10 Steps to a Successful Kitchen Remodel

WEEK ONE

Step One: Demo of Existing Kitchen & Evaluation of exposed elements (Approx. 2-3 days)

We'll need all personal items cleared from the cabinets, countertops and surrounding areas before we begin.

- Prepare space to contain dust and debris as much as possible
- Deliver dumpster to driveway
- Remove old appliances, cabinetry, countertops, flooring, etc.
- Tear-down drywall, walls, soffits
- Inspect and evaluate exposed elements such as sub-floor, ceilings and walls. If unforeseen issues are detected a report is provided to homeowner with suggested actions outlined.

Step Two: Rough Electrical, Plumbing, HVAC (Approx. 3-4 days)

- Measure and layout locations for outlets, switches, light fixtures and plumbing fixtures
- Install new electrical wiring (when applicable) for appliances, light fixtures, cabinet lighting, heated flooring
- Move and/or update plumbing lines (when applicable)
- Move/install water line for refrigerator
- Move/install gas line for cooktop
- Move/install vent for cooktop hood

WEEK TWO

Step Three: Drywall & Painting (Approx. 2-4 days)

- Install drywall and mud and tape seams. Allow to dry and sand to smooth finish.
- Apply primer to drywall and allow to dry
- Apply paint to walls and/or ceilings

Step Four: Cabinet Installation (Approx. 1-2 days)

- Cabinets delivered to jobsite
- 2nd payment due
- Level and install base and wall cabinets
- Install crown molding, toe kicks and trim
- Install cabinet storage accessories such as rollout trays, spice racks, pot holders
- Install cabinet hardware

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WEEK THREE/FOUR

Step Five: Countertop Template and Fabrication (Approx. 10 days)

Quartz, granite or stone countertop fabrication typically takes around 10 days between measuring and installation. We'll install the flooring while we're waiting on the countertops, but be aware that the schedule does slow down a bit at this time. Rest assured, we're nearing the end of the project and you'll soon be enjoying your kitchen.

- Countertops are templated after cabinet installation to ensure exact measurements.
- Fabricator uses template to precisely cut, shape and finish countertop slabs in shop.

Step Six: Flooring Installation (Approx. 1-3 days)

- Install heated flooring system
- Install flooring, trim and baseboards

WEEK FIVE

Step Seven: Countertop/Backsplash Installation (Approx. 1-3 days)

- Installation of countertops and sink
- Installation of backsplash tile

Step Eight: Finish Plumbing, Electrical, HVAC, Appliances (Approx. 2-3 days)

- Hookup sink, garbage disposal, dishwasher, refrigerator water line
- Install lighting fixtures, outlet and switch covers, control panels, cabinet lighting
- Delivery and installation of appliances
- Connect ventilation system

WEEK SIX

Step Nine: Final Touchups (Approx. 1-2 days)

- Meet with homeowner to walk through kitchen and create list of final touchups
- Final payment due
- Final touchups on drywall, paint, trim, etc. completed
- Thorough cleanup performed

Step Ten: Completion (Approx. 1 day)

- Completion certificate signed
- Enjoy your dream kitchen! What's the first meal you'll cook?

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