

YOUR NEW BAR HARBOR SOLAR LIGHT MADE BY Nantucket Post Cap

Your new Bar Harbor lights have been tested by TWO employees before shipping to you to be sure they are fully operating.

Install the batteries and place your lights in the sun to charge them. IF the lights do not work please install new N1 MH AA 1000mAh 1.2 volt rechargeable batteries. If then they do not work or hold their light please contact your supplier where you bought your lights. The rechargeable batteries have about a 1000 charge life. So roughly every three years, they will need to be replaced.

It's very common for fences to be installed where the wood is wet (sometimes called "green"). So before the fences get their treatment (paint or stain), they will be installed and left to dry out, and then treated when dry. Our solar post cap lights, however, are always shipped out, made from kiln dried wood. Meaning they are completely dry, and do not need time to dry out. So it is extremely important that you treat the solar caps before they get installed outside. If you leave the caps out untreated, they will most likely crack due the sun exposure, having no protection.

Tips for treating:

- Whether you are painting or staining, it is important to cover the non-wood components of the solar caps, so they don't get covered in your paint/stain
- We recommend using a painters masking tape on the top portion of the solar panel, as well as underneath, sealing the battery compartment for any of the paint/stain
- For the four LED diodes on the corner, we recommend covering each diode with a straw while you treat the caps. This works well, and keeps the LED's from being covered

Tips for installing on posts:

- We recommend predrilling the caps, and using a small finish screw to adhere them to the posts. This makes it easy to take the cap off and replace the batteries when the time comes

To preserve the wood portion of your lights you must treat them prior to being installed on the posts.

Treat the entire cap, top, bottom, all sides, inside and out! Apply a thin coat and wipe off excess with rag **TAKING CARE NOT TO touch the wiring under the solar panel.**

Repeat this process at least one more time after first coat is completely dry.

The following is recommended:

Exterior Urethane

Exterior Stain

Exterior Paint

These products will NOT BE COVERED UNDER WARRANTY if they are NOT treated prior to being installed, HOWEVER be sure to check that the lights are working before you treat so that we can exchange them if there is an issue...

Thank You

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