# Stone Yard

# **Furniture Buying Guide**

#### **Materials**

Furniture made from GFRC (Glass Fiber Reinforced Concrete) has a weight of 7.5 lbs. per sq. ft. Fiberstone, which is visually identical to GFRC and concrete, is much lighter, at 2.5 lbs. per sq. ft. Both materials are made for indoor/outdoor use, even in extreme weather. For large and limited-access areas, the lighter-weight Fiberstone is preferred.

### **Finishes/Custom Finishes**

Because finishes are hand applied, they will vary by item based on series texture or even by batch. Lighting can greatly affect the look, so requesting physical samples is suggested. Custom finishes are also available. A custom sample will be produced and sent to client for approval. All finishes are available in both GFRC & Fiberstone.

## **Custom Sizes/Designs**

Some designs can be custom sized without tooling, but any size can be achieved on any design by building a new mold. Some custom designs may be subject to a minimum order quantity.

#### Cushions

Templates are provided for your fabric or cushion supplier to ensure a finished look and fit. Cushions must be used due to sling seat design on sofas and chairs.

#### Sealer

We use a concrete sealer for a durable and food safe coating. This sealer is UV stable, scratch resistant. and stain resistant to most household cleaners. Reapply sealer every 3-5 years, depending on exposure and application. To reapply: clean surface with a PH-neutral soap and apply new sealer with clean microfiber towel. Sealer can also be sprayed, blotted, or brushed.

#### **Cork Pads**

Cork pads come standard on all furniture to avoid floor/base damage. Nylon glides are also available per request for exterior use.

#### **Care & Maintenance**

Hand wash with a clean microfiber towel, using a PH-neutral soap if necessary. Stains can be addressed via Barkeepers Friend or a Magic Eraser, and should be tested in a non-visible area first. These more caustic cleaners may require the table to be resealed. Touchup kits are available.

# Packing

Each item is carefully packed for shipment separately from other items. Though durable pieces, extra care should be taken to avoid damage while being moved.

#### Lead Time

Production time is generally 8 weeks, but may be extended due to large or custom orders.