

# The Road to Home Ownership





### Why Choose a Keller Williams Agent?

#### When You Work With Us, You Get:

- > A knowledgeable and professional real estate agent
- > A committed ally to negotiate on your behalf
- > The systems in place to streamline buying your home
- > The backing of a trusted company, Keller Williams

#### We Commit to Helping You With Your Home Search By:

- > Previewing homes in advance on your behalf
- > Personally touring homes and neighborhoods with you
- > Keeping you informed of new homes on the market
- > Helping you preview homes on the Web
- > Advising you of other homes that have sold and for how much
- > Working with you until we find the home of your dreams

### Get Pre-Qualified for a Mortgage

Know before you go.

Use a local lender

Don't want any surprises

## PRE-QUALIFY NOW!

### **Find Your Dream Home**

Search requirements

Wants vs. Needs

**Instant Updates** 



MLS is the original source- beware Zillow, Trulia, & other search sites- not quick or accurate.

https://neflogin.flexmls.com/ticket

### **Negotiate the Contract**

### Over 50 Items

#### BINDER

Purchase Price

Time-frames

Possession

**Closing Costs** 

Contract to Close Checklist



### Loan Application & Lenders Appraisal



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#### Items Needed

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- 2 years W2's (2015 and 2014)
- 3. Paystubs: most recent 30 days consecutive
- 4. Last 2 months of all asset statements with all pages. Examples are:
  - a. Checking Account statements/Savings Account statements
  - b. IRA/401k
  - c. Money market/Investments
- 5. Copy of your current mortgage statement (if own other house/s)
- Copy of your current homeowners insurance binder/dec page (if own other house/s)
- 7. Copy of your Driver's License (works best to take picture on phone and email)

#### If you are self employed

1. Need a copy of your business tax returns (unless only filed on personal returns)

#### If you have retirement income

- Copy of your current Social Security Award letter
- 2. Copy of your 1099's for Social Security for 2015 and 2014
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#### If you have child support/alimony income

- Copy of the full divorce decree or child support order
- 2. Proof of money going into bank account for 6 months

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I look forward to helping you and your family to reach your financial goals in 2016.

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### Home & Pest Inspections (WDO)

#### No house is perfect.

Basic Home Condition Checklist-

ASHI home inspector inspection- looks for things that may not be readily visible.

Home inspectors are generalists, some things may require review by a specialist.

Wood Destroying Organisms (WDO) inspection includes creepy crawlies & wood-decaying fungi.

The goal is to limit potential surprises

### Request Repairs If Applicable

No house is perfect

Contract is As-Is by default

Sometimes it makes sense to ask a seller for a repair or concession, sometimes it doesn't.

### Buyer Purchases Hazard Insurance

Mortgage company will require hazard insurance to protect your mutual investment.

Flood insurance- Optional vs. Required





### Loan Approval

First comes the "Conditional" Approval

Generally there is some additional paperwork

Then "full" approval

Clear to close!!!!



### **Pre-Closing Walk Through**

Verify repairs completed & receipts provided (if applicable)

Substantially the same condition as time of contract/inspections.

Cannot raise new issues/concerns



### **Buyer Receives Closing Disclosure**



3 days prior to closing the buyer will receive the closing disclosure (CD).

Will have the bottom line number that needs to be brought to the closing.

### Signing Documents @ Closing

Approximately 1 hour

Bring 2 forms of ID.

"Cash to close"- wire

Sometimes you don't get the keys.







