

**SECTION 06 20 00  
FINISH CARPENTRY**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

**1.1 STIPULATIONS**

- A. The specifications sections "General Conditions to the Construction Contract", "Special Conditions" and "Division 01 - General Requirements" form a part of this Section by this reference thereto, and shall have the same force and effect as if printed herewith in full.

**1.2 SECTION INCLUDES**

- A. Finish carpentry items.
- B. Hardware and attachment accessories.

**1.3 RELATED REQUIREMENTS**

- A. Section 06 10 00 - Rough Carpentry: Support framing, grounds, and concealed blocking.
- B. Section 06 41 00 - Architectural Wood Casework: Shop fabricated custom cabinet work.
- C. Section 09 91 23 - Interior Painting: Painting of finish carpentry items.
- D. Section 09 93 00 - Staining and Transparent Finishing: Staining and transparent finishing of finish carpentry items.

**1.4 REFERENCE STANDARDS**

- A. AWI/AWMAC/WI (AWS) - Architectural Woodwork Standards, 2nd Edition 2014, with Errata (2016).
- B. AWMAC/WI (NAAWS) - North American Architectural Woodwork Standards 2021, with Errata.
- C. BHMA A156.9 - Cabinet Hardware 2020.

**1.5 ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS**

- A. Coordinate the work with plumbing rough-in, electrical rough-in, and installation of associated and adjacent components.

**1.6 SUBMITTALS**

- A. See Section 01 30 00 - Administrative Requirements for submittal procedures.
- B. Shop Drawings: Indicate materials, component profiles, fastening methods, jointing details, and accessories.
  - 1. Provide the information required by AWI/AWMAC/WI (AWS) or AWMAC/WI (NAAWS).

**1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE**

- A. Fabricator Qualifications: Company specializing in fabricating the products specified in this section with minimum five years of documented experience.

## **1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING**

- A. Store finish carpentry items under cover, elevated above grade, and in a dry, well-ventilated area not exposed to heat or sunlight.
- B. Protect from moisture damage.
- C. Handle materials and products to prevent damage to edges, ends, or surfaces.

## **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

### **2.1 FINISH CARPENTRY ITEMS**

- A. Quality Standard: Custom Grade, in accordance with AWI/AWMAC/WI (AWS) or AWMAC/WI (NAAWS), unless noted otherwise.
- B. Surface Burning Characteristics: Provide materials having fire and smoke properties as required by applicable code.
- C. Interior Woodwork Items:
  - 1. Moldings, Bases, Casings, and Miscellaneous Trim: Clear white pine; prepare for paint finish.
  - 2. Window Sills: Clear white pine, suitable for painting or staining.
  - 3. Window Sill Apron: Clear white pine, suitable for painting or staining.
  - 4. Half-wall Caps: Clear white pine, suitable for painting or staining.
  - 5. All other wood trim: Clear white pine, suitable for painting or staining.

### **2.2 FASTENINGS**

- A. Adhesive for Purposes Other Than Laminate Installation: Suitable for the purpose; not containing formaldehyde or other volatile organic compounds.
- B. Fasteners: Of size and type to suit application; flush finish in concealed locations and countersunk, filled and sanded finish in exposed locations.

### **2.3 ACCESSORIES**

- A. Lumber for Shimming and Blocking: Softwood lumber of S/P/F species.
- B. Wood Filler: Solvent base, tinted to match surface finish color.

### **2.4 HARDWARE**

- A. Hardware: Comply with BHMA A156.9.

### **2.5 FABRICATION**

- A. Shop assemble work for delivery to site, permitting passage through building openings.
- B. When necessary to cut and fit on site, provide materials with ample allowance for cutting. Provide trim for scribing and site cutting.

## **2.6 SHOP FINISHING**

- A. Apply wood filler in exposed nail and screw indentations.
- B. On items to receive transparent finishes, use wood filler that matches surrounding surfaces and is of type recommended for the applicable finish.
- C. Finish work in accordance with AWI/AWMAC/WI (AWS) or AWMAC/WI (NAAWS), Section 5 - Finishing for grade specified and as follows:
  - 1. Transparent:
    - a. System - 1, Lacquer, Nitrocellulose.
    - b. Stain: To match existing, as approved by the Architect
    - c. Sheen: Flat.
  - 2. Opaque:
    - a. System - 1, Lacquer, Nitrocellulose.
    - b. Color: As selected by Architect.
    - c. Sheen: Flat.

## **PART 3 EXECUTION**

### **3.1 EXAMINATION**

- A. Examine the areas and conditions under which work of this Section will be performed. Correct conditions detrimental to the proper and timely completion of the Work. Do not proceed until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

### **3.2 PREPARATION**

- A. Clean substrates of projections and substances detrimental to application.
- B. Before installing finish carpentry, condition materials to average prevailing humidity in installation areas for a minimum of 24 hours.

### **3.3 INSTALLATION, GENERAL**

- A. Do not use materials that are unsound, warped, improperly treated or finished, inadequately seasoned, or too small to fabricate with proper jointing arrangements.
- B. Install finish carpentry level, plumb, true, and aligned with adjacent materials. Use concealed shims where necessary for alignment.
  - 1. Scribe and cut finish carpentry to fit adjoining work. Refinish and seal cuts as recommended by manufacturer.
  - 2. Countersink fasteners, fill surface flush, and sand where face fastening is unavoidable.
  - 3. Install to tolerance of 1/8 inch in 96 inches for level and plumb. Install adjoining finished carpentry with 1/32-inch maximum offset for flush installation and 1/16-inch maximum

offset for reveal installation.

4. Coordinate finish carpentry with materials and systems in or adjacent to it. Provide cutouts for mechanical and electrical items that penetrate finish carpentry.

### **3.4 STANDING & RUNNING TRIM INSTALLATION**

- A. Install with minimum number of joints practical, using full-length pieces from maximum lengths of lumber available. Do not use pieces less than 24 inches long, except where necessary. Stagger joints in adjacent and related standing and running trim. Cope at returns and miter at corners to produce tight-fitting joints with full-surface contact throughout length of joint. Use scarf joints for end-to-end joints. Plane backs of casings to provide uniform thickness across joints, where necessary for alignment.
  1. Match color and grain pattern across joints.
  2. Install trim after gypsum board joint finishing operations are completed.
  3. Drill pilot holes in hardwood before fastening to prevent splitting. Fasten to prevent movement or warping. Countersink fastener heads on exposed carpentry work and fill holes.

### **3.5 ADJUSTING**

- A. Replace finish carpentry that is damaged or does not comply with requirements. Finish carpentry may be repaired or refinished if work complies with requirements and shows no evidence of repair or refinishing. Adjust joinery for uniform appearance.

### **3.6 CLEANING UP**

- A. Keep the premises in a neat, safe, and orderly condition at all times during execution of this portion of the Work, free from accumulation of sawdust, cut ends, and debris. Clean finish carpentry on exposed and semi-exposed surfaces. Touch up factory-applied finishes to restore damaged or soiled areas.

**END OF SECTION**