

25. Incinerator / Abandoned Oil Tanks / Misc Gas Fixtures

NA, Not Applicable/Does Not Apply

## Laundry

26. Gas Piping

B, Below Minimum Requirements: - B, Lacks Sediment trap.

27. Dryer Venting

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

28. Plumbing Fixtures

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### Kitchen

29. Walls and Ceiling Components

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

30. Evidence of Dampness or Staining

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

31. Floor Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

32. Window Size & Openable Area

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

33. Window & Door Condition/Mechanical Venting

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

34. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

35. Plumbing Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

36. Water Flow

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

37. Gas Piping

C, Other Comment: - C, Gas piping not visible (stove is electric).

### **Dining Room/Living Room**

38. Walls and Ceiling Components

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

39. Evidence of Dampness or Staining

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

40. Floor Area & Ceiling Height

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

41. Floor Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

42. Window Size & Openable Area

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

43. Window & Door Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

44. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

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### Bathroom (1st floor)

45. Walls & Ceiling Components

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

46. Evidence of Dampness or Staining

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

47. Floor Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

48. Window Size & Openable Area/Mechanical Vent

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

49. Window & Door Condition

C, Other Comment: - C, the window inside the tub surround is not marked as tempered glass.

50. Electrical Outlets & Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

51. Plumbing Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

52. Water Flow

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

### Hallways/Stairwells

53. Walls and Ceiling Components

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

54. Evidence of Dampness or Staining

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

55. Floor Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

56. Window & Door Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

57. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

58. Stairs and Railings

B, Improper rise & run.

B, Narrow stairs.

B, Below Minimum Requirements: - B, Handrail ends do not return to wall B, Low guardrail, less than 36".

59. Smoke Detectors /CO Detectors

C, Other Comment:

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### Bedroom (1st floor)

60. Walls and Ceiling Components

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

61. Evidence of Dampness or Staining

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

62. Floor Area & Ceiling Height

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

63. Floor Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

64. Window Size & Openable Area

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

65. Window & Door Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

66. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

### Bedroom (2nd fl south)

60. Walls and Ceiling Components

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

61. Evidence of Dampness or Staining

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

62. Floor Area & Ceiling Height

B, Below Minimum Requirements: - B, Less than required ceilng height for a bedroom.

63. Floor Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

64. Window Size & Openable Area

B, Windows do not meet egress requirements. Does not meet standards for a bedroom. New window installation requires a building permit.

65. Window & Door Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

66. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

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### Bedroom (2nd fl east)

60. Walls and Ceiling Components

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

61. Evidence of Dampness or Staining

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

62. Floor Area & Ceiling Height

B, Below Minimum Requirements: - B, Less than required ceilng height for a bedroom.

63. Floor Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

64. Window Size & Openable Area

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

65. Window & Door Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

66. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

### Porch/Sunroom/Other (2nd fl north)

67. Walls and Ceiling Components

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

68. Evidence of Dampness or Staining

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

69. Floor Condition, Area & Ceiling Height

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

70. Window & Door Condition

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

71. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

### **Attic Space**

InsulationType: Fiberglass roll

InsulationDepth: 3-6

72. Roof Boards & Rafters / Ventilation

C, Other Comment: - C, no upper attic, viewed at knee wall aeas only.

73. Evidence of Dampness or Staining

C, There is evidence of past dampness or staining in the attic on roof boards and rafters.

74. Electrical Outlets & Fixtures

C, Wiring is not visible.

75. Mechanical Venting

C, Other Comment: - C, not visible

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#### **Exterior**

76. Foundation

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

77. Basement Windows

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

78. Drainage (Grade) / Rainleaders

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

79. Exterior Walls

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

80. Doors (frames/storms/screens/deadbolt locks)

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

81. Windows (frames/storms/screens)

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

82. Stoops

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

83. Cornice & Trim

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

84. Roof Covering & Flashing

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

85. Chimney

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

86. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

87. Exterior Plumbing-Backflow Prevention

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

88. Two-Family Dwelling Egress

NA, Not Applicable/Does Not Apply

## Open/Unheated Porch (front porch)

89. Floors

C, Other Comment: - C, floor slopes.

90. Walls

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

91. Roof/Ceiling

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

92. Doors/Screens/Windows

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

93. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

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## Garage

94. Roof Structure & Covering

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

95. Wall Structure & Covering

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

96. Garage Doors

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

97. Automatic Garage Door Opener

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

98. Electrical Outlets/Fixtures

M, Meets Minimum Requirements

### Miscellaneous

99. Clutter/Sanitation/Vermin

NA, Not Applicable/Does Not Apply

100. Other

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NA, Not Applicable/Does Not Apply

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## **Truth in Housing Repair Notification**

City of Minneapolis-Inspections Division
Truth in Sale of Housing, 250 South 4th Street, Room 300
Minneapolis, MN 55415

Issued To:

3/11/2016

Cynthia A Dean 3836 38TH AVE S Minneapolis, MN 55406

Owner does not have to complete repairs if the house is not sold.

Pursuant to Minneapolis Code of Ordinances, Sections 248.20 and 248.225, the owner may make the repairs. If the owner makes the repairs, a Certificate of Approval (needed for closing) will be issued after the repairs have been inspected and approved. The owner does not have to complete the repairs if the house does not sell. If the owner does not make the repairs, the buyer must sign an acknowledgement of responsibility form (provided by the City) and return it to the City. The buyer has 90 days from closing to complete the repairs. Your prompt cooperation in attending to the repair items is appreciated however, failure to comply by these deadlines may result in legal action.

#### **REQUIRED REPAIRS**

NONE

#### **SAFETY CHECKS**

The systems listed below must be checked by a licensed contractor. The contractor must be licensed by the City of Minneapolis and/or the State of Minnesota in that specific trade to check the work. Return safety check forms to the address above or fax to (612) 673-2437. If "Evaluator Return" is indicated below, the evaluator may return to view he system that was not in operation at the time of the initial evaluation. The evaluator may find additional work is needed on the system.

If the system was repaired or replaced, only a licensed contractor (not the evaluator) can do the safety check. Permits may be needed.

NONE

#### **PERMIT REQUIRED REPAIR**

The permit must be pulled before scheduling. Call the inspector listed on the permit to set an appointment. You need to have the permit number to set the appointment. There will be a charge for the permit, which covers the inspection.

NONE

#### **Reinspection Process**

When all the items are completed they must be inspected and approved.

### For items that need a permit:

If your notification indicates PERMIT NEEDED, the permit(s) must be pulled and work completed BEFORE the re-inspection takes place. If you are a homeowner occupant of a single family house, you may obtain a permit, if you are not, you must hire a licensed contractor. Bring this notification with you when you apply for permits.

#### For items that do not need a permit:

Call the evaluator who did the initial TISH report to re-inspect all the non-permit items. The evaluator's name and phone number are on the bottom of page 1 of the report. There will be a charge for this inspection.

#### Appeal

This repair notice may be appealed. Section 248.150 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances provides that an appeal must be filed in writing within thirty (30) days of the date of this notice accompanied with a \$100 filing fee. If you wish to appeal this order, call (612) 673-5840 for an application.

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### **Assistance**

If you need financial assistance to complete these repairs, you may call the Greater Metropolitan Housing Corporation (GMHC) at 612-378-7985.

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