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- ✓ Get organised and compile a file so everything is safely stored together
 - ✓ Organise insurance on your new property irrespective of existing owners cover
 - ✓ Research your new local community, including schools, sporting clubs and the best coffee shops in town
 - ✓ Begin asking around for quotes on removalist truck rentals and book accordingly
 - ✓ Confirm the loan paperwork is signed, lodged and approved by your bank
 - ✓ Start packing the items you use infrequently, remember to label all your boxes
 - ✓ Leave packing the bare necessities till last, and keep your valuables with you on moving day
 - ✓ Action the redirection of your mail to your new address
 - ✓ Advise the electoral commission, your bank, VicRoads and any running subscriptions of your new address
 - ✓ Using the floorplan of your new home, plan a strategy of furniture layout
 - ✓ Confirm the settlement details with your conveyancer/ solicitor
 - ✓ Organise connection and disconnection of your power, water, telephone and gas supply
 - ✓ Arrange new registration/ address tags for your furry family members
 - ✓ Notify your friends, family and wider network of your new address e.g. doctor and dentist
 - ✓ Arrange for your current home to be cleaned and unnecessary rubbish to be removed
 - ✓ Collect your new keys from your Hodges office
 - ✓ Turn off lights, hot water and lock the home securely before you say goodbye to your old home
 - ✓ Finally, say hello to your new neighbours and enjoy settling into your new home!

