

# Box Car Project - Caboose

Amerlock® 2, fast drying/self-priming, alone with Amercoat® 450H, outstanding weather & corrosion resistance, restores the historical 1943 Caboose.

## Case study



### The Customer

Town Erlanger, KY

### The Location

Erlanger, KY

### The Challenge

The town of Erlanger, KY wanted to repaint their historic caboose that sits in the city center and was made in 1943. This caboose was painted in the past but due to the conditions that it has been through, the paint faded and was starting to peel.



### The Solution

Since the town was looking for a coating with a longer life, PPG introduced them to the epoxy / polyurethane system. Amerlock® 2, the high-build epoxy protective coating and Amercoat® 450H, the Gloss Aliphatic Polyurethane, was applied to the caboose. Amerlock® 2 was selected for many reasons including its fast drying time and self-priming feature. Amercoat® 450H provides outstanding weather and corrosion resistance.

### The Benefits

These products saved the town time and cost by getting the car back and offering an extended life on their historic piece.

### The Result

The town of Erlanger was happy to have their historic attraction back and they were pleased with the result of the PPG coatings.

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