

## **Tenant Vacating Checklist**

Your move is coming up quickly and we hope you are excited about your new place. The last few weeks prior to moving out are no doubt busy and hectic; however there are some important details you will need to be aware of and take care of.

- ⇒ Please provide us the date you will be surrendering the property, along with your forwarding address.
- ⇒ All Utilities are to remain on and in your name until the final day of your tenancy or lease.
- ⇒ Oil heat is your responsibility to provide and exact tank measurement as to the level of oil remaining.
- ⇒ If Vacating in the winter months, you must set the thermostat at no less than 60 (sixty) degrees to help prevent pipes from freezing.

Our goals is to return 100% of your deposit. However, many tenants fail to return the property to the same condition as when they moved in. Remember that a high level of cleaning is expected when you move out. By closely following this checklist, you will ensure you are getting the maximum of 100% of your deposit returned to you. If you need any help or have any questions, make sure you contact us and we will be happy to provide you a list of any professional services.

All Rooms	Kitchen
Any alterations you may have made must be returned to	Complete the "All Rooms" Checklist first.
original condition unless otherwise agreed in writing.	·
Ceilings, carefully brush down all cobwebs, dust, etc.	Clean, scrub oven including control panel, control knobs,
	racks, door, glass, broiler.
Ceiling fans, light fixtures, outlets, switch plates, knobs,	Clean hood vent, under hood vent and filter.
fans, covers, face plates, etc	
Clean around door knobs.	Clean drip pans. We strongly encourage you to replace
	all drip pans if necessary.
Replace missing or burned out light bulbs, with similar	Clean and scrub all cabinets, drawers, shelves, counter
matching light bulbs.	tops and face, back splash, cutting board.
Clean all doors, trim and baseboards.	Clean and scrub refrigerator and freezer inside and out.
	Including grill work on front, bottom and underneath.
	Replace filter if it has one.
Clean all window sills, window tracks, sliding glass door	Leave refrigerator running, please do not disconnect or
tracks.	turn off.
Clean inside all closets, shelves and wipe rods.	Clean and scrub microwave inside and out.
Clean cabinets, face and shelves.	Clean and scrub dishwasher inside and out, including
	around the edges of the dishwasher door.
Clean drawers, inside and out.	Clean and scrub sink and faucet.
Clean stair rails and ledges.	Garbage Disposal should be running and free of debris.
Gently wipe walls as needed to remove smudges,	Clean and scrub and food, grease, smoke etc from
handprints and dirt.	kitchen blinds, walls, hood, etc.
Small nail holes should be left as is. More than 5 holes in	
any wall if beyond normal wear and tear and will need to	
be repaired by a professional. Larger holes, molly bolts,	
screws is considered beyond normal wear and tear and	
will be repaired by a professional at your cost. Minimum	
charge of \$75 to repair each wall back to original	
condition.	



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Living Room / Dining Room / Family Room /	
Bedrooms	
Clean blinds and remove all debris, dust from each blind.	Complete the "All Rooms" Checklist.
Clean interior windows and screens up to eight (8) feet.	
All window treatments such as curtain rods, shades,	Bathrooms
blinds which were provided or included with property must	
be cleaned and left in good working condition.	
Vacuum and clean all heat/cool vents, returns and air	Complete the "All Rooms" Checklist.
registers.	
Clean out and sweep/vacuum fireplace, clean fireplace	Clean toilet inside and out, front, back, sides and behind.
screen and glass.	
Sweep and mop rooms.	Clean and polish mirrors.
All smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors must	Clean and scrub counters and front of counters.
be working with working lithium batteries installed.	
Carpet Cleaning, you may choose to hire a professional	Clean tub and shower to remove all soap scum.
carpet cleaner prior to move out. IF the cleaning is not up	
to Owner/Agent's standards, carpets will need to be re-	
cleaned at your cost. We are happy to provide a list or	
preferred professional carpet cleaners.	
	Clean caulk and grout.
Utility / Laundry Room / Mud Room	Clean walls, ceilings, doors and floors to remove spots,
	water residue.
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### Keys:

All keys, garage door openers, parking passes, etc must be returned to our office. Please arrange a time to drop them off to one of our team members.

Note: The property manager will inspect the property only after you surrender the property, and return the keys to our office. By returning the keys to us, you are surrendering possession of the property. This marks the official clean up and move out is finished and allows PropM, Inc to proceed with the turnover and inspection. Rent will be charged until the keys are returned.

## **Security Deposit:**

A final inspection will be conducted and documented after you surrender possession of the property. If any damages are found, we must receive estimates or invoices form vendors before your deposit(s) can be returned less and cost for damage.

As per law, we have 31 days to send your security deposit accounting beginning the day your lease expires and/or you return the keys, whichever is later, officially surrendering possession of the property. Reminder to provide us with your forwarding address.

## **Estimated Cost Sheet**

Prior to your move in, the property was professionally cleaned and inspected. Any carpets were professionally steam cleaned. Upon move out, the unit is required to be in the same clean condition.

After move out, the below items will be thoroughly inspected and considered with respect to possible deductions from your security deposit. The prices are approximate costs and are subject to change without notice. Final Deductions will be based on the actual cleaning or repair costs incurred by the Owner/Agent from the respective contractor. Receipts will be provided.

Further, PropM, Inc. in no way looks to profit from move outs. We are 100% committed to charging the fair costs to restore the property to its move in condition.

Haul trash, debris and garbage away.	\$210 plus dump fee minimum charge.
Clean stove.	\$50.00 minimum charge.
Clean refrigerator.	\$50.00 minimum charge.
Clean mini blinds, vertical blinds, window treatments.	\$12.00 per blind minimum charge.
Clean, sweep, mop uncarpeted floors.	\$27.50 per room minimum charge.
Clean bathroom.	\$27.50 to \$55.00 minimum charge.
Vacuum all carpets.	\$27.50 minimum charge.
Clean all mirrors, cabinets, drawers and shelves.	\$27.50 per room minimum charge.



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Washing walls. (difficult stains will be calculated by hour)	\$27.50 minimum charge,
Replace burned out or missing light bulbs with matching	\$5.00 each, plus minimum trip charge of \$75.00
light bulbs.	
Flea/Tick control.	\$200.00 minimum charge.
Replace dirty AC/Heat filters.	\$75.00 minimum charge.
Remove pet waste (No pet waste is normal wear and tear)	\$100.00 minimum charge.
Mow and trim lawn if applicable.	\$75.00 minimum charge.
Weed and mulch beds.	\$75.00 minimum charge.
Clear all clogged drains.	\$75.00 minimum charge.
Deodorize home.	\$200.00 minimum charge.

Minimum service charge of \$75.00 per hour.

### Painting:

Interior paint is expected to last a minimum of five (5) years. If the property was freshly painted when prior to the beginning of your lease, and painting is required on your move out, you will be charged according to the following scale:

- You will be charged 100% of the cost if you lived at said premises less than eighteen (18) months.
- You will be charged 75% of the cost if you lived at said premises from nineteen (19) to thirty (30) months.
- You will be charged 50% of the cost if you lived at said premises from thirty-one (31) to forty-eight (48) months.
- You will be charged 25% of the cost if you lived at said premises from forty-nine (49) to sixty (60) months.

If the property was not freshly painted prior to your occupancy, you will be charged the pro-rated amount from the date of last painting. Note: Touch up no longer works in painting, entire walls need to be painted as the paint fades and touch ups are an eye sore as the paint on the walls fades over time.

#### **Carpeting:**

Cleaning, as per state required law, the Owner/Agent may deduct the cost of the carpet cleaning from your deposit. If it does not appear to be cleaned according to the Owner/Agent, it will need to be professionally cleaned. If you hired a professional cleaner (which we recommend) prior to move out, you must provide a legitimate receipt and contact information form the company who performed the services. Owner/Agent reserves the right to re-clean if deemed necessary.

Carpet Replacement: Carpet is expected to last ten (10) years or longer. If the carpeting was new when you moved in, and it needs replacement at your move out, you will be charge according to the following scale.

- 100% if your occupancy is less than sixty (60) months.
- 75% if your occupancy is sixty-one (61) to ninety-six (96) months.
- 50% if your occupancy is ninety-seven (97) to one hundred twenty (120) months.

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• 25% if your occupancy is one hundred twenty-one (121) to one hundred forty-four (144) months.

If carpeting was not new upon occupancy, the pro-rated amount from the date of carpet installation will be charged.

If carpet is damaged by a pet, and we are able to remove the stains and odor from the carpet, pad and sub flooring, the actual cost of the process, trip charge will be charged to your security deposit. If the carpet is torn, shredded, ripped, and/or the stains and odor cannot be removed, the full replacement cost of the carpet will be charged, regardless of when the carpet was installed.