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- 2. Page 1 of \_ \_ pages: RECORDS AND
- 3. REPORTS, IF ANY, ARE ATTACHED AND MADE A
- 4. PART OF THIS DISCLOSURE

5.	THE INFORMATION DISCLOSED IS GIVEN TO THE BEST OF SELLER'S KNOWLEDGE.	
6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15.	closing, if Seller learns that Seller's disclosure was inaccurate. Seller is obligated to continue to notify Buye of any facts disclosed here (new or changed) of which Seller is aware that could adversely and significantle Buyer's use or enjoyment of the property or any intended use of the property that occur up to the time Seller has disclosure alternatives allowed by MN Statutes. See <i>Disclosure Statement: Seller's Disclosure A</i> form for further information regarding disclosure alternatives. <b>This disclosure is not a warranty or a guarante kind by Seller or licensee(s) representing or assisting any party in the transaction and is not a sub-</b>	obligated to cantly affect er is aware. vent before r, in writing, y affect the of closing. Alternatives <b>ntee of any</b>
17.		
18.		
19. 20. 21.	single-family residence, including a unit in a common interest community as defined in MN Statute 5	15B.1-103,
22. 23. 24.	residential real estate, whether by sale, exchange, deed, contract for deed, lease with an option to purch	
25. 26. 27. 28.	inspected by a third party, and to inquire about any specific areas of concern. <b>NOTE:</b> If Seller answers "No the questions listed below, it does not necessarily mean that it does not exist on the property, did not occ	O" to any of
29. 30. 31. 32.	inspection report(s) when completing this form. (3) Describe conditions affecting the property to the b knowledge. (4) Attach additional pages, with your signature, if additional space is required. (5) Answer all	est of your
33.	Property located at Pinewood Road SE	<b>,</b>
34.		,
35.		
36.	A. GENERAL INFORMATION: The following questions are to be answered to the best of Seller's knowle	edge.
37.		0
38.	(2) Type of title evidence: Abstract Registered (Torrens) Unknown	
39.	Location of Abstract:	
40.		No
41.	(3) Have you occupied this home continuously during your ownership?	No
42.	If "No," explain:	
43.		No
44.		No
45.		No
46.	If "Yes," HUD #(s) is/are	
47.	Has the title been surrendered to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles for cancellation?	No
	Has the title been surrendered to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles for cancellation? Yes DS:SPDS-1 (8/22)	No



## DISCLOSURE STATEMENT: SELLER'S

**PROPERTY DISCLOSURE STATEMENT** 

(7)	located at 2514	Pinewood Road SE			
(7)			Rochester	55	<u>904</u> .
(8)	Is the Property locat	ed on a public or a private road	Public Private	Public: no ma	intenance
(-)	Flood Insurance: All	properties in the state of Minnes	ota have been assigned a fl	ood zone designat	ion. Some
	flood zones may req			<b>—</b>	<u> </u>
	(a) Do you know wh	ich zone the Property is located	l in?	Yes	No
	If "Yes," which zo	ne?			
	(b) Have you ever h	ad a flood insurance policy?		Yes	No
		-		Yes	No
	If "Yes," what is	the annual premium? \$			
	lf "Yes," who is th	ne insurance carrier?			
	(c) Have you ever h	ad a claim with a flood insuranc	e carrier or FEMA?	Yes	🗌 No
	lf "Yes," please e	xplain:			
	previously c premiums pa	harged for flood insurance for t aid for flood insurance on this Pi	he Property. As a result, E operty previously as an ind	Buyer should not re	ely on the
	•			<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>
		ciations or shared amenities?			└ No │ No
• •		al registry, reservations, or restr	ictions, that affect		
. ,				Yes	No
(12)	governmental requ	irements or restrictions that affe	ect or may affect the use or	future	
	enjoyment of the F	Property (e.g., shoreland restricti	ons, non-conforming use, e	etc.)? Yes	No No
(13)					No
(14)	Please provide cla	rification or further explanation f	or all applicable "Yes" resp	onses in Section A	<b>\</b> :
	ently exist on the Pro	operty?		-	or do they
(1)	Has there been any	damage by wind, fire, flood, hail	, or other cause(s)?	Yes	No
	If "Yes," give details o	of what happened and when:			
(2)	Have you ever had a	n insurance claim(s) related to t	ne Property?	Yes	No
	If "Yes," what was th	e claim(s) for (e.g., hail damage	:o roof)?		
	Did vou receive com	pensation for the claim(s)?		Yes	No
	•				
	-	laim(s) occur?			
	Are ther (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) <b>B. GEN</b> curr (1) (2)	If "Yes," is the por If "Yes," what is a If "Yes," who is the (c) Have you ever had If "Yes," please end NOTE: Whether or m premiums an previously co premiums pa will apply aft Are there any (9) homeowners asso (10) encroachments? (11) covenants, historic or may affect the u (12) governmental requirent (13) easements, other the (13) easements, other the (14) Please provide cla	<ul> <li>If "Yes," who is the insurance carrier?</li></ul>	<ul> <li>If "Yes," is the policy in force?</li> <li>If "Yes," what is the annual premium? \$</li></ul>	If "Yes," is the policy in force?       Yes         If "Yes," what is the annual premium? \$

			IN DISCLOSED IS	GIVEN TO THE	BESI	OF SELLER'S KNO	WLEDGE.	
93.	Proper	ty located at 2514	Pinewood Road S	SE		Rochester	5	5904
94. 95. 96.		(a) Has/Have the str (e.g., additions, a	altered roof lines, ch	anges to load-		y walls) m (owner or contract	Yes or):	No
97. 98.								
99. 100.			plumbing, retaining	wall, general fi	nishing	)	Yes	No
101. 102.		If "Yes," please ex	plain:					
103. 104.			nits were not obtain	ed?	-		Yes	No
105. 106.		If "Yes," please ex	(piain:					
107. 108. 109.	( )	Has there been any o If "Yes," give details o	0				Yes	□ No
110. 111.	(5)	Do you have or have				and ni	Yes	No
112. 113.	( )	THE FOUNDATION:						·
<ol> <li>114.</li> <li>115.</li> <li>116.</li> <li>117.</li> <li>118.</li> <li>119.</li> <li>120.</li> </ol>	(7)	THE BASEMENT, CR (a) cracked floor/wa (b) drain tile problen (c) flooding? (d) foundation probl Give details to any qu	Ils?	<ul> <li>No</li> <li>No</li> <li>No</li> <li>No</li> <li>No</li> </ul>	(f) (g)	leakage/seepage? sewer backup? wet floors/walls? other?	<ul> <li>Yes</li> <li>Yes</li> <li>Yes</li> <li>Yes</li> <li>Yes</li> </ul>	☐ No ☐ No ☐ No ☐ No
<ol> <li>121.</li> <li>122.</li> <li>123.</li> <li>124.</li> <li>125.</li> <li>126.</li> <li>127.</li> <li>128.</li> <li>129.</li> </ol>		<ul><li>(b) Has there been an</li><li>(c) Has there been in</li><li>(d) Has there been an</li><li>(e) Have there been a</li></ul>	years Garage ny interior or exterio terior damage from ny leakage? ny repairs or replace	ge(s)/Outbuildir r damage? ice buildup? ements made t	the ro	years [ [ [ oof? [		] No ] No ] No ] No



132.	THE INFORMATION DISC	CLOSE	d is gi	VEN	TO THE BEST OF SELLER'S K	NOWLEDGE.		
133.	Property located at 2514 Pinew	ood Ro	ad SE		Rochester	5	5904	
134.	(9) THE EXTERIOR AND INTER	RIOR W	ALLS/	SIDIN	IG/WINDOWS:			
135.	(a) The type(s) of siding is (e.g							
136.	(b) cracks/damage?	.,,.,	014000	, 5110		Yes	No	
137.	(c) leakage/seepage?						No	
138.	(d) other?							
139.	Give details to any questions	answei	red "Yes	s":				
140.								
141.	C. APPLIANCES, HEATING, PLUM	IBING,	ELECT	RIC	AL, AND OTHER MECHANICAL	SYSTEMS:		
142.					ocated on the Property. Check "			
143.		or items	s not in	worł	king condition. Working order me	ans all compon	ents of	f the
144.	items specified below.							
145.			Work				Worl	•
146. 147.		NA	Orde Yes	r No		NA	Orde	er No
147.	Air-conditioning				Pool and equipment			
149.					Propane tank		H	
149.	Air exchange system				Rented Owned			
150.	Carbon monoxide detector			H	Range/oven			
				$\square$				
152. 153.	Ceiling fan			$\square$	Range hood			
	Central vacuum			H	Refrigerator		H	H
154.	Clothes dryer			$\square$	Security system			
155.	Clothes washer			$\square$				
156.	Dishwasher			$\square$	Smoke detectors (battery)			
157.	Doorbell				Smoke detectors (hardwired)			
158.	Drain tile system				Solar collectors			
159.	Electrical system				Sump pump			
160.	Environmental remediation syste	m			Toilet mechanisms			
161.	(e.g., radon, vapor intrusion)				Trash compactor			
162.	Exhaust system				TV antenna system			
163.	Fire sprinkler system				TV cable system			
164.	Fireplace				TV receiver			
165.	Fireplace mechanisms				TV satellite dish			
166.	Freezer				Rented Owned			
167.	Furnace humidifier				Water heater			
168.	Garage door auto reverse				Water purification system			
169.	Garage door opener				Rented Owned			
170.	Garage door opener remote				Water softener			
171.	Garbage disposal				Rented Owned			
172.	Heating system (central)				Water treatment system			
173.	Heating system (supplemental)				Rented Owned			
174.	Incinerator	Ц			Windows			
175.	Intercom				Window treatments	Ц		
176.	In-ground pet containment syste	m.Ц			Wood-burning stove			Ц
177.	Lawn sprinkler system	Ц		Ц	Other			
178.	Microwave	Ц			Other			
179.	Plumbing	🗌			Other			



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181.	THE INFORMAT	TON DISCLOSED IS GIVEN TO	THE BEST OF SELLER'S KN	OWLEDGE.
182. Pr	operty located at 2514	Pinewood Road SE	Rochester	55904
183.		systems on the Property connect	ed or controlled wirelessly,	
184.	-	"), to a router or gateway or dire	-	Yes No
185.	Comments regarding is	sues in Section C:		
186.				
187. <b>D.</b>	SUBSURFACE SEWAG	GE TREATMENT SYSTEM DISC	LOSURE:	
188.		reatment system disclosure is re-		(Check appropriate box.)
189.	Seller DOES DOE	<b>S NOT</b> know of a subsurface sew	age treatment system on or serv	ving the above-described
190. 191.	real Property. (If answe Subsurface Sewage Tre	r is <b>DOES</b> , and the system does	s not require a state permit, se	e Disclosure Statement:
192. 193.	There is an abando	ned subsurface sewage treatmer tement: Subsurface Sewage Trea	•	ed real Property.
194. <b>E.</b>		.OSURE: (A well disclosure and (	- /	Statute 103I.235.)
195.	(Check appropriate box	•		
196.	Seller does not kno	w of any wells on the above-des	cribed real Property.	
197.	There are one or mo	ore wells located on the above-de	escribed real Property. (See Dise	closure Statement: Well.)
198.		a Special Well Construction Area.		
199.		ving the above-described Proper	•	roperty.
200.	.,	perties or residences does the sha		
201. 202.	. ,	enance agreement for the shared the annual maintenance fee? \$_		Yes No
205. 206. 207. 208.	affecting the Property? Non-Profit Status, RIM, If "Yes," would these te	rminate upon the sale of the Prop	s, Disability, Green Acres,	Yes   No     Yes   No
209.	Explain:			
210.				
211. <b>G.</b> 212. 213.	provides that a transfere	<b>IT IN REAL PROPERTY TAX ACT</b> ee ("Buyer") of a United States re feror ("Seller") is a foreign persor	al property interest must be no	tified in writing and must
214.	Seller represents that Se	ller 🗌 IS 🔄 IS NOT a foreign perso	on (i.e., a non-resident alien indiv	idual, foreign corporation,
215. 216.		eign trust, or foreign estate) for ny transaction involving the Prop		This representation shall
217. 218. 219. 220. 221. 222.	NOTE: If the above an transaction (unl exempt transac If the above ans	nswer is " <b>IS</b> ," Buyer may be sub ess the transaction is covered by ptions, Buyer may be liable for the swer is " <b>IS NOT</b> ," Buyer may wish ot from the withholding requirem	ject to income tax withholding an applicable exception to FIRI e tax if Buyer fails to withhold. h to obtain specific documenta	TA withholding). In non- tion from Seller ensuring
223. 224. 225. 226.	for withholding the app <b>FIRPTA compliance, a</b>	and potential risks of failing to licable tax, Buyer and Seller sho is the respective licensees rep nether the transaction is exemp	uld seek appropriate legal an resenting or assisting either	d tax advice regarding party will be unable to
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228.		THE INFORMAT	ION DISCLOSED IS	GIVEN TO	THE BEST OF SELLER'S KNO	WLEDGE.	
229.	Pro	perty located at 2514	Pinewood Road	SE	Rochester	55	904
230. 231. 232. 233. 234.	H.	METHAMPHETAMINE (A Methamphetamine F Seller is not aware Seller is aware that	roduction Disclosure	e is required mine produc production ha	by MN Statute 152.0275, Subd. 2 tion that has occurred on the Pro as occurred on the Property. uction.)		
235. 236. 237. 238. 239.	I.	zone with zoning regula are filed with the count	tions adopted by the / recorder in each co	governing bo ounty where t	<b>DNS:</b> The Property may be in or ody that may affect the Property. S he zoned area is located. If you v d contact the county recorder w	uch zoning re vould like to o	egulations determine
240. 241. 242.	J.		within ten (10) feet f	rom all sleepi	<b>ORS:</b> MN Statute 299F.51 requining rooms. Carbon Monoxide Det the sale of the home.		
243.	K.	CEMETERY ACT: The	following questions a	are to be ans	wered to the best of Seller's know	wledge.	
244. 245. 246. 247.		person who intentionall remains or human buria	y, willfully and knowir Il grounds is guilty of	ngly destroys f a felony.	plestation of human remains, bu , mutilates, injures, disturbs, or re ries located on the Property?		
248.		If "Yes," please explain:					
249. 250. 251.			e antiquity greater th		e of platted, recorded or identif shall be dealt with according to		
252. 253. 254. 255. 256. 257. 258. 259.	L.	ENVIRONMENTAL CC currently exist on the P (1) Animal/Insect/Pest I (2) Asbestos? (3) Diseased trees? (4) Formaldehyde? (5) Hazardous waste/su (11) Other?	roperty? nfestation? Yes Yes Yes Yes	nowledge, h	ave any of the following previou (6) Lead? (e.g., paint, plumbing (7) Mold? (8) Soil problems? (9) Underground storage tanks (10) Vapor intrusion?	g) Yes Yes Yes	or do they
260. 261. 262.		(12) Have you ever bee authority pertaining	g to possible or actu	al environme	mation from any governmental ntal contamination (e.g., vapor etc.) affecting the Property?	Yes	No
263. 264. 265. 266.		on the Property by public health nuisa	any governmental a nce on the Property "Yes," all orders	uthority orde ?	sly been, any orders issued ring the remediation of a <b>VE NOT</b> been vacated.	Yes	No
267. 268. 269. 270. 271.		(14) Please provide cla	rification or further e	xplanation fo	r all applicable "Yes" responses i	n Section L.	



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273.	•	THE INFORMAT	ION DISCLOSED IS GIVEN TO 1	THE BEST OF SELLER'S KNOW	LEDGE.
274. Pr	operty lo	cated at 2514	Pinewood Road SE	Rochester	55904
			: (The following Seller disclosure	satisfies MN Statute 144.496.)	
276. 277. 278. 279.	homeb having	uyers have an in the radon levels r	<b>TATEMENT:</b> The Minnesota De door radon test performed prior nitigated if elevated radon conce qualified, certified, or licensed, if a	to purchase or taking occupar ntrations are found. Elevated rade	cy, and recommends
280. 281. 282. 283. 284.	danger Radon, cause	ous levels of indo , a Class A humar overall. The selle	rest in residential real property i for radon gas that may place occu n carcinogen, is the leading cause or of any interest in residential re st results of the dwelling.	pants at risk of developing rador of lung cancer in nonsmokers a	-induced lung cancer. nd the second leading
285. 286. 287.	Departi	ment of Health's	<b>ATE:</b> By signing this Statement, publication entitled <i>Radon in Re</i> ealth.state.mn.us/communities/er	al Estate Transactions, which is	s attached hereto and
288. 289. 290. 291. 292.	pertain Statute the cou	ing to radon conc 144.496 may bri	close the information required und entrations in the Property, is liable ng a civil action and recover dama on must be commenced within t the real Property.	to the Buyer. A buyer who is injur- ages and receive other equitable r	ed by a violation of MN elief as determined by
293. 294. 295.	knowle	dge. Radon test(s)	TATIONS: The following are repre		extent of Seller's actual
296. 297. 298.	(b)		own radon concentrations, mitiga and reports pertaining to radon c		
299.					
300.	(c)	There IS	<b>IS NOT</b> a radon mitigation system one.)	n currently installed on the Prope	erty.
301. 302.			all disclose, if known, information r documentation.	egarding the radon mitigation sys	tem, including system
303.					
304. 305.	EVCED		tion R for exceptions to this disc	locuro roquiromont	
306. <b>N.</b>			ECTS/MATERIAL FACTS: The f	·	swered to the best of
307.	Seller's	knowledge.			
308.	Notice	<u>s:</u> Seller <mark>HAS</mark>	HAS NOT received a notice r	egarding <u>any</u> proposed improver	ment project from <b>any</b>
309.	assess	ing authorities, th	e costs of which project may be	assessed against the Property. If	"HAS," please attach
310.	and/or	explain:			
311.					
312.					
313.					

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315.	THE INFORMAT	ION DISCLOSED IS GIVEN TO T	HE BEST OF SELLER'S KNOWI	EDGE.
316.	Property located at 2514	Pinewood Road SE	Rochester	55904
317. 318.	Other Defects/Materia	I Facts: Are there any other materian enjoyment of the Property or any i	-	significantly affect an
319.	If "Yes," explain:			
320.				
321.				
322.				
323.				
324. 325. 326.		ND MOLD GROWTH: Studies ha trusion may occur from exterior		
327. 328. 329. 330. 331.	•	oisture sources may be: around windows and doors, ,		
<ul> <li>332.</li> <li>333.</li> <li>334.</li> <li>335.</li> <li>336.</li> <li>337.</li> <li>338.</li> <li>339.</li> <li>340.</li> <li>341.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>overflow from tub</li> <li>firewood stored in</li> <li>humidifier use,</li> <li>inadequate ventin</li> <li>improper venting</li> <li>line-drying launded</li> </ul>	used by indoor humidity that is too os, sinks, or toilets, ndoors, ng of kitchen and bath humidity, of clothes dryer exhaust outdoors	(including electrical dryers),	d),
342.	In addition to the possib	le structural damage water intrusion	n may do to the Property, water intr	usion may also result
343. 344.		nildew, and other fungi. Mold grow ortant to detect and remediate wa		age to the Property.
345. 346. 347. 348.	humans. However, mol	ywhere in our environment, both ds have the ability to produce my ularly in some immunocompromise	cotoxins that may have a potent	ial to cause serious
349. 350. 351. 352. 353.	have a concern about wa Property inspected for	mold growth is often difficult to dete ater intrusion or the resulting mold/m moisture problems before entering such an analysis is particularly adv	ildew/fungigrowth, you may want t i into a purchase agreement or as	o consider having the a condition of your
354. 355. 356. 357. 358.	offender registry and may be obtained by c is located or the Min	PREDATORY OFFENDER INFO persons registered with the pre ontacting the local law enforcer nesota Department of Correction at www.corr.state.mn.us.	datory offender registry under nent offices in the community	MN Statue 243.166 where the property



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360.	THE INFORMATION DISCLOSED IS GIVEN	I TO THE BEST OF SELLER'S KNOWLEDGE.
361.	Property located at 2514 Pinewood Road SE	Rochester 55904
362.	Q. MN STATUTES 513.52 THROUGH 513.60: SELLE	R'S MATERIAL FACT DISCLOSURE:
363. 364.		MN Statutes 513.52 through 513.60 <b>DO NOT</b> apply to operty:
365.		
366.		
367.	(4) a transfer to a government or government	tal agency;
368.		
369.		
370.		
371.		
372.		rom a decree of marriage dissolution or from a property
373.	•	
374.		
375. 376.		-
370. 377.		s controlled by the grantor as those terms are defined with
378.	•	
379.		
380.		
381. 382.	•	44.496 DO NOT apply to (1)-(9) and (11)-(14) above. Sellers ply with the disclosure requirements of MN Statute 144.496.
383. 384. 385.	prospective Buyer agree in writing. Waiver of the di	ctions 513.52 to 513.60 may be waived if Seller and the sclosure required under sections 513.52 to 513.60 does not losure created by any other law.
386.	No Duty to Disclose:	
387. 388. 389. 390. 391. 392.	<ul> <li>(1) is or was occupied by an owner or occup Immunodeficiency Virus or diagnosed with</li> <li>(2) was the site of a suicide, accidental death,</li> <li>(3) is located in a neighborhood containing any</li> </ul>	bant who is or was suspected to be infected with Human
393. 394. 395. 396. 397.	register under MN Statute 243.166 or about who manner, provides a written notice that inform registered with the registry may be obtained b	close information regarding an offender who is required to om notification is made under that section, if Seller, in a timely nation about the predatory offender registry and persons by contacting the local law enforcement agency where the ctions.
398. 399.		create a duty to disclose any facts described in paragraphs operty.
400. 401. 402. 403. 404. 405. 406. 407.	(1) Except as provided in paragraph (2), Seller Property if a written report that discloses the and provided to the prospective buyer. For federal, state, or local governmental agency believes has the expertise necessary to meet or investigation that has been conducted by	r is not required to disclose information relating to the real he information has been prepared by a qualified third party purposes of this paragraph, "qualified third party" means a c, or any person whom Seller or prospective buyer reasonably et the industry standards of practice for the type of inspection y the third party in order to prepare the written report. buyer material facts known by Seller that contradict any

(2) Seller shall disclose to the prospective buyer material facts known by Seller that contradict any 408. information included in a written report under paragraph (1) if a copy of the report is provided to Seller.



410.	THE INFORMATI		09. Page 10 THE BEST OF SELLER'S KNOW	WLEDGE.
	operty located at $\frac{2514}{2514}$	Pinewood Road SE	Rochester	55904
		TS:		
413.				
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415.				
416.				
417.				
418.				
419.				
420. <b>S.</b> 421.	SELLER'S STATEMENT (To be signed at time of I			
422. 423. 424. 425. 426. 427. 428.	or assisting any party(ies in connection with any a to a real estate licensee r real estate licensee repr prospective buyer. If this	) in this transaction to provide a ctual or anticipated sale of the representing or assisting a pros esenting or assisting a prospe b Disclosure Statement is provi	and accurate and authorizes any li copy of this Disclosure Statement Property. A seller may provide this pective buyer. The Disclosure Stat ctive buyer is considered to have ded to the real estate licensee rep vide a copy to the prospective bu	to any person or entity Disclosure Statement tement provided to the been provided to the presenting or assisting
429. 430.			ting of any facts that differ from could adversely and significan	
431. 432.	use or enjoyment of the	e Property or any intended us ged facts, please use the Amer	e of the Property that occur up t adment to Disclosure Statement fo	o the time of closing.
	use or enjoyment of the			o the time of closing.
432. 433.	use or enjoyment of the To disclose new or chan	ged facts, please use the Amer (Date)	adment to Disclosure Statement fo	o the time of closing. prm.
432. 433. 434. <b>T.</b> 435. 436.	use or enjoyment of the To disclose new or chang (Seller) BUYER'S ACKNOWLED (To be signed at time of p I/We, the Buyer(s) of the	(Date) (Date) OGEMENT: purchase agreement.) Property, acknowledge receipt	of this Seller's Property Disclosure	o <b>the time of closing</b> . orm. (Date)
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# **Radon in Real Estate Transactions**



All Minnesota homes can have dangerous levels of radon gas. Radon is a colorless, odorless and tasteless radioactive gas that can seep into homes from the soil. When inhaled, its radioactive particles can damage the lungs. Long-term exposure to radon can lead to lung cancer. About 21,000 lung cancer deaths each year in the United States are caused by radon.

The only way to know how much radon gas has entered the home is to conduct a radon test. MDH estimates 2 in 5 homes exceed the 4.0 pCi/L (picocuries per liter) action level. Whether a home is old or new, any home can have high levels of radon.

The purpose of this publication is to educate and inform potential home buyers of the risks of radon exposure, and how to test for and reduce radon as part of real estate transactions.

# **Disclosure Requirements**

Effective January 1, 2014, the Minnesota Radon Awareness Act requires specific disclosure and education be provided to potential home buyers during residential real estate transactions in Minnesota. **Before signing a purchase agreement to sell or transfer residential real property**, the seller shall provide this publication and shall disclose in writing to the buyer:

- whether a radon test or tests have occurred on the property
- the most current records and reports
   pertaining to radon concentrations within the dwelling
- a description of any radon levels, mitigation, or remediation
- 4. information on the radon mitigation system, if a system was installed

## **Radon Facts**

How dangerous is radon? Radon is the number one cause of lung cancer in non-smokers, and the second leading cause overall. Your risk for lung cancer increases with higher levels of radon, prolonged exposure, and whether or not you are a current smoker or former smoker.

Where is your greatest exposure to radon? For most Minnesotans, your greatest exposure is at home where radon can concentrate indoors.

What is the recommended action based on my results? If the average radon in the home is at or above 4.0 pCi/L, the home's radon level should be reduced. Also, consider mitigating if radon levels are between 2.0 pCi/L and 3.9 pCi/L. Any amount of radon, even below the recommended action level, carries some risk.

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## **Radon Warning Statement**

"The Minnesota Department of Health strongly recommends that ALL homebuyers have an indoor radontest performed prior to purchase or taking occupancy, and recommends having the radon levels mitigated if elevated radon concentrations are found. Elevated radon concentrations can easily be reduced by a qualified, certified, or licensed, if applicable, radon mitigator.

Every buyer of any interest in residential real property is notified that the property may present exposure to dangerous levels of indoor radon gas that may place the occupants at risk of developing radon-induced lung cancer. Radon, a Class A human carcinogen, is the leading cause of lung cancer in nonsmokers and the second leading cause overall. The seller of any interest in residential real property is required to provide the buyer with any information on radon test results of the dwelling"





## **Radon Testing**

Any test lasting less than three months requires **closed-house conditions**. This means keep all windows and doors closed, except for normal entry and exit.

Before testing: Begin closed-house conditions at least 12 hours before the start of the radon test.

**During testing:** Maintain closed-house conditions during the entire duration of the short-term test. Operate home heating or cooling systems normally during the test.

Where should the test be conducted? Any radon test conducted for a real estate transaction needs to be placed in the lowest livable area of the home suitable for occupancy. This is typically in the basement, whether finished or unfinished.

### Place the test kit:

- 20 inches to 6 feet above the floor
- 3 feet from exterior doors and windows
- 1 foot from exterior walls

- 4 inches away from other objects
- in a location where it won't be disturbed
- not in enclosed areas or areas of high heat/humidity

### How are radon tests conducted in real estate transactions?

There are special protocols for radon testing in real estate transactions. Here are the two most common.

### **Continuous Radon Monitor (CRM)**

This test is completed by a certified radon measurement professional with a calibrated CRM for a minimum of 48 hours. The data is analyzed to ensure a valid test. A report is generated by the measurement professional.

### Simultaneous Short-Term Testing

Two short-term test kits are used at the same time, placed 4 inches apart, for a minimum of 48 hours. Test kits are sent to the lab for analysis. The lab generates a report. The two test results are averaged to get the radon level.

All radon tests should be conducted by a licensed professional. This ensures the test was conducted properly, in the correct location(s), which includes testing the lowest liveable level in each unique foundation type and undre appropriate building conditions. A list of these licensed radon measurement professionals can be found at MDH's Radon web site.

# **Radon Mitigation**

When elevated levels of radon are found, they can be easily reduced by a licensed professional. A list of these licensed radon mitigation professionals can be found on MDH's Radon website.

**Radon mitigation** is the process or system used to reduce radon concentrations in the breathing zones of occupied buildings. The goal of a radon mitigation system is to reduce the indoor radon levels to below the action level. This is done by drawing soil gas from under the house and venting it above the roof. A quality mitigation system is often able to reduce the annual average radon level to below 2.0 pCi/L. The cost of a radon mitigation system averages \$1,200 to \$2,500.

After a radon mitigation system is installed perform an independent short-term test to ensure the reduction system is effective. Operate the radon system during the entire test. This short-term test will confirm low levels in the home. Be sure to retest the house every two years to confirm continued radon reduction.

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