Protecting the Telecom Infrastructure through Innovations

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Innovations in Telecom

- State of the market today & beyond
- Theft deterrence solutions
- Point of Use deployment resources
- Solution mindset
- Core innovation thinking- Harger model

State of the Market Today & Beyond

- Effects of Inflation
- Labor Force
- Government Restrictions
- Crime & Theft



Innovation all Around Us

There are a lot of new and innovative grounding & bonding products being developed for the Telecom market.

Product and Process Innovations

- Web Based Apps to assist in design and trouble shooting
- Exothermic QR code Labels
- Theft Deterrent Wire
- CPC Series of Pipe Clamps Replaces 93 alternative SKUs
- <u>UL Listed</u> HammerHead solutions
- Supply chain efficiencies- minimized product inventory and delivery times

Theft Deterrence Solutions

Theft Deterrent Wire (TDW)

- Conductors are hard to cut using standard hand tools and also magnetic which deters thieves looking for copper.
- Applications include exposed Leads for Grounding systems used in electrical distribution (substations) and wireless cell sites where theft is an issue.
- Harger TDW conductors consist of combinations of tinplated copper strands surrounded by galvanically compatible, tin-plated copper clad steel stranding.



Theft Deterrence Solutions

TDW3PLUS

• High conductivity, tinned copper / steel construction 19 strand theft deterrent wire makes theft of cable very difficult.

TDW6

 High conductivity, tinned copper / steel construction 7 strand theft deterrent wire





Theft Deterrence Solutions

Theft Deterrent Cable Installation







Point of Use Assistance @ Fingertips

Example- Innovative Exothermic Mold Tag features:

- Video QR Code
- Mold Part Number
- Conductor Information
- Weld Metal Size
- Handle Clamp Required
- Other Required Materials









Solutions Mindset

In addition to cutting-edge manufacturing facilities and capable eager teams who are dedicated to resolving pain points, a solutions-minded manufacturer should:

- Welcome Challenges
- Offer Custom Applications
- Have Cost Savings Designs
- Add World Class Service









Innovation at the Core

Example of Core Values with focus on innovations:

Integrity- Do what is right when no one is watching.

Innovation- Value creativity in all areas while seeking out new possibilities and solutions.

Excellence- Continually pursue our maximum potential by redefining our goals and expectations.

Stewardship- Strive to create an environment that helps people reach their full potential.

Passion- Having an intense desire to successfully execute all other core values.



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