



# High Performance Response + High Performance Grout Equals Very Happy Customers

The General Electric Locomotive Division is a busy place in Erie, PA. So when local contractor Beute & Bliley got the call to repair damaged track outside Building #26, Rick Watkins knew the situation was critical and time was of the essence. When Rick began calling his most resourceful suppliers at 8 pm on Friday evening, he wasn't expecting to wait until Monday morning to find an answer.

Rick contacted Kate Ditrich of Ditrich Construction Supply, who knew she could count on ChemMasters. Upon receiving her call, ChemMasters jumped into action and



called together a team to immediately address the unique needs this repair demanded. By noon on Saturday, ChemMasters had not only prepared and packaged a specialty epoxy grout...it had already been delivered to the jobsite!



“I’m thrilled that the product worked so well, and all the better that it’s made right here in America.”

**Kate Ditrich**, *Ditrich Construction Supply*

**Job Description:** Exterior installation during winter months required observance of proper cold weather grouting techniques. The steel bedplate was kept warmed indoors until placement. A wind break was erected around the repair site with indirect heating. Minimum 50°F ambient and substrate temperature was maintained during placement and throughout the curing process.

**Jobsite:** General Electric Locomotive Division, Erie, PA

**Contractors:** Beute & Bliley – General Austin Concrete – Concrete Installation

**Distributor:** Ditrich Construction Supply

**Product:** ChemMasters Polytops™ GC Epoxy Grout





“Mixing, installation and clean-up was easy.”

Mike Mayo, E.E. Austin Concrete

Mike Mayo is the Project Superintendent for E.E. Austin Concrete and a member of Laborer’s Union Local 603. Mike and his crew installed the product on Saturday afternoon, and by Monday morning locomotives were already rolling over the track.

At a time when most manufacturers were having their first morning coffee of the week, ChemMasters made sure the job was already completed! Mike wanted us to know that the product was easy to mix, easy to install, user friendly, and clean-up was a snap.

ChemMasters knows that sometimes next week just isn’t good enough. Sometimes you need a partner to take your work as seriously as you do.

ChemMasters is proudly American owned and American made by American Labor. We’re not just bringing jobs back to America...we never left!



### Polytops™ GC Grout

Polytops™ GC Grout is a premeasured, three component epoxy grout consisting of curing agent, resin and precisely blended and graded aggregate. When properly mixed and installed these components form a tough epoxy grout.

#### Uses

Polytops™ GC Grout is a general construction, epoxy grout designed for applications where high strength, vibration resistance, temperature resistance and resistance to some chemical attack are required.

When grouting machinery, Polytops™ GC Grout maintains alignment even under extreme operating temperatures from hot to cold. Polytops™ GC Grout is also ideal under dynamic loading conditions such as centrifuges, milling machinery, crushers, presses, etc.

#### Advantages

- High strength - minimizes vibration damage
- Fast curing - shortens downtime
- Temperature resistant
- Flowable for ease in placement
- Holds alignment
- Premeasured unit for consistent on-the-job product
- Resistant to many corrosive chemicals and oils



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