

Owner / Investor Rental Property Guide

A practical guide for owners and investors preparing to lease, manage, or stabilize a rental property.

Why your agent may share this

Your agent introduced HomeScoutz as a rental-side resource so you can get focused support for leasing, tenant placement, and management questions while your agent relationship stays clear.

When HomeScoutz can help

- You own or are buying a property that needs a qualified tenant.
- You want a rental price opinion, lease-up plan, or market-readiness guidance.
- You need support with applications, screening, lease coordination, or move-in steps.
- You are considering full-service property management after the property is leased.

Two common service paths

Lease-only placement

1 month's rent

\$750 minimum. For owners who need tenant placement without ongoing management.

Full management

50% leasing fee

Of first month's rent, \$500 minimum, plus an 8-10% monthly management fee.

Owner reserve

\$500

Refundable maintenance reserve held for urgent property needs.

Full-service management pricing

Plan	Best for	Monthly fee	Notes
Prime	1 unit	10%	\$75 min / \$199 max
Plus	2-4 units	9%	Portfolio rate
Pro	5+ units	8%	Best portfolio rate

For full-service management, the one-time leasing fee is 50% of the first month's rent (\$500 minimum) when HomeScoutz places a tenant. The monthly management fee is 8-10% based on portfolio size and is charged only when rent is collected. No tenant means no monthly management fee.

Helpful next step

- Share the property address, target rent, photos, current occupancy status, and ideal timeline.
- If the property is under contract, share the expected closing date and any known repair items.
- HomeScoutz can help you decide whether lease-only placement or ongoing management is the better fit.