



KITCHEN \$150-\$150K

PLYMOUTH SCANDINAVIAN UPGRADE

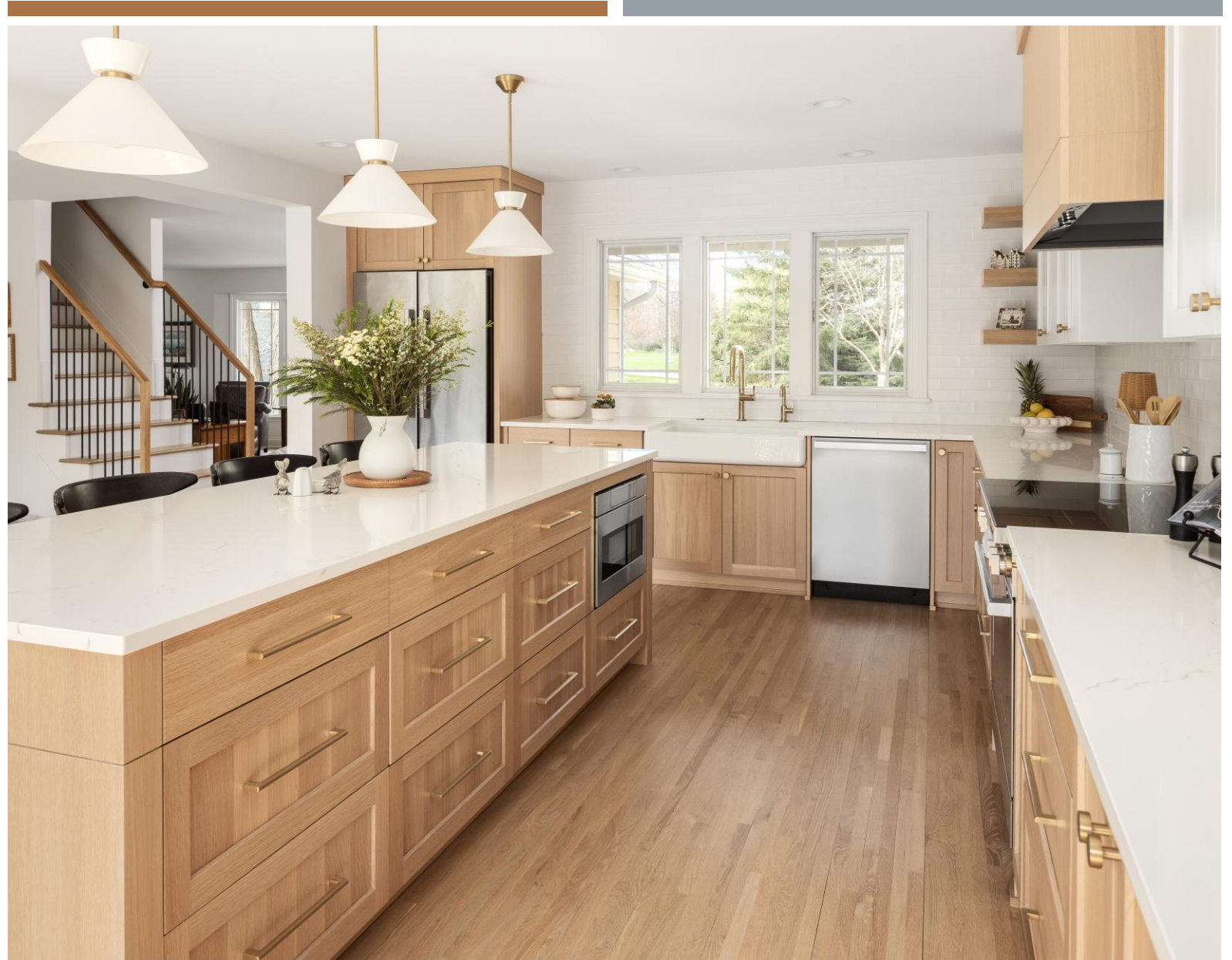
PROJECT BACKGROUND

This Plymouth kitchen transformation focused on solving significant architectural and functional challenges within an existing home that lacked efficiency, storage, natural light, and purposeful transitions.

While the home had an open floor plan, the kitchen and adjacent spaces suffered from poor circulation, limited organization, and underutilized square footage that did not support modern living.

With our homeowners' love of Scandinavian design as the inspiration, we focused on a light, natural palette featuring white oak, simple clean-lined cabinetry, and crisp white accents. The design emphasizes brightness and simplicity, with linear elements and a "less is more" approach. Repetition of horizontal lines throughout the space—seen in the hood, back island panel, and floating shelves—creates a cohesive, understated look that feels both modern and timeless.

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CHALLENGES

One of the most impactful challenges was a large non-functional cement chimney located directly in the kitchen and extending through the lower level. Wrapped in cherry wood, the oversized structure consumed valuable square footage, disrupted circulation, and limited cabinetry opportunities. Its removal required careful structural reinforcement to maintain wall integrity. The lower-level area affected by the chimney was also repaired and restored. Eliminating this obstruction dramatically opened the kitchen footprint, allowing for increased cabinetry, better flow, and a more intentional layout.

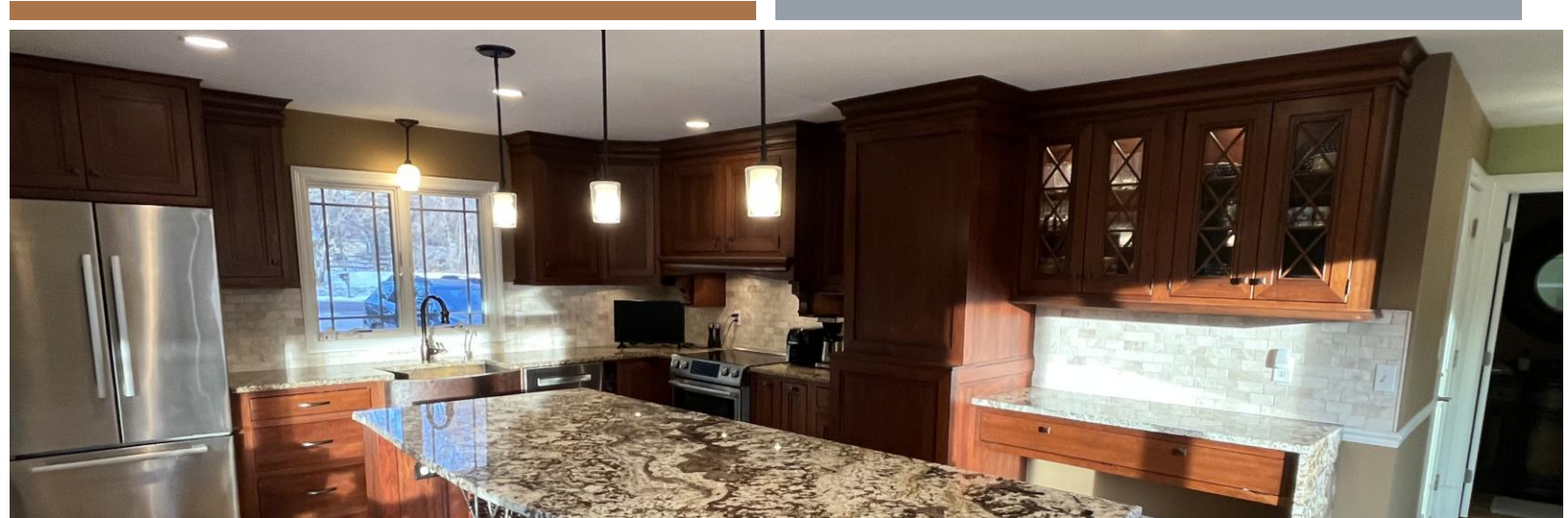


CHALLENGE

Natural light was another major concern. An oversized exterior overhang restricted daylight into the kitchen, making the space feel darker and closed in.

SOLUTION

To improve brightness, an additional window was added above the sink, significantly increasing natural light into the primary workspace. Further light was introduced by opening the stairwell wall, allowing borrowed light from the front living room to flow deeper into the kitchen and surrounding spaces. This created stronger visual connectivity while enhancing openness.



CHALLENGE

Storage limitations also heavily impacted function. The original kitchen lacked adequate cabinetry and had no pantry, making organization difficult within a high-traffic open layout.

SOLUTION

With the chimney removed, the redesigned kitchen allowed for expanded storage and cleaner spatial planning. Ceiling-height cabinetry maximized vertical storage while reinforcing a simple, Scandinavian-inspired aesthetic defined by clean lines, warmth, and timeless simplicity.



SOLUTIONS ADDED UP

The final result is a highly functional kitchen and connected living environment that transformed underutilized architectural challenges into a bright, organized, and timeless design. Through structural problem-solving, improved circulation, enhanced daylight, and thoughtful Scandinavian-inspired detailing, this Plymouth remodel now supports both elevated design and everyday living.



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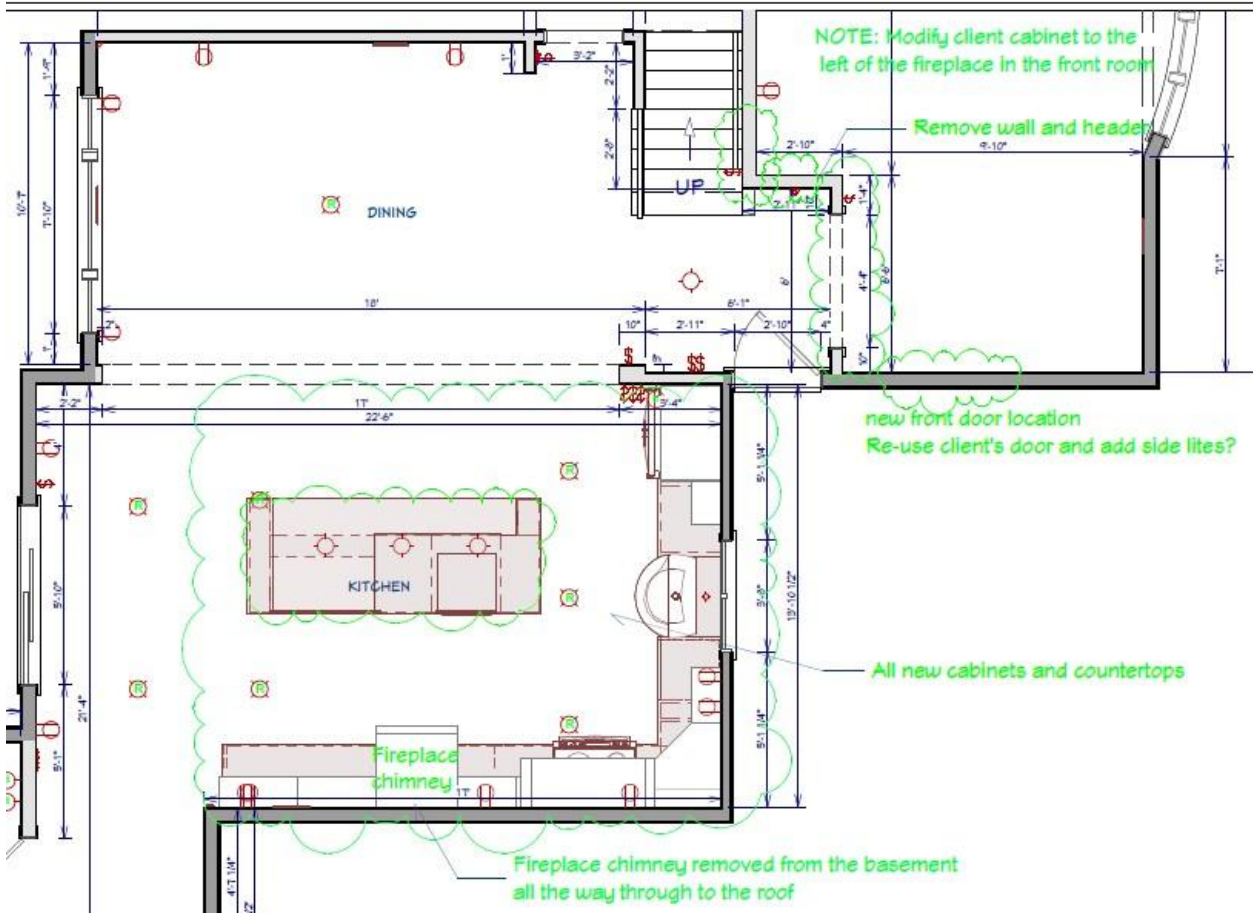
ADDITIONAL PHOTOS TO SHOW TRANSFORMATION

An additional, freestanding PANTRY and STORAGE area was incorporated to provide much-needed organization without taking space away from the main kitchen workspace. By moving pantry storage and prep functions outside the primary cooking zone, the kitchen was thoughtfully divided into distinct work areas.

This allows multiple activities to happen comfortably at the same time—whether someone is prepping ingredients, cooking at the range, or baking at the island—creating a highly functional kitchen that works just as well for an avid chef as it does for a passionate baker.



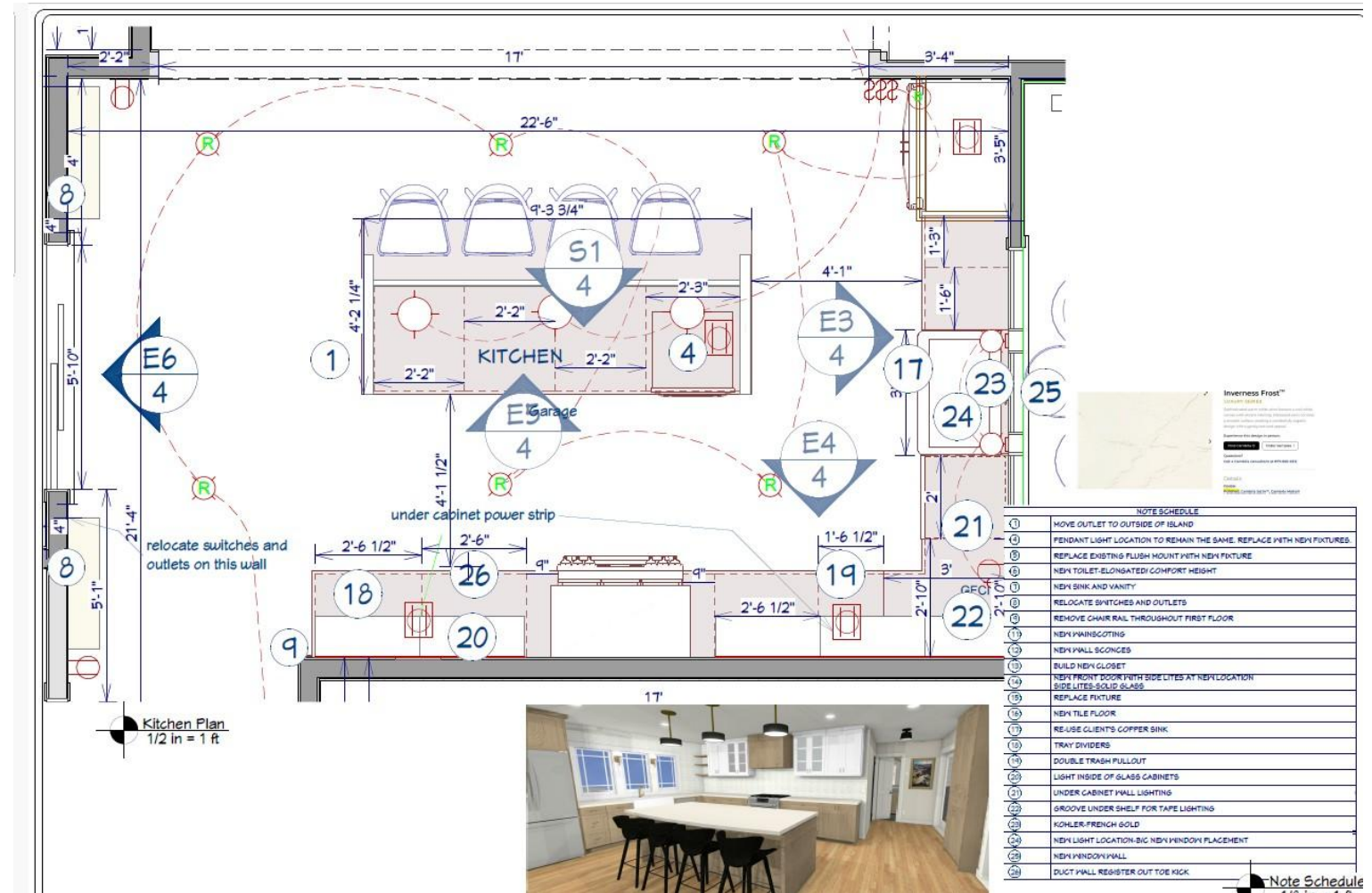
BEFORE PLAN



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AFTER PLAN

AFTER KITCHEN PLAN



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BEFORE PHOTOS



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_____ makes you feel like you are their only customer.”