



Addendum # 1
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Carousel Wooden Animals Restoration RFP 2020

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Specifications:

1. On the selection criteria, point #1- Price/animal or chariot. The craftsman is concerned this is a very defined scope and may not apply to the varying degrees of wear/tear on the animals. Would you accept an hourly work rate with an estimation average of how long an animal would take to repair?

Yes, as long as we have an estimate of cost it is ok.

2. How difficult is one of these to remove/ reinstall? Would this be preformed by the craftsman or by the Zoo.

It is not necessarily difficult to do, but would require two to three people to do it. The intent in this RFP is to price the vendor completing this work, not the Zoo.

3. Under service 3- statement “the product cannot alter the color of the paint and must have an anticipated life expectancy of at least two (2) years in the conditions noted in the Background so as no additional touch up will be required under normal wear and tear for that time period.” This is very specific criteria which would be difficult to commit to under the related conditions (weather & heavy usage). Can the craftsman offer a more realistic insight in response?

The craftsman can certainly offer insight or a suggestion and say it's not achievable. The statement was made partially to discover what is really possible. If we learn that 2 years is not doable, it ultimately factors into our decision because there would be more cost for touch-up work.

4. Do you know what materials were used (manufacturer) to prime, base coat, finish paint and clear coat your animals?

- *The primer used by Carousel Works is a Zinsser B-I-N primer/ sealer: <https://www.rustoleum.com/product-catalog/consumer-brands/zinsser/primer-sealers/b-i-n-shellac-base-primer>*
- *The acrylic paint originally used by Carousel Works is Nova Colors: <https://novacolorpaint.com/>*
- *The clear coat they originally used is no longer being manufactured.*

5. Assuming you want to keep operating the carousel while this restoration process is taking place. If that is the case and we want to take animals off the carousel and bring them back to our shop for restoration, how many can we take off at a time? This question needs to be answered by the manufacturer and your state/local ride inspector.

The answer is yes we want to operate the carousel and the state and inspector do not need to answer the question. It would be a max of 12 and a chariot at a time and the spacing between rows would be directed to maintain balance, which in house maintenance can determine.