

Oak Flooring Addition

Originally the RV came with wall-to-wall carpeting, this seemed to be a problem especially in front of the counter, sink, and stove etc., we originally tried to protect the carpeting with a plastic runner but this wasn't a very attractive option. We started looking into other options such as vinyl, tile, and wood flooring

After considering the cost and effort it would take to install we decided on wood, vinyl and tile both required stripping the carpet down to the base floor and then installing a subfloor to build up the height. Wood flooring is installed as a floating floor the pieces are interlocked into one common part, this way we could mount the floor directly on the existing carpet padding and but it up to the carpet.

We settled on a "Pergo" laminated wood flooring, these type of panels were easy to cut and interlocked securely to create one solid floating floor. The effort involved was cutting the carpet very close to what was required plus removing and reinstalling the molding around the counter. Otherwise it took less than four hours to complete, for a total cost of under on the \$95 for everything.

We're very happy with the results, now we spill something by accident it's easy to wipe out plus it doesn't look as bad as the plastic runner did originally. Only thing left to do is rent an air stapler to permanently affix the carpet, the carpet tacks do show a bit.