

Move In Checklist for Owners

Cleaning:

Tenant retention begins the first day a tenant moves into a property. One of the most controllable factors is the condition of the property. You only get one chance to make a good first impression.

- ❖ We suggest having the property professionally cleaned
- All carpets should be professionally cleaned
- Clean all appliances inside and out, make sure they are in working order
- Dust/Clean the blinds and make sure they are working
- Inspect and Clean/Wipe out all closets, drawers, cabinets, baseboards and cupboard fronts
- All floors should be cleaned and mopped
- Patios and balconies are to be swept off
- Pay special attention to bathrooms and kitchens: scrub floors, counters, showers, tubs, sinks, toilets and mirrors.
- Front/Back yards Make sure to mow and trim, weed, prune the trees, fix any broken sprinkler heads

Other Items:

- Rekey the property and re-code any alarms or garage codes
- All Exterior doors require a deadbolt
- Provide our office with remotes and keys to the property
- Provide HOA Rules and Regulations/ CC&Rs if applicable
- Patch or repair holes in walls
- Re-paint or touch up paint if needed, use neutral colors
- Replace burnt out light bulbs, nonworking batteries and dirty air filters
- Operating smoke detectors and carbon monoxide alarms
- The water heater is secured with two straps
- Operating blinds for all street facing windows

- Clean/Inspect fireplace to ensure it is safe for use
- Check appliances, electrical outlets, windows, and doors
- Label the electrical panel
- Where needed repair or replace torn screens
- Check that the caulking around the tub, sink, and shower is in good condition
- Check for leaks in the bathrooms, and kitchens
- Windows/sliding glass door tracks are cleaned and working
- Fences are not leaning or missing boards
- Fence gates are operational
- Lawn maintained while property is vacant