

Disconnect Utilities

You should be disconnected from your utilities. Notify relevant services at least 48 hours in advance. You may be able to redirect these services to your new address, so its all ready when you arrive.

GasElectricity	WaterTelephone
Redirect Bills Mail Internet Connect	
Advise friends, business & associates of your new address	
Go through your address book and send out change of address cards. You can buy these from the post office or have them cheaply printed at your local instant printer. Alternatively, you can email your new address to people.	
 Friends Family Sporting Groups Doctor Banks Accountant / Sol Road Authority for Drivers Licence and Electoral commission 	
Getting ready to move	
 Get quotes from removalists and book the one most suited to your needs Arrange insurance for goods in transit (your removalist may cover this) Prepare floor plan of your new house and number rooms for boxes Pack jewellery and valuables and take them yourself or arrange a special carrier 	 Pack fragile items yourself Mark each carton with the room number it's intended for Mark items to be handled with special care Defrost the fridge and freezer Throw out rubbish in sealed bags. Water the garden for one last time Don't forget the pets
Plan ahead for your new home	
 Prepare to have the carpets cleaned Prepare to clean cupboards and bathrooms 	 Prepare for utilities to be connected Arrange house and contents insurance
Final Check	
 Turn off the water, gas, electricity Check all cupboards, storerooms, sheds and under the house 	 Lock up securely, leaving some ventilation Hand over keys to agent or new owner
Enjoy your new home!	