

MetaMax® PA Rescues Pools from Mysterious Mottling

John Foley still remembers the summer of '98. Intense mottling had spoiled more than 70 pools installed by his company. "I'd seen mottling before, but nothing like this," recalls Foley, president of Foley Custom Pools, Inc., in Plano, Texas. "We were seeing pools with three-to-five-foot radiuses of mottled plaster. The customers were horrified...I was horrified."



"We'd used a high quality, warranted plaster that was very popular," he recalls. It didn't work." Foley flew in a manufacturer's representative to evaluate the situation. After three days of studying the mysterious mottling, no one could identify the cause. When the manufacturer declined to stand by the product, Foley and his plaster contractor were forced to absorb the costs of re-plastering every mottled pool.

Later, Foley's plaster contractor suggested using MetaMax® PA plaster additive. He told Foley that he'd stand by any pool plastered with MetaMax PA and replaster it free of charge if it didn't perform. So Foley tried MetaMax PA, and it worked!

Since then, Foley has specified MetaMax PA in every pool he has had plastered. After two-and-a-half years, Foley's pools remain a consistent white, and he rarely receives a complaint. "I realize nothing will eliminate all plaster issues, but I am convinced that the use of MetaMax PA is the most cost-effective insurance for plaster problems on the market today," Foley said.

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