



# PINEAPPLE STORAGE

**A "SAFE AND SECURE" PLACE**

## Indoor Self Storage Tips

**USE** the best lock possible to protect your valuables.

**KEEP** an inventory of the items you store.

**PUT** plastic or pallets on the floor of your unit to keep your items clean and to protect them in case something leaks.

**PUT** all of the items you can in boxes of uniform sizes when possible. This makes for better organization and a neater space.

**PACK** heavy items into smaller boxes.

**LABEL** the contents of your containers

**PLACE** the most valuable items in the back of the unit, as well as the items you'll be less likely to need first.

**LEAVE** aisles or walk spaces between rows of stacked boxes for easy access.

**WRAP** framed art and mirrors in bubble wrap and stand them on end on a pallet.

IF possible, use the original boxes to store electronic equipment.

**WEDGE** open the doors of appliances to prevent mildew. You can store lighter items such as linens inside.

**HUMIDITY** can cause furniture to warp and appliances to mildew. Leave a space between your items and the unit wall to allow for air circulation. To guard against condensation damage use fabric rather than plastic to cover large items. If your unit is not climate controlled, don't store items that can be damaged by melting or freezing. Avoid storing food items.

**BUY** tenant insurance. It is worth the small price for added peace of mind.

**DON'T** store prohibited items such as tires, food, or flammable items.

**DON'T** store hazardous or toxic materials OR flammable liquids or gasses OR foods. If you are not sure if you should store something, ask the staff!

**DON'T** store any combustibles! Do not store items such as propane tanks, old paint, cleaning fluids, gasoline or other things that might create or intensify a fire. Why risk your possessions just to keep a few cents worth of leftovers?

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