

ORLD WIDE MOVERS, INC.

Helpful Moving Tips

These helpful moving tips are offered to assist you in organizing and developing a planned approach to your move.

CLEARLY IDENTIFY items that you do not want packed. Any furniture, appliances or other items that will remain in your residence should be marked as such.

FROZEN FOODS cannot be shipped with household goods. Plan to use your freezer stock before the move. Fresh coffee grounds in cheesecloth will keep your freezer smelling fresh.

OLD MAGAZINES and paperback books may be given to a local hospital or youth group.

OLD CLOTHES you haven't worn for years. You may want to give to a charitable organization.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION does not permit the movement of paints, oils, cleaning fluids or similar flammables and combustibles such as ammunition.

FUEL AND OIL from your power mower or other combustion engine powered machinery, such as motorcycles, snowmobiles, mopeds, ATV's or golf carts must be drained.

OPEN CONTAINERS need to be discarded prior to the date of your move.

KEEP IN MIND canned goods add to the weight of your shipment. We do not ship canned goods during the winter months from October through April.

Carrier liability is <u>not available</u> for the shipment of the following items:

- Plants, bulbs, roots, seeds, flowers, etc. Some states prohibit their entry.
- Canned goods, wine, beer, pop, etc.
- Valuables such as jewelry, furs, stamp/coin collections and valuable documents These items should not be placed in your household goods shipment.

MAKE ARRANGEMENTS to discontinue utility services, i.e. gas, electric and telephone. If a utility is to remain in service, be sure the meter is to be read immediately after you vacate.

A FEW DAYS before your loading, items such as organs, pianos, grandfather clocks, pool tables or delicate antiques may need servicing by a third party.

ANTIQUE FUNITURE or other highly prized possessions should be appraised before you move. Make sure copies of the appraisal are attached to the mover's Bill of Lading. This precaution should facilitate collection of a claim should any of these articles be lost or damaged.