

MARKETING NEWS

New products and developments from the Leading Supplier of Water Distribution Products

PIPE REPAIR PRODUCTS

New Customer Service Representative: your advocate

Our Cleveland, Tennessee plant, where pipe repair products are made and stocked, now has a dedicated customer service representative to help with all your technical or delivery questions. His name is Roy Roden, and he can be reached at 423-339-3982, extension 205. Please give Roy a call when you need help choosing or expediting a Mueller® or Viking Johnson™ pipe repair product.

This is the first issue

...Of a newsletter we'll publish not yet been published in our periodically to help keep you catalogs or literature. You'll informed of new products and notice this publication is hole-other developments affecting punched to fit into your the broad range of products we Mueller Water Distribution make. Look to this newsletter Products Catalog binder. for timely information that has May we suggest you file each copy there for ready reference.

New ductile iron service saddle

Have you checked out our new DI saddle OD ranges? The Mueller® Ductile Iron Saddle will handle, at a minimum,

A/C 150 RB max. through IPS PVC with a single saddle (4"-12"). Plus, fusion bonded epoxy is now the stan-

dard coating at no extra cost over the shop coated version we used to provide. **(Pages 4.6-4.9 in the water catalog)**

After-hours emergency hotline

The Cleveland Pipe Repair Products Plant now has an after-hours hotline for emergency service. Between the hours of 5:00PM and 8:00AM EDT, you or your customer can call

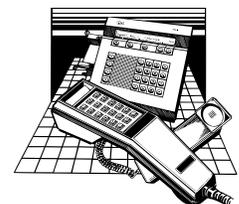
S13000 Series hinged saddle

The Mueller® S13000 Series Hinged Saddle for IPS PVC (2"-8") has been an overwhelming success. Before bringing it out, we benchmarked the competition and made improvements on

the design. Coming this December: a 2-1/2" version for IPS PVC. *Just another reason to make all your pipe repair products Mueller!* **(Page 4.3 in the water catalog)**



Mueller® S13000 Series Hinged Saddle for IPS PVC (2"-8")



423-339-3982 and press 9. You will be instructed to leave your name, phone number and a brief description of the problem. Your call will be returned within fifteen minutes. For information about the restrictions that may apply to products purchased using the hotline, contact your Mueller Sales Representative or Customer Service during normal business hours.

H-304 Stainless Steel Tapping Sleeve Improvements.



Speaking of new OD ranges, our H-304 stain-

less steel tapping sleeve has expanded pipe coverage range in the size-on-size version. In addition, we have enhanced the sealing ring on all H-304 sleeves by adding two raised integral O-rings on the gasket around the side

opening. With the highest working pressure and the heaviest gage stainless steel in the industry, the Mueller H-304 Stainless Steel Tapping Sleeve truly outperforms the competition. **(Pages 12.6, 12.7 in the water catalog)**

New 100% stainless steel "lug-style" repair clamps

Another new addition to the Mueller pipe repair product family is our 540/550 series all stainless steel repair clamps. The single-band 540 and double-band 550 repair clamps are the logical choice for those customers who require all-stainless-steel repair clamps. As with all our stainless steel pipe repair products, the Mueller 540 and 550 Series Clamps are made using 304L (low carbon) stainless steel. (Pages 15.4-15.31 in the water catalog)



Viking Johnson now "Made in U.S.A."

That's right -- Viking Johnson couplings are now made in Cleveland, Tennessee. The new Viking Johnson manufacturing plant opened this past June, right next door to our Mueller Pipe Repair Products Plant. All Maxi Products are now

being produced there. In addition, all Maxi Products are now NSF 61 Certified for potable water. The world's largest selling and most technically advanced couplings are in stock -- in the U.S.A. -- and waiting for your order.



Leak repair for PE-160 PVC solvent weld joints

Do you have leaks springing up at your PE-160 PVC solvent weld joints? Mueller has just the answer: our 773 solvent weld joint repair clamp was designed

specifically for this situation. It is an economical, easy to install product that effectively solves a growing problem. (Page 15.32 in the water catalog)

SERVICE BRASS PRODUCTS

More sizes of pack joints for PE pipe.

In addition to the recently released 1-1/2" and 2" Mueller® Pack Joint products for PEP, we have started production of the 3/4"* and 1" pack joint products for PEP. (Updated water catalog pages will be mailed soon.)



...And more pack joints for PVC, too

Also, 3/4"* through 2" pack joint products for PVC were recently released. Call your local representative to find out what specific products are available. (Updated water catalog pages will be mailed soon.)

*3/4" fitting can be used for either IPS PVC or IPS PEP pipe

Expanded angle fitting and tee offering

Our 45°, 90°, and "Tee" service line brass product offering is constantly being expanded. Check out section 6 of your water catalog, or call your local representative -- we are likely to have what you're looking for.

Ball valves for reclaimed water

Mueller now offers a complete range of ball valves for reclaimed water in 3/4" through 2" sizes. They feature easy-to-read lettering on the cap clearly showing their use with "Reclaimed Water." Also available are lever handles that can

be pinned onto a standard cap. These handles are provided with a purple sleeve clearly marked "Reclaimed Water." This will allow you to stock common valves and add the special handle when required for reclaimed water service.

Availability of 1-1/2" valves with 2" outlet

For those of you who would like a 2" outlet on a 1-1/2" ball valve, we have developed a casting that allows us to add a 2" CTS

Mueller 110® Compression Connection to the outlet of a 1-1/2" ball corporate valve, or to any 1-1/2" ball curb valve.

METER SETTING EQUIPMENT

Special adapter coupling lets you pre-plan for 1" meter services

Many communities specify a 1" service line, but are not yet ready to install the 1" meter. We now offer couplings that will adapt a 5/8"x3/4" meter or a 3/4" meter to a 1" meter lay length and thread size. (Page 8E.4 of the water catalog)

New sizes of vertical by horizontal meter yokes

Vertical inlet (flare, CTS Mueller 110® connection, Mueller pack joint) by horizontal outlet (multipurpose) meter yokes are now available for 5/8", 5/8"x3/4", 3/4", and 1" meters.

New large size meter resetters

Recently introduced resetters for 1-1/2" and 2" flanged meters are now available with an optional by-pass. Call with your requirements today.