

## WOOD COUNTERTOPS CARE & MAINTENANCE

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#### Routine Care

- No sealing or reconditioning with oil is required. Countertops are treated at the factory with a patented End+Edge Technology making the surface non-porous & totally waterproof unless penetrated.
- To clean the surface, use a damp cloth or soft sponge and a mild soap (does not contain ammonia) or vinegar and water mix. Rinse thoroughly.
- Recommended Household Polishes:
  - Countertop Magic
  - Pledge Extra Moisturizing Furniture Polish
  - Pledge Lemon Clean Furniture Polish
- Scuff lines can be buffed out with a recommended polish
- Always clean or polish the surface with the direction of the grain

#### Notes of Caution

- Acidic or abrasive cleaners can damage surfaces; do not use them.
  - Do not use bleach or ammonia
  - Steel wool and other abrasive pads will damage Caribou and the E+ET Finish.
  - Never place pots or dishes directly from the oven or burner on an unprotected Caribou surface; such extreme heat can cause cracking or blistering
  - Do not work with oven cleaners on an unprotected countertop. Wipe spills away promptly and rinse several times with water.
  - Caribou should not be used as a cutting board unless the clients would like it to resemble one.
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