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MW CLASSIC[®] VINYL SERIES OFFERS HOMEOWNERS HIGH-QUALITY, LOW-MAINTENANCE WINDOWS IN VARIETY OF STYLES, SHAPES

Single Hung Operating Shapes Now Available

ROCKY MOUNT, Va. – The MW Classic[®] Series of vinyl windows and patio doors from MW Windows & Doors, Rocky Mount, Va., features a traditional WM180 brick mould exterior profile that resembles high-quality painted millwork, allowing architects and designers to specify a high-performance window without sacrificing curb appeal, according to Mark Montgomery, senior vice president, sales and marketing.

“Additionally, contractors will appreciate time-saving features like the integral J-Channel siding pocket, face accessory groove and undersill trim leg that ensure quick siding installation, keeping all projects on schedule,” says Montgomery. “Combine these features with our outstanding customer service and the result is one of the best lines of vinyl windows on the market.”

By selecting the MW Classic Series, homeowners can add high-quality windows to their home with very little hassle, according to Montgomery. The easy installation and one-touch tilt latch system makes for easy cleaning and saves time.

The MW Classic Series incorporates single hung, double hung, casement/awning, picture and sliding windows, as well as patio doors and is complemented by a variety of

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accent windows and operating shapes including True Radius, Arch, Uneven Leg Arch and Quarter Circle. This variety allows architects and designers to combine state-of-the-art performance with exterior aesthetics that resemble a traditional wood window, according to Montgomery.

MW Classic Single Hung

New for 2007, the MW Classic Series single hung windows are now available in operating shapes, including True Radius, Arch, Uneven Leg Arch and Quarter Circle. MW Classic Series single hung windows feature maintenance-free, multi-chamber PVC construction with fully welded corners and three-quarter inch Warm Edge Insulated Glass. With a structural rating of DP 50 “out-of-the-box,” the window also satisfies most coastal window requirements. An inverted block-and-tackle balance system ensures smoother operation of the sash, while double weatherstripping on the lock rail and the keeper rail offers increased protection from the elements. In addition to protection from the weather, the MW Classic single hung features a robust interlock, satisfying forced entry requirements and giving homeowners increased peace of mind. Unique to the single hung offering is an integral mull option that features a continuous head and sill profile on both the interior and exterior of mull window units.

The MW Classic single hung is available in Singles, Twins, Triples, Pictures, Side Lites, Combinations, 30-degree and 45-degree Bays and the new Operating Shapes. Color options include Classic White and Beige, while additional grille options available include color-coordinated grille-between-the-glass in flat and sculptured styles.

MW Classic Double Hung

The MW Classic Series double hung window features a classic brick mould profile, providing a sculptured appearance that matches traditional exterior millwork. Fitted with a maintenance-free, multi-chamber PVC construction with fully welded corners, the MW Classic double hung allows architects and designers to specify a high-performance vinyl window without compromising curb appeal. Additionally, the standard

traditional sill nosing matches the aesthetics of a traditional wood window, giving homeowners the look they want without the cost.

The MW Classic double hung also is offered in Singles, Twins, Triples, Pictures, Side Lites, Combinations and 30-degree and 45-degree Bays. Available in Classic White or Beige, grille options include color-coordinated grille-between-the-glass in flat and sculptured styles.

MW Classic Casement

Featuring DP 60 performance, the MW Classic casement window allows contractors to complete projects on schedule with time-saving elements such as an adjustable hinge and pre-punched over-sized nailing fin allowing for simple and accurate installation. Homeowners also benefit from the three-quarter inch Warm Edge Insulated Glass, which helps to keep the cold air out during those chilly winter months, and from the flexible weather seal extruded onto the sash, ensuring that rainwater will never seep into the home through the windows.

Available in Classic White or Beige, hardware options include coastal and expanded access hardware. A field-applied snap-on exterior brick mould accessory also is available.

MW Classic Sliding Window

With a traditional WM180 brick mould profile resembling high-quality painted millwork, the MW Classic sliding window also features an easy gliding sash with dual-legged bulb weatherstripping. Available in Classic White or Beige, the MW Classic sliding window ensures a quick and accurate installation with its integral J-Channel siding pocket, face accessory groove and pre-punched nailing flange.

Grille options for the MW Classic sliding window include a color-coordinated grille-between-the-glass in flat and sculptured styles.

MW Classic Patio Door

Available in 6-foot 8-inch, 6-foot 10-inch and 8-foot heights, MW Classic patio doors feature full perimeter weatherstripping for a tight and consistent seal. Engineered from the ground up to perform at DP 50 levels out-of-the-box, a unique self-centering interlock satisfies forced entry requirements, allowing homeowners to rest easy. Standard 3/4-inch Warm Edge Insulated Glass provides increased protection from the elements. Key to hassle-free installation, MW Classic patio doors are field reversible and feature a patented roller adjustment, providing additional flexibility. MW Classic patio doors are designed to accommodate an ADA compliant option.

Complementary products with the MW Classic patio doors include side lites, transoms and a wide variety of architectural shapes. Available in Classic White or Beige, grille options include color-coordinated grille-between-the-glass in flat and sculptured styles. A field-applied, snap-on, exterior brick mould accessory also is available.

Energy-saving glazing options for all MW Classic Series offerings include: Low-E, Tinted, Low-E/Argon, Low-E/Tinted, Tempered and Obscure. All MW Classic Series windows and doors feature a 20-year glass warranty, and can be configured to meet ENERGY STAR® program requirements for all climate zones.

About MW Windows & Doors

MW Windows & Doors is a brand of MW Manufacturers Inc., Rocky Mount, Va. Founded in 1939, MW was one of the first window companies in the country to build a window and frame together as a single unit ready for installation into a rough opening. Today, MW offers a complete line of clad wood, wood, composite and vinyl windows and patio doors.

MW is owned by Ply Gem Industries, Inc., headquartered in Kearney, Mo. Ply Gem manufactures and distributes a range of products for use in the residential new construction, do-it-yourself and professional renovation markets. Principal products include vinyl siding, windows, patio doors, fencing, railing, decking and accessories marketed under the MW, Variform, Great Lakes, Alenco, Napco, Kroy and CWD brand names.

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