Vital Document Checklist



Compiling and securing important legal and financial documents should be one of your first tasks. Once assembled, consider scanning and sharing these files with a trusted friend or family member. Original paper copies should be kept secure and close at hand throughout your move.

Key documents may include:

- □ Legal Identification
- □ Birth/Death Certificates
- Marriage License
- □ Name Change Documentation
- Passports
- Driver's License

Estate Planning Documents

- □ Revocable Living Trust
- Advanced Medical Directives
- □ Last Will and Testament
- Financial Power of Attorney
- Do Not Resuscitate (DNR) Order

Insurance Policies and Beneficiary Designations

- □ Life Insurance
- Health Insurance
- Long Term Care Insurance
- Disability Insurance
- □ Property/Homeowner Insurance
- □ Vehicle Insurance
- Umbrella/Liability Insurance

Bank Statements

- □ Checking Accounts
- Brokerage Account
- $\hfill\square$ Investment Statements (List and Location of
- □ Assets) Retirement Accounts (IRAs, 401(k)s, and
- Annuities) Escrow Accounts
- Personal Loans
- Leases
- Mortgages/Lines of Credit
- Credit Bureau Reports

Proof of Ownership Documents

- Deeds for any Real Estate
- Original Automobile and Boat Titles
- Stock and Bond Certificates
- Prenuptial/Postnuptial Agreements
- □ Assisted Living Lease or Contract
- □ Cemetery Deeds

Business Documents

- Corporate, LLC, or Partnership
- Documents Business Licenses
- □ Contracts

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- □ Employment Agreements
- Business Licenses

