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CMI Restores, Retrofits, Remodels, Renovates, and Repairs:

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(Grove City, Ohio) Creative Mobile Interiors designs and builds various types of custom vehicles. Empty shells are turned into top-of-the-line motor homes or unique mobile marketing trailers, etc. With a different economic atmosphere surrounding most industries, consumers are refocusing and spending money on what they already own. More and more people are committing themselves to the bus, motor home, Sprinter, etc. that they already have, instead of buying and building brand new. Recently CMI has finished remodeling several preexisting, full-size coaches. Here are two of the most recent.

One of these remodels was completed on a 1990 Bluebird Wanderlodge. The vehicle's interior is a motor home layout and design. This Bluebird features a mid entrance door that is a rarity in our industry. The layout consists of a front lounge area with sofa and swivel seats, a mid-hull dinette suited for four people (opposite the entrance), a kitchen with sink and full-size refrigerator, a full restroom that stretches the width of the vehicle, and a rear bedroom. The owner wanted to update the interior with new flooring in the middle section, a reupholstered dash and front bulkhead, and a reupholstered dinette. CMI did just that, taking years off of the interior's atmosphere and design. The wood flooring in the middle of the RV was replaced with a beautiful sand-colored ceramic tile that stretches from the forward lounge to the bedroom in the rear. The driver's dash and bulkhead was recovered with a cream vinyl making the area significantly more inviting and warm. Lastly, the dinette seating was recovered and finished in the same cream-colored vinyl to complete the freshened interior.

Another remodel on a 1988 MCI entailed much more than the Wanderlodge. This full-size coach has been loaded with updates over its multiple stays with CMI. Completely new electronics have been installed as well as an Aqua-Hot heating system to make the interior modern and comfortable. Further upgrades included replacing the front seats, a new sofa, and a reupholstered dinette. The unique leather seating surfaces and a rich laminate wood make the interior cozy and exciting. Additional projects included a desk and pull-out TV cabinet in the

rear bedroom, pull-out pantry cabinets in the kitchen, and new rubber tile flooring throughout. The project that really makes this vehicle sing is the, still on-going, roof deck. This upper deck will be solely for enjoying yourself and the coach that you stand *on*. The deck will be accessed through a roof hatch towards the front of the vehicle and features flip-up handrails that keep all party-goers safe and sound. Those same handrails fold flat upon one another to fasten and stow for transit. The entirely aluminum party-platform was custom built to (nearly) cover the full dimensions of the coach and to hold two bimini-tops that will shade those aboard. A water-tight storage box is being built on the deck to house more A/V equipment, including a 26 inch LED TV that will mount up on the platform. When the retrofit is complete, this MCI and those on top it, will truly be standing above the rest.

CMI just celebrated its eleventh year in business and is headquartered at 6237 Seeds Road in Grove City, Ohio - a suburb of Columbus. The company specializes in converting motor coaches, Sprinter vans, buses, trailers and mini-coaches into luxury, commercial and specialty vehicles outfitted with custom, top-of-the-line amenities and electronics. CMI can be reached at (614) 539-4600 or at www.creativemobileinteriors.com.