

HINTS FOR HOMEOWNERS

Get A Head Start On Home Improvement

(NAPSA)—When homeowners are tackling the mounting list of repairs and renovations, finding the right materials is key. You need products that cut down on costs without sacrificing quality, so you won't be facing the same repair work years down the road.

As a homeowner, you're always looking for ways to protect your primary investment. Preventive maintenance—often times ignored until disaster strikes—is one way to increase property value and decrease headaches.

Waterproofing homes has received national attention during the past year. The costly long-term effects of water damage and problems with potentially toxic mold have been well documented. In some cases severe risks to the homeowner's health have been found.

Parkland Plastics has developed a select line of wall and ceiling paneling systems that uniquely address moisture and mold issues while still providing a durable, decorative and cost-effective product. Clinical testing has shown that the paneling systems also effectively prevent mold growth. The fiberglass-free panels are chemically inert and will not act as a food source for bacteria, so they can be used in areas where moisture is a concern, such as laundry rooms, bathrooms and basements.



100% waterproof plastic paneling needn't be costly.

Other products such as wainscot and insulated paneling have a backing for added structural stability, and can be easily installed right over concrete or cement walls or drywall.

In addition to providing you with overall structural protection, waterproof paneling can enhance the overall look of your home. The paneling selection includes textures, colors and treatments that create an attractive impression while protecting your rooms from water, fire, noise and sun.

The panels, matching moldings and rivets are available at national home improvement stores such as Do it Best, Home Depot and Lowe's. To learn more, call Parkland at 800-835-4110 or go to www.parklandplastics.com.