

# LYNCH ESTATE ELEMENTS



## BORDERS AND ROSETTES

### DESIGN FEATURES

- Lead borders are used to create unique planters, cisterns and fountain basins or components. Select borders based on their design, height and repeat.
- Use simple molding borders at base.
- Plain sheet lead is used to separate borders and create custom heights.
- Designs over 12" high require a liner of fiberglass, we apply the liner directly to the interior.
- The top edge of cisterns which are fiberglass lined include a skirt to cover the fiberglass edge.
- Flat back cisterns typically have a slight recessed back to accommodate plumbing and electrical connections.
- Rosettes can be added along sections of sheet lead.



### LAYING OUT BORDERS

Lead is cast into aluminum molds which can be indefinitely reused. This method is perfect for creating items with repeating features such as borders. The borders have matched ends and our craftsman expertly weld the sections together and chase in the details lost in the weld. The same applies to how they treat corners.

When considering a cistern size we do recommend allowing the craftsman a bit of leeway to allow us to carefully match the pattern in the corners, this could mean an increase or decrease in length by up to 1".

Landscape designers appreciate the flexibility of our method of construction in order to perfectly fit column caps, line stair landings or fit oddly shaped courtyards. The same applies to the height, use borders at the top and bottom and fill the center with plain sheet lead, as it can be any height. Cisterns, planters and basins are items appropriate for this construction. The largest dimension should be limited to 6' and the height no more than 36". If more height is required considering placement on a cast or natural cut stone block.