

# WINTER HOME MAINTENANCE CHECKLIST



A LITTLE PREP NOW  
PREVENTS BIG PROBLEMS LATER.



✓ Test all GFCI devices.



✓ Make sure any frozen or stored windows are at least 20 feet away from your furnace/combustion.



✓ Familiarize responsible family members with location and operation of the main gas valves and other appliance valves.



✓ Clean the clothes dryer exhaust duct, damper, and the space under the dryer.



✓ Make sure all electrical holiday decorations have tight connections.



✓ Clean the kitchen exhaust hood and air filter.



✓ Make sure that the caulking around your bathroom fixtures is adequate to prevent water from seeping into the sub-flooring.



✓ Make sure that the caulking or weatherstripping around the windows and doors is adequate in order to keep down your heating and cooling costs.



✓ Have a heating professional check your heating system every year.



✓ Remove any bird's nests from chimney flues and outdoor electrical fixtures.



✓ Protect your home from frozen pipes.



✓ Run all gas-powered lawn equipment until the fuel is gone.



✓ Test your emergency generator.



**PREPARE TODAY,  
PROTECT YOUR HOME  
ALL WINTER LONG.**



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