

## Ford Plastic Yokebox Lids



For years, utility personnel manually accessed each meter to collect data on a monthly or quarterly billing cycle. Many of these meters were contained in a ground pit with a Ford iron cover placed over the pit or the meter was installed in a Ford Yokebox or Long Yokebox, eliminating the need for the utility personnel to access the home and to protect the meter from the elements.

Meter companies have taken great strides to improve and simplify meter-reading techniques. A few years ago meter companies introduced a remote touch pad system. In response to these improvements, Ford offered a lid with a hole to accommodate this system.

Today's technology offers water utilities the simplicity of walk-by or mobile radio frequency meter reading. To coincide with this technique, Ford has added durable plastic lids to the Yokebox and Long Yokebox product line, permitting ease of radio transmissions.

Besides plastic lids, Ford now offers a 7" or 9" Jumbo plastic Yokebox upper section that will retrofit an existing Ford Yokebox base. The enlarged upper section has a larger lid opening and provides additional space within the box that permits easy meter installation and maintenance. The plastic Yokebox lid, Long Yokebox lid and Jumbo lid are available with an optional bracket for mounting a standard ERT unit. The Jumbo plastic lid will also accommodate a larger ERT unit.



For utilities that use cast iron covers, Ford offers an 11-1/2" plastic lid for the "A" and "W" style covers.

Protect your metering investments with durable, quality products from Ford. For additional information, contact The Ford Meter Box Company or your local Ford Distributor.

