CASE STUDY
DoubleTrac® Gasoline and Diesel UST

Product:
DoubleTrac® Double Wall Petroleum Piping for Retail Applications

Location: Consumer’s Cooperative, Sauk City, WI

Consumer’s Cooperative was founded in 1929 by a small group of local farmers who saw the need to have a readily available supply of fuels to run their farms and heat their homes, while keeping the cost down.

Thus a Cooperative was formed from this forward thinking group of farmers to supply their local community with cost competitive fuels.

Through these years its membership has continued to grow and today Co-op has over 3000 members who still see the need to make sure quality fuels at a competitive price are provided to that same community and the surrounding area.

The Co-op supports its customers’ needs by offering a variety of bulk fuels and propane along with several convenient store locations.

Monte Wick, General Manager of the company, is constantly seeking the latest advancement of fuel management and fueling systems that will benefit the Co-op today and in the future. That is how he found OmegaFlex®.

Mr. Wick believes that OmegaFlex’s DoubleTrac® double containment pipe is a perfect fit for his forward thinking group of owners. Not only will the station with DoubleTrac® be future fuel ready, it will have a pipe that has no joints or connections underground. The DoubleTrac® double wall pipe end fittings are all metal to metal seals with no O-rings to breakdown in the future. DoubleTrac® is a stainless steel pipe that is perfect for handling bio-diesels, low sulfur diesels and all the combinations of ethanol blends or non-ethanol gasolines found in today’s market.

Mr. Wick was also very pleased with the thirty year warranty offered by OmegaFlex. In his opinion it is the best warranty out there on the best pipe option available today. “It makes you feel good knowing you have a long standing company like OmegaFlex standing beside you for thirty years.”

“We would definitely use DoubleTrac® again in the future,” said Mr. Wick. The pipe was cost competitive for the value of a metallic pipe that can be used as a flexible pipe, along with the straight stick options and factory pre-assembled end fittings, the installation cost was a non-factor.

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Whether it’s Time Wise, Family Express, Consumers Co-op or even the US Navy, a growing number of fuel dispensing clients are beginning to recognize the long term payback in investing in a premium quality double containment piping system for their long term fueling needs. In addition to our 30 year warranty, DoubleTrac® offers the following:

• 316L stainless steel primary pipe; traceable underground
• Compatible with current or any potential future fuels
• Only fuel pipe to pass 2 hour fire test for UST or AST applications
• Double wall pipe and fittings for continuous monitoring
• Easy to install; no gluing, no welding=No weather delays
• Warranty is not affected by contaminated surroundings
• No polyethylene means no expansion or contraction issues

About Omega Flex Inc.

Established in 1975, OmegaFlex® is the preeminent international producer of flexible metallic piping products. With over 200 patents registered worldwide, OmegaFlex® supplies proprietary products for a broad number of applications and markets, which include primary steel production, semi-conductor, medical, pharmaceutical, petrochemical, residential and commercial construction, and power generation.

OmegaFlex® is a product and engineering-driven company committed to meeting the most stringent performance requirements for all of its customers.

In addition to DoubleTrac®, OmegaFlex® has developed a number of unique corrugated piping products specifically for the distribution of liquid and gaseous fuels including the DoubleTrac® flex connector. OmegaFlex® DoubleTrac® flex connectors are manufactured from heavy wall T316L stainless steel corrugated inner core, with all stainless steel end fittings. The DoubleTrac® flex connector easily connects to other pipework system components; the all stainless steel construction complies with NFPA 30/30A and is listed to UL 2039.

DEF-Trac® by OmegaFlex® for Diesel Exhaust Fluid, Diesel Exhaust Fluid (DEF) is now required by diesel-fueled heavy-duty trucks, pickups, SUVs and vans. DEF is used to destroy harmful emissions in the exhaust and to meet the latest EPA environmental standards.

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