



### **A Division of Alfateers RV Service Center**

During the 2008 depression, due to a downturn in the economy when RV's manufactures were especially hit hard, Alfa Leisure, Inc. closed its doors after building motorhomes and travel trailers for over 35 years. Jon Goldstein was their Service Manager. He and Richard Olivas made some calls to get some money together to buy the companies data and many of the parts required to continue to service these coaches. At the time, there was a six-month backlog of work on the schedule. Jon and Richard knew that nobody other than them could deliver the service that their existing customers had grown accustom to.

Leisure Coachworks reached out to some of their highly skilled employees and asked if they were interested in joining the new company so they could retain qualified and skilled workers that were already

familiar with building motorhomes and trailers. Many agreed to come on board. They also bought all of the fixtures and molds from Alfa so they could continue manufacturing OEM replacement parts. Three months later, they opened their doors in Fontana, CA and started servicing units.

They started with six employees, all from Alfa and after being in business for 10 years now, they have 22 employees. Most came from Alfa and the remaining employees came with some form of RV background so they know how RVs are designed and what it takes to repair, upgrade, and service them.

Since then, they branched out to work on all types of motorhome, trailers, and buses. They specialize in modifications that make a motorhome, trailer, or



*They work on many different types of motorhomes and bus conversions.*

bus look like the original motorhome and not like an afterthought, as some companies tend to do.

They work with customers to agree on the best solution to do modifications and upgrades before they start on any job. They do not start the job until both Leisure Coachworks and the customer agree on the work to be done and what they expect the result to look like.

They have a 10 bay facility so they have plenty of room to work on several coaches at a time. They also have hookups for seven coaches outside of their building so people having work done can remain on the property each night while the work is being completed during the day. This is convenient as many people travel from as far away as New York and as far north as Canada to have work done on their units. Many owners live in their units full-time and they like to get maintenance items and upgrades done while passing through southern California. Year after year they gain more and more repeat customers.

They worked on close to 420 units in 2017, so it is not a small operation. Many people come back multiple times to get additional work done as maintenance and upgrades are required. They schedule their visits several months in advance for when they will be in the area. In addition, they schedule their maintenance annually such as oil and filter changes in the engine and the generators as well. Leisure Coachworks uses high quality products for all their work because once they complete a project, they don't want it to fail after it leaves their facility.

Leisure Coachworks also deals with all extended warranty companies and many coach manufactures. They also work with many local RV dealers and manufactures that bring their RVs to them for repairs and upgrades. Leisure Coachworks is equipped to do all types of repairs required to get folks back on the road.

They offer a 90 day warranty for their basic maintenance to complete remodels so they stand behind their work. They also will shampoo your carpet and wash the exterior after most major repairs so you will have a good looking and dependable RV when it leaves their facility.

You can visit them at 14620 Rancho Vista Drive in Fontana, CA or you can call them at (909) 428-6775 or email them at [support@leisurecw.com](mailto:support@leisurecw.com). Check out their web site at [www.leisurecw.com](http://www.leisurecw.com) to see a full list of service and don't forget to check out their online parts store with a full line of high quality parts at great prices that are normally shipped within 24 hours of order. They stock everything from exterior compartment doors to LED lights and a lot in between, perfect for that custom bus conversion in need of the right parts to finish that project of your dreams. They are open Monday – Friday from 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM and are closed on Saturday and Sunday except by special appointment.

*Watch a video of the mock-up of Phil Lyons, the Bus Conversion Magazine Forum Moderator's, 1995 DL3-45 bus conversion here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DT75sOHG51c>.*



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