

ASPIRE DESIGN AND HOME

*SUMMER
FARE*

THE BIG BLUE ISSUE

COASTAL FASHION

THAT'S GREEK TO ME

INTERIOR DESIGNER ANNA KOVALCHENKO HAD A UNIQUE PROBLEM TO SOLVE: HER CLIENTS WANTED THEIR APARTMENT TO REFLECT THEIR LOVE FOR TRAVEL AND REMIND THEM OF THEIR FAVORITE DESTINATIONS — BUT THE INTERPRETATION COULD NOT BE TOO OBVIOUS. GREECE WAS ONE FAVORITE, SAYS KOVALCHENKO, ADDING, “WE CHOSE A BLUE-AND-WHITE PRIMARY COLOR PALETTE FOR THE KITCHEN, WHICH IS SO TYPICAL FOR MANY GREEK VILLAGES AND TOWNS.” STREAMLINED HIGH TECH KITCHEN CABINETS AND A STEEL BACKSPLASH WERE SOFTENED WITH NATURAL WOOD AND WARM METALS, LIKE THE BRUSHED BRASS CHANDELIER ABOVE THE TABLE. JUST RIGHT!
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TABLE AND DINING CHAIRS ARE SOLID TEAK WOOD (FROM D-BODHI) AND CHAIRS ARE UPHOLSTERED WITH BUFFALO SKIN. KITCHEN CABINETS ARE CUSTOM MADE (MOSCOW). PENDANT LIGHT IS FROM MW-LIGHT (GERMANY).