## **Re-sealing Instructions**

A small bottle of HydroGuard sealer was provided upon delivery of your countertop. Resealing is recommended when the concrete surface begins to show an increased amount of water vapor absorption. This will manifest itself as a more rapid darkening of the surface around areas where moisture has been present. This is most likely to occur in areas where surfaces are most used.

Please follow the instructions below for continued maintenance.

The sealing process:

Using a wet rag or sponge, wipe down counter. This will help indicate the areas of the counter that most need resealing and will also increase the working time of the sealer.

Using a soft wet rag, saturate it with the sealer, holding the rag over the counter, until some sealant drops on the counter.

Work the sealer in a circular motion over the counter surface. These areas may darken further; this is a temporary effect.

As the sealer is worked small suds may develop. Continue working the sealer for a short while until sealant begins to resist your movements and/or dry patches begin to appear.

Wring out all of the excess moisture from your rag and then repeat the wringing and wiping 2 more times. This will assure that the sealant is laying flat and you have a uniform sealed surface.

Once counter is dry wait 30-45 minutes or more before using.

<u>Please note:: If sealant becomes sticky during wipe down process, just add more water to your rag and continue with wringing and wipe down process as noted above.</u>

Please do not hesitate to call us if you have any questions.

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