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ENDURA PRODUCTS RAISES THE BAR WITH HIGH-TEMPERATURE SILL

Not all entry door environments are created equal. This is certainly true when it comes to door system applications in southwestern areas such as Arizona and Nevada. Extreme high-temperatures and UV exposure can quickly attack both the finish and materials of entry door components, negatively impacting appearance and performance. To help combat these conditions, Endura Products, Inc. is introducing new versions of our Z-Series composite door sill line to accommodate this environment.

It is not uncommon for fenestration products to reach temperature levels of 150°F or higher in southwestern summer months. To ensure that our sills stand up to this continuous heat and sunlight, Endura Products, Inc. has developed application-specific materials and finishes to be used in this environment. High-temperature materials have been incorporated into the composite adjusting cap and inactive panel components of Endura's Z-Plus sill to significantly reduce the chance of shrinkage and warping. The materials include UV inhibitors to counteract fading and discoloration caused by direct sunlight. Further protection against heat buildup results from a sandtone powder coated finish on the deck of the sill on selected models. These features work together to minimize heat build-up in the sill assembly, while giving the protection against sill failure common to traditional entry door sills.

Endura highly recommends using the sandtone sill accompanied by a sandtone cap and nosing to achieve the highest performance levels. Higher than normal results are also available with the use of Endura's mill or brushed nickel finish sills.

About Endura Products, Inc.

Endura Products, Inc. manufactures entry door component systems that improve door construction, door installation and long-term performance in the home. Endura components improve functionality, maximize the seal between the door and the opening, and reduce air.