

Before listing your property with another firm, it's crucial to ask the right questions to ensure you're making an informed decision. Here are the top 20 questions to consider:

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	Mossy Oak Properties Land and Farms Realty	Other Firms
Experience and Credentials		
How long have you been in the real estate business?		
Are you a fully licensed real estate agent or a provisional broker? Circle one.	Broker / PV	Broker / PV
Are you a full-time or part-time real estate agent? Circle one.	FT / PT	FT / PT
Can you provide references from past clients?	\checkmark	
Are you a member of the National Association of Realtors, and do you follow a code of ethics?	\checkmark	
Are you a member of a local board of realtors?	\checkmark	
Local Market Knowledge		
How many buyers and/or sellers have you represented in this specific county or area?		
Can you provide recent sales data for comparable properties in the area?	\checkmark	
Marketing Strategies		
Will you develop a customized marketing strategy for selling a property like mine?	\checkmark	
How many followers do you have on your facebook page?		
What is the primary website used to market your listings?	land and farms realty.com	
How many aggregator websites do you advertise on?		
Listing Price and Strategy		
What is your recommended listing price for my property?		
What is your track record for selling properties at or near the listing price?	%	%
Can you provide a detailed market analysis and CMA to support your recommended listing price?	\checkmark	
Commission and Fees		
What is your commission rate?	%	%
Are there any additional fees? Circle one.	Yes / No	Yes / No
Communication and Availability		
Will you provide monthly updates on the status of my listing?	\checkmark	
What is the best way to reach you? Circle one.	Phone / Email	Phone / Email
What is your usual response time?	minutes	minutes
Market Trends and Conditions		
Will you provide me with current market trends in our area?		
Will you notify me if changing market trends could impact the sale of my property?	\checkmark	
Negotiation Skills		
Can you provide examples of successful negotiations you've handled in the past?	\checkmark	
Legal and Contractual Knowledge		

Are you familiar with the local real estate laws and regulations?	\checkmark		
Will you explain the listing contract, sales contract and other legal documents I'll need to sign?	\checkmark		
Can you explain what Dual Agency and Designated Agency is?			
Presentation and preparation of my property			
Can you offer suggestions for staging and preparing my property for showings?			
Do you have a network of professional contacts, such as home inspectors, appraisers, and attorneys?			
Timeframe and Expectations			
What is your current average Days On Market (DOM)?	DOM	DOM	
Will you help manage my expectations during the selling process?			
Cancellation Policy			
Are there fees associated if I decide to cancel the listing agreement early?			
References and Testimonials			
Can you provide references from past clients who have sold properties similar to mine?			
Potential Buyers and Marketing Target			
Do you have a specific buyer profile in mind for my property?			
Do you have a pool of potential buyers who are interested in properties like mine?			
Online Presence and Technology Use			
Which Multiple Listing Service (MLS) system will my property be listed in?			
Do all of your listings go onto an MLS system and feed to Zillow and <u>Realtor.com?</u>			
Feedback and Showing Reports			
Will you gather feedback from potential buyers and their agents after showings?			
Will you update me on this feedback?			
Contingency Plans			
Will you provide me with a plan if my property does not sell within the expected timeframe?			
Team and Support	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Will you be my primary point of contact?			
Do you have an local administrative staff to assist you?			
Do you have a team of local agents available to assist you?			
Potential Issues or Concerns			
Are there any potential issues or challenges you foresee with selling my property?			
Are those potential issues outlined in the provided Comparative Market Analysis (CMA)?			
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Remember to take notes during the conversation and trust your instincts. The answers provided by the other firms will give you a good sense of their experience, approach, and suitability for selling your property.

Other available downloads for sellers:

- Land & Farms Presentation Package 2023
- Working with Real Estate Agents Pamphlet
- NAR Code of Ethics
- Sample Exclusive Right to Sell Contract
- Sample Offer to Purchase Contract Vacant Land
- Sample Offer to Purchase -Residential
- Sample Residential Property and Owners' Association Disclosure Statement
- Q&A on Home Inspections Pamphlet
- Lead Paint Pamphlet
- Sample MOP Vacant Land Disclosure Statement
- Sample Mineral Oil and Gas Rights Disclosure
- Sample Professional Services Disclosure and Election