

Inspection Report

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RE: 1781 Newport Blvd. Costa Mesa, CA 92627

Scope: Site Walk-through, Structural visual observation on existing building

The walk-through and visual observation has been performed at the address **1781 Newport Blvd Costa Mesa CA 92627** August 12th 2022 at 3:00pm.

Following items has been observed;

1-A big deformity on the floors and raised floor foundation area.

2-From the mid-front to the back, a gradual sinking of foundation is observed

3-Aproxmative deformities sinking is around 4" in south side of the building

4-The partition walls are loose due to the sinking

5-Due to floor shift many Cory tiles are coming loose and creating safety issue for the workers

6-Dramatic floor shift is creating safety issue on the kitchen working space

7-The existing T bar ceiling also affected by the collapse

8-The sub drains are under tension due to sinking observed

9-No continuous foundation detected below, only partial

10-Partition wall between both units is not supported from below

11-The fire wall for separating both units is not continuous

12-One side of the ceiling beam at the separating wall has no footing or girder to support one end.

13-Some 2x4 wood elements in a scattered manner has been placed as king posts,

14-Many floor joists and hardware are relatively newly installed but the way these

elements are placed to be verified if a building permit issued for this part of the scope!

15-A fire rated wall or stem wall foundation needs to be continuous between units and it's seen only concrete slab area not crawl space

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Recommendations:

Cause of sinking must be determined further Existing floor framing to be seen and structurally recalculated Foundation to be re-engineered and designed and built with proper building code (Check with city if they required a soil test) Existing Foundation to be seen and re-calculated

If you have any question, please feel free to contact us at 949-929-2483

Sincerely, Alex Lee, PE principle



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