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GBS Metal Cabinet Introductory Packet: How we design, build and deliver metal cabinets

How do we design cabinets for your home?

The short answer is that we can only do this through good communication with you. We have an experienced staff of designers as well as an architect who understands people and design. We have a combined 60 years experience and have designed and delivered hundreds of kitchens nationwide.

The first step is to call Holly Butler, AIA at 641-323-6105 9-1 PM CST. She will walk you through the process and answer any questions you might have. Below are some typical questions and answers that will help get you started.

What do you charge for design?

We will create one free CAD drawing and modify it up to 2 more times at no charge. After that, any changes to the drawings will be charged at an hourly rate. The design process can take 2-3 weeks or longer depending upon how quickly you need cabinets or how slowly you want to explore every option. Most cabinets require apx.12 weeks for construction plus 2 weeks for delivery. Lead times may vary depending on the time of year and supply chain or logistical factors.

Can you show me some examples of your metal cabinets?

[LINK TO KITCHEN PAGE, METAL CABINET GALLERY](#)

Are Metal Cabinets the only option?

We also offer wood cabinets - [you can read about our wood cabinets here.](#)

How are these cabinets made?

- 1.6mm (14 gauge) thick tubular extruded aluminum profiles
- 2mm (12 gauge) thick aluminum sheet inserted into tubular profiles for doors, panels, and shelves
- All profiles and sheets are powder coated that meet Qualicoat specifications (Swiss commercial requirements)
- All aluminum is marine grade from 25% recycled and is 100% recyclable
- State-of-the-art soft-close drawers and hinges by Blum and Hettich, recognized European brands with a lifetime warranty
- Efficient Ambialine drawer organization by Blum
- Samples of cabinets are available



Are these true European cabinets?

Yes, they are elegant, modern, and clean looking with the best hardware that you would expect from European designs. These cabinets are mounted onto a rail system that makes for easy installation. They can be screwed into the wall if desired or into the floor for islands.

Custom cabinets range in style from traditional and timeless to radiant, bold, and contemporary. The doors and drawers are all flush frameless style. With countless color options, you can create a truly custom kitchen that reflects your personal style.

NOTE: We only provide vanity and other smaller cabinets as part of whole-house cabinet orders.

What colors are available?

Our metal cabinets are available in a wide range of designer colors and styles ranging from matte to brilliant gloss paint to simulated wood finishes in a broad variety of grains for both modern and traditional decors. Custom and color matched paints are also available for an additional cost. [Color swatches pdf](#)

Standard RAL Colors

These colors are available in gloss, matte, and textured finishes.

Note: Colors are subject to change and some colors may not be available in all finishes.



RAL 3004



RAL 5010



RAL 6005



RAL 6009



RAL 7016



RAL 7022



RAL 7035



RAL 8014



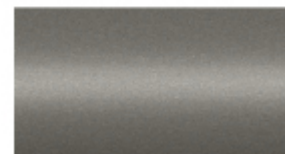
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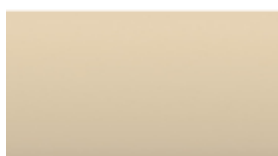
RAL 9003



RAL 9005



RAL 9007



RAL 1015



RAL 9010



RAL 7012



RAL 8017



Custom RAL Colors

These colors are available at an additional cost in gloss, matte, and textured finishes.

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Can I get samples of the colors and the cabinets?

Samples of our paint colors are available in a fan deck format. A sample cabinet box is also available to get a sense of how substantial these cabinets are fabricated. Both samples can be shipped to you for a two week period and then they must be returned to us. Call Holly to order samples 641-323-6105.

How does shipping work?

We can ship your cabinets anywhere to the contiguous United States (48 states) via a common carrier. The final mile will be shipped via a white glove service which will deliver on a smaller truck directly into your home. Some restrictions apply.

What about installation?

We recommend that you locate a reputable professional finish carpenter to do the measuring and installation of your cabinets. We will work closely with them to make sure they have everything they need to complete the job as designed.







What are the steps in designing and ordering?

1. You will send us a sketch of your desired layout or your existing kitchen, bathroom, bar, patio cook space, laundry room, etc.
2. Please also send us pictures from magazines, Pinterest, or Houzz of kitchens, bathrooms, entertainment centers, etc. that you love. The more details you can provide about your desires, the better we can fulfill them.
3. We will discuss functionality, accessories, aging in place, special needs, and budget.
4. We will create a preliminary CAD drawing at no charge with floor plans and elevations.
5. We will send the preliminary design to you for feedback and tweak the plans up to two more times at no charge.
6. We will price out cabinets including shipping, then tweak the plan again if needed to meet your budget.
7. Once the design, plan, and cabinet estimate are approved by you, we will require a 50% deposit via check or bank wire.
8. We will order the cabinets – We will send the final working drawings for your construction team.
9. Receiving and installation of your new cabinets. Final payment will be due upon cabinet delivery.

What is the warranty on these cabinets?

We offer a lifetime warranty on the structural integrity of your cabinetry. This includes the structure of the doors, drawers, and the box. The hardware and the finish are warranted for 25 years.

[Click HERE to see more examples of dozens of beautiful kitchens and bathrooms.](#)

We are unique

Our approach to crafting custom cabinetry is unparalleled in the industry. The European manufacturer of these metal cabinets has been family-owned and operated since 1997. They build every cabinet one order at a time to your exact design requirements.

What else do we offer?

Chances are, if you're remodeling or building new, you may also need non-toxic cleaners, paint, flooring, and countertops. At Green Building Supply, we specialize in non-toxic products and can help you find any of these items that complement your kitchen cabinets. Feel free to browse our website www.greenbuildingsupply.com or ask us for more details at 641-472-1700.

If you don't have an architect

Not to worry. Our in-house architect will design your kitchen for you! Please use the sheet below to draw a quick floor plan of your existing space and a basic sketch of your dream kitchen. We will transform this into a CAD drawing that will begin to make your dream into a reality. Please note that the design is limited to cabinetry and finishes only. All structural and other home design changes must be done by others.



Customer Name:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Customer Phone #:

Customer Email:

Contractor Name & Contact Info
(if known):

Please use this sheet to draw a quick floor plan of your existing space and a basic sketch of the layout of your dream kitchen.

REQUIRED INFORMATION

- Provide lengths for all existing walls.
- Measure the ceiling height in your space and note it on the drawing.
- Mark locations and sizes of all doors and windows (including width of all trim).
- Note the locations of where you would like your appliances including sinks, ovens, ranges, microwaves, etc ...
- Locate all existing plumbing and electrical services, outlets and light fixtures.
- Mark any radiators, pipes, chimneys, soffits or other obstructions.
- Include a list with the make and model numbers of all of the appliances that you plan to use in your new space.



Ready to get started? We are! Reach out to us via email at holly@greenbuildingsupply.com or call Holly at 641-323-6105 and let's get your project started!

