

## **Cleaning & Maintenance Instructions**

## Stainless Steel

- o To remove smudges and light soil, use a commercially available glass & surface cleaner such as Glass Plus or Simple Green.
- To add shine and achieve a bright appearance, use a product specifically made for stainless steel such as Affresh or 3M Stainless Steel Cleaner.
- o Always apply cleaners with a soft cotton rag or microfiber towel. Wipe parallel to grain direction.
- Heavy smudges or stains can be removed using a paste made from baking soda and water.
- Do not use cleaners containing bleach, abrasives or acids.
- o Do not use steel wool or Scotch-Brite pads. They will scuff or scratch the finish.

## Bronze:

- To protect the finish, all bronze is coated with a factory applied clear lacquer. If the lacquer becomes compromised, tarnishing and discoloration will occur almost immediately.
- To remove smudges and light soil, use warm water applied with a soft cotton or microfiber towel. Wipe parallel to grain direction.
- Do not any use commercial cleaners, especially those containing solvents, bleach, ammonia or abrasives.
- Do not use steel wool or Scotch-Brite pads. They will remove the lacquer and scuff or scratch the finish.
- Over time, the lacquer will wear, especially in high use / high traffic areas such as handrails and around door openings. When this occurs the bronze will need to be professionally cleaned and re-finished.

## • Granite & Marble:

- Use warm water mixed with a few drops of neutral detergent or mild dishwashing liquid.
- Apply with a soft cotton rag or microfiber towel. Buff with a dry rag or towel to minimize haze and streaks.
- Commercial marble and granite cleaners and sealers available at home improvement stores can be used to protect the surface and enhance the shine.
- Do not use products that contain fruit acids or vinegar.
- Do not use products that contain bleach or abrasives such as bathroom or tile cleaners.
- o Do not use steel wool or Scotch-Brite pads. They will scuff or scratch the finish.