Preparing For **Your Move**

Use this checklist to help you get organized and anticipate the tasks that come with moving. Being prepared and thorough will help your move go smoothly!



Set a moving budget

- ☐ Estimated closing costs
- ☐ Moving deposits
- ☐ Moving day(s) costs

Research & estimate moving services

- ☐ Read reviews / request referrals
- ☐ Decide if you want to pack yourself, or pay movers
- ☐ Verify if services include packing boxes and materials
- ☐ Confirm the moving company is registered with the U.S. Dept. of Transportation

Gather records

- ☐ Medical, dental and vet
- ☐ School transcripts
- ☐ Change of address forms, including the DMV
- ☐ Passports, social security cards, legal and financial documents
- ☐ Moving company contract

Memberships & subscriptions

- ☐ Gym
- ☐ Meal delivery service
- ☐ Magazines

Is your move local, interstate or to another country?

- ☐ Make necessary transport plans and hotel reservations
- ☐ Account for meals during your moving days
- ☐ Confirm the date and time you are to meet the movers
- ☐ Build in plenty of travel time!

Have a clear out

- ☐ Donate/Recycle
- ☐ Host a garage sale

Last minute errands

- ☐ Final home repairs/service car
- ☐ Refill medications

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Research services at your new location

- ☐ doctors/dentists/pharmacies
- ☐ schools
- ☐ veterinarian
- ☐ local libraries

Measurements

- ☐ Measure doorways and staircases to make sure large items will fit.

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