

The Other Moving Company Issues Fall 2026 Moving Guidance for Williamsburg, VA

Williamsburg movers share fall 2026 booking guidance as population growth keeps demand high across the Historic Triangle.

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Historic Triangle population growth



James City County remains one of the steadily growing localities in the Hampton Roads region, adding roughly 6.5 percent to its population since 2020. The City of Williamsburg has grown to an estimated 15,982 residents, up 3.38 percent from the 2020 census. Continued residential development, retiree relocation, and the annual turnover of students at the College of William & Mary keep housing activity high across Williamsburg, Yorktown and the surrounding communities. That activity translates directly into demand for professional movers, and it does not stop when summer ends.

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New construction in neighborhoods along the Route 199 corridor and continued interest from out-of-state buyers have kept the local real estate market moving through the year. Many of those transactions close in September,

October, and November, which puts a significant share of the area's moves squarely in the fall season.

Why fall is a practical window to move

Nationally, the months from May through September account for the majority of annual household moves. That concentration brings tighter schedules and premium pricing during the summer. By fall, the pressure eases considerably. Cooler Tidewater temperatures make loading and unloading safer and more comfortable for both crews and customers, moving companies have more open dates on the calendar, and families who are settled into the school year can plan a move with fewer disruptions.

"Fall is one of the best-kept secrets in moving," said a spokesperson for The Other Moving Company. "The weather in Williamsburg is ideal, our crews have more flexibility on dates, and customers get more attention on every detail of their move. A family relocating across town, a retiree downsizing near Colonial Williamsburg, and a household heading out of state all benefit from the extra breathing room this time of year."

Recommended booking timeline for Williamsburg residents

To help residents make the most of the season, The Other Moving Company recommends the following:

Book two to three weeks ahead. Fall offers more open dates than summer, but weekends and end-of-month dates still fill quickly, especially around closing dates.

Plan around daylight. Days get shorter through October and November, so an earlier start time makes a real difference on larger homes.

Watch the weather window. Autumn in the Tidewater region can bring rain and the tail end of hurricane season. Professional crews come prepared with floor protection and covered handling for furniture and boxes.

Declutter before packing. A seasonal move is a good opportunity to donate or sell items rather than paying to transport them.

Verify credentials. Confirm U.S. DOT registration and proof of insurance before hiring any mover, and ask for a written estimate rather than a verbal quote.

Use storage to bridge the gap. Flexible [storage and portable container options](#) can simplify closings that do not line up perfectly.

Williamsburg market observations from The Other Moving Company

From its Williamsburg location on Endeavor Drive, the company reports steady demand for [local moves within the Historic Triangle](#) alongside growing long-distance activity. Senior downsizing and retiree relocation remain among the fastest-growing categories, driven in part by the area's established retirement communities. Service areas include Williamsburg, Yorktown, Newport News, Hampton, Gloucester, and communities across the Virginia Peninsula, with nationwide and international capability.



TOMCO has been rated number one in customer satisfaction for seven consecutive years in the Nationwide Relocating Employee Survey and was named a 2025 Top Moving Services Provider by Transportation Review. The company holds a 4.6-star rating from Williamsburg-area customers on Google. Residents planning a fall or winter move can request a free, no-obligation estimate through the company's website or by phone, and the team encourages early inquiries for November and December dates.

About The Other Moving Company

The Other Moving Company is a family-owned and operated moving company with locations in Williamsburg and Hayes, Virginia. Licensed and insured (US DOT #915026, MC #396031), TOMCO provides residential, commercial, local, long-distance, and international moving services, along with packing, storage, and specialty moving solutions throughout Virginia and beyond. For more information, visit <https://theothermovingcompany.com>.

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