

RAILING SYSTEMS CASE STUDY

PROJECT: COCOTERO CONDOS

LOCATION: PALM SPRINGS, CA

BLDG USE: RESIDENTIAL

COMPLETION: MAY 2008

PRODUCTS: 6005 ALUMINUM SERIES 200 TOP RAIL WITH BASE PLATE MOUNTING METHOD AND GLASS INFILL

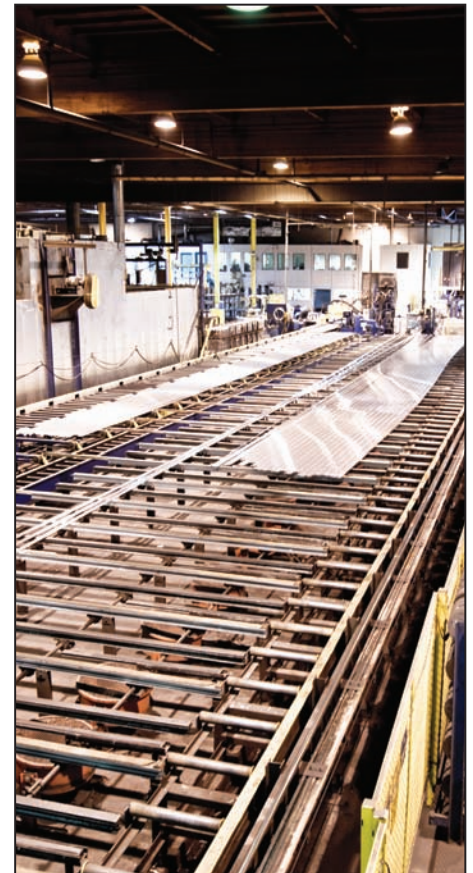
ARCHITECTS: LRS ARCHITECTS

CUSTOMER: FIVE STAR PROPERTIES

The Cocotero is a luxurious 12 unit condo development located in Palm Springs, California. The intimate setting of Cocotero is unique and inviting with gorgeous mountain views. Sapa Profiles, Inc. provided the aluminum railing for the entire development.

The project specifications called for an aluminum glass railing with a bronze anodized finish. The 6005 aluminum alloy railing is Sapa's 200 series flat top rail with 1/4" tempered glass infill. When Five Star Properties was looking for an aluminum railing supplier they preferred a company with diverse capabilities all under one roof. Five Star Properties found Sapa Profiles, Inc., the global leader in extrusion, anodizing, coating, project management, design, and fabrication. To give the railing lasting protection it was anodized with a bronze finish at Sapa's state-of-the-art anodizing facility. Material was delivered to the job site in a short lead time on Sapa trucks. There are few alternatives when a customer is looking for high quality aluminum railing systems made in the USA!

Steven Archibald, one of Sapa's experienced Project Managers, was responsible for leading the Cocotero project. "The project went extremely well, the only challenge was solving a corner piece that was too tight to handle the glass infill. We provided a solution to the customer by recommending they place a picket there instead. In the end, it looked much better and Five Star Properties was completely satisfied."



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