



STEEL, BRASS, PLASTIC, STAINLESS & ALUMINUM PIPE NIPPLES & MALLEABLE, BRONZE, STAINLESS, COPPER & STEEL FITTINGS
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To Our Valued Employees, Customers, Suppliers and Service Providers:

On Thursday March 19, 2020 California Governor Gavin Newsom issued a stay at home order for California residents. Within this executive order is an exclusion for companies engaging in essential activities. "Essential" is defined by the US Department of Homeland Security as activities occurring in one of sixteen critical infrastructure sectors.

Edmund A. Gray Company (EAGray) manufactures and distributes PVF (pipe, valve and fittings) materials to companies that operate within the following critical infrastructure sectors: Chemical, Critical Manufacturing, Energy, Food and Agriculture, Transportation, and Water and Wastewater Systems. As such **Edmund A. Gray Company is deemed essential. EAGray's employees, service providers, certain customers, and our suppliers are therefore exempt from Governor Newsom's executive order.** Additionally, our "essential" products and services are not limited to California. We also provide our products and services in the same manner across the country.

Our customers' direct customer base includes our nation's gas and electric utilities, construction providers installing the equipment, manufacturers of the equipment supporting energy systems, agriculture and food processing facilities, chemical manufacturing facilities, and water transmission systems & facilities (including fire protection). Our products and services directly contribute to our customers' goals of keeping the power on, water & gas flowing, food and chemicals being made available, and keeping people safe.

Therefore, we need our Supply Chain (Suppliers and Service Providers) to remain steady and available, in order for us to obtain the materials we need, and keep our operations up and running, to be able to supply OUR essential customers.

If any supplier or service provider currently working with us is considering a material change to their business that could affect our supply of material or ability to obtain needed services, please notify us immediately so we can adapt accordingly.

Thank you for your continued support.

Stay healthy and be safe.

Edmund A. Gray Company

“IF IT'S A PIPE NIPPLE WE HAVE IT”
