THE COLONEL'S

20 Main Street Little Cranberry Island \$875,000





Historic Year-round island Homestead, near harbor.

- Charming, historic home, c.1872, on Islesford, Cranberry Isles
- Timeless and traditional year-round island home lovingly restored but with modern day conveniences
- Offering 12 rooms, 8-bedrooms, 2-baths on three floors
- Large 1.28+/- acre lot that may be possible to divide

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Kitchen Living Room







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List Price: \$875,000

Original List Price: \$975,000

Public Detail Report Seasonal: No

County: Hancock MLS #: 1597571 Property Type: Residential Status: Active

Directions: Take mail boat from Northeast Harbor. From the harbor take Main Street. #20 is the yellow house on left.



20 Main Street Cranberry Isles, ME 04646

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General Information

Sqft Fin Abv Grd+/-: 2,940 Rooms: 12 Year Built: 1872 Sub-Type: Single Family Residence Beds: 8 Saft Fin Blw Grd+/-: 0 Fireplaces Total: 0 New Englander Style: Sqft Fin Total+/-: Furniture: **Furnished** Baths: 2/1 2,940 Yellow Color: Source of Sqft: Other

Saft Other Source: Public

Land Information

Water Body: Atlantic Road Frontage +/-: 215 Waterfront: Leased Land: No No Water Views: Yes Water Body Type: Ocean Source of Rd Front: Public Records Lot Size Acres +/-: 1.28 Residential Zoning: Source of Acreage: Public Records Zoning Overlay: No Surveyed:

Bank Owned REO: No

Interior Information

Half Baths Bsmnt: 0 Full Baths Bsmnt: 0 Half Baths Lvl 1: 1 Full Baths Lvi 1: 0 Half Baths Lvl 2: Full Baths Lvl 2: 1 Half Baths Lvl 3: Full Baths Lvl 3: Half Baths Upper: 0 Full Baths Upper: 0 Appliances: Dishwasher, Dryer; Electric Range; Refrigerator; Washer

Room Name Width Level **Room Features** Length Eat-in Kitchen Kitchen First First Dining Area, Formal Dining Room Living Room First **Heat Stove** Den First Closet

Bedroom 1 Second Closet Bedroom 2 Second Closet Second Closet Bedroom 3 Second Closet Bedroom 4 Third Bedroom 5

VA Certification:

Room Features Room Name Length Width <u>Level</u> Bedroom 6 Third Bedroom 7 Third Third Bedroom 8

Property Features

Site: Level; Open Driveway: No Driveway Parking: On Site

Location: Near Public Beach Restrictions: No Restrictions Rec. Water: Nearby: Public

Island: Yes Roads: Public

Electric: Circuit Breakers

Gas: No Gas

Sewer: Private Sewer; Septic Tank

Water: Private: Well Equipment:Internet Access Available

Basement Entry: Bulkhead; Interior

2 Dtchd Houses on 1 Lot: No Construction: Wood Frame

Basement Info: Bulkhead; Full; Unfinished; Walk-Out Access

Foundation Materials: Granite; Poured Concrete

Exterior: Wood Siding

Roof: Shingle

Heat System: Forced Air; Stove

Heat Fuel: Oil: Wood Water Heater: Electric Cooling: None Floors: Wood

Other Structures: Barn(s); Shed(s) Veh. Storage: No Vehicle Storage

Garage: No Garage Spaces: 0

Amenities: Laundry - 1st Floor; Storage Patio and Porch Features: Porch

View: Scenic

Tax/Deed Information

Map/Block/Lot: 22//13 5160/327/All Full Tax Amt/Yr: \$4,081/ 2023 Book/Page/Deed: Deed/Conveyance Type Offered: Trustee

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Unknown

Tax ID: 20mainstreetcranberryisles04646

Remarks

Remarks: "If once you have slept on an island You'll never be quite the same" wrote the poet Rachel Field. Take the year-round mail boat from Northeast Harbor and find out for yourself. The house was built c.1872 for Colonel William Hadlock who was elected to the Maine legislature twice and served during the Civil War with the 28th Maine Infantry Regiment. Its yellow exterior and commanding presence make it a landmark on Main Street. Conveniently located close to the harbor for the year-round mail boat (or your own boat) and for the enjoyment of the entire island. The main house consists of 8-bedrooms and 2.5-bathrooms on three floors. Enter through the covered front porch on the side into a mud room to the eat-in kitchen with wood floors and cabinets. Note the high ceilings. Follow through to the dining room with crown molding and wide wood floors. A half bath is on this level. Enjoy the den which has attractive half wainscoting. The living room offers partial views of the water over the harbor, a front opening wood stove, and the double front door with vestibule. The second floor has an attractive landing, a bathroom with tub & shower. Four bedrooms on this floor, one of which has an exterior porch with harbor views (morning coffee, watch the gulls as the boats come in). The third floor offers another four bedrooms and a bathroom. There is a full basement plus the addition, which accommodates the laundry, workshop, storage and many options. During the 50+ years of the current ownership, Colonel's has been continually restored, offering a timeless feel but with the addition of modern necessities of 21st century living. The integrity of this year-round, move-in ready island home remains. More photos coming.

LO: The Knowles Company

Listing provided courtesy of:

The Knowles Company One Summit Road Northeast Harbor, ME 04662 207-276-3322

info@knowlesco.com

PROPERTY DISCLOSURE

Under Maine Law, certain information must be made available to buyers prior to or during preparation of an offer. This statement has been prepared to assist prospective buyers in evaluating this property. This disclosure is not a warranty of the condition of the property and is not part of any contract between Seller and any Buyer. Seller authorizes the disclosure of the information in this statement to real estate licensees and to prospective buyers of this property. The Seller agrees to provide prompt notice of any changes in the information and this form will be appropriately changed with an amendment date. Inspections are highly recommended.

DO NOT LEAVE ANY QUESTIONS BLANK. STRIKE, WRITE N/A OR UNKNOWN IF NEEDED.

SECTION I - WATER SUPPLY			
TYPE OF SYSTE	EM: Public Private Seasonal 1990s Unknown X Drilled Dug Other 400 + ft.		
MALFUNCTION	S: Are you aware of or have you experienced any malfunctions with the (public/private/other) water system?		
	Pump (if any): N/A Yes X No Unknown		
	Quantity: Yes X No Unknown		
	Quality: Yes X No Unknown		
	If Yes to any question, please explain in the comment section below or with attachment.		
WATER TEST:	Have you had the water tested? No		
	If Yes, Date of most recent test: Are test results available? X Yes No		
	To your knowledge, have any test results ever been reported as unsatisfactory		
or satisfactory with notation?			
IF PRIVATE: (St	rike Section if Not Applicable):		
INSTALLAT	ION: Location:		
	Installed by: Unknown		
	Date of Installation: 1990as		
USE:	Number of persons currently using system: Up to 20		
	Does system supply water for more than one household? Yes X No Unknown		
Comments: Excel	llent water system. Maintained yearly by Norlens.		
Source of Section	I information: Seller		
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SECTION II - WASTE WATER DISPOSAL				
TYPE OF SYSTEM: Public X Private Quasi-Public Unknown				
Have you had the sewer line inspected?				
Have you experienced any problems such as line or other malfunctions? Yes No What steps were taken to remedy the problem?				
IF PRIVATE (Strike Section if Not Applicable):				
Tank: X Septic Tank Holding Tank Cesspool Other:				
Tank Size: 500 Gallon 1000 Gallon Unknown Other:				
Tank Type: X Concrete Metal Unknown Other:				
Location: West of house OR Unknown				
Date installed:Date last pumped: _As needed Name of pumping company:				
Have you experienced any malfunctions?				
If Yes, give the date and describe the problem:				
Data of lost sorgicing of tooks. Unknown Name of company consising tooks. Unknown				
Date of last servicing of tank: <u>Unknown</u> Name of company servicing tank: <u>Unknown</u> Leach Field: <u>X</u> Yes No Unknown If Yes, Location: <u>West & down hill from house</u>				
If Yes, Location: West & down hill from house Date of installation of leach field: 1980+/- Installed by: Unknown				
Date of last servicing of leach field: <u>Unknown</u> Company servicing leach field: <u>Unknown</u>				
Have you experienced any malfunctions?				
If Yes, give the date and describe the problem and what steps were taken to remedy:				
Do you have records of the design indicating the # of bedrooms the system was designed for? Yes X No If Yes, are they available? Yes No Is System located in a Shoreland Zone? Yes X No Unknown Comments:				
Source of Section II information: Seller				
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SECTION III - HEATING SYSTEM(S)/HEATING SOURCE(S)				
Heating System(s) or Source(s)	SYSTEM 1	SYSTEM 2	SYSTEM 3	SYSTEM 4
TYPE(S) of System	Forced Hot Air, Oil	Woodstove,Liv Rm		
Age of system(s) or source(s)				
TYPE(S) of Fuel Annual consumption per system	Oil	Wood		
or source (i.e., gallons, kilowatt				
hours, cords)				
Name of company that services				
system(s) or source(s)				
Date of most recent service call Malfunctions per system(s) or				
source(s) within past 2 years				
Other pertinent information				
Are there fuel supply lin	nes?		X Yes	No Unknown
Are any buried?				No Unknown
Are all sleeved?				No X Unknown
Chimney(s):			- L	No No
	d:			No Unknown
Is more than one heat	source vented through	one flue?	Yes	X No Unknown
Had a chimney fire:	*******************************	***********************		X No Unknown
	n inspected?		L.	No Unknown
If Yes, date:				
Date chimney(s) last of	eleaned:			
Direct/Power Vent(s):			Yes	No Unknown
Has vent(s) been inspe				No Unknown
If Yes, date:				
Comments: Chimney con	npletely rebuilt 2005	+/-		
Source of Section III infor	rmation: Seller			
Little Speker of Art Hill	SECTION IV	- HAZARDOUS M	IATERIAL	
The licensee is disclosing that the Seller is making representations contained herein.				
A. UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS - Are there now, or have there ever been, any underground				
storage tanks on the prope				No X Unknown
If Yes, are tanks in curren	t use?	*************************	Yes	No Unknown
If no longer in use, how lo	ong have they been ou	t of service?		(managery)
If tanks are no longer in us	se, have tanks been ab	andoned according t	o DEP? Yes	No Unknown
Are tanks registered with l	DEP?	***************************************	Yes	No Unknown
		ze of tank(s):		<u></u>
Location: No known underground storage tanks.				
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What materials are, or were, stored in the tank(s)?		
Have you experienced any problems such as leakage:	Yes	No Unknown
Comments: No known underground storage tanks		
Source of information:		
B. ASBESTOS - Is there now or has there been asbestos:		
As insulation on the heating system pipes or duct work?	Yes	No X Unknown
In the ceilings?	Yes	No X Unknown
In the siding?	Yes	No X Unknown
In the roofing shingles?	Yes	No X Unknown
In flooring tiles?	Yes	No X Unknown
Other:	Yes	No X Unknown
Comments: No known asbestos		
Source of information: Seller		
C. RADON/AIR - Current or previously existing:		
Has the property been tested?	Yes	X No Unknown
If Yes: Date:By:		
Results:		
If applicable, what remedial steps were taken?		
Has the property been tested since remedial steps?		No Unknown
Are test results available?		No
Results/Comments: Property has not been tested by seller		
Source of information: Seller		
D. RADON/WATER - Current or previously existing:		
Has the property been tested?	Yes	X No Unknown
If Yes: Date: By:		
Results:		
If applicable, what remedial steps were taken?		
Has the property been tested since remedial steps?	Yes	No Unknown
Are test results available?		No
Results/Comments: Property has not been tested by seller	'	
Source of information: Seller		
E. METHAMPHETAMINE - Current or previously existing:	Yes	No X Unknown
Comments: No known methamphetamine		
Source of information: Seller		
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PROPERTY LOCATED AT: 20 Main Street, Little Cranberry Island, ME 04646 F. LEAD-BASED PAINT/PAINT HAZARDS - (Note: Lead-based paint is most commonly found in homes constructed prior to 1978) Is there now or has there ever been lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards on the property? Unknown X Unknown (but possible due to age) Yes No If Yes, describe location and basis for determination: Do you know of any records/reports pertaining to such lead-based paint/lead-based paint hazards: Yes X No If Yes, describe: -----Comments:In shed Source of information: Seller G. OTHER HAZARDOUS MATERIALS - Current or previously existing: TOXIC MATERIAL: X Unknown Yes LAND FILL: Yes Unknown RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL: Yes No X Unknown Other: No known hazardous materials Source of information: Seller Buyers are encouraged to seek information from professionals regarding any specific issue or concern. SECTION V - ACCESS TO THE PROPERTY Is the property subject to or have the benefit of any encroachments, easements, rights-of-way, leases, rights of first refusal, life estates, private ways, trails, homeowner associations (including condominiums and PUD's) or restrictive covenants? Yes X No Unknown If Yes, explain: Source of information: Seller Is access by means of a way owned and maintained by the State, a county, or a municipality over which the public has a right to pass? X Yes No Unknown If No, who is responsible for maintenance? Road Association Name (if known): Source of information: Seller

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SECTION VI – FLOOD HAZARD

For the purposes of this section, Maine law defines "flood" as follows:

- (1) A general and temporary condition of partial or complete inundation of normally dry areas from:(a) The overflow of inland or tidal waters; or (b) The unusual and rapid accumulation or runoff of surface waters from any source; or
- (2) The collapse or subsidence of land along the shore of a lake or other body of water as a result of erosion or undermining caused by waves or currents of water exceeding anticipated cyclical levels or suddenly caused by an unusually high water level in a natural body of water, accompanied by a severe storm or by an unanticipated force of nature, such as a flash flood or an abnormal tidal surge, or by some similarly unusual and unforeseeable event that results in flooding as described in subparagraph (1), division (a).

For purposes of this section, Maine law defines "area of special flood hazard" as land in a floodplain having 1% or greater chance of flooding in any given year, as identified in the effective federal flood insurance study and corresponding flood insurance rate maps.

During the time the seller has owned the	e property:		
Have any flood events affected the pro-	operty?	Y	es X No Unknown
If Yes, explain:			
Have any flood events affected a struct	ure on the property?	Yes	S X No Unknown
If Yes, explain:	······································		(1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000) (1000)
Has any flood-related damage to a stru	acture occurred on the propert	ty? \ \ Ye	es 🛛 🗙 No 🗀 Unknown
If Yes, explain:			
Has there been any flood insurance claim	ns filed for a structure on the		
property?		Yes	No X Unknown
If Yes, indicate the dates of each clai	m:		
Has there been any past disaster-related	aid provided related to the pro	perty	
or a structure on the property from feder	al, state or local sources for		
purposes of flood recovery?		Yes	No X Unknown
If Yes, indicate the date of each payn	nent:		
Is the property currently located wholly	or partially within an area of s	special	
flood hazard mapped on the effective flo	ood insurance rate map issued	by the	
Federal Emergency Management Agence	y on or after March 4, 2002?	Yes	X No Unknown
If yes, what is the federally designate	d flood zone for the property	indicated on that	flood insurance rate map?
Relevant Panel Number: 23009C123	8D	Year: 7/20/201	(Attach a copy)
Comments:			
Source of Section VI information: FEM	A Flood Insurance Man	Initia	al
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SECTION VII - GENERAL	INFORMATION		
Are there any tax exemptions or reductions for this property for		_	
Tree Growth, Open Space and Farmland, Veteran's, Homestead	Exemption, Blind, W	orking Waterf	ront?
		Yes X No	Unknown
If Yes, explain:			
Is a Forest Management and Harvest Plan available?		Yes X N	lo Unknowi
Are there any actual or alleged violations of a shoreland zonin	g ordinance		
including those that are imposed by the state or municipality? If Yes, explain:	1	Yes X No	Unknown
Equipment leased or not owned (including but not limited to,	propane tank, hot wa	iter heater, sat	ellite dish, water
filtration system, photovoltaics, wind turbines): Type:			
Year Principal Structure Built: 1885+/- What year	did Seller acquire pro	perty? 1970	
Roof: Year Shingles/Other Installed: 2005 (50 year shin	gles)		
Water, moisture or leakage: None			
Comments: In the process of replacing shed roof (co			
Foundation/Basement:			
Is there a Sump Pump?		Yes X No	Unknown
Water, moisture or leakage since you owned the prope	erty:	Yes X No	Unknown
Prior water, moisture or leakage?		Yes X No	Unknown
Comments:			
Mold: Has the property ever been tested for mold?		Yes X No	Unknown
If Yes, are test results available?		Yes No	
Comments:			
Electrical: Fuses X Circuit Breaker Other:			Unknown
Comments: Fully functional panel			
Has all or a portion of the property been surveyed?	X	Yes 🗌 No	Unknown
If Yes, is the survey available?	X `	Yes No	Unknown
Manufactured Housing - Is the residence a:			
Mobile Home		Yes X No	Unknown
Modular		Yes X No	Unknown
Known defects or hazardous materials caused by insect or anim	nal infestation inside	or on the resid	ential structure
	7	Yes X No	Unknown
Comments:			
KNOWN MATERIAL DEFECTS about Physical Condition	and/or value of Prop	erty, includin	g those that may
have an adverse impact on health/safety: None			
Comments:			
Source of Section VII information: Seller		-Initial DBC+V+	
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SECTION VIII - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

All walls, sills, and clap boards Energy Core Windows (2018).			the line paint, as needed.
House has Axiom Internet system			
ATTACHMENTS EXPLAINING INFORMATION IN ANY SECT	G CURRENT PROBL ION IN DISCLOSUR	EMS, PAST REPAIRS OR A	DDITIONAL Yes X No
Seller shall be responsible and I defects to the Buyer.	iable for any failure t	provide known information	regarding known materia
Neither Seller nor any Broker ma of any sort, whether state, munici electrical or plumbing.	kes any representation ipal, federal or any other	s as to the applicability of, or c ner, including but not limited t	ompliance with, any codes o fire, life safety, building
As Sellers, we have provided the our knowledge, all systems and e	above information an quipment, unless other	d represent that all informatio wise noted on this form, are in	n is correct. To the best of operational condition.
Signed by: Paul Brisswenger for the Keno	cable 18/2/4025		
Paul J. beisswenger for the Rev		SELLER	DATE
SELLER	DATE	SELLER	DATE
I/We have read and received a cop and understand that I/we should so	y of this disclosure, the eek information from q	e arsenic in wood fact sheet, the ualified professionals if I/we h	e arsenic in water brochure, ave questions or concerns.
BUYER	DATE	BUYER	DATE
BUYER	DATE	BUYER	DATE



National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette



OTHER AREAS OTHER AREAS OF FLOOD HAZARD MAP PANELS 68"13"58"W 44"15"30"N AREA OF MINIMAL FLOOD HAZARD TOWN OF CRANBERRY ISLES (EL 16) 1,500 1,000 200

Legend

SEE FIS REPORT FOR DETAILED LEGEND AND INDEX MAP FOR FIRM PANEL LAYOUT

SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS

With BFE or Dopth Zone AE, AO, AH, VE, AR Without Base Flood Elevation (BFE) Zone A. V. A99 Regulatory Floodway



0.2% Annual Chance Flood Hazard, Area

of 1% annual chance flood with average

depth less than one foot or with drainage areas of less than one square mile zone. Area with Reduced Flood Risk due to Future Conditions 1% Annual Chance Flood Hazard Zone x

Area with Flood Risk due to Leves Zone D Levee. See Notes, Zone X

No screen Area of Minimal Flood Hazard Zone X

Area of Undetermined Flood Hazarti Zon. **Effective LOMRs**

Channel, Culvert, or Storm Sewel

STRUCTURES | 1111111 Levee, Dike, or Floodwall GENERAL

Cross Sections with 1% Annual Chance Water Surface Elevation

Coastal Transect

Base Flood Elevation Line (BFE) **Jurisdiction Boundary** Limit of Study

Coastal Transect Baseline Profile Baseline

Hydrographic Feature

OTHER FEATURES

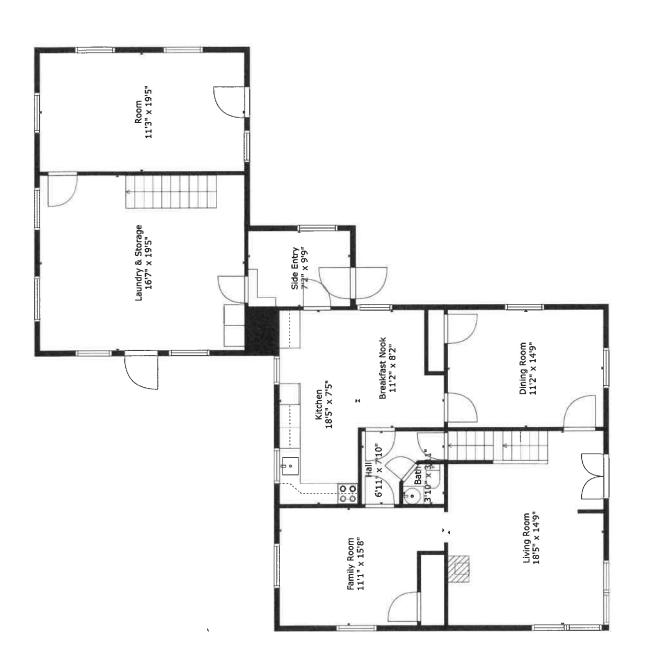
Digital Data Available

No Digital Data Available

The pin displayed on the map is an approximate point selected by the user and does not represe an authoritative property location.

This map compiles with FEMA's standards for the use of digital flood maps if it is not void as described below. The basemap shown compiles with FEMA's basemap

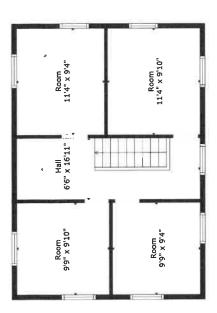
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TOTAL: 2570 sq. ftFLOOR 1: 1010 sq. ft, FLOOR 2: 972 sq. ft, FLOOR 3: 588 sq. ft EXCLUDED AREAS: ROOM: 596 sq. ft, LAUNDRY & STORAGE: 323 sq. ft, HALL: 110 sq. ft, LOW CEILING: 197 sq. ft

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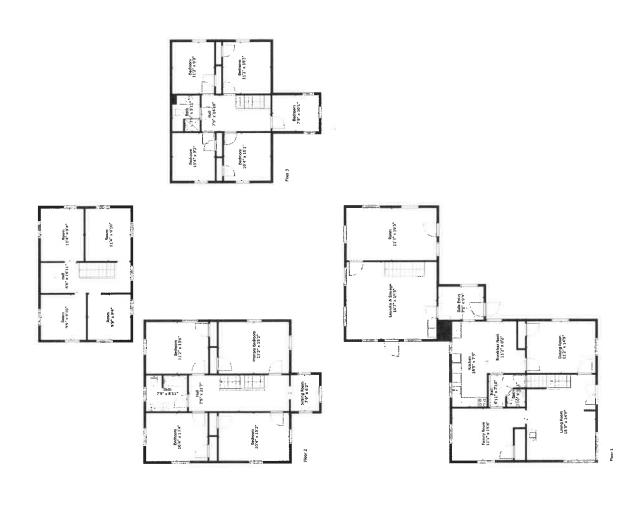




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Fact Sheet: Arsenic Treated Wood Department of Health and Human Services

11 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333

Maine CDC Environmental and Occupational Health Program

Tol! Free in Maine: 866-292-3474 Fax: 207-287-3981 TTY: 207-287-8066 Email: ehu@maine.gov

IF YOU WORK WITH CCA WOOD

- **NEVER** burn CCA wood.
- Wear gloves when handling CCA wood
- Wear a dust mask when sanding or cutting CCA wood
- Don't work with CCA wood in an enclosed area (like a garage)

Apply a coating to seal the wood every 1-2 years

TO LEARN MORE

Eric Frohmberg Environmental and Occupational Health Program Maine CDC Toll-free in Maine 866-292-3474 TTY: 207-287-8066 www.maine.gov/dhhs/ eo hp

Does Your New Home Have Arsenic (CCA) Treated Wood?

About half of all Maine homes have a deck, or playground or some other structure that is made of wood treated with arsenic. This wood is called "CCA pressure-treated wood" or just "pressure-treated" wood. The wood was treated with arsenic to protect against rot and insects.

Too much arsenic can cause cancer. So it is good to prevent arsenic getting into your body when you can. When you touch wood treated with arsenic, you can get arsenic on your hands. The arsenic on your hands can get into your mouth if you are not careful about washing before eating. Young children are most at risk because they are more likely to put their hands in their mouths. The good news is that there are simple things you can do to protect yourself and your family from arsenic treated wood. This fact sheet will tell you how.



Children touching unsealed treated wood, and then putting their hands in their mouths is the biggest concern.

First: Does your house have arsenic treated (CCA) wood?

When arsenic treated wood is new, it tends to have a greenish tint. When CCA wood is older, it is harder to tell. Ask your realtor if the seller knows whether CCA wood was used. You can also test the wood to find out if it contains arsenic. Call us to find out how.

Second: If so, reduce contact with the arsenic.

You can lower the amount of arsenic on the surface of the wood by applying a coating on the wood every 1-2 years. Oil-based sealants, varnishes, or polyurethane work best for sealing arsenic in the wood. Be sure to wash your children's hands when they finish playing on or near CCA wood.

Third: If you have any questions, call us toll-free in Maine: 866-292-3474

Common Questions

What is CCA wood?

CCA wood is made by dipping the wood in a mixture of chemicals. These chemicals include chromium, copper, and arsenic. This protects the wood against insects and rot. This wood is known as CCA wood or "pressure treated" wood. Most pressure treated wood in the U.S. is CCA wood. After December 31, 2003, no more CCA wood will be made for use around homes. CCA wood may still be sold for home use until April 1, 2004 in the state of Maine.

What is Arsenic?

Arsenic is found in soil and rocks. Most people get a little arsenic every day from the food they eat. Also, some people have arsenic in their private wells, which is why it is important that anyone with a well have it tested for arsenic. People who are exposed to too much arsenic over many years are more likely to get cancer.

Have you tested your well water for arsenic?



Your water looks, smells and tastes fine. So why do you need to test it?

It is hard to believe that water that looks, smells and tastes fine may not be safe to drink. But the truth is that 1 in 10 wells in Maine has water that is high in arsenic. There are wells high in arsenic in all parts of Maine.

Protect your family.

Test your well for arsenic every 3 to 5 years.

How to Test Your Well Water

1. Call a lab.

- Call a certified lab and ask for an arsenic test kit for your well water. You can find a lab at this website: wellwater.maine.gov. Or call the Maine Lab Certification Officer at 207-287-1929.
- If you have never tested your well water for bacteria, nitrites and nitrates, or other chemicals like radon, uranium and flouride, ask your lab for a test kit for all of these.

2. Do the test.

- Your test kit will arrive in the mail. It will have empty bottles, directions and forms to fill out.
- Follow the directions and mail the bottles back to the lab with the forms.
- Watch a video on how to do a water test: youtube.com/user/MainePublicHealth

3. Get your results.

- Your test results will come to you in the mail.
- If you have too much arsenic in your water, or if you are not sure you understand your test results, call 866-292-3474 (toll-free in Maine) or 207-287-4311 to speak to an expert.

Why Arsenic is Bad

People who drink water with too much arsenic for many years are more likely to get cancer. Arsenic can cause skin, bladder and lung cancers.

It may cause low birthweight and affect brain development in babies if pregnant women drink water with too much arsenic in it. Arsenic can also affect brain development in young children. Other problems from drinking water with very high arsenic levels include: stomach pain, nausea, diarrhea, numbness or tingling in the hands and feet and changes in skin.

Your chance of having any of these health problems depends on:

- how much arsenic is in your water;
- how much water you drink;
- how long you have been drinking the water.

Solving Arsenic Problems

There are actions you can take to protect your family if your water has too much arsenic. First, you can switch to bottled water for drinking and making drinks. This will allow you time to decide if you want to install a water treatment system.

Call us at 866-292-3474 (toll-free in Maine) or 207-287-4311 if you have high arsenic. We can help you decide how to solve the problem.

Protect your family. Test your well.

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MAINE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION





REAL ESTATE BROKERAGE RELATIONSHIPS FORM

Right Now You Are A Customer

Are you interested in buying or selling residential real estate in Maine? Before you begin working with a real estate licensee it is important for you to understand that Maine Law provides for different levels of brokerage service to buyers and sellers. You should decide whether you want to be represented in

a transaction (as a client) or not (as a customer). To assist you in deciding which option is in your best interest, please review the following information about real estate brokerage relationships:

Maine law requires all real estate brokerage companies and their affiliated licensees ("licensee") to perform certain basic duties when dealing with a buyer or seller. You can expect a real estate licensee you deal with to provide the following customer-level services:

- √ To disclose all material defects pertaining to the physical condition of the real estate that are known by the licensee;
- √ To treat both the buyer and seller honestly and not knowingly give false information:
- To account for all money and property received from or on behalf of the buyer or seller; and
- √ To comply with all state and federal laws related to real estate brokerage activity.

Until you enter into a written brokerage agreement with the licensee for client-level representation you are considered a "customer" and the licensee is not your agent. As a customer, you should not expect the licensee to promote your best interest, or to keep any information you give to the licensee confidential, including your bargaining position.

You May Become A Client

If you want a licensee to represent you, you will need to enter into a written listing agreement or a written buyer representation agreement. These agreements create a client-agent relationship between you and the licensee. As a client you can expect the licensee to provide the following services, in addition to the basic ser-

vices required of all licensees listed above:

- $\sqrt{}$ To perform the terms of the written agreement with skill and care;
- √ To promote your best interests;
 - For seller clients this means the agent will put the seller's interests first and negotiate the best price and terms for the seller;
 - For buyer clients this means the agent will put the buyer's interests first and negotiate for the best prices and terms for the buyer; and
- √ To maintain the confidentiality of specific client information, including bargaining information.

COMPANY POLICY ON CLIENT-LEVEL SERVICES — WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

The real estate brokerage company's policy on client-level services determines which of the three types of agent-client relationships permitted in Maine may be offered to you. The agent-client relationships permitted in Maine are as follows:

- √ The company and all of its affiliated licensees represent you
 as a client (called "single agency");
- The company appoints, with your written consent, one or more of the affiliated licensees to represent you as an agent(s) (called "appointed agency");
- The company may offer limited agent level services as a disclosed dual agent.

WHAT IS A DISCLOSED DUAL AGENT?

In certain situations a licensee may act as an agent for and represent both the buyer and the seller in the same transaction. This is called **disclosed dual agency**. Both the buyer and the seller must consent to this type of representation in writing.

Working with a dual agent is not the same as having your own exclusive agent as a single or appointed agent. For instance, when representing both a buyer and a seller, the dual agent must not disclose to one party an confidential information obtained from the other party.

Remember!

Unless you enter into a written agreement for agency representation, you are a customer—not a client.

THIS IS NOT A CONTRACT

It is important for you to know that this form is not a contract. The licensee's completion of the statement below acknowledges that you have been giver the information required by Maine law regarding brokerage relationships so that you may make an informed decision as to the relationship you wish to establish with the licensee/company.

To Be Comp	leted By Licensee	
This form wa	s presented on (date)	
То		
	Name of Buyer(s) or Seller(s)	
by		
	Licensee's Name	
on behalf of_	The Knowles Company	
_	Company/Agency	

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To check on the license status of the real estate brokerage company or affiliated licensee go to www.maine.gov/professionallicensing.
Inactive licensees may not practice real estate brokerage.