FENCING DIRECT You're Vinyl Railing Project Check List
Determine the goals for installing your Railing.
Are you looking for security, installation for an above ground swimming pool, or to contain your pets on your deck or porch?
Establish a budget for your project
Railing can be more costly than you might think, it will; however increase the value of your property and home.
Check with your HOA, city or town covenants on any restrictions on the type and height of railing you must have.
Many Home Owners Associations, Cities or Towns have height or style restrictions on what you can install on you property. It is best to find out before you get too far on your project.
Check the structural integrity of your deck or porch.
Over time decks and porches, especially wood ones, can become damaged or pieces can rot. Make sure your deck is sound before installing new railing. If your deck or porch isn't sound, adding new railing could exacerbate the issue.
Measure and draw out the area around your deck or porch that you want to install your railing.
Use a tape measure or wheel to determine the footage you will be enclosing. Take note of any obstacles such as structural posts that may need to be worked around, especially in older homes.
Determine how many gates you will need on your project.
If you choose to install a gate on your porch or deck, determine if you want to have a single or a double gate opening and if the gates we have will be long enough to cover the walkway area.
Draw out and price the railing you need and compare it your financial budget for the project.
If you need help putting together a quote email sales@fencingdirect.com
Determine if you are comfortable installing the railing yourself or hiring a local handyman or landscape contractor to install it for you.
Most of our railing is easy to install with a friend or neighbor. Alternatively you may find a local handyman or landscaper can install the material for you at a reasonable price.
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