### MOVING HOME CHECKLIST

#### 6 - 8 WEEKS AHEAD
- Get estimates for movers or rental truck
- Schedule movers or rental truck
- Determine furniture layout for new home
- Make inventory of household items
- Arrange for school transfer
- Fill out change-of-address card with post office
- Clean out all closets and drawers
- Ask for doctor and dental referrals; arrange for transfer of medical and dental records

#### 4 - 6 WEEKS AHEAD
- Get packing supplies: boxes, packing paper, tape, markers
- Have garage sale / donate unwanted items.
- Use up or dispose of food, cleaning supplies and hazardous materials
- Arrange for carpet and drapery cleaning
- Arrange for house cleaning

#### 2 - 3 WEEKS AHEAD
- Set aside critical documents and items you will keep with you
- Transfer prescriptions
- Make sure pets have ID tags for their collars
- Change address:
  - Family and friends
  - Magazines
  - Employer
  - Newspaper
  - Bank Accounts
  - Credit card bill
  - Health, life and auto insurance policies

#### 4 - 6 WEEKS AHEAD
- Arrange for move of pets
- Arrange for move of plants
- Arrange for transfer of homeowner’s / renter’s insurance
- Begin Packing
- Request travel arrangements
- Arrange for relocation package from chamber of commerce of new town
- Arrange for utilities (cancel old; start new):
  - Electricity
  - Cable / Satellite
  - Gas
  - Gas / Sewer
  - Telephone / DSL
  - Garbage / Recycling
  - Cable / Satellite
  - Bank Accounts
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## 1 - 5 Days Before Move
- Defrost freezer
- Empty ice maker and ice cube trays in case of power shutdown
- Clean refrigerator, stove and oven
- Disconnect and drain appliances for move
- Drain fuel from power equipment
- Close out safe deposit box
- Confirm travel arrangements
- Confirm arrival time of movers / pick-up time of rental truck
- Have payment and snacks ready for movers
- Gather and clean outdoor furniture
- Return cable box, cable modem, DSL modem if necessary
- Organize keys
- Clean house
- Finish packing
- Prepare food for moving day

## Moving Day
- Disassemble beds
- Give movers tour and instructions for what is being moved
- Double-check that all cupboards, closets, dishwasher and other appliances are empty.

## Within 30 Days of Moving
- Clean the carpets in your new home
- Install a new home security
- Re-establish safe deposit box
- Sweep your chimney before you use it
- Leave a review of your experience with Newman Removals
  - Change address:
    - Driver’s license
    - Auto registration
    - Voter registration

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**Enjoy Your New Home!**