

# GRAFFITI RESISTANT COATINGS

Your buildings deserve to be  
graffiti-free. We can help.



**SHERWIN-WILLIAMS**  
Coil Coatings



# PROTECTION AND REMOVAL

Graffiti-based vandalism is on the rise in the United States, costing an estimated \$12 billion\* in annual cleanup expenses. To help keep your buildings looking their best, Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings (formerly Valspar) offers built-in graffiti resistance in every Building Products coating, as well as post-construction renovation services with an industry-leading graffiti removal specialist.

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## RESISTANCE

Graffiti resistance does not require any additional costs for a specialty coating, sacrificial clear topcoat, or third coat. Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings has tested and approved an ASTM-compliant graffiti-resistant system for all Building Products coatings. Every coating in the product line is protected against the dangers of disfiguring damages from graffiti vandalism. No matter which coating you specify for your building, all Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings have been approved for graffiti resistance, as determined by following a specified removal practice on a number of graffiti types, per ASTM D6578 / D6578M.

## COVERS EXISTING AND NEW CONSTRUCTION

Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings graffiti resistance extends to coatings already used in construction, as well. Whether buildings are long-standing or newly constructed, they are protected.

Resistance to graffiti is a major product benefit and cost-effective solution welcomed by anyone concerned about the rise of expensive graffiti vandalism. There's peace of mind in knowing that the coatings you specify and the products you trust are also graffiti-resistant.

## COST EFFECTIVE

Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings graffiti resistance is built right into our products, with no expensive add-ons required.



\* [www.popcenter.org/problems/graffiti/print/](http://www.popcenter.org/problems/graffiti/print/)

## RESTORATION

### SPEEDY, SAFE, AND ACCURATE RESTORATION

Many experts say that a key component of successful graffiti prevention is immediate removal within 24 to 48 hours. Many building codes now contain regulations regarding the timely removal of graffiti. Environmental and structurally sensitive restoration services are particularly important when monumental buildings are vandalized. Fortunately, there's a respected and effective source for help when graffiti vandalism occurs.

### SAFE METHODS, IMPRESSIVE RESULTS

Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings has aligned with Graffiti Removal Services (GRS), a leading expert in the field of graffiti removal. GRS has been successfully fighting graffiti for more than 15 years. Their expert team works with all parties in the Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings value chain to quickly outline approved products, techniques, and procedures to remove graffiti from all metal building surfaces without damaging buildings' coatings. All GRS products are easy to apply, with a simple brush and wipe off system, no dwell time is required. Every GRS product has been performance tested on the entire line of Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings Building Products coatings, per ASTM Graffiti Resistance Standards.



### BUILDINGS FOR THE AGES

We want all Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings buildings to stand the test of time. Providing effective graffiti removal and building restoration is part of our commitment to remain the leading Building Products coating supplier today - and for many years to come.



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