# FinancialCop Legacy Go-Bag

A guide to help organize your important financial documents and ensure your legacy is carried out according to your wishes.



In the event that I pass away or am seriously injured, the following pages should serve as a means to assist my family in helping locate important financial documents, and/or help them organize personal finances. The information included is only meant for my family and/or agency use with my permission.

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#### **INSTRUCTIONS AND PURPOSE**

The purpose of a Legacy Go-Bag is to create an organized place to have all important personal information and instructions to help your family locate items related to your personal finances and final wishes. A Legacy Go-Bag will help give them specific instructions, from you, about how you want things to occur in the event that you pass away or are seriously injured.

Consider keeping the items within this Legacy Go-Bag in a safe and secure place, like a bank safety deposit box or a very secure and fireproof rated safe. Accordion files can be good tools to keep the sections separated with this Legacy Go Bag as the first section. Ensure backup copies are made and kept with trusted people.

#### ITEMS TO CONSIDER INCLUDING IN YOUR LEGACY GO-BAG

- Letters to loved ones and department instructions
  - Spouse
  - Children
  - O <u>Department</u>
- Last Will and Testament
- Funeral Instructions
- Financial Accounts
- Passwords
- Insurance Policies
- Income Taxes
- Monthly Budgets
- Important Documents
- Special Items

The following pages are designed to help you gather this information and begin to organize these items. They may not be inclusive of everything as each individual's circumstances may require more, or less information that is included within this packet.

### **Date Completed**

## **Personal Information**

Full Legal Name	DOB
Address	
	Badge Number
Department contacts	
Name	Phone Number
Name	
	Phone Number
Spouse Information:	
Full Legal Name	DOB
Address	
	Phone Number
Children Information:	
Full Legal Name	DOB
Child lives with	
	Phone Number
Children Information:	
Full Legal Name	DOB
Child lives with	
	Phone Number
Children Information:	
Full Legal Name	DOB
Child lives with	
	Phone Number
Children Information:	
Full Legal Name	DOB
Child lives with	
Address of Child	Phone Number

#### **COVER LETTERS**

This section is designed to let family members know where important instructions / letters are at to help guide them on your wishes and locations of the documents within this Legacy Go Bag. You should consider writing a letter to each of the people below. For more information on these go to <a href="https://www.financialcop.com/resources/legacy-planning">www.financialcop.com/resources/legacy-planning</a>

- Letter to your spouse.
- Letter to children and loved ones.
- Departmental letter to Include items in this letter if you are killed or injured in the line of duty such as:
  - Notification instructions to spouse and children to include which close officer you wish to accompany administration to make notifications.
  - Designate the officer you want as the liaison between family and your department.
  - o Include lock combinations for locker if applicable

#### LAST WILL & TESTAMENT / LIVING WILL

These documents detail how you want to disperse your assets and property, how you want your estate to be handled and divided once you pass away, how to preserve your wealth, and what your wishes for your assets are. For more information about these different documents go to <a href="https://www.financialcop.com/wills-living-wills">www.financialcop.com/wills-living-wills</a>

Date Will & Testament completed	Named Executor
Location of Will & Testament	
Attorney used	Law Firm Name
Attorney phone number	
A Living Will details how things should be tre these were completed	eated while you are still alive. List the dates each of
Medical Power of Attorney	Medical Directive
Durable/Financial Power of Attorney	HIPPA Release
Organ DonorYESNO	
Location of Documents	

### **FUNERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

In the event	of my passing the fo	ollowing are my p	oreferences.	
I request:	Cremation	Interment	Entombment	
If cremation,	I wish my ashes to	) be		
My burial lo	cation preference_		_Purchased lot	
I request my	service location to	be at		
My church a	ffiliation is		_Religious affiliation:	
I wish to be v	wearing:Cla Sui		Military Uniform Other	
I wish my pa	all bearers to be:			
Veterans Ber	nefits:YesN	No	Military Honors:Yes No	
Please include	e the following in my	Obituary:_		

### FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS

The following is a list of financial accounts. You should consider including copies of recent statements in this section of your Legacy Go-Bag, and you should consider updating these statements on a semi-annual basis.

Banks Name	Account Type
Account Number	Statement in fileYesNo
Login Username	Password
Notes	
Banks Name_	Account Type
	Statement in file Yes No
	Password
Banks Name	Account Type
	Statement in fileYesNo
Login Username	Password
Notes	
Banks Name	Account Type
Account Number	Statement in fileYesNo
Login Username	Password
Notes	
FINANCIAL ADVISOR	
Financial Advisor Name	Phone Number
Address	
	Password
Notes	

PENSION								
Pension Company I	Name		Phone	Number				
Account Number								
Login Username			Passw					
Notes								
RETIREMENT AC	COUNTS							
Account type	45740	1k403	bIRA	Brokerage				
Firm name where a	ssets are held							
Account Number			Staten	nent in file	Yes	_No		
Login Username			Passw	ord				
Notes								
Account type	45740	1k403	bIRA	Brokerage				
Firm name where a	ssets are held							
Account Number			Staten	nent in file	Yes	_No		
Login Username			Passw	ord				
Notes								
Account type		<u> </u>						
Firm name where a								
Account Number								
Login Username			Passw	ord				
Notes								
Account type	457 40	MI 402	h IDA	Drokorogo				
Account type								
Firm name where a	_							
Account Number								
Login Username				ora				
Notes								
Account type	45740	1k403	bIRA	Brokerage				
Firm name where a	ssets are held							
Account Number			Staten	ment in file	Yes	_No		
Login Username								
Notes								

#### **PASSWORDS**

It is important to ensure trusted contacts have a way to access your passwords to close out accounts and ensure bills can still be paid. Include utilities, email accounts, social media accounts, and anything else that has a username and password. There are many good encrypted programs that can help store and create secure passwords as well should you wish to use one of them.

Account type	Account number
Login Website	
Username	
Account type	Account number
Login Website	
Username	Password
Account type	Account number
Login Website	
Username	
Account type	Account number
Login Website	
Username	
Account type	Account number
Login Website	
Username	Password
Account type	Account number
Login Website	
Username	Password
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Account type	Account number
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Username	Password
Account type	Account number
Login Website	
Username	Password
Account type	Account number
Login Website	
Username	Password

### **INSURANCE POLICIES**

### Ensure insurance policy copies are included in your Legacy Go-Bag file section

Account type	Auto	_Home	Umbrella	Life	Other		
Insurance Company	name						
Insurance Agent pho	ne numb	er					
Account Number							_No
Coverage Amounts_							
Login Username							
Notes							
Account type	Auto	_Home	Umbrella	Life	Other		
Insurance Company	name						
Insurance Agent pho	ne numb	er					
Account Number			St	atement ir	ı file	Yes	_No
Coverage Amounts_							
Login Username			Pa	ssword			
Notes							
Account type	Auto	_Home	Umbrella	Life	Other		
Insurance Company	name						
Insurance Agent pho	ne numb	er					
Account Number			St	atement ir	ı file	Yes	_No
Coverage Amounts_							
Login Username			Pa	ssword			
Notes							
Account type	Auto	Home	Umbrella	Life	Other		
Insurance Company			<del></del>				
Insurance Agent pho							
Account Number				atement ir	n file	Yes	No
Coverage Amounts_							_
Login Username				ssword			
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Account type	Auto	Home	Umbrella	Life	Other		
Insurance Company	name						
Insurance Agent pho							
Account Number			St	atement i	n file	Yes	_No
Coverage Amounts_							_
Login Username			Pa	assword			
Notes							
Account type	Auto	_Home	Umbrella	Life	Other		
Insurance Company	name						
Insurance Agent pho	ne numb	oer					
Account Number			St	atement i	n file	Yes	_No
Coverage Amounts_							
Login Username			Pa	assword			
Notes							
Account type	Auto	Home	Umbrella	Life	Other		
Insurance Company	name						
Insurance Agent pho	ne numb	er					
Account Number			St	atement ii	n file	Yes	_No
Coverage Amounts_							
Login Username			Pa	assword			
Notes							
Account type	Auto	Home	Umbrella	Life	Other		
Insurance Company	name						
Insurance Agent pho	ne numb	oer					
Account Number			St	atement i	n file	Yes	_No
Coverage Amounts_							
Login Username			Pa	assword			
Notes							

### **INCOME TAXES**

You should consider keeping income taxes from previous years readily available.

Do you use a CPA/AccountantYes CPA/Accountant Name	No Phone Number
If taxes were done online:	
Online Program Name	
	Password
Previous return copies are located at	
Notes	
MONTHLY BUDGET	
, ,	n important aspect to help surviving family For more information on budgets check out ng
Monthly Budgeting method:  If utilizing an online budgeting website:	
Website name	
Username	
How many previous months are accessible?	
now many previous months are accessible:	_

Notes you wish to discuss about your monthly budgeting

#### **IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS**

It is essential for important people to know the location of important documents. These can be kept within your accordion file and/or the location disclosed below.

Birth certificate location	
Social Security Card location	
Passport location	
SPECIAL ITEMS	
This section is comprised of those items t	hat do not fit in any of the categories above.
<u>Vehicles:</u>	
Vehicle year, make, model	
Lien Holder	Account Number
Phone Number of Lien Holder	
Vehicle year, make, model	
	_Account Number
Vehicle year, make, model	
	Account Number
Phone Number of Lien Holder	
Vehicle year, make, model	
Title Registration location	
	_Account Number
Phone Number of Lien Holder	

Home	
Mortgage Holder	_Account Number
Property Taxes / Property Insurance	Escrowed Yes No
Username	_Password
Phone Number of Lien Holder	
Mortgage Holder	_Account Number
Property Taxes / Property Insurance	EscrowedYesNo
Username	_Password
Phone Number of Lien Holder	
Weapons	
Description	_Location
Serial Number	
Description	_Location
Serial Number	
	_Location
Serial Number	
	_Location
Serial Number	
Description	_Location
Serial Number	
Description	_Location
Serial Number	
Description	_Location
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Serial Number	
Description	_Location
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Serial Number	

Other Personal Property	
Description	Location
Notes	
	Location
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Description	Location
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MISCELLANEOUS
In this section include anything specific you can think of that is not included above, that you want your loved ones to know about.

**DATE** 

**SIGNATURE** 

Your FinancialCop Legacy Go-Bag is designed as a guide to help you organize important documents, thoughts, and instructions for your loved ones. No matter how thorough you are it can be difficult to anticipate, and think of any, and all, situations that may arise if you were to tragically pass away or be involved in a serious accident. This Legacy Go-Bag should help you prepare your family, loved ones, and department as best as possible to help ease the burden they may go through if an event like that occurred.

Oftentimes when an event happens that facilitates the need for this there are massive amounts of emotions and grieving that can end up causing decisions to be rushed and/or made in the heat of the moment. Once you have completed your Legacy Go-Bag you should consider reviewing the contents with the people you intend this to benefit so that they are prepared and know the contents prior to the event happening. This can help lessen the stress if this Legacy Go-Bag gets put to use.



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