

# OVERHANG WAIVER

Overhangs cannot exceed 9” for most stones; though, some such as marble, dolomite, travertine and more may only be allowed 3” overhang before added supports are necessary. Always consult with your fabricator. Additionally, all substrates must adhere to the 2/3rds rule. 2/3rds must be supported and 1/3 can overhang (still needing corbels if over 9”).

Various options are available for supports, always consult with your carpenter and fabricator to understand the best option for every project. Should you use a steel support, 3/8” thick steel is the minimum. Supports should extend to 2-3" shy of the countertops’ edge and spaced no more than 16” apart. Plywood sub-tops for 4cm or 6cm applications act as their own support system so long as the 2/3rds rule is observed.

If supports are not installed level, they won’t make contact with the stone and rendered ineffective. Please use laser self-leveling devise to ensure the entire span is level from one far end to the other and criss-cross. If not possible to achieve perfect level, it is better to have supports angled slightly upwards at the tip (up to 1/16”) to ensure they are in-contact with the stone.

I.V. Granite & Marble does NOT provide or install corbels.

If proper supports are not installed, natural stone may crack or even break-off. Though it requires a harder impact, manufactured quartz can break as well. Such risk may result in injury varying from minor or severe. Falling stone can cause death to small children and pets and we urge the contractor and homeowner to consider their decisions carefully and thoughtfully when designing their space.

The fabricator is not liable for the structural integrity, design planning or execution of the substrate (structure) on which the stone is installed. The fabricator is not liable for any failures that may occur directly related to any substrate (structure).

By signing this document, you acknowledge that you have been advised to install supports as outlined above yet have decided against this step. This document is a legally binding form in the case of damage or personal injury to person(s) or pet(s).

Customer Name:

Customer Signature:

Date: