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**DESIGNRAIL® ALUMINUM RAILINGS HELP GREEN
AND BEAUTIFY THE NEXTGEN “FIRST TO THE
FUTURE” DEMONSTRATION HOME**

--Recycled content, lighter shipping weights, state-of-the-art powder coatings, long usage cycles and attractive styles make the DesignRail® aluminum railings a natural fit--

OAKLAND, California January 2009--Among the products included in the 5,200 square foot NextGen “First to the Future” National Demonstration Home, opening in Las Vegas this January, will be DesignRail® aluminum railings from Feeney, Inc. These pre-engineered, component based railings combine the durability, strength, low maintenance, and environmental integrity of aluminum and stainless steel with innovative design details that assure lasting beauty, structural reliability, easy installation, and affordability.

“The characteristics of the DesignRail® line blend perfectly with the ‘stronger’ and ‘greener’ themes of the NextGen project,” said Andrew Penny, VP-Marketing at Feeney. “Not only do our aluminum and stainless steel products contain a high percentage of recycled raw materials, but they are also incredibly strong and durable with long usage cycles and low maintenance costs. And our state-of-the-art, powder coating line emits no V.O.C.s or heavy metal waste, uses a non-chromium pre-treatment wash, and reclaims 93% of the waste water via a reverse-osmosis membrane filtration system.”

The DesignRail® railings can be quickly and easily cut and assembled on-site using pre-engineered components that snap and screw together--no welding, grinding or special finishing. All of the rails and stanchions are made from high-strength 6000-series aluminum extrusions that not only contain a minimum of 25% reclaimed content but also are fully recyclable. Plus,

the lightweight nature of aluminum reduces shipping costs and related fuel use and makes the parts easier to handle on the job.

DesignRail® components are available in 8 standard colors and over 200 custom colors to suit the most innovative design requirements. The tough powder coated finishes adhere to rigorous AAMA-2604 specifications offering superior color retention, impact resistance, and weather durability. Available with the system are ADA compliant applied grab rail designs, 5 different styles of cap rails, and 4 post-mounting options. Infill options include CableRail™ stainless steel cables (used on the NextGen project), tempered glass panels (clear or tinted) and aluminum pickets. The low maintenance benefits include no rusting, peeling, splintering, cracking, or repainting, issues that are typically associated with many other types of materials and railing systems. There is a 10-year warranty on the DesignRail® powder coated finishes and stainless steel cable infill, and the experienced Feeney staff is ready to assist with product selection and technical support.

Feeney, Inc., based in Oakland, California, is a leading manufacturer of high quality stainless steel and aluminum products, marketed under their Feeney Architectural Products line. They celebrated their 60th anniversary in 2008. For more information and technical support, please call the Customer Service Hotline at 800-888-2418. Building and design professionals can visit <http://www.feeneyarchitectural.com/>. CAD detail drawings and 3-part spec are available for downloading from the website. Members of the media can get the latest news from Feeney at <http://www.feeneyarchitectural.com/media>.