



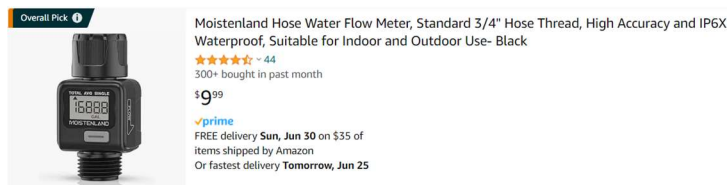
### **HomeSmiles Pressure Washer/Soft Washing Supplemental Training Sheet**

The following supplemental training sheet overviews operational use of the pressure washing system. Additional materials are available on the HomeSmiles FranConnect system regarding use of the system in conjunction with the soft washing of homes and buildings.

As a threshold matter, it is important to follow the following guidelines while using the pressure washing system:

1. Check the gallons per minute of the home/ building: Prior to engaging your pressure washing system, it is important to first verify sufficient gallons per minute of water flow. The HomeSmiles system utilizes a 4 gallons per minute system, thus a minimum of 4 GPM is required. The average gallons per minute of homes and buildings nationwide is between 6 and 12 gallons per minute. Accordingly, this should not be an issue.

More recent iterations of the van include a flow meter for this purpose. Earlier adoptees will need to purchase a flow meter from Amazon for approximately \$10.00.



2. Fill the water supply hose prior to engaging pressure washer: After confirming there are sufficient gallons per minute to accommodate the 4 gallon per minute requirement of the pressure washing system, connect the water supply line from the van to the home or building and allow it to fill completely prior to engaging the pressure washer. This will remove an extended supply of air from the line and allow for the immediate cooling of the water to the pump system.
3. Ensure pressure washer wand/valve open: The pressure washing unit requires running water in order to cool the pump system. If the valve or wand is closed for a short period of time, it will burnout your pump. Accordingly, prior to engaging the system, ensure that the wand or valve is open. For a single operator, a Velcro strap can be used to hold the valve open while the pressure washer is being engaged. Be sure to secure the wand or valve with a weight or in a secure location if a strap is used.

Absent compliance with these requirements, the warranty company will be able to that the pump was burned out by user error. In this event, the warranty will not be honored and a replacement pump will have to be purchased by the Franchisee from the supplier. Replacement cost can exceed \$300.00 and installation by a local small engine machine shop can cost approximately \$100.00

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

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