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Exterior Items

- Close and secure awnings
- Secure chairs and other outdoor items such as grills, bicycles, mats and tables

Water Tanks

- Disconnect and drain the freshwater hose
- Store the freshwater hose
- Drain water filters and store them securely
- Disconnect and drain the utility water hose
- Empty and flush freshwater tank
- Prepare freshwater tank for storage using bleach and water
- Empty and flush blackwater tank at designated area
- Clean and prepare black water tank for storage using water and an enzyme-type product
- o Empty and flush gray water tank
- Clean and prepare the gray water tank for storage
- Disconnect the sewer hose and clean it
- Store the sewer hose

Utilities

- Remove and stow the satellite dish or TV antenna
- o Remove and store portable solar
- Disconnect phones and cable TV cables, store the cords
- Shut off propane
- o Turn the gas water heater off

Power

- Disconnect the RV from the power supply
- Store the power cord, surge protector, and adaptors

Stabilizing Items

- Put stabilizing jacks up and lock them
- Remove the wheel chocks and stow them
- Pull the rig off leveling blocks and stow them

Trailer Hitch

- Put the landing gear at the right pitch height
- Hitch the trailer
- Connect the breakaway switch cable
- Plug in the power cord
- Raise the landing gear
- o Inspect the brakes
- Check the trailer lights

Other

- Wipe down and remove debris from all slide-outs
- o Close slide-outs securely
- Lock all exterior compartments
- o Stow the folding steps
- Lock the trailer
- Walk all around the RV checking for any loose or forgotten items



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Internal Tasks and Items

Utilities and Appliances

- Turn the water pump off
- o Turn the electric water heater off
- o Turn the pilot lights off
- Turn the furnace or air conditioning unit off

Kitchen Area

- o Empty and turn off the refrigerator
- Lock the refrigerator door
- Close and lock or secure all cabinets and cupboards
- Put loose items away in a secure location

Bathroom Area

- Put shower items and supplies away securely
- Secure the shower doors
- Put loose sink items and other bathroom items away

Windows and Vents

- Close all vents
- Shut all windows

Slides

Close and lock all slides

Garbage

- Empty all trash cans
- Store trash cans in a secure location

Other

- Check all interior areas for loose items and store them away
- o Turn off all lights and fans
- o Lock the main entry door

Maintenance Before You Go

- Check lights to make sure all are working properly
- o Test brakes for proper functioning
- Inspect tires for damage, or wear and tear
- Check the tire pressure
- Check fluid and oil levels

Additional Notes

