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Transform Your Kitchen Countertop For Less Than \$275

(NAPSA)—There's nothing quite like the look of a new countertop to give a kitchen style and personality. With countertop prices at \$10 to \$30 per square foot for laminate and up to \$200 per square foot for high-end granite, countertop replacement can be a real budget buster. What if you could transform your outdated laminate countertop without the time, mess or expense associated with replacing it? Now, it's easy thanks to new Modern Masters® Countertop Transformations™.

An innovative, do-it-yourself coating system that replicates the look of today's most sought-after countertop materials—like natural stone—Countertop Transformations gives old laminate countertops a durable finish in less than a weekend—for less than \$275. And, the system is so easy to use that anyone who can paint can get beautiful results in three simple steps.

Step 1: Prepare the countertop for coating: Clean your countertop thoroughly with soap and water and wipe dry. Thoroughly sand the surface with the Diamond-Embedded Sanding Tool and wipe it down with a damp, lint-free cloth. Mask off any areas you don't want coated.

Step 2: Apply the Adhesive Base Coat and Decorative Chips: Apply the Adhesive Base Coat to the backsplash and front edge with a 2" brush and to the countertop with a roller. Tip: A heavy, even coat will ensure maximum adhesion of the Decorative Chips. Spray with Wetting Agent. While the surface is still wet, apply the Decorative Chips with the Chip Dispenser (included in the kit). Once the countertop is completely covered with Decorative Chips, allow it to dry overnight.



Get a sleek, new countertop look for much less.

Step 3: Apply the Protective Top Coat: Remove excess Decorative Chips from the surface with a hand brush or vacuum and carefully sand to create a smooth, even surface. Wipe down the surface with a damp, lint-free cloth. Mask off sink and adjacent areas again and you're ready to top coat. Use a brush to apply the Protective Top Coat to the backsplash and front edge and a 6" high-density foam roller to apply a heavy, even coat to the countertop. The Protective Top Coat will dry to the touch in 4 to 6 hours, be ready for light use in 48 hours and fully cured in seven days.

Countertop Transformations is available in a variety of on-trend finishes to coordinate with any decor—including today's most sought-after neutrals. Its anti-microbial finish will not mold or mildew, is nonyellowing and can stand up to years of wear and tear.

Modern Masters® Countertop Transformations™ is available exclusively at Lowe's. For more information and other kitchen decorating ideas, visit ModernMastersTransformations.com.