For safest transport and to protect all of its delicate parts, your Camera Car has been suspended in this box above and away from all the other components.

To remove the car, carefully grasp it around the middle, at the base of the camera. Holding the wires underneath the car against the platform with your fingers, pull the car straight up and out of the cardboard notches, taking care not to let the wires, couplers, etc. snag on the surrounding material.

Once clear of the box, take a moment to inspect the car. Make sure that all eight of the fine bronze pickups underneath the trucks are unbent and in direct contact with the metal axles. (NOTE: The axles have been pre-coated with a highly conductive lubricant that dramatically increases camera signal quality. DO NOT remove this lubricant from the axles.) The wire leads from the trucks should not be tight, but check to be sure they do not hang down too low. This inspection should be performed after every 4 hours of operation, or when trouble is detected.

Check the couplers for proper movement. The camera and battery eliminator circuit board were mounted securely at the factory, but note that the camera mount may be rotated side-to-side by loosening and re-tightening the mounting screw in the desired position, or, turn the entire car around for a rear view.

Once the car has passed inspection, you are almost ready to roll on your layout. One ounce of lead had been provided with double-sided tape for two reasons: First, to balance your new camera car, and second, to provide the extra weight that it requires to sit firmly down on the rails for optimum power pick up and proper transmission signal to the receiver. Apply the weights accordingly. If you have not thoroughly cleaned your track in some time, it is vitally important to do so now for trouble-free viewing. Please refer to the camera manufacturer’s instruction sheet for directions on setting up the receiver. Note that all of the original equipment provided by the camera manufacturer is included in the box should you decide to detach your camera from the Camera Car and use it in a different application, such as an R/C car, boat, airplane, etc. NOW GO HAVE FUN! See the Micro-Mark Facebook page to post video captured with your new Camera Car!