



## NEWPORT RESTORATION FOUNDATION

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At the Newport Restoration Foundation (NRF) we often get questions about the paint colors on our preservation properties. The articles and resources below will answer most of your questions. If you have additional inquiries, such as the color of a specific house, contact NRF Director of Preservation, Robert Foley, at (401) 849-7300 or [Robert@newportrestoration.org](mailto:Robert@newportrestoration.org).



### ☛ About NRF's Historic Paint Program with California Paints:

California Paints' Historic Colors program in general:

<http://www.californiapaints.com/2Colors/HistoricPalettes.html>

California Paints' partnership with the Newport Restoration Foundation:

<http://www.californiapaints.com/2Colors/Newport.html>

Click further and get details about the paint colors specified for seven NRF houses:

<http://www.californiapaints.com/2Colors/CoggeshallHouse.html>

### Books:

*Paint in America: The Colors of Historic Buildings.* by Roger W. Moss. 1995.

### Articles:

Two articles by Robert Foley, Director of Preservation, Newport Restoration Foundation:

*Paint the House:*

[http://www.newportrestoration.org/writable/resources/paint\\_the\\_house.pdf](http://www.newportrestoration.org/writable/resources/paint_the_house.pdf)

*Paint in 18<sup>th</sup>-century Newport:*

[http://www.newportrestoration.org/sup/files/paint\\_18th\\_century\\_newport.pdf](http://www.newportrestoration.org/sup/files/paint_18th_century_newport.pdf)

*Color Me Historic*, by Sally Zimmerman, Manager of Historic Preservation Services, Historic New England.

[http://www.historicnewengland.org/about-us/whats-new/PWC%20Article%20September\\_October%202010.pdf](http://www.historicnewengland.org/about-us/whats-new/PWC%20Article%20September_October%202010.pdf)

### Websites:

<http://www.oldhousecolors.com/>

[http://www.oldhousejournal.com/magazine/2001/march\\_april/exterior\\_paint/default.shtm](http://www.oldhousejournal.com/magazine/2001/march_april/exterior_paint/default.shtm)

<http://www.cambridgema.gov/Historic/paint.html>

<http://www.preservationnation.org/about-us/partners/corporate-partners/valspar/>

<http://www.californiapaints.com/2Colors/ColorGuide.html>

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