

2 MONTHS BEFORE MOVING

Create a Moving Binder: Store all contracts, receipts, and checklists digitally or physically.

Set a Moving Budget: Allocate funds for the move, including extra costs for packing, insurance, etc.

Start Decluttering: Donate, sell, or throw away items you no longer need.

Research Schools and Medical Providers: Get necessary records and ensure your kids' schools and doctors are notified.

Pet Preparations: Update vaccinations and find out about pet licensing in your new location.

Backup Important Files: Secure your digital files and financial/legal documents.

4-6 WEEKS BEFORE MOVING

Choose Your Moving Company: Book with American Way Van & Storage and confirm details.

Change of Address: Notify USPS, your bank, utilities, and subscriptions of your move.

Plan for Packing: Start gathering boxes or order packing supplies from us.

Prepare Your New Home: Take measurements to ensure all furniture fits in your new place.

Arrange Travel: Book hotels or flights if necessary for long-distance moves.

1 MONTH BEFORE MOVING

Confirm Your Moving Date: Confirm your date with American Way Van & Storage.

Transfer Utilities: Set up utility services like electricity, water, and internet at your new location.

Finalize Packing Plans: Start packing non-essentials and label boxes clearly.

Reserve Parking for the Moving Truck: Ensure there's enough space for the truck to park on moving day.

Prepare Important Documents: Keep critical documents (birth certificates, legal papers) in a safe, easily accessible location.

2 WEEKS BEFORE MOVING

Pack Essentials: Pack a suitcase with clothes, toiletries, and anything you'll need immediately after the move.

Cancel Services: Discontinue or transfer any recurring services like cleaning, lawn care, etc.

Confirm Moving Details: Double-check with American Way Van & Storage about the specifics of your move.

Confirm School and Medical Transfers: Finalize enrollments and records for schools and medical providers.

Take Care of Kids and Pets: Arrange care for children and pets on moving day.

1 WEEK BEFORE MOVING

Finish Packing: Pack up the remaining items and leave only necessities for the final days.

Defrost Appliances: If moving appliances like fridges or freezers, make sure they're clean and dry.

Make a "Moving Day Bag": Pack items you'll need right away (snacks, phone chargers, medications).

Check the Weather: Be prepared for any weather conditions on your move day.

Confirm Parking and Access: Ensure there's adequate parking and access for the moving truck.

MOVING DAY

Check Your Boxes: Ensure everything is packed, sealed, and labeled properly.

Meet Your Movers: Confirm details with your American Way Van & Storage team upon arrival.

Walkthrough Your Home: Double-check that nothing has been left behind.

Stay Organized: Keep your “moving day bag” close and accessible.

Tip Your Movers: If you're satisfied with our service, a tip is always appreciated!

Thank Your Real Estate Agent: Leave any necessary keys or documents with your agent.

AFTER THE MOVE

Unpack Gradually: Take your time to unpack rooms one by one.

Set Up Utilities: Confirm that all utilities and services are running at your new home.

Change Locks: For added security, consider changing locks on doors.

Housewarming Party: Celebrate your new home with friends and family!

Leave a Review: Let us know how we did by sharing your experience with American Way Van & Storage.

For more moving tips and to schedule your move, visit

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