

-PREP STEPS-



Overlay on Previously Painted Surface



The general issues with painted *floors* are Hydrostatic Pressure and adhesion after heavy foot traffic.

Our prep steps are as follows...

- 1) Clean all loose materials (including peeling paint) OFF**
- 2) Scrape until no longer lifting**
- 3) Sand edges back to a feathered edge**
- 4) Trowel on skim coat of Serico all over to uniform porosity**
- 5) Allow to sit at least Overnight for full cure**
- 6) Sand Serico lightly & clean**
- 7) Overlay project**
- 8) Allow to sit overnight to dry**
- 9) Next day-sand rough areas with 220 grit on a palm sander**
- 10) Clean with water, hydrate and stain**
- 11) Allow stain to sit for 3 hours**
- 12) Clean residue and apply Hardener**
3 coats with at least 30 minutes between
- 13) Buff in Brown Gravy Wax**
Buff to a sheen approx 10 min later OR
- 14) If High-Gloss is desired, skip Liquid Hardener and Wax---**
instead, roll-on Solvent Topcoat in two coats 2 hours apart.