# 15 Essential Things

You Need To Do

Before Selling.





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#### <u>Repairs</u>

Fix any obvious issues to ensure the home is in good condition.



#### <u>Deep Clean</u>

Thoroughly clean every area of your home, and remove odors to create a fresh and inviting atmosphere.



#### Declutter

Remove unnecessary items to make spaces feel larger and more open.





## <u>Lighting</u>

Open curtains, and replace bulbs to create a warm, well-lit feeling.



#### Neutral Colors

Consider repainting/removing wallpaper to create neutral tones to appeal to a broader range of buyers.



### <u>Organize Closets</u>

Remove unnecessary items, and neatly arrange existing items to maximize perceived storage space.

#### <u>De-personalize</u>

Take down family photos and personal decor to help buyers envision themselves in your space.



#### <u>Upgrade Fixtures</u>

Swap out outdated light fixtures and cabinet handles for modern options.

#### <u>Safety Features</u>

Ensure smoke detectors, carbon monoxide alarms, and door locks are functional.





#### Paint the Door

A fresh coat of paint on the front door in an on-trend color can create a striking focal point.



#### <u>Landscaping</u>

Trim overgrown shrubs and trees to keep them neat, enhance architecture, and increase visibility.



#### Add Accessories

Add a new door handle, welcome mat, fresh mulch in the beds, and some potted plants to enhance curb appeal.

#### <u>Pet Damage</u>

Repair chewed baseboards/door frames, replace/clean carpeting if it has pet stains, replace window screens if torn.



### <u>Improve Air Quality</u>

Replace air filters, run an air purifier, and keep floors swept/vacuumed to minimize odors and allergens.



#### Remove Pet Items

Pet items can impact the perception and cleanliness of a space. Remove toys, beds, dishes, and pet related decor.







You don't have to tackle the overwhelming process of preparing your home for sale alone! The team at Mark Adams & Associates offers a free consultation and can assist with all aspects of the selling process. Our comprehensive checklist is designed to help you identify key areas that need attention before listing your property. We'll guide you through each step and ensure no detail is overlooked. Contact us today for all your real estate needs, and let us help make your home-selling journey a success!

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