

Purchasing Your First Real Estate Property With a Self-Directed IRA

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About Entrust



- Self-Directed IRA administrators
- Nearly 40 years of service
- 22k+ accounts
- Over \$3.6 billion in investor assets
- Entrust clients get a single point of contact



About Entrust

Entrust is the premier provider of self-directed retirement plans









- Knowledgeable Staff with CISP designations
- Nationwide offices
- National CE program
- National and local in-person events and webinars
- Annual IRA Academy





Benefits of Self-Direction









Planning Your Purchase: Which Plan Is Best For You?

Traditional IRA

Roth IRA

Simplified Employee Pension (SEP) IRA

Savings Incentive Match Plan for Employees (SIMPLE) IRA

Individual 401(k)

HSA

ESA



Planning Your Purchase: Which IRA Is Best For You?

Roth IRA

- Funded with <u>post-tax income</u>
- Qualified distributions are tax-free
- Beneficiaries also enjoy taxfree distributions
- No Required Minimum Distributions (RMDs)

Traditional IRA

- Funded with <u>pre-tax income</u>
- Distributions are taxed
- Required Minimum
 Distributions (RMDs) begin
 at 72



Planning Your Purchase: Which IRA Is Best For You?

SEP

- Employer contributions to employees' IRA are discretionary and tax deductible to the employer.
- No employee contributions

SIMPLE

- No more than 100 employees
- Elective employee salary deferral and employer matching



Planning Your Purchase: Which IRA Is Best For You?

Individual 401(k)

- Tax deductible contributions
- Designed for owner only plans. Have the same benefits of a 401(k) but not subject to nondiscrimination tests
- Plan can only cover owners and spouses



Planning Your Purchase: Real Estate Investment Types





What is a Prohibited Transaction?

Any **improper** use of an IRA or Plan by the plan participant or a disqualified person







Examples of Prohibited Transactions

- Borrowing money from disqualified persons
- Selling property to disqualified persons
- Using an IRA/Plan as security for a loan
- Buying property for personal use with IRA/Plan funds
- Investing in a company owned by a disqualified person



Know The Rules

- Avoid prohibited transactions
- Learn your disqualified persons
- Don't perform services on your properties
- ✓ No improper vacation home use
- ✓ Submit your annual FMV
- ✓ In Kind Distributions are allowed



- You, the account holder
- Your spouse
- A beneficiary of the IRA
- Your lineal ascendants/descendants and their spouses
- IRA fiduciary or plan provider





Due Diligence Tips

Stay Compliant

 Observe all IRS guidelines concerning reporting requirements and prohibited transactions

Location is Key

 Before value evaluation, it is wise to research the crime rate, median income, occupancy, population growth and school rankings in the area

Estimating Value

 By creating lists of income and expense items, you can calculate the projected total cost including taxes, cash flow and annual income



Due Diligence Tips

- Acquire Property Financial Documents
 - Beware of *Bad Debts* and *Misallocated Capital Expenses*
- Research the Property's Title
- Potential Homeowner Association (HOA)
 - Review bylaws, money in reserve and membership fees



- T-12 operating statement
- Current rent roll
- Aged receivables report
- List of recent capital improvements





Due Diligence Tips

Inspecting the Property

- Hire professional(s) to evaluate the condition of the property's walls, roof, electricity, sewer line, and asbestos with you
- Assumption list



Final Decisions & When to Walk Away

- Play devil's advocate
- Always be willing to walk away



Avoid These Mistakes



Failing to create a plan



Skimping on research



Doing everything on your own



Overlooking tenants' needs



Getting poor financing



Overpaying



Underestimating expenses



Purchasing Your Asset

Know Your Purchasing Options:



Direct Purchase (Cash)



Partnering your IRA



Leveraged Purchase with a Non-Recourse Loan



Limited Liability Corporations (LLCs)





Purchasing Your Asset

Vesting of the Property Title



The property title is **vested** in the name of your IRA



Investment documents are **titled** in the name of your IRA

Example of Proper Vesting of the Title:

The Entrust Group, Inc. FBO John Smith Account #12345





Purchasing Your Asset

Escrow Simplified

The **escrow process** occurs between the seller accepting a purchase offer and the buyer taking possession of the home.





Maintaining Your Property: Income & Expenses

- Property management paid out of the IRA
- Maintenance costs must be paid out of the IRA
- Income must be made payable to your IRA, not to your name
- Options if your IRA runs out of funds:
 - Rent the property
 - Transfer funds from another IRA
 - Make a contribution
 - Liquidate other IRA assets



Maintaining Your Property: UBIT & UDFI

- Unrelated Business Income Tax (UBIT)
- Unrelated Debt-Financed Income (UDFI)
 - Acquisition Indebtedness



What's Next?

- **Need more information regarding today's topic?** Fill out the webinar survey
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Time for Questions





Thank You!

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