

Death of a single account owner without beneficiary

Gather your documents.

Depending on the circumstances, we'll need some documents from you to get started.

Step 1

We'll need:

A copy of the death certificate



Executorship documentation

A document that appoints someone to manage the decedent's estate, as designated in a will or by a probate court. This can be a Certified Executorship, Personal Representative document, Letters of Testamentary or Letters of Administration.

State-specific Small Estate Affidavit

A document that appoints someone to manage the decedent's personal property, including bank accounts, when their assets are valued under a certain amount and a formal probate isn't required.

A copy of the affiant's or executor's ID

Can be:

- 0 Driver's license Foreign government-issued passport 0 O U.S. passport or passport card (must show proof of residence) 0 Permanent residence card
- Photo or non-photo ID O
- Immigration card
- o U.S. military or common access card
- A letter of instruction from the designated owner, beneficiary, trustee or representative of an estate (this isn't legally binding)
- A completed Estate Account Application (optional)

Step 2

Send them to us online or by mail.

If we have questions, we'll contact you within 10 days of receiving your documents.

To send online:

- Log in, choose Profile and Settings and then select Secure Messages (log in and select the envelope icon if you're on our app)
- If you don't have an Ally account, give us a call at 1-877-247-2559 so we can send you a secure link

Or send by mail to:

Ally Bank

P.O. Box 951 Horsham, PA 19044

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