Midwest Seasonal Home Maintenance Checklist

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We're here to help homeowners simplify their lives through smart reminders, proactive care, and access to trusted service professionals. This guide gives you a seasonal overview of routine tasks every homeowner should consider.

Why Home Maintenance Matters

Regular maintenance can prevent costly repairs, extend the life of your systems and appliances, and keep your home safe and comfortable. RivoHome helps you stay on track with automated reminders and vetted service professionals.

Spring

- Inspect basement for thaw flooding
- Service HVAC system
- Check sidewalks and driveways for cracks
- Clean gutters of winter debris

Summer

- Inspect siding and roof for hail damage
- Treat decks and outdoor wood
- Test sump pump
- Monitor humidity for mold prevention

Fall

- Winterize irrigation systems
- Check furnace and change filters
- Trim trees to prevent winter breakage
- Clean and inspect fireplace

Winter

- Remove snow from vents and roof edges
- Test emergency generator
- Prevent ice dams on roof
- Salt walkways for safety

Bonus Tips

- Create a digital inventory of major appliances
- Keep receipts and manuals for home systems in one place
- Store emergency contacts and utility shut-off locations

How RivoHome Helps

With RivoHome, you can set custom maintenance reminders, book trusted service providers, store important documents, and access curated how-to content to make home care less stressful.

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