



## PERMASHIELD SACRIFICIAL AND NON-SACRIFICIAL GRAFFITI REMOVAL PROCEDURES

- Do not use other solutions such as solvents, M.E.K., or lacquer thinners to remove graffiti from the PERMSHIELD SACRIFICIAL or PERMASHIELD NON-SACRIFICIAL coated surfaces.
- 2. **PERMASHIELD NON SACRIFICIAL** can remove graffiti up to 7 times under ideal application and graffiti removal procedures.
  - a. **PERMASHIELD SACRIFICIAL** can remove graffiti 1 time. Then the product sacrifices itself (with the embedded graffiti) and must be reapplied to the areas where the coat was exposed to **CITRUS CLEAN** (graffiti remover) or warm water (140-190°F).
- 3. Removing graffiti as soon as possible is required to ensure the graffiti hasn't cured in the coating (this will require more scrubbing).
- 4. Cover the directly surrounding vegetation, untreated surfaces, and the floors (under where the graffiti removal will take place).
  - a. Overspray and runs should be wiped off immediately before drying on the surface.
- 5. Spray the **CITRUS CLEAN** on the graffiti and allow it to set for 2 minutes (do not allow the cleaner to dry on the surface).
- 6. Use a nylon hard bristle scrub brush or scour pad, to work the cleaner into the graffiti (like brushing your teeth).
  - a. Spray an additional light mist of CITRUS CLEAN while scrubbing to maintain a wet surface. Continuous wet scrubbing is the key to removing the graffiti.
  - b. Make sure the floor directly under the graffiti removal is covered to catch graffiti as it runs.
    - i. Wipe off runs of graffiti immediately with a rag.
- 7. Spray additional cleaning solution (if there is still graffiti on the surface) and repeat the above steps.
- 8. After <u>complete removal</u> of graffiti, rinse the cleaned area thoroughly with water. This is required to neutralize the cleaner. Once the surface has been rinsed/neutralized further graffiti removals must wait approximately 30-60 minutes until the coating has completely dried.
- 9. The **PERMASHIELD SACRIFICIAL** can also be removed using a warm pressure washer (140-190°F). Pressure wash the <u>affected areas only</u> and the warm water will melt the coating (that has the graffiti embedded in it). Once the coating has been removed (along with the graffiti) the surface will not have anti-graffiti protection and will need to be recoated.

If there are any questions feel free to contact Monopole's technical support team at (800) 491-9977.