

Iron Products by Ford Meter Box

The Ford Meter Box Company has delivered quality iron products to the water works industry for more than 100 years. The variety of Ford Meter Box iron products include curb boxes, meter lids and covers for cold climates, along with complete meter boxes for moderate and warm climates.

FORD CURB BOXES

The Ford curb box can be ordered in two styles. The Arch Base Extension Curb Box is for use with Curb Stops in sizes 1" and smaller. These boxes are adaptable to 1-1/4", 1-1/2" and 2" Curb Stops by using a CB-7 Curb Box Base. The Minneapolis Extension Type Curb Boxes are made for use with Minneapolis Pattern Curb Stops in sizes 3/4" through 2". All Ford boxes are heavily coated with asphalt-base paint and feature cast iron lids, bases, and a steel pipe upper section. Ford curb boxes can be ordered in lengths from 3' to 9'.



FORD COVERS

A look at Ford covers reveals the largest variety of lids and covers in the industry. Ford offers double lid covers, single lid covers, and monitor covers for pits up to 36".



The Wabash Double Lid cover offers an inner lid which provides greater frost protection for meters. Extra depth, sloping skirt, and a 4" dead air space combine to reduce heat loss.

All of the Double Lid Covers have inset lids which enhance lid stability and allows flush installations with a lawn or cement surface. This feature helps prevent tripping and/or falling accidents.

A Lifter Worm Lock with a standard size pentagon bolt keeps your meter secure from unauthorized access. A Ford locking lid will protect your expensive high tech meter.

FORD YOKEBOXES AND GULFBOXES

Yokeboxes and Gulfboxes are ideal water meter housings for moderate and warm climates. Yokeboxes and Gulfboxes are complete, compact meter-setting packages, which are installed as a unit. The body and the lid of the boxes are made from durable cast iron, for decades of trouble-free service. The Yokebox and Gulfbox provide automatic spacing and alignment for the meter which can be inserted at any time during or after the installation of the meter box. The inlet, outlet, and Expansion Connection are water works brass and meet the latest revision of AWWA Standard C800. Optional Dual Cartridge Check Valves have ASSE 1024 approval.



ELECTRONIC METER READING

Special lids are available with precast holes for a remote electronic meter reading module. These lids are especially configured for this purpose and are manufactured so that the electronic meter reading module will seat against a flat surface to eliminate breakage.



Simply drilling a hole in a standard lid lid to accommodate an electronic meter reading module is not practical, as the existing cover support ribs will interfere with the module flanges and the drilled hole may seriously weaken the lid. Always use a special Ford lid when installing an electronic meter reading module.

For more information about Ford iron products, contact your local Ford distributor or The Ford Meter Box Company.

