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Re: Ford Meter Box Lead Times

To Whom It May Concern,

As a result of the robust business climate and supply chain challenges, our traditional lead times are being stretched. Ford Meter Box is not immune to the delivery issues facing the waterworks industry today. We are working hard to support your expectations of us and appreciate your patience during these unprecedented times.

Due to the circumstances noted above, our current lead times for most brass and copper material is approximately 22-27 weeks from the time of order. The majority of iron material is approximately 19-21 weeks from the time of order. This is applicable to new orders and is not retroactive to material currently on backorder. We will ship the product sooner should it become available before this timeframe.

Once again, we apologize for this inconvenience and appreciate your patience as we navigate the uncertainty facing the industry today.

Best Regards,

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