

Getting Ready to Move? Here's the Ultimate Checklist!

Take the stress out of moving by being organized! Give us a call if there's anything we can do.

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4 WEEKS PRIOR TO MOVE:

- Set up a "move" file or folder
- Set up a "move" calendar
- Have a garage sale & sell unwanted items on Facebook marketplace for moving cash
- Collect financial, tax and employment documentation needed for your loan
- Donate un-needed furniture
- Contact insurance company to transfer policies (life, auto, homeowners)
- Contact doctors & dentists for copies of medical records
- Contact schools for copies of student records

3 WEEKS PRIOR TO MOVE:

- Review tax deductions on moving expenses
- Arrange cut-off date for utility companies - telephone, gas, electricity, water, garbage, cable
- Call friends & relatives to let them know you are moving
- Request change of address kit from post office
- Check out voter registration information for the new area

2 WEEKS PRIOR TO MOVE:

- Transfer stocks, bonds, bank accounts and contents of safe deposit boxes
- Prepare a list of clothing that will not be packed with household goods
- Take time to check off previous listed items while you still have time

1 WEEK PRIOR TO MOVE:

- Label items you will need to access easily and place them in separate room or closet
- Clean out your refrigerator and let it air out at least 24 hours before moving
- Drain/Turn off outdoor equipment - hoses, propane tanks, gas and oil from lawnmowers.
- Discard all aerosols, paint, oils, and other flammable or toxic chemicals
- Schedule with utility companies to have utilities turned on at your new home

MOVING OUT DAY:

- RELAX!
- Remember, items packed last will be unloaded first
- Check the house again - attic, basement, stairs, closets, cabinets, garage, behind doors

MOVING IN DAY:

- Have the house ready for delivery prior to the truck's arrival.
- Take a break, sit back, relax and ENJOY YOUR NEW HOME!