- 1. Counseling session, present I.A.B.S., benefits sheet, and then the Buyer Representation Agreement (have Buyer packet available)
- 2. First step to buying your home is obtaining pre-approval from a lender
- 3. Agent will furnish you with a list of lenders and information needed to provide to the lender of your choice
- 4. Making a decision whether you prefer new construction or preowned homes
- 5. If choosing pre-owned homes narrow down choice as to age of property if possible
- 6. Identify you wants and needs too narrow the search for you
- 7. Agent making appointments to view the homes you selected
- 8. Looking at the homes selected and taking notes for decision making
- Agent will do a Competitive Market Analysis on properties you select to help in your decision making
- 10. Decision made by you and now an earnest money and option check must be written when writing this offer
- 11. Earnest money delivered to the title company so they can receipt and begin their title research
- 12. Option money delivered to seller's agent to receipt.
- 13. The option and earnest money check will be deposited and cashed
- 14. Timeline calendar provided for you to comply with all dates on contract
- 15. Title commitment will be sent directly to you from the title company
- 16.Agent will also receive title commitment with remarks if any challenges appear
- 17. Agent will call the title company for a time to close convenient for closing
- 18. Be sure lender gets a copy of the contract
- 19. Agent to furnish list of vendors

- 20. Buyer to choose what inspector to use and set appointment early In option period (buyer typically pays for this at time of inspection)
- 21. Discuss inspection report and any repairs buyers want to ask seller to repair
- 22. If repairs are necessary, then an amendment must be completed and signed by buyers and sent to Seller's agent. We will ask seller to provide repair receipts prior to our walk through
- 23. Negotiations may arise over this amendment and must be settled
- 24. Buyer to choose insurance company and get quote and ask that company to pull a C.L.U.E. report on the property to match to the seller disclosure (preferably accomplished during the option period)
- 25.Lender will order the appraisal
- 26. Check with lender on progress of loan
- 27. Relay final approval of appraisal to all parties
- 28. The appraisal will determine if lender repairs are required
- 29. Schedule a walk through prior to closing to be sure property is in same condition and repairs, if any, were completed. Request repair receipts from seller's agent prior to this walk through
- 30.Get final amount needed to close from title company and bring certified funds
- 31. Schedule your moving in coordination with closing and funding as that is when you will receive the keys and the home will be yours
- 32. Remember to set-up utilities
- 33.Bring your identification, certified funds and any documentation on any name change
- 34. Closing and funding
- 35. Receive keys and any necessary security codes, etc.
- 36.Let family and friends know you new address
- 37.Do a post office change of address
- 38.Congratulations!!!