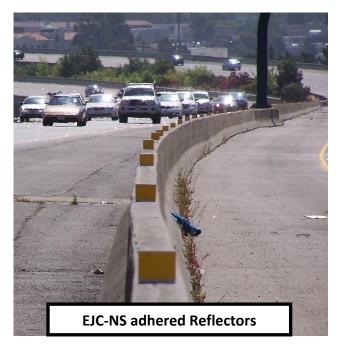


## FIELD REPORT—EJC NS Reflector Adhesive

## **Overview:**

Scope of Work:	Affix Reflectors to K-rail & Walls with EJC-NS
Customer:	Caltrans District 04 Walnut Creek
Date of Evaluation:	May 15, 2013
Location:	1. I-680 South Bound at PM 14.3 onramp at Olympic Blvd near
	Paulson Ln. Walnut Creek, CA 94595 <u>I-680 Location (map)</u>
	2. SR 24 West Bound at PM 8.5 near Camino Diablo & Mt
	Diablo Blvd, Walnut Creek, CA 94597 SR 24 Location (map)
Product:	EJC-NS 450ml
Installer:	Caltrans Maintenance
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Caltrans Maintenance needs to replace several hundred reflectors, and they requested a fast setting, flexible product that will bond reflectors on both horizontal and vertical surfaces. The EJC-NS from WVCO was selected since it remains flexible when exposed to heat and UV light, unlike epoxy adhesives, and it is comparable in cost to the epoxy. A case of EJC-NS and two applicators (manual & pneumatic) were shipped to the Walnut Creek yard for evaluation with PCBM 912 reflectors.





## **Operation:**

- 1. Materials:
  - a. New amber and white PCBM 912 Reflectors. Amber for center lane (SR 24) and white for shoulder (I-680 onramp).
  - b. EJC-NS case of 12 cartridges (450ml).
  - c. Dispensing applicators: Manual (2:1) and Pneumatic (2:1).
  - d. Compressor with regulated air set at 60 psi.
- 2. Loaded dispensing applicator according to "WVCO Cartridge Handling Instructions."
- 3. Wiped surface clean with a towel where reflector will be placed. Spacing was 25 ft apart or matched location of road reflectors for onramp application.
- 4. Dispense 5ml on vertical wall (manually dispense) or 15ml on top surface of K-rail (pneumatically dispense).
  - a. 1 cartridge for 30 reflectors on horizontal K-rail. (SR-24)
  - b. 1 cartridge for 78 reflectors on vertical wall (I-680)
- 5. Firmly pressed reflector into EJC-NS.
- 6. Adjust angle of reflector to provide directional visual cue.









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