## Your Guide to Staging Like a Pro!

PREPARING YOUR HOME TO GET THE **BEST PRICE POSSIBLE** AND A **QUICKER SALE**...EVEN IN A HOT MARKET!

## WHAT TO DO FIRST...

- Disengage See your home as a "product"
- **Commit to the Process** Hard work = Rewards
- Get Help Using a professional stager will increase your staging returns enormously!
- Packing Starts Now Get 3 large boxes and have one for trash, packing & Goodwill
- Fix It Only low ball investors like homes that need work, so make those repairs now!
- No Profile Don't allow buyers to profile you politically, religiously or otherwise-Pack it up
- Photo Rules Buyers will see your home online, take a photo to gage if you like what you see.
- Create Space Make sure all pathways are clear, it's OK to move furniture off the wall
- **Lighting** Remove old drapes, trim bushes around windows and get LED bulbs
- Modernize Buy fresh pillows, large artwork, live plants, white towels & replace old lights
- Outsource Your Agent has a list of fantastic vendors to assist you with this BIG job!

Still feel like you need some help?
We've got you covered! Check out our work at www.newwavestaging.com.

## DID YOU KNOW

According to a recent survey of over 4200 homes, spending 1-3% of the value of your home on home staging & upgrades will typically net you a 10% return in the sale!



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