

# CARE AND USE OF HIGH PRESSURE HOSE

## THE DO'S

- **Treat high-pressure hose with extreme caution. Total Blasting hoses are wire reinforced hoses and should be treated with the same care as a high-pressure containment vessel.**
- **When using hoses for water jetting, read and understand recommended practices for the Use of Manually Operated High-pressure Water Jet Equipment. Water Jet Technology Association [[www.wjta.org](http://www.wjta.org)]**
- **Always visually inspect for frayed, damaged or worn parts before using.**
- **Check the hose end connections and treads for wear, rust, cracks, mechanical abuse or other deterioration that could produce a dangerous projectile.**
- **Know the working pressures and burst pressures of all hoses before using them.**
- **Always use clean, filtered water to prolong hose life. Some plants' water sources are high in Sulphur, which may attack stainless steel.**
- **Always clean, drain and coil hoses after use. Soap and water usually provide an excellent cleaning agent.**
- **Always wear protective gloves, eyewear and garments when handling high-pressure hose and water jet lances.**

**IMPROPER USE OF HIGH-PRESSURE HOSE CAN CAUSE DEATH,  
PERSONAL INJURY AND DAMAGE TO PROPERTY.  
NEVER HANDLE A LEAKING HOSE ASSEMBLY. TREAT ANY INJURY  
FROM HIGH PRESSURE FLUID SERIOUSLY AND SEEK IMMEDIATE  
MEDICAL ATTENTION.**

## BE SAFE – REPLACE



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