



Architectural Art Mfg.

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CLEANING & MAINTENANCE

Cleaning:

Prior to cleaning of all surfaces expansion joint systems should be cleared of loose debris and dust.

Aluminum:

- Mill finish – clean with a mixture of mild detergent and water with a clean soft cloth. Rinse with clean water and wipe dry with a soft cloth.
- Clear Anodized finish - clean with a mixture of mild detergent and water with a clean soft cloth. Rinse with clean water and wipe dry with a soft cloth. Do not use brushes or harsh chemicals that can scratch the Clear Anodized finish. After drying, a light coat of WD-40 or similar brand of lubricating/protecting spray can be applied using a soft cloth and wiped clean to preserve the finish.

PVC & Santoprene Seals:

- Clean with a mixture of mild detergent and water with a clean soft cloth. Rinse with clean water and wipe dry with a soft cloth. Harsh chemical cleaning products should not be used on the seals.

Maintenance:

Inspection of systems should be done on periodic intervals:

1. To assure screws are tight and seals are in place.
2. Visual inspection for any damage to systems or impedance of joint cover movement