

How To Place An Order

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Placing an order for the first time and need assistance? This article can help.

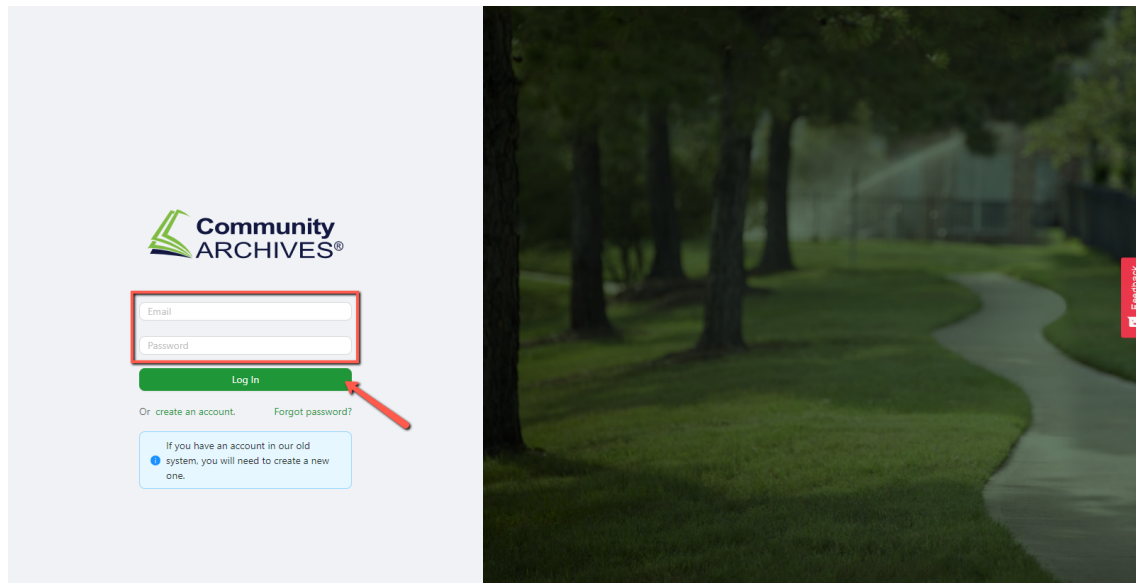
If you are a new user, you'll first need to create a new account. For a step-by-step guide on registering as a new user, please see [New User Registration](https://support.communityarchives.com/en/support/solutions/articles/70000461910) (<https://support.communityarchives.com/en/support/solutions/articles/70000461910>).

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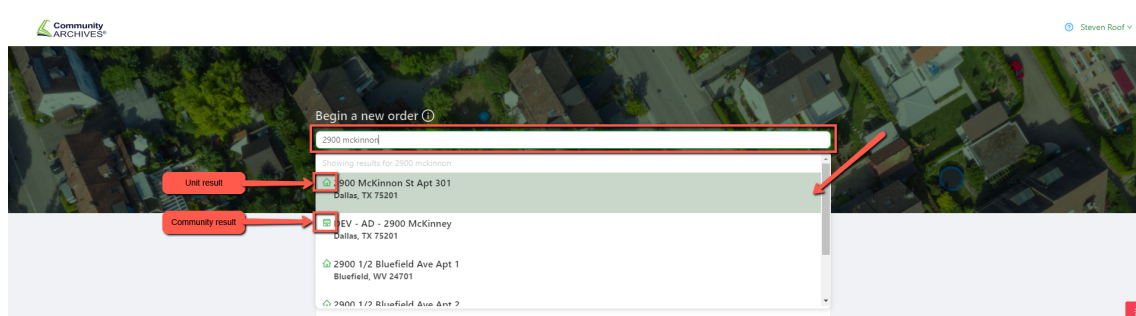
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Section 1: Finding the Right Product

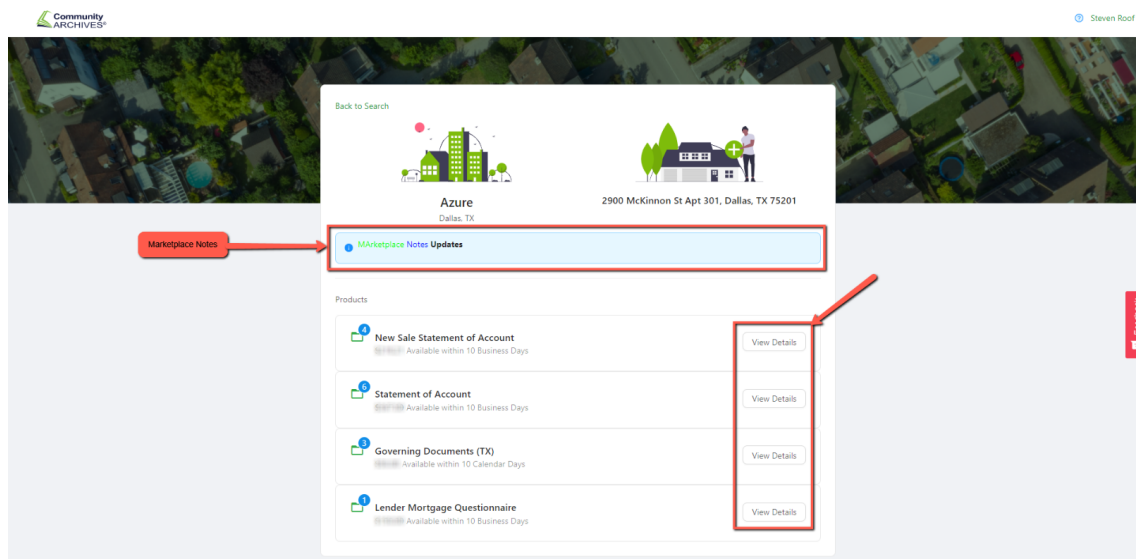
- Navigate to the Community Archives Marketplace (<https://marketplace.communityarchives.com> (<https://marketplace.communityarchives.com>)))



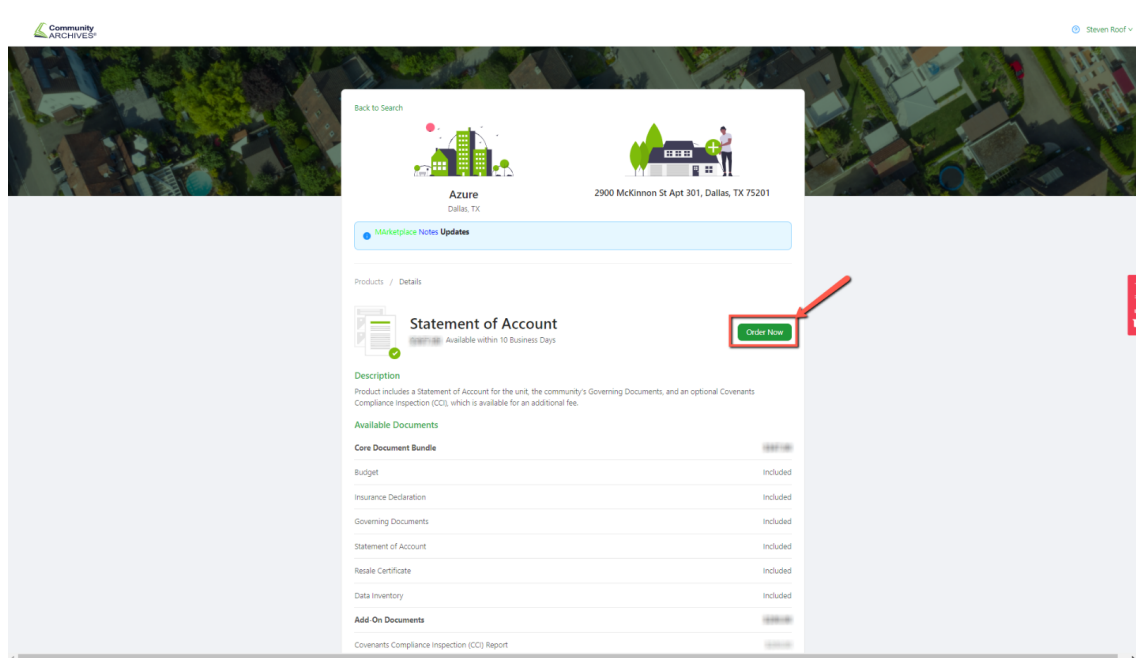
- You should be on the dashboard. From here, you can search by unit address OR community name, but unit address is preferred. You'll need to type in the search, but you should avoid entering city, state, and postal code unless there are too many matching addresses.



- After selecting a unit or a community, you'll be taken to the community's marketplace page. If the community has any information shopper's should know about, it will be displayed under the community name in a blue box (see below). Click "View Details" next to a product to navigate to the product details page.



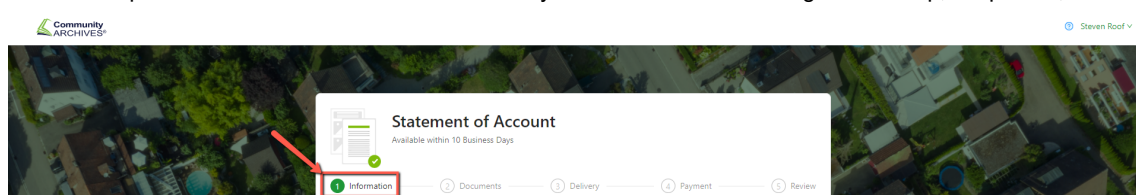
- Carefully review the product name and description to ensure you have selected the correct product before proceeding. Once you're ready to proceed, click the checkout process.
 - If you haven't selected an address yet, clicking order now will show you a list of verified units from the community. You must EITHER select an existing unit or create a new unverified unit. For more information on creating a missing unit, please view the following solution article: **Creating a Missing Unit** (<https://support.communityarchives.com/en/support/solutions/articles/70000583832>).
 - Some products may have "Required Documents" that are provided as an FYI OR must be completed and returned prior to order delivery. For more information on required documents, please view the following solution article: **Required Documents** (<https://support.communityarchives.com/en/support/solutions/articles/70000461867-how-to-place-an-order>).



Section 2: Order Checkout

Step 1: Information

The first step of order checkout is "Information" and you'll add/edit the following on this step; Properties, Closing Information (where applicable), and Resale Information (where applicable).



- Finally, you'll provide any additional Required Information in the next section. All required fields have a red asterisk next to them. When you're ready, click **to Step 2: Documents**.

IMPORTANT If the "Next" button is grayed out, please see below:

- Do not paste in the Seller or Buyer mailing addresses. You can **EITHER** search for a valid address and select it from the

Step 2: Documents

The second step of order checkout is "Documents" and you'll add/edit the following on this step; Properties, Closing Information (where applicable), and

- First, you'll review your "Core Documents." Products will **EITHER** be a bundle, which means a flat rate for all documents **OR** a la carte, which means individually and can be removed as needed.

- Finally, if any of your chosen documents require a supporting document (you'll see the "Needs Supporting Document" tag next to them) you'll need to "Upload," choose the file you wish to use, then click "OK."
 - You can also check the "I want to use this document for future orders" if you'd like us to save the document for your company.

- Once you've made your document selections, click "Next" to move to **Step 3: Delivery**.

Step 3: Delivery

The third step of order checkout is "Delivery" and you'll add/edit the following on this step; Priority, Recipients, and Shipment.

- Next, you'll specify any "Recipients" who should receive a digital copy of the order. You and any company recipients will always be listed, but you can add more. i.e. the seller and/or buyer. Click "+New Recipient" and enter the email address of the recipient.

- Finally, if the product has Shipment options available, you can click "I would like a hard copy of my order" and specify format, shipping time, and

- When you're ready to continue, click "Next" to move to **Step 4: Payment**.

- Credit card payments carry a 4% convenience fee that will appear as a separate line item on your invoice.
- Next, you'll choose your "Payment Timing Option" and depending on the product settings, available options will include one or more of the following:
 - "In Advance" means the payment must be made BEFORE documents are delivered.
 - "Net 90" means that payment is due within 90 days of the order being delivered, regardless of closing occurring or not.
 - "After Closing" means that payment is due after the closing is confirmed (only).
- Finally, you'll choose your payment party. You can choose to pay for the order yourself or you can choose someone else and send them a payment link. If you choose someone else, enter their email and click "Next" to move on to **Step 5: Review**.

Statement of Account
Available within 10 Business Days

Information Documents Delivery **Payment** Review

How would you like to pay for this order?

☒ Credit Card

☐ Check

Payment Timing Options

☐ The current due date on your order will be adjusted based on when payment is received

☐ After Closing

☒ In Advance

☐ Net 90

Who will pay for this order?

☐ Me

☒ Someone Else

Third Party Payer Email

IMPORTANT If you choose "In Advance" and EITHER choose "Check" for payment method OR "Someone Else" for party, your due date will be 90 days from the date of the order.

Step 5: Review

The fifth and final step of order checkout is "Review" and you'll confirm your selections from the previous steps and place your order on this step.

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Information Documents Delivery Payment **Review**

Review Order

Price Breakdown

Core Documents (8)	\$1,000.00
Add On Documents (0)	\$0.00
Inspection Reports (1)	\$1,000.00
Priority (Standard)	\$0.00
Shipping (Digital Download)	\$0.00
Subtotal:	\$2,000.00
Total	\$2,000.00

Estimated Delivery
Friday, February 25th 2022, 10:00 am

By placing an order, you agree to our Terms and Privacy Policy.

- On this step, you'll see a price breakdown based on your selections in the previous steps, and "Estimated Delivery" date, and the option to place your order to finalize or "Previous" to go back to a previous step.
- After placing your order, you'll be directed to the order confirmation page. This page shows an overview of your order, and contact information for the order. You can click "View Details" to go to the order details page if you like.

Need to change something on your order? Visit our articles related to Upgrading Priority on an order (<https://communityarchives.freshdesk.com/en/support/solutions/articles/70000462076>) or canceled orders (<https://communityarchives.freshdesk.com/en/support/solutions/articles/70000462071>) for more information.

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