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HANDCRAFTED FURNISHINGS

How to take care of your Waxed Furniture

1. Always test a small area before cleaning, approx 1x1 in a inconspicuous area to make sure it will not harm the finish.
2. For minor spills, fingerprints, etc., use a lint free (microfiber) absorbent cloth and lightly dab. Keep in mind, the more they are scrubbed / cleaned, the faster the wax wears down. For extra sticky / dirty spots, use a drop or two of dish soap and add water (mixture should be very diluted).
3. When cleaning always wipe with the grain of the wood.
4. It's important to use coasters / pot holders to protect your furniture from standing water and heat.
5. Although the piece is moisture resistant, leaving standing liquid for an extended period of time WILL cause damage.
6. Never use harsh cleaning products like pledge.
7. Again, remember your piece is waxed... therefore over time it will need to be re-waxed. Depending on use and how you take care of your furniture, it could mean anywhere from 6 months to 2 years. When it comes time to needing a fresh coat, I can either: 1. Refer you to a local hardware store to get some reasonably priced wax for you to re-apply (rub on rub off method) 2. Contact me with your name, location and a description of what you needed waxed and I can send you a quote for a service call.

THANK YOU!