

## The BEST is Always Worth the Wait! **As Always - Satisfaction Guaranteed!**

Furniture Repair and Lift Chair Sales & Repair

## PRICE LIST 01/08/19 As Always - Satisfaction Guaranteed!

<u>Most</u> furniture repairs & service calls, in the local area, will cost a minimum of \$87.50. Regular Shop Labor is \$60.00 per hour plus materials, over minium. **Your item may be more or less, we can only tell by giving you a free estimate, this is just a guide!** 

Average chair usually runs \$87.50 - 127.50, (price usually includes chairs with dowels) could run more if nails or broken screws have to be removed. If chair has dowels, they will have to be drilled out and replaced and run \$1.25 per dowel, it's not uncommon for a chair to have 16 dowels. Items that have had a <u>failed repair attempt</u> or <u>broken</u> screws &/or nails that have to be drilled out may run more because of the extra time involved.

Any breaks that require disassembly of item will incur a charge of \$87.50 - 97.50, plus a repair cost for the broken part, usually about half of cost listed below. Duplicated parts, including lathe- turned parts, & oversize parts will probably be the listed cost or more. Cost of wood for new parts extra, we cannot absorb @ today's lumber prices.

\*Split Seats \$100.00 - \$275.00

\*Broken Rocker / Legs \$137.25 / 191.25 each

\*Broken Rungs (between legs) \$67.50 - \$147.50

\*Broken Stretchers (between rungs) \$55.50 - 161.25

\*Broken Back Post \$87.50 - \$350

\*Broken Spindles, plain (between seat & top) \$75.00 - \$247.50

**Rebuilding furniture** that has fallen apart, such as chests, dressers, and tables, will be by the hour @ \$60.00. Usually there will be a 4 hour minimum, plus materials, unless item is very small.

**Veneering Replacement** varies greatly! We will need to look at the piece to give an accurate quote. The type of veneer, condition of the piece, curves, bends, inlays, finish and all types of variables will have to be considered before a quote is issued.

**Refinishing** prices are determined by the actual piece and depends how decorative it may be. The following is just a guide, your items may be more or less. Painted items may cost up to an additional 100% or more. **See 2<sup>nd</sup> page.** 

Average simple dining chair \$130-525
Average size table, usually \$100 per foot top only \$475-3250
Dresser, chest of drawers, king/queen ft/hd-board \$485-3550
Small end/coffee table, chest, full/twin hd/ft-board \$250-2250
Buffet, desk, dresser \$550-3250
Large buffet/china or wardrobe, executive desk \$600-5000

\*Stripping only \$75/hr, \$100/hr if painted

Items may require 50% payment of quoted price when repair starts.

**Recliner chair mechanism** replacement varies. Usually manufacturer will supply parts.

Labor to replace cable actuated type \$100-155 Labor to replace external lever type & most scissors \$125-250

Call for our Lift Chair Repair prices!

Color for cane or rush add \$25.00, Custom Color add \$50.00. Free Polyurethane sealing on new cane/rush.

\*Caning, pressed-in \$87.50 minimum or \$3.50 per inch over 13 inches if regular glue was used. 
\*Rush weaving 14X16-16X18=\$200; 18X20-20X22=\$225; 22X24 & larger=\$275+.

Traditional, \$2.00 per hole. Carriage/Fine Most of the smaller sizes require one coil @ \$35.50

cane \$4.00 per hole

Pick-up/Delivery Local \$37.50-150 depending on item(s), Ft Riley & surrounding area \$175.00.

Over-size/weight, multiple trips and high value items will be more! (\*) Plus materials

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Budget Repairs are not available, we do it right or not at all. If you insists on a partial repair we can do it however it will have no warranty.

Our regular structural repairs carry the following warranty:

## **Limited Lifetime Warranty (Interior Furniture Only)**

The Chair Dr. Offers a lifetime guarantee on our structural repairs. Lifetime warranty prices usually start at \$87.50. Satisfaction Guaranteed! We will either repair the item or refund the cost of the repair. This will be determined by The Chair Dr. Our repairs are guaranteed for life, but if the item is damaged in areas other than where we've completed repairs, we will not accept responsibility. Thank You for selecting The Chair Dr. Repair System. (No warranty on springs/frames, wooden joints only)

Items completed & are not picked-up within 30 days after notification will be discarded unless arrangements have been made.

Repairs/refinishing over \$250 may require a payment or deposit, usually 50% of quoted price when the item is brought in the shop for repairs/refinishing. After starting work if we discover a situation where the item is damaged worse than quoted price, the payment or deposit will be refunded if customer elects not to authorize additional repairs.

Refinishing Our regular refinishing prices include 2-3 coats Sanding Sealer and 2-3 coats Pre-catalyzed Lacquer with additional catalyst added. We say 2-3 on each because some close-grained woods will start to look like it has a 'plastic finish,' if more product is applied. The majority of furniture today is finished with the cheapest lacquer available. Lacquer is used because it dries quickly, minimizing labor cost and the chance some foreign object contaminating the finished product (like a fly doing a 'death-crawl' through the finish while drying). Old school thought is that polyurethane is the best finish! Partially true! While it is probably the hardest, there is no "repair" option available if damaged, as poly lays on top of each layer, or coat, depending on the scratches of sanding between coats to bond each coat to the other. For repair, all coats have to be sanded to wood, stained and recoated, making a moderate to light scratch, very expensive. Lacquer, on the other hand, melts into the previous coat to produce, in the case of pre-cat plus cat like we use, a very hard finish, second only to poly! We can sand through a scratch (as long as fresh wood fibers aren't present) and re-coat with no shadow or ghost-coat sand through effect that would be present if we were trying to repair a poly finish. We do not brush any finish, unless for an antique effect or if we use Oil Based Poly. Some antiques had a shellac finish which we can also duplicate with very little price increase.

Paint won't be any better than lacquer, maybe less, but will cost more to apply as a rule. Because the last 2 options are more labor intensive, price increases with very little durability benefit. All this being said, plan on adding a few bucks for poly! Again, this is just a guide. We will be glad to narrow down the price with a printed quote. 9/1/17 We have started using a Conversion Varnish, sprays & looks like lacquer, supposed to be similar to poly at no additional cost as a test, if desired until further notice. The Conversion Varnish looks very nice and feels super smooth! Folks love it!

Fire & water damaged furniture will have a very wide range as it is impossible to predict the outcome until we start actual work. We reserve the right to refuse moldy furniture and furniture soiled by animal & human waste. Let us look at it & we will give a quote if we feel we can help!