## Buyers CHECKLIST

prepare your finances
Know Your Credit History
Calculate Your Debt & What Monthly Mortgage Payment You Can Afford
Gather Your Tax, Financial, & Employment Documents
Find A Mortgage Lender
Complete Your Loan Pre-Approval
find a home
Research Your Favorite Local Areas & What You Need In A Home
Search For Homes Online
Visit Homes In Person
Make An Offer
Negotiate The Transaction Terms
final steps
Deposit Earnest Money As Soon As Possible
Perform Inspections As Soon As Possible & Determine Any Repairs Before Contract Deadline
Let Lender Know You Are Under Contract & Give Them All Requested Documents As Soon As Possible
Lender Will Order Appraisal As Soon As Inspections Are Done and Issues Resolved
Review Title Commitment
Perform Appraisal
Choose Home Owners Insurance
Turn On Utilities
Schedule Closing
Final Walkthrough
Pay For Closing & Close The Transaction