

To Whom It May Concern:

My wife and I own a cedar house with plank and lathe construction that had not been stained since it was originally built seven years ago. After soliciting numerous bids from local area 'professional' painters, I was visited by Bear Davidson and the team from College Works. They were thorough in their presentation and attentive in answering my questions. When the bid came in, it was significantly less than the others I had received so I elected to enlist the services of Bear and College Works.

Due to an extremely rainy spring, the start date we had discussed was pushed back a couple of times but Bear remained in close contact providing updates as to when his team would begin the work. Once they were able to complete other jobs and arrived at my home, they were all business. They took great attention to avoid damaging any landscaping and were very thorough with their preparation of windows, doors, external fixtures, etc.

The completed job was first class. I was concerned about even applications of stain and penetration especially around the lathes but they took great attention to apply and then back roll to assure a good finish. At the end of each day they updated me on their progress as well as discussing the plans for the following day. The other positive aspect was the cleanliness of the job site.

In short Bear and his team delivered on everything they initially promised. Their professional demeanor and strong work ethic were on display throughout every step of the process from bid, to prep, to completion. I would not hesitate to recommend Bear Davidson and the crew from College Works for any painting or staining project.

Sincerely,

John D. Liberstein