



To Whom It May Concern,

As anyone from the thermal spray coating community can appreciate, the process of masking parts for thermal spray coatings can be very time consuming and expensive. It is for these reasons that I can highly recommend Greenbelt Industries as a valued supplier of thermal spray masking products: tapes, fabrics, and compounds.

Our shop applies plasma spray coatings to very intricate and challenging profiles. Prior to working with GBI, our operators spent hours masking some components. By working with GBI, we discovered a number of unique products, strategies, and tools which allowed us to mask faster and more accurately. GBI offered some stronger tapes such as GBI part #: 170-10s Green which often allowed our operators to achieve the masking in single layer (as opposed to multiple layers). We also appreciated the fact that their products left no adhesive residue and greatly reduced any need for additional rework and post process cleaning.

As someone who is always looking for new masking options, I appreciate the variety of materials offered by GBI. The masking compounds have been a wonderful masking option, not only because they resist all forms of thermal spray and grit blast, but quite often the material is reusable. GBI has also been active in creating pre-cut masking tape profiles, much like a label pad. These have been helpful in speeding up masking while improving the consistency of each masking job – very good for repetitive masking jobs. For our most challenging and intricate masking application the pre-cut stamps has reduced masking time on individual parts by 25% saving 45 minutes of masking per job.

To sum up, I would highly recommend GBI thermal spray masking products to anyone with a variety of challenging jobs.

Sincerely,

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