

WELCOME TO OUR  
**Home Design Newsletter**  
*we're so glad you're here!*

## What is in store for you this spring?

Here in Massachusetts, we really do not have much of a spring but the anticipation of eventual sunshine and short sleeves is enough to push us through! This time of year keeps us in our homes longer than we really want to be so it's a great time to evaluate - what am I loving? What feels heavy and needs to go?

This month's newsletter is focused on ways to transition our homes in the warm weather and get out of that winter funk. Take a minute, grab a cup of coffee (or tea) and enjoy this read!

## Product of the Month

A nice tablecloth or napkins can be a great way to refresh. I found this on Amazon through the "ATOSII Store" - This one is in "Mahoka". This product is also saved in my "EWP Faves" list on Amazon and linked on Linktree



# A helpful resource for you!

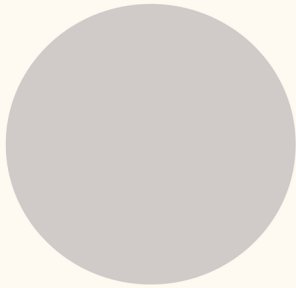
I recently posted on Instagram about the importance of organization when doing a PAINTING PROJECT. Organization and proper communication with your painter are important parts of getting it all right so I've shared a worksheet I give to clients when they are working on projects. Email me at [erin@ewpinteriors.com](mailto:erin@ewpinteriors.com) for the pdf of this worksheet and you will get another helpful document that explains different paint finishes and when/how to use them



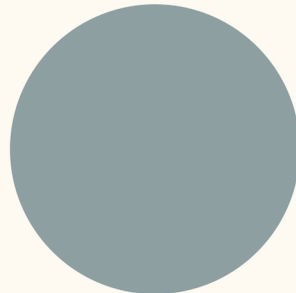
## Some colors we are loving

In need of a spring color update on the walls or furniture ?

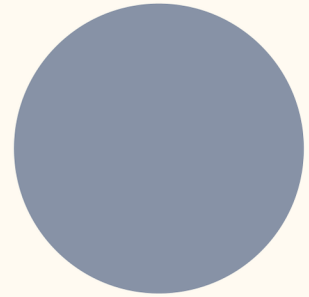
Here are some recent faves -



Sherwin Williams -  
Minute Mauve



Farrow & Ball -  
Sardine



Benjamin Moore -  
Flower Box

## Quotable Moment This Month (& Thoughts... )

"We really created a house that was memories first and ceremony and ritual first and then the design was third, which is the complete opposite from how I know that most people create." Jeremiah Brent (from the *Interior Collective* Podcast)

*Erin's thoughts - I love this concept of starting with taking a close look at the life you are living and asking yourself if your space reflects or highlights your memories and rituals. The value of a good designer is that they can help you identify and articulate those memories and rituals and incorporate them into a beautiful design for your home and family.*

# April Home/Self Care Tip

## *Prevent Project Procrastination :*

Putting off desired home projects is a thing (at least for 90% of the clients I work with it's a thing). The problem usually starts with making the problem too large and inevitably easy to just ignore. Here are a few tips I give to clients to break down their projects and help them determine where they need to put their focus:

(1) Write it out - make a list by room. What do you like and what do you want to change?

(2) Prioritize - Identity what is most important or pressing? Is it the cluttered living room you walk through every day that makes you stressed and you never sit in? Is it the mudroom where there is no where to put coats or shoes?

(3) On the priority list, what is one step you can take to make a change? - Is it calling the painter to get a quote? Is taking an hour to clean out the junk drawer? Making that small change will create the momentum you need to get other things moving. And I often get calls from potential clients who are looking to a designer to help them articulate and prioritize that next step (that's the first step THEY take) and that's okay too. It's making the first movement for action that is what is most important.

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**I'm glad you're here! Be sure to look out for my newsletter in May focused on shopping secondhand and some tips and tricks for sourcing furniture and styling items.**

*xo , Erin*