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## IRRIGATION & WATER FEATURE PRODUCTS

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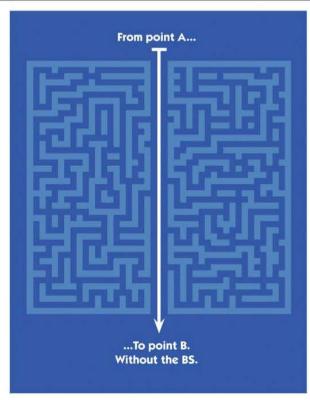
New Touch On Foam LANDSCAPE Exterior Filler-Adhesive is formulated to retain its dispensed black color and blend naturally into surrounding landscapes, even when exposed to direct sunlight. The foam bonds quickly to porous or non-porous rock, stone, cement, wood and cloth — and can even replace loose mortar in rock walls. It also can be used to direct water flow in pond or waterfall applications, and is safe for use around fish or plants. *Touch-N-Foam.com or 800/325-6180* 

#### Aquascape 🔿

Like its larger predecessor, the Small AquaBasin is made out of black high-density polyethylene with an octagon shape that allows for maximum strength when installing and backfilling into the ground. It measures 30 in. front to back and left to right, with a depth of 10 in., and will hold 40 gallons of water. This smaller basin has a pre-drilled hole in the center of the reinforced deck, making it easy to connect the plumbing to the decorative feature. A 9- by 12-in. grated door on the top allows quick access to the pump to adjust water flow. The deck can accommodate decorative features weighing up to 300 lbs. AquascapeInc.com or 866/877-6637

#### Sof'Solutions

With health and environmental concerns surrounding polyvinyl chloride (PVC), Sof'Solutions proactively has converted all of its surfacing products to a 100% "green" material, thermoplastic elastomer (TPE). The product lines include the colorful, flexible Sof'Shield Indoor/



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Engineered Rubber, a resilient, loose-fill playground surfacing product. Sof-Solutions.com or 800/523-8690

#### **Rain Bird**

With its new self-extracting coil feature, Rain Bird's XQ 1/4-in. Distribution Tubing makes the dreaded task of untangling a thing of the past. It can be installed both above



and below grade, and features a textured finish for easier handling. Constructed of UV-resistant polymers, the tubing boasts a rating of 60 psi and is compatible with all 1/4-in. transfer fittings and barbed outlet ports. Available lengths include 100-, 250and 1,000-ft. options; the 1,000-ft coil is

> also available in a patentpending XQ Bucket for efficient use and storage. RainBird.com or 800/RAIN-BIRD

#### Vista Professional Outdoor Lighting

Models 2114 and 2115 are two new LED light fixtures designed for underwater use. The compact, rugged units are just 2-in. in diame-



ter. Both models are available with either 2.5- or 3.5-watt LED emitter packages to provide high impact light with minimal energy consumption. The fixture housings are available in brass or stainless steel, and feature a 15-ft. pigtail of 18/3 double-jacketed, water-resistant cable. *VistaPro.com or 800/766-8478* 

#### **Primera Turf**

Myst continues as the season-long, premier wetting agent in the PrimeraTurf lineup. But the cooperative's expanded lineup now includes new Hydrate wetting agent for monthly maintenance programs

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and new Gateway irrigation injectable wetting agent. Like Myst, Hydrate and Gateway contain wetting and spreading agents as well as re-wetting agents. The wetting and spreading agents allow applied water to enter the root zone, including areas previously affected by Localized Dry Spot. The water-conserving, surfactant-based, re-wetting agents included in all three products were developed as part of a water conservation project in Europe and the United States. These water conserving agents help give consistent wetting properties over an extended period of time, to help improve water use efficiency and thereby reduce total applied water requirements. *PrimeraTurf.coop or* 440/748-0177

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Honda's high pressure pumps are designed for moving clean, uncontaminated water - excluding drinking water or flammable liquids - from one place to another. Typical applications for the general purpose pump series include irrigation, flood control, light construction, fire fighting and swimming pool drainage. Leveraging Honda's quiet four-stroke engines, the pumps feature low-decibel use levels. The WH15 and WH20 (pictured) model pumps offer high pressure with a lower flow, designed for sprinklers, irrigation systems or use with hoses and nozzles. HondaPowerEquipment.com or 770/497-6400



#### Greenlee

Quickly and accurately track buried irrigation system wiring and valves with Greenlee's 521A wire and valve locator. Locate wire paths, buried valve solenoids, wire breaks and more. A high power transmitter allows for extended long range locating and use on higher resistance wire paths. Adjustable transmit power allows you to select the best signal for maximum performance. A lightweight, long-nose receiver wand lets you move quickly and locate long wire paths. *Greenlee.com or 800/435-0786* 

#### Underhill

To help irrigation contractors save time and labor on large residential and commercial jobs, Underhill now offers 2Wire Decoder Modules that convert Hunter ICC Controllers to two-wire operation. With a 2Wire system, just a single pair of wires extends from the controller to



each valve in the irrigation network. The technology has proven to be a cost-saving alternative on sites with a quarter-acre or more because it requires less copper wire, reduces installation time and labor, and facilitates system expandability. When a system is expanded, the installer connects additional wire to the last field decoder in the network and can add as many zones as needed. No trenching back to the controller is required. *Underhill.us or 866/863-3744* 



#### **King Innovation**

Designed for low-voltage landscape lighting system wire splices, DryConn Black Series Waterproof Connectors are corrosion-proof, rated 600V, and are UL 486D listed and UL 1838 compliant. Each connector is pre-filled with dielectric silicone sealant that never hardens; instead, it tightly seals and waterproofs splices exposed to condensation, water, vapors or dust. The DryConn line of original black connectors includes Black/White, Black/Gray and Black/Blue. Multiple sizes and quantities are available. With one-step installation, no pre-twisting of wires is required. KingInnovation.com or 800/633-0232

#### Netafim USA

Originally developed for the row crop market, new DripNet PC provides an economical heavy-wall solution for irrigating permanent plantings with long runs and steep topographies with high uniformity. Its large filtration area prevents the penetration of dirt particles into the dripper, while the chemical-resistant, self-cleaning, self-flushing dripper diaphragm removes debris throughout the irrigation cycle. The dripper delivers



precise water applications at the industry's lowest regulating pressure: 6 psi. It's available with a wide range of flow rates and dripper spacing for spe-

cific application rates and control of wetting pattern in different soil types. NetafimUSA.com or 800/777-6541



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