



HEADING NORTH FOR THE SUMMER?

Here are a few suggestions to keep your Florida home safe and secure until you return:

- √ Lower and secure storm shutters
- √ Put in a forwarding order with the Post Office
- √ Put your phone, cable and internet on 'seasonal' status
- √ Stop newspaper subscriptions
- √ Have prescriptions transferred
- √ Empty and turn off icemaker
- √ Unplug small appliances
- √ Shut off the water at the outside main valve
- √ Shut off the breaker to the water heater
- √ Leave the air conditioning set at 80 degrees
- √ Be sure all windows and doors are securely locked
- √ Leave a key with a trusted neighbor or employ a 'home watch person or service'
- √ **All outside items and furniture must be brought inside or secured in the event of a storm**
- √ Notify the business office that you're leaving