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BID NO.: 50-00112575

JEFFERSON PARISH

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
P.O. BOX 9
GRETNA, LA. 70054-0009
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As per LSA-RS 47:301 et seq., all governmental bodies are excluded from payment of sales taxes to any Louisiana taxing body. Quotations shall be based on F.O.B. Agency warehouse or jobsite, anywhere within the Parish as designated by the Purchasing Department.

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JEFFERSON PARISH is expecting all products to be new and all work is to be done in a workman-like manner, according to standard practices. Any deviations or alterations from the specifications must be indicated and backup documentation supplied with your quotation.

DELIVERY: FOB JEFFERSON PARISH	
INDICATE DELIVERY DATE ON EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	(45) days ARO to shipment date.
INDICATE STARTING TIME (IN DAYS) FOR CONSTRUCTION WORK	na
INDICATE COMPLETION TIME (IN DAYS) FOR CONSTRUCTION WORK	na

In the event that addenda are issued with this bid, bidders MUST acknowledge all addenda on the bid form. Bidder must acknowledge receipt of an addendum on the bid form as indicated. Failure to acknowledge any addendum on the bid form will result in bid rejection.

Acknowledge Receipt of Addenda: NUMBER: na

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LOUISIANA CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE NO.: (if applicable) na

*** ALL BIDDERS MUST COMPLETE SECTION BELOW ***	
FIRM NAME: R.J. Thomas Mfg. Co. Inc.	
SIGNATURE: (Must be signed here) <i>Bob Simonsen 3-4-15</i>	TITLE: Mkt. Mgr.
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TOTAL PRICE OF ALL BID ITEMS: \$ \$4,934.16

INVITATION TO BID FROM JEFFERSON PARISH - continued

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SEALED BID

ITEM NUMBER	QUANTITY	U/M	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES	UNIT PRICE QUOTED	TOTALS
1	6.00	EA	<p align="center">8 FOOT REGAL STYLE PORTABLE PICNIC BENCH</p> <p>0001-8 Foot Regal style table portable design picnic bench. Model T8RC 8 Foot Poly Vinyl coated expanded metal table top with two attached 96 inch x 10 1/2 inch seats. All corners are rounded. The frame is portable design. Coated with a 1/8 inch to 1/4 inch thick plastisol ultraviolet stabilized vinyl coating fused and baked to a 90 percent. gloss. Table height 31 inches. Seat Height is 18 inches total dimensions are 96 inches x 59 1/2 inches. Top seats are made with heavy duty 3/4 inch #9 expanded metal of a 2 inch x 2 inch x 1/8 inch angle iron from all center braces are made fom 1/4 inch x 1 1/2 inch flat steel. Frame is a 2 3/8 inch heavy duty galvanized steel tubing that is galvanized inside and out and meets or exceeds the yield and tensile of SCH 40 pipe. Constructed so as to prohibit rain water from collecting at ground level. Coated with a baked on polyester powder coat finish. The cross brace us made of 1 inch galvanized steel tubing. -All hardware is non-corrosive. -Portable /Movable bench weight is 280 pounds. -Colors Bench top :Royal Blue -Seats: Royal Blue -Frames in Black .</p> <p>Needed for LaSalle Contact John Doyle at 736-6999 Ext.203</p> <p>NOTE: Quoting Pilot Rock Model XT/G/CB-8DU picnic table as Alternate/Equal product. See product spec sheets attached for complete details.</p> <p>DELIVERY: Price includes delivery to one location. Destination must be able to accept and unload freight. Tables are shipped unassembled. Price does not include unloading or assembly.</p> <p>SHIPMENT: Will ship (45) days ARO.</p>	<p>\$822.36</p>	<p>\$4,934.16</p> <p>Delivered</p>



*Model XT/CW-6DA 6 Ft. Extra Heavy Duty Portable Rectangular
 Table with brown powder coat frames and
 gray thermo-plastic coated D-Type expanded steel seats and top*

- **Frame constructed specifically for heavy use areas**
- **Nontip, nontrip walk-through design**
- **All welded end frames are fabricated from 2-3/8" diameter steel pipe**
- **Diagonal braces align and strengthen entire table**
- **Frames are hot dip galvanized after fabrication for superior corrosion resistance**
- **Thermo-plastic Coating heat fused to Expanded Steel Top and Seats for durability**
- **Thermo-plastic Coating formulated with U.V. stabilizers for ultraviolet protection**
- **Limited lifetime warranty on frames**

SPECIFICATIONS:

- **XT Series** end frames are one-piece welded construction, fabricated from 2.375" O.D. (2-3/8" O.D.) steel pipe to meet 2" nominal steel pipe size specifications with 2" x 2" x 3/16" A-36 structural grade steel angle for attaching the seats and top.
- Table frame design incorporates nontip, nontrip, walk-through design features. Bends are tightly formed to prevent tipping when weight is on one side.
- ~~Model XT/G-6 is a nominal 6 ft. long.~~
- **Model XT/G-8** is a nominal 8 ft. long.
- Nominal table height is 30". Frame design provides a nominal 28" of clearance from ground level to the underside of table. Nominal seat height is 18".
- Frames are supported by diagonal braces of 1-5/16" O.D. x 14 ga. wall steel pipe that connect to the underside of the table top.
- **Standard:** All steel frame components are hot-dip galvanized after fabrication to ASTM-A123 to maintain an average zinc coating of 2.0 oz. per sq. ft. of surface area (indicated by "/G" in model no., e.g. XT/G-6DW).
- All fasteners are provided for assembly.
- **D-Type** table top and seats are each a one-piece welded construction, fabricated from a 3/4-#9 expanded steel surface with 2" roll-formed 14 ga. steel vertical edges on all sides and reinforced by a strap and die-formed angle substructure.
- **Standard:** All steel surfaces of the top and seats are covered with a thermo-plastic coating in a ~~Brown~~ color (indicated by "DW" in model no., e.g. XT/G-6DW). The UV-stabilized thermo-plastic coating is applied in a multi step process of material preparation and finish application designed to permanently heat fuse and bond the finish to the steel. The thermo-plastic polyethylene finish is impact resistant, does not support mold or mildew, and the textured matte surface is less susceptible to marring and scuffing.
- **Optional:** All steel frame components have powder coat finish. See Specification Bulletin #SPC-CO-001. **BLACK**
- **Optional:** Color choices of Thermo-plastic coated steel components. For optional colors choices see Specification Bulletin #SPC-CO-001. **BLUE**

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

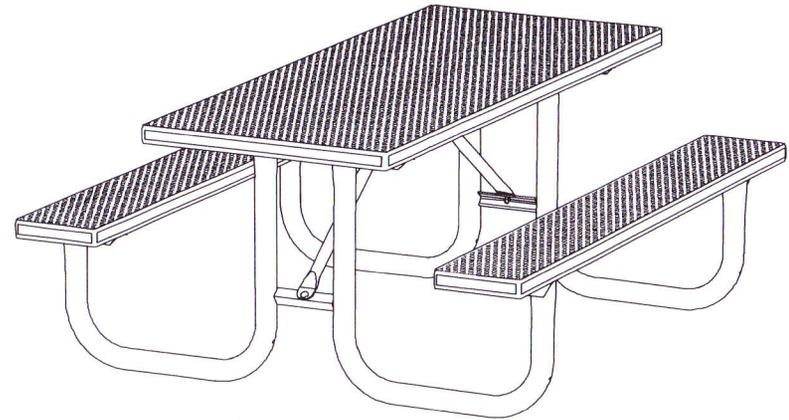
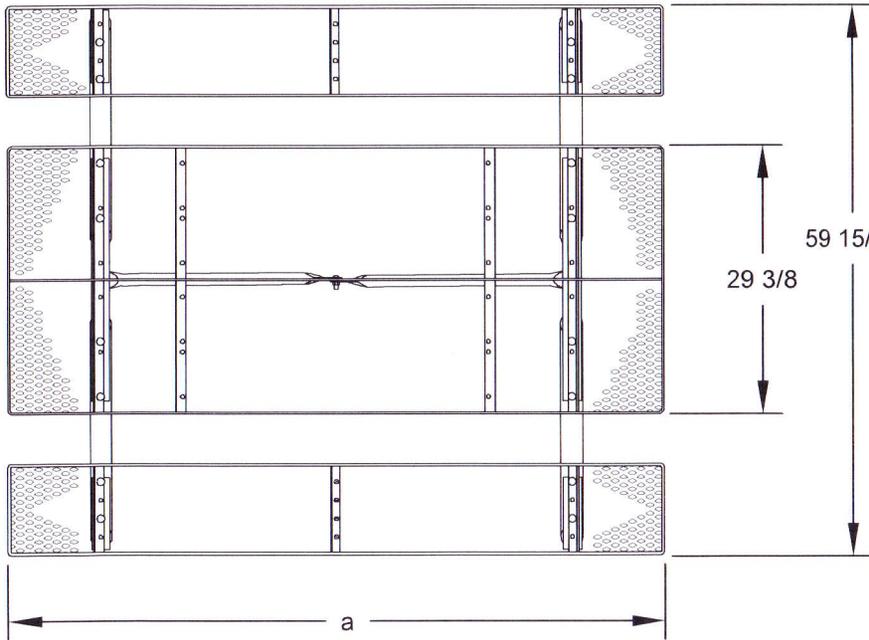
- ~~6~~ or 8' length
- Powder Coat Finish in choice of colors for steel frame components — **BLACK**
- Choice of colors of Thermo-plastic Coating — **BLUE**

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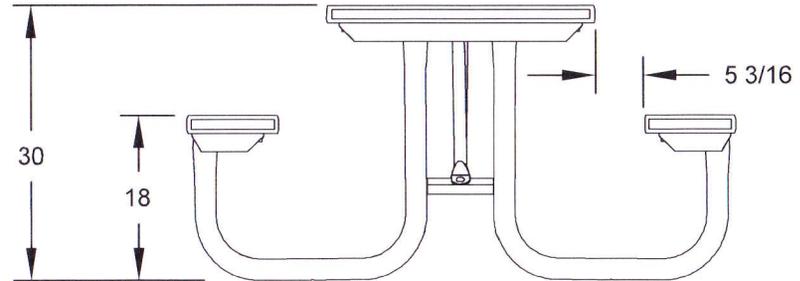
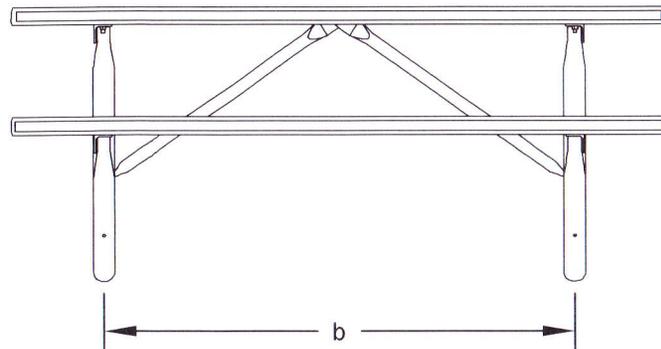
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MODEL NUMBER	DIMENSION	
	a	b
XT-6	72	51-3/4
XT-8	96	70



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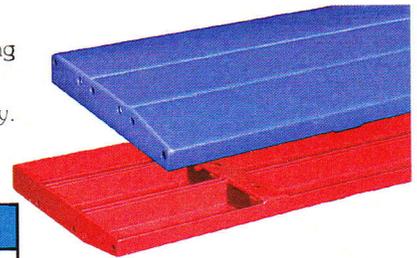
TITLE XT SERIES 6 AND 8 FOOT PORTABLE RECTANGULAR TABLE
WITH D-TYPE THERMO-PLASTIC COATED EXPANDED STEEL TOP AND SEATS

DATE 3-05-10

DWG. NO. AI-1675

Coated Steel Channel Components for Benches and Tables

- Formed steel channel (SC) components approximate 2" x 4" lumber dimensions, but are formed using 16 ga. steel plate with 10 ga. bracing. These tops and seats are strong and light weight.
- Formed steel channels (SC), steel end caps and understructure bracing are pre-assembled at the factory. So onsite assembly is easier.
- After assembly each component is thermoplastic coated (/T). See the color chart below.



Replace (♦) in model number with letter indicating color choice						
	Black (TB)	Green (TN)	Gray (TA)	Brown (TW)	Red (TR)	Blue (TU)

Other Thermo-plastic Coated Steel Products

Several other selected products can be thermo-plastic coated using the same process. See the chart at right for a list of products

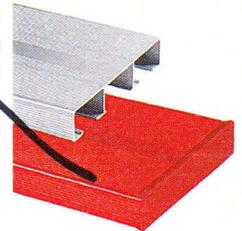
Steel Material	Thermo-plastic coated steel material is currently available on these products:
Formed Steel Channel (SC)	Most rectangular picnic tables (6' & 8'); CXB, AB, APB, and WMB Benches (6' & 8')
Steel Strap (SS)	CN-R/SS3-36 trash receptacle; CN-R/SS3-ASH ash receptacle; P-23 Planter
Cut Steel Plate (SP)	B70 and B120 benches; T Series round tables; CN-R/SP2-32 trash receptacle
Other Steel Products	B20 bike rack; HRP and HRE bike racks; T-246 flat steel lid; CN-EXP52 park policeman

Aluminum

Several select picnic tables and benches can be equipped with seats/top or seat/back of aluminum planks. These planks are extruded 6063-T6 aluminum, equivalent in size to 2" x 10" (nominal) lumber planks. Four structural ribs provide rigid support and strength. The aluminum is clear anodized to specification 204 R1 for a clean, maintenance free finish. All plank ends are covered by an extruded, clear anodized aluminum end cap fastened into place. Table tops are made into single units (at the factory) by connecting the planks with one-piece end caps fastened across each end of the top. Aluminum planks are provided with precision fitted aluminum brackets and galvanized carriage bolts to attach planks to table or bench frames. Use "AL" in model number for clear anodized aluminum, e.g. XT/G-6AL.

Optional: Aluminum components (max. 12 ft. length) are also available with powder coated mill finish aluminum planks. See Powder Coat Finish description for details.

NOTE: Custom colors may be available when ordered in sufficient quantity and additional lead times.



Hot Dip Galvanized Finish

Selected Pilot Rock bench and table frame components, lantern holders, trash receptacle holder components, bike racks and two grills are available with a hot-dip galvanized finish that is applied after fabrication and welding to ASTM-A123 specifications to maintain an average zinc coating of 2.0 oz. per sq. ft. of surface area. Use "/G" in model number for hot dip galvanized finish, e.g. XT/G-6UP.

Powder Coat Finish

Selected Pilot Rock bench and table components (steel and aluminum), lantern holders, trash receptacle holders, and bike racks are available with baked on lead-free TGIC polyester powder coat finish that is applied in a multi-step process of material preparation and finish application. This process includes: detailed chemical cleaning; application of a corrosion inhibiting iron-phosphate high pressure, high temperature bath; rinse; seal rinse; high temperature dry time; electrostatic application of the powder coat paint; chemical bonding to metal substrate in 400 degree industrial oven. The tough 3 mil thick coating offers a superior finish to liquid paints.

Blue (CU) for steel (AU) for aluminum	Black (CB) for steel (AB) for aluminum	Green (CN) for steel (AN) for aluminum	Brown (CW) for steel (AW) for aluminum	Yellow (CY) for steel (AY) for aluminum	Red (CR) for steel (AR) for aluminum	Gray (CA) for steel (AA) for aluminum	Burgundy (CE) for steel (AE) for aluminum

Model No. Example for Powder Coat Finish products: XT/♦-6UP Replace (♦) with letters indicating color choice listed under sample.

NOTE: Custom colors may be available when ordered in sufficient quantity and additional lead times.

Note: Colors and textures may vary. Colors shown are as close to the actual colors as the printing process is able to reproduce them. When selecting colors, keep in mind that Thermo-plastic Coating for tables and seats and Powder Coating for frames may not be exactly the same color - i.e., Blue Thermo-plastic Coating for seats and/or table tops and Blue Powder Coating for frames may differ slightly.

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Thermo-Plastic Coated Expanded Steel and Perforated Steel and Steel Plate Products

Selected Pilot Rock bench, table and trash receptacle products and components (expanded steel, perforated steel, cut/formed steel plate) are finished with a thermo-plastic coating in your choice of available colors. **The thermo-plastic coating is PVC free and phthalate free.**

The UV-stabilized thermo-plastic coating is applied in a multi-step process of material preparation and finish application, designed and formulated to create superior adhesion. After cleaning, the steel component is heated to 500-600 degrees (depending on the component). It is then lowered into an air-fluidized bed of colored polyethylene powder. This fluid powder fuses and bonds to the heated metal. The component is then baked at high temperature to cure the application. This complete process of cleaning-heating-fusing-baking tightly bonds the powder to the metal, creating a durable, colorfast finish. The thermo-plastic finish includes a superior level of UV protection, does not support mold or mildew growth, and is impact resistant. We use a textured matte finish polyethylene. The matte finishes are less susceptible to marring and scratching (which is often a problem with gloss finishes).

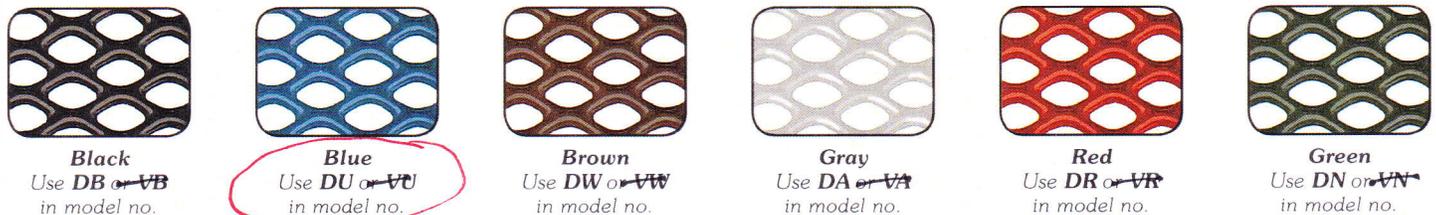
Expanded steel, perforated steel, and cut steel components are assembled and reinforced with formed steel edge bands, angle irons and bars as appropriate to each product design. All components are single piece welded construction.

Two types of Expanded Steel top and seat designs

All of the **D-Type** and **V-Type** expanded steel that we use is 3/4" #9 material with a short longitudinal stretch. A shorter stretch means smaller "diamond" openings, which leaves more material (steel) per foot. The more diamonds there are per lineal foot is your indication that there is more steel left in the structure. Therefore, the top and seats will be stronger. It is also called the "long way design, non flattened expanded metal". "Non flattened" means the steel is "on edge" around the diamonds. This provides a stronger, more rigid material.

D-Type: This standard duty table top/seat design is built for your most common public applications.

V-Type: SNOW LOAD RATED. This design incorporates wider edge banding and more structural supports to create a table built for applications and locations that can be more abusive to the structure. This material is especially suited for high elevation areas where winter snow load can destroy average tables. The V-Type Snow Load design is available on WXT, WXTM, WPTS, XT, XTH, and APT series tables.



Example: Model XT/G-8DB is equipped with standard duty top/seat structures for regular applications.

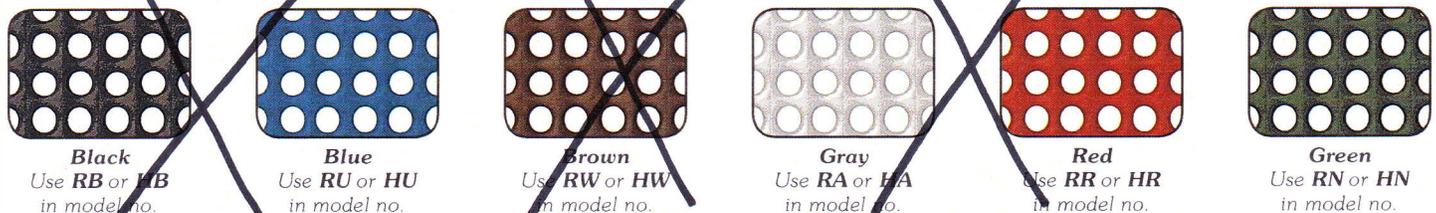
Example: Model XT/G-8VB is equipped with the snow load rated top/seat structures for more extreme applications.

Two types of Perforated Steel top and seat designs

All of the **R-Type** and **H-Type** perforated steel is 14 ga. with 9/16" diameter holes punched on 13/16" straight line centers.

R-Type: This standard duty table top/seat design is built for your most common public applications.

H-Type: SNOW LOAD RATED. This design incorporates wider edge banding and more structural supports to create a table built for applications and locations that can be more abusive to the structure. This material is especially suited for high elevation areas where winter snow load can destroy average tables. The H-Type Snow Load design is available on WXT, WXTM, WPTS, XT, XTH, and APT series tables.



Example for Expanded and Perforated Steel products: **XT/G-8** ♦ Replace (♦) with letters indicating type and color listed under sample.

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WARRANTY & ORDERING INFORMATION

PRODUCT WARRANTY

TERM	PRODUCT	OTHER INFORMATION	REQUIREMENTS	EXCLUSIONS
LIFETIME	Picnic Table Frames: UT, UTH, XT, XTH, WUT, WUTH, WXT, WXTH	Original Owner Only	All products must: 1) be assembled and installed according to manufacturer's specifications and instructions. 2) be properly maintained 3) not have been altered by the addition or deletion of parts, or modified in any other manner.	Vandalism. Damage caused by incorrect assembly, installation, application (use), or negligence. Natural or manmade disasters. Cosmetic changes due to weathering - including paint fading, discoloration of wood, or color fading or spotting of coated steel and recycled plastic products caused by exposure to natural elements or chemicals. Scratches, dents, or marring caused by normal use and public exposure. Seasons checks, twisting, or splintering of wood caused by climatic differences or lack of proper maintenance. Loss or damage in transit while product is responsibility of carrier. High heat paint subject to overly built fires. Premature rust-through of grill boxes due to improper cleaning or maintenance. Premature rusting or discoloring caused by corrosive environment or while in ocean transit. Damage caused by animals or wildlife.
ONE YEAR	Powder Coat, Enamel, & High Heat Paints; Lumber; Trash & Recycling Lids & Liners; Plaques; Decals; Resin Fill; Umbrellas; Pet Waste Stations; FSW Swivel Grate	No Warranty on Lumber shipped outside the United States. Water Repellant recommended on Lumber.		
FOUR YEARS	Thermo-Plastic Coating	Limited and Prorated Warranty on coating material against defects when subjected to normal use and proper maintenance.		
FIVE YEARS	Picnic Table Frames (those not included in Lifetime Warranty), Park Bench Frames, Steel and Aluminum Bench and Table, seat/top Structures, Recycled Plastic Components, Bike Racks, TRH and TRQ Frames, Steel Trash Receptacle and Planter Structures, Pedestal Mounts, Tissue Holders, all Grills, Hot Coal Bin, Utility Tables, Steel Campfire Rings, Lantern Holders, Table Mover	Recycled Plastic warranty applies only to components that have been cut, drilled, or routed by the manufacturer. This warranty does NOT cover plastic purchased in raw stock form by customer and cut, drilled, or routed by customer for custom application. Recycled Plastic and Thermo-Plastic coated components include a UV stabilizer to retard effects of natural exposure. We cannot warrant "fading" or surface "contamination" due to extreme variations in levels of exposure and in the definition of "fading".		
FIFTY YEARS	Recycled Plastic	Material decomposition only.		
Warranty claims must be filed within the warranty period and must include a copy of the invoice or the purchase order.				
Except as specifically stated herein, all warranties (expressed or implied) are hereby excluded. This Warranty excludes any liability, consequential damages, or related costs.				

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LEAD TIMES: We encourage you to order as early as possible. Our usual lead times run four weeks. Busy season lead times can reach to six to eight weeks. When you order early we can better arrange delivery to meet your needs.

SPECIFICATIONS: Specifications were in effect when printing this catalog. Since product improvements are always being made, we reserve the right to change designs, specifications and discontinue products without notice. Where changes have been made, revised products will be shipped unless specific arrangements have been made to the contrary.

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ORDER CANCELLATION: Orders may be cancelled prior to shipment. Conditions will vary. Orders with custom plaques/engraving, etc. cannot be cancelled once we receive final design approval. Orders cancelled after shipment are subject to return freight charges and restocking fees.