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A DREAM COME TRUE *OPEN FLOOR PLAN*
THOUGHTFUL PLANNING *CUSTOM HOME BUILDING*
TIMELESS FORM & FUNCTION *RESTORING A HOME*
SIMILAR, YET DIFFERENT *MULTI-UNIT COMMUNITY*

True Stories

MEET OUR TALENTED DESIGN TEAM online at kitchenviews.com



“Our showrooms reflect both New England traditional styles and new trends.”

Trusted resources are an important part of what Kitchen Views provides to homeowners and contractors. When you want someone you can trust to guide you through the overwhelming amount of online information, to the important facts for making informed design choices, Kitchen Views is that trusted source.

On our website in the main navigation area you will find a link called *Getting Started*. In that section you will find PDF files of our *10 Tips for a Smoother Design Journey* and a *Measuring Guide*. Then you can peruse our past issues of Kitchen Views magazine for inspiration and further information on product selections.

Tell us your dream and we'll show you how we can make that dream come true within your budget. We design to fit your individual needs and preferences. Our wide selection of products and creative, innovative designers make it all possible.

Brandy
Brandy Souza,
Designer and General Manager

ABOUT KITCHEN VIEWS & SHOWROOM LOCATIONS

Kitchen Views serves discerning homeowners and seasoned building professionals with seven showrooms — six in Massachusetts and one in Rhode Island. Our design team consists of talented designers with a range of design styles and experience. You can learn more about them through their online portfolios.

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Go to kitchenviews.com/stories for profiles, additional photographs, videos and articles in Kitchen Views magazine past issues (available in PDF format) of the people and kitchens featured in this brochure.

COVER: **A DREAM COME TRUE**, Narragansett, RI; Designer: Lisa Zompa

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Open Floor Plan

A Dream Come True

in Narragansett, Rhode Island

Kitchen Views can make dreams come true, as shown in this long-planned beach house that is used year-round. The client loved color, but she wanted to maintain a soft, beach vibe. The stain selected for the island is supposed to mimic driftwood.

Lisa Zompa worked closely with the homeowners to understand their needs and wishes. The result is a kitchen that works together with the entire open concept floor plan. This home truly conveys the gracious, happy and welcoming personalities of the homeowners.

The large island accommodates four people comfortably for casual meals. Hidden on the seating side of the island are cabinets for storage. The island provides a large cooking preparation area, storage for utensils, outlets for small appliances and oven.

The owners selected quartz for its durability and easy maintenance. They entertain a lot and didn't want to worry

about staining. Lisa likes working with quartz because extra details such as the drainage grooves these clients wanted near the sink can easily be provided.

Two appliance garages were included in the design to combat countertop clutter along with an under-counter microwave. Under the cooktop, there is a spice rack hidden in the lower cabinetry to the right of two deep drawers to store large pots and pans conveniently. On the left is a vertical tray divider for cookie sheets and cutting boards.

In this open concept layout, the bookcase on the end of the island makes a natural transition between the kitchen and comfortable seating area around the fireplace. Books and knickknacks display the personalities of the residents.

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Designed by Lisa Zompa
Kitchen Views in Warwick



ARCHITECT: Gregory P. Yalanis, Coastal Architecture & Design
BUILDER: Tim Grenier, The Grenier Group

Custom Home Building

Thoughtful Planning

in Wrentham, Massachusetts



Jamie Thibeault
Kitchen Views in Mansfield

Working with custom home builders for nearly 20 years, Jamie Thibeault provides personalized attention to the homeowners as he designs their beautiful kitchens and baths. This frees the builder to concentrate on other areas. Jamie's experience enables him to provide a customized look within the budget. He oversees scheduling of cabinetry installation to accommodate the builder's tight schedules in order to keep rotations of various sub-contractors moving smoothly. Mountain Dog Building is just one of many top custom home builders who trust Kitchen Views to be an integral part of their team.

Kitchen Views provides quality materials and Jamie plans all the elements to fit perfectly in the available space. His knowledge and experience ensure that form meets function through thoughtful room layout planning.

Quality Always Matters

Design Services & Materials

Construction methods matter. Look at how the box of the cabinet is made. Kitchen Views provides the best brands that stand the test of time.

Wood grains can be subtle or obvious. Understanding the differences between wood species will help you to select the one that will suit your style. There is an amazingly wide selection of door styles from which to choose, including overlay or inset, and finally the choice of finishes.

Visualize the layout and materials in your kitchen plans. You will receive computer renderings to help you visualize the finished space.

Patience is required during construction. When you understand the process, you'll see it's time well spent. All great journeys require planning, preparation and a good map. Your Kitchen Views designer will be there to help draw you the map and answer your questions along the way.



BUILDER: MOUNTAIN DOG BUILDING

Amy Mood knows the O'Driscoll family very well. She designed their previous dream kitchen as part of a major home renovation, and the family was featured in our 2009 Fall issue of Kitchen Views magazine in an article entitled *Room to Grow*. Then the unthinkable happened. Their home was destroyed by a major fire, but thankfully the family members were not injured physically. Emotionally, a lot

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of healing was needed. Part of their healing process was restoring the family spirit by creating a completely new and different kitchen. Lori O'Driscoll says she knew just the right person to call, “I couldn't imagine starting a new kitchen from scratch without Amy to guide us.” With the support of old friends, it was a time for fresh starts. This called for a completely new color palette and layout, with a timeless appeal to restore the feeling of family traditions. The cabinetry colors reflect new trends, but the style makes it timeless. Surrounding the



stove, the hearth is a focal point, with everything needed for cooking in easy reach. The expanded room includes a versatile dining room featuring a beautiful built-in hutch made with coordinating cherry cabinetry.

With more square footage than before, two islands were designed — one for cooking prep and another for casual dining that can double as a buffet for gatherings. A symbolic piece of their previous kitchen was salvaged; the custom-made Cherry countertop was resized, now holding the prep sink adjacent to the stove. It's central placement provides continuity of the family history.

Accommodating aging-in-place with numerous special design features makes this a truly family-friendly living space. The family's renewed focus on the joys of being together is felt in this expanded space, with plenty of room for family time and entertaining friends.



Amy Mood, AKBD, CAPS
Kitchen Views in Mansfield

Timeless Form & Function

Restoring a Home



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A Community of Multi-Units

Similar, Yet Different



DESIGNER: Brandy Souza
BUILDER: Bob Moss
PHOTOGRAPHY: MeetingHouse Media

5 Steps with

Our Commercial Division

- 1 Provide us with your floorplans and budget. We'll provide quotes and 20/20 renderings.
- 2 Project management from experienced designers from start to finish.
- 3 Our long experience has taught us how to meet deadlines and keep jobs on schedule.
- 4 Quality cabinetry and countertop materials are available for every budget.
- 5 Attention to appliance specifications so there are no surprises upon delivery.

Kitchen Views' Commercial Kitchen Sales Division is a group that focuses on large projects, providing cabinetry for kitchens and baths for multi-unit residences. Madison Place in Southborough, Massachusetts is a perfect example. As with any kitchen design, our designers provide thoughtful layouts with a comfortable amount of working space. Working within the budget they also maximize storage space.

When planning kitchens in a multi-unit community, in the style chosen by the builder, we design with layouts and materials that stand the test of time. Your reputation as a builder is enhanced by working with the experts of Kitchen Views.

While projects may have similarities, the projects may range from 100's of quick apartment rehabs to new, over-55 condominium complexes.

Specializing in supplying large scale luxury development projects and multi-unit projects, we've worked with many builders for years. You'll find testimonials from some of them on our website.

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Amy Mood
Kitchen Views in Mansfield



Dennis Serge
Kitchen Views in Mansfield



John Gendron
Kitchen Views in Mansfield

Showrooms

Where Contractors Find Answers and Homeowners Find Inspiration

There is no substitute for personally seeing cabinets and finishes in a thoughtfully designed showroom. Many of us begin researching cabinetry and other products online, and Kitchen Views has a comprehensive website to get you started. But once you have an idea of what style you like, and have made a list of "must-haves" and "would like to have's", it's time to visit a showroom.

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Kitchen Views showrooms have quality cabinetry in life-like settings that are designed to inspire you as you consider the layout for your space. Open the cabinets to inspect the quality of the construction, and see special storage solutions. Kitchen Views will also lend you cabinet door samples to take home.

Browsers are always welcome. If you want a personal consultation with a designer, please schedule an appointment. Our design services are complimentary, but their value is priceless. Our designers work hard to exceed expectations from the beginning of your design journey to completion.

Meet Our Newest Designers



Ed Nunes
Kitchen Views in New Bedford

Working with both homeowners and builders, Ed has 25 years of experience in helping homeowners create their dream homes. He designs beautiful and functional spaces within your specific budget, whether for new construction or remodeling a home.



Madonna Harris
Kitchen Views in Berlin

Madonna brings enthusiasm to each client's project with her unique and layered range of design skills. With 24 years of experience as an interior designer, her ability to assist with spatial planning and translate a client's ideas into reality results in a joyous design journey.

Experienced Designers Make the Difference

Jim Marrazzo

With a degree in Mechanical Engineering, Jim has been in the building industry for over 25 years, concentrating on kitchen design for the past 15. Prior to joining the team at Kitchen Views at National Lumber in Newton, Jim worked as a kitchen installer.

“Kitchen renovation can be trying. Do your homework; understand your kitchen. Have your designer talk with your contractor so everyone is on the same page. If you want to have fun with the design process, I’m here to help you.”



Harry Mangsen

At age 15, Harry first worked in a lumberyard. In 1984, he designed his first kitchen. Soon Harry became one of the first to design with a Macintosh computer. Today, his work can be seen in subdivisions throughout Central MA. He feels especially proud when a familiar face stops him on the street to say “thank you.”

With 32 years in the industry, Harry can name many projects that give him great satisfaction. His advice to homeowners is to design for function first, then add enhancements.



Bob Russo, ACSD, RKBP

A true veteran, Bob has designed kitchens for almost 35 years, 19 of them at National Lumber’s Newton Highlands location. Certified as an Accredited Cabinetry and Space Designer (ACSD), Bob is also certified as a Kitchen Remodeler by the National Association of the Remodeling Industry (RKBP).

Asked if any particular job stands out after all these years, Bob says, “No. I’m proud of all of them.” Fact is, Bob should be! We’re proud to have him on our team.



Lee Turner

Since award-winning designer Lee Turner claims she learned her craft “on the job,” she must be a very good student. With over 25 years in kitchen design, Lee’s work has won EM-NARI CotY awards.

In 2005 a kitchen she designed for The Wiese Company won an EM-NARI CotY award for “Best Kitchen Remodel.” In 2007, Lee designed the kitchen and baths in the home that won the EM-NARI CotY award for “Best Whole House Remodel.”

