

## **Top 10 Considerations for Stair Design**

- √ #1 What Stair Type? Will your design be a: straight, curved, ellipse, circular, spiral, or a winder staircase?
- √ #2 How Many Stringers? Will you use: a Mono (single stringer), Two
  (double stringers), or Three (triple stringers)?
- √ #3 Stringer Type: Select from: channel, tube, plate, I-beam, steel plate box (fabricated), steel plate & glass receiver, channel & plate (fabricated), or saw tooth plate (fabricated).
- √ #4 Stringer Finish: Will you choose: painted steel, stainless steel #4 (brushed), #6, or #8 (mirrored), or cladding wrapped (stainless steel, brass, aluminum, etc.)?
- √ #5 Tread Types: Will you need: steel pan with concrete fill, or steel plate?
- √ #6 Tread Finish: You can choose from: wood, terrazzo, cast concrete, stone, glass, acrylic, carpet.
- √ #7 Riser Type: Select from: open (no riser), plate, perforated metal, lighted riser.
- √ #8 Riser Finish: Will you use: wood, terrazzo, cast concrete, stone, glass, acrylic, carpet?
- √ #9 Soffit Under Stair: There are three options: metal panels, drywall, and open (soffit).
- √ #10 Other considerations: Stair w/integrated sprinkling underneath, supporting decorative columns, intermediate landing.

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