WHEEL FINISH REFERENCES / 01

MAP WHEELS TO THE APPEARANCE GOAL

Use labels supplied or confirmed by the provider. No wheel removal, marking, measuring or handling is needed.

A helpful preparation resource from PickYourPro.ai. Fill in digitally or print. Keep your completed copy private.

Wheel W1 / provider job-reference label / proposed refinish or retained comparison?

W1: match existing or change-set goal / comparison wheel or reference label

W1: proposed finish-reference type / sample, image or other / unknowns

Wheel W2 / provider job-reference label / proposed refinish or retained comparison?

W2: match existing or change-set goal / comparison wheel or reference label

W2: proposed finish-reference type / sample, image or other / unknowns

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RECORD WHAT WAS ACTUALLY REVIEWED

A proposed option is not a reviewed reference. An appearance choice is not work authorization or safety clearance.

Wheel labels covered / proposed reference / actually reviewed reference and version

Review date / provider-described viewing context / what the reference represents

Provider's matching limitations / retained-wheel differences / unanswered question

Appearance preference discussed / decision still open or separate decision reference

Changed preference / earlier reference / revised reference / affected wheel labels

Later appearance question / wheel and agreed reference / provider reply reference

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CHECK THE FINISH-REFERENCE MAP

Tick what is clear for discussion. No appearance record establishes structural condition or readiness to drive.

- [ ] Provider-confirmed labels identify the wheels discussed
- [ ] Proposed refinishing and retained comparisons are separate
- [ ] Match-existing and change-set goals are distinguished
- [ ] Reference type and its limitations were discussed
- [ ] Actually reviewed reference and version are recorded
- [ ] A changed preference links to the earlier reference
- [ ] Later questions use the same wheel and reference labels
- [ ] Technical assessment and authorization remain separate

Other wheels in the set / same reference or a separate question?

Separate technical or installation question / provider response reference only

Open appearance question / responsible contact role / follow-up reference

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QUESTIONS FOR THE REFINISHING PRO

Ask for documented explanations, not an exact-match or safety promise. Leave work methods to the provider.

Labels: how will each wheel connect to your job record and finish reference?

Goal: match retained wheels or change the set, and what is outside scope?

Reference: what sample or other reference can you offer, and what is uncertain?

Review: how are version, viewing context, limitations and decisions recorded?

Changes: how do earlier choices and affected wheels stay identifiable?

Handoff: what appearance review, separate technical records and follow-up are included?

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COMPARE THE SAME FINISH GOAL

Use Provider A and B with the same wheel-to-reference map. Different appearance objectives are not equivalent.

Provider A / B / proposal dates / same wheel labels and appearance goal

Reference or sample offered / retained-wheel comparison / limitations - A / B

Review, changed preferences, appearance questions and follow-up - A / B

Separate assessment, exclusions, handoff records and written terms - A / B

READY TO HEAR FROM PROS?

If you choose, create an account on PickYourPro.ai and start a Wheel & Rim Repair request. Describe the appearance goal and reference questions without private vehicle details so participating pros can compete with proposals. Compare assessment, finish-review scope, exclusions and written terms.

One request. Every pro's best offer.

Start a request

Participation varies. A provider-led wheel assessment and finish-reference review may be needed before a final proposal.

Planning guide: https://www.pickyourpro.ai/services/wheel-rim-repair/wheel-refinishing

Alloy Wheel Repair Specialists: Wheel refinishing (official reference)

Wheels America: Services (official reference)

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