Class Title: Epoxy Application to Furniture

Date: Dec. 12th

<u>Time:</u> 10-11 a.m. lecture on epoxy application basics for our monthly meeting. 11-4 p.m. audience participation and/or application of epoxy to projects. Lunch is not provided.

Where: Alaska Industrial Hardware Training Center at 2192 Viking Drive, Anchorage

Monthly Meeting and Class Description:

1. The format for this class is different than that of our other classes. The first hour will be our monthly meeting and Ron Werli from Eagle River Sawmill will give a free lecture to include the following topics:

- <u>Purchasing the wood for your project.</u> A brief discussing on preparing yourself to better insure the moisture content of your purchase is actually good to work with, don't just take the sellers word for it. Invest in a moisture meter.
- Cracks and splits provide places to add color to the project. Spalted woods enhance the natural beauty in you're project.
- <u>Preparation of your wood slab for epoxy</u>
- The different brands of epoxies and the types of epoxies and their use.
- Sealing your wood.
- <u>Sanding between coats of epoxy.</u>
- Flood Coats.
- The steps to make the hi gloss finish, a matte finish
- Cure Time.
- <u>Repairing scraches, dents and chips.</u>
- <u>Rubio Monocoat.</u> A high quality, easy to apply plant based hard wax wood finish.

2. From 11 to 4 p.m. students will either observe the epoxy application process, or will apply epoxy to their projects.

Age: 16 years and up

<u>Number of Students:</u> Attendance is restricted to 10 audience observation participants; and *to, 4* additional students with actual projects.

Tools and Materials: All tools and materials will be supplied

You must be an ACWA member to attend the class. Please sign up at: www.alaskacreativewoodworkersclub.com.

<u>Cost:</u> Students who are observers will pay a \$30 registration fee. Those with projects will pay \$125 which includes all materials and tools.

<u>Cancellation Policy</u>: Club membership is not refundable. Fees will be refunded on a case by case basis, or, if we can find someone to take the spot.