

# **Mortgage Refinance Documentation Checklist**

Welcome to Mortgages by Linda! Below is a crucial checklist of documents needed to begin your refinance loan application. Please ensure all applicable items are submitted for both the borrower and co-borrower. Kindly submit the required documents in PDF format—screenshots will not be accepted. Thank you!

### **Personal Information:**

- 1. **Government-issued ID:** Valid driver's license, passport, or state ID.
- 2. Social Security Number: Card or official document displaying Social Security Number.
- 3. **Proof of Residency:** Utility bill, lease agreement, or voter registration card.

## **Property Information:**

- 1. **Current Mortgage Statement:** Most recent statement showing loan balance, interest rate, and payment history.
- 2. Homeowners Insurance Policy: Declaration page of current policy.
- 3. **Property Tax Statements:** Most recent property tax bill.
- 4. **Homeowners Association (HOA) Documents:** If applicable, latest HOA dues statement and contact information.

#### **Financial Information:**

- 1. Income Verification:
  - W-2 Employees: Last 2 years' W-2 forms and 2 recent pay stubs.
  - **Self-Employed:** Last 2 years' tax returns (personal and business) and year-to-date profit and loss statement.
- 2. Bank Statements: Last 2-3 months' statements for all accounts.
- 3. **Retirement Accounts:** Most recent statements for 401(k), IRA, etc.
- 4. Credit Report: Authorization form to pull credit report.

## Other Applicable Information:

- 1. **Divorce Decree:** If applicable, complete signed copy.
- 2. Bankruptcy Documents: Complete signed copy of discharge papers, if applicable.
- 3. Rental Income: Lease agreements and proof of rental income, if applicable.
- 4. Gift Letter: If receiving a financial gift for the refinance, completed and signed gift letter.