

Project 2000



Coupe d'etat!



This '96 Honda Civic Coupe has certainly revolutionized its cohorts. J. Michael Thienel of Auto Trim DESIGN of Northeast Wisconsin, Inc. specializes in custom image graphics and accessories for the automotive after-market. Auto Trim DESIGN has produced award-winning graphic designs for over 15 years and competes in regional as well as national competitions. Each year a vehicle is chosen to be tricked-out and transformed into a one-of-a-kind moving statement along with the combined efforts of local sponsors and area vendors. A 1996 Honda Civic Coupe was chosen as Auto Trim DESIGN's '2000 project car. Custom Body Graphics in Silver, Charcoal, Black, White and Yellow, and the Front Windshield Banner were created and installed by J. Michael Thienel and his creative design crew. The Sun-Guard Metallized Window Film, installed by Shannon Sells, the area's best window tinter, makes for incognito travel.

First plan of attack for this Coupe is a stop at Nik's Auto Body & Sales for a fresh custom paint job in it's Factory Red topped off with five coats of clear with PPG's Prismatic Glitter for a stunning finish. For a new set of treads it's off to Baumgart's Tire & Wheel where a set of BF Goodrich Scorcher's are paired with sporty 17" Niche Alloy Rims which create the perfect match for a dynamic look.

It's time to get our sassy ride pumped up with an awesome, custom designed sound system from Muntz Audio. A Clarion CD Deck and Tuner was installed matched with Rockford Fosgate Subwoofers and Amps along with Diamond Audio speakers, all custom painted to match the exterior. This Coupe didn't stop the crew at Muntz...they met the challenge and created a custom Sub-Box with overhead neon lighting in the trunk compartment to house all this jamming equipment.

This chariot makes for a very smooth ride being equipped with JAMEX Suspension along with Neuspeed Front and Rear Anti-Sways. You can hear our Coupe coming before it strikes due to its polished stainless steel performance cat-back exhaust with tip, all provided courtesy of Gibson Performance Exhaust. Nbr can it be concealed by night with it's Street Glow Under Car Neon Lighting system in purple and turquoise with remote operation.

Other exterior enhancements creating this mesmerizing look include: Custom Painted Brake Calipers and Drums, PIAA Fog/Driving Lamps, Custom Painted GTS Headlight Covers, Xenon Headlight Lamp Bulbs and a GTS Smoke Rear Window Deflector and Sunroof Deflector. For an ultra-sleek look, all exterior emblems have been shaved. You'll be able to see what struck as you get a rear view of the Wings West 3-Piece Spoiler with Light. Moreover, a Wings West "W" Type 3-Piece ground effects make for a ground hugging effect.

To complete the look, interior enhancements were added which include: Benevento Brushed Aluminum Dash kit, Folia-Tec Carbon Fiber and Anodized Black Shift Handle, Folia-Tec Carbon Fiber and Anodized Red Brake Lever Handle, Folia-Tec Silver Anodized Foot Pedals and Folia-Tec Shoulder Racing Pads. Under the hood it packs a punch with Decorative Yellow Wire Looms and ACCEL Yellow Plug Wires.

This Honda commands attention, but I think you'll find the real rebel behind the wheel when this revolution comes your way. **LOOKOUT!!!**

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