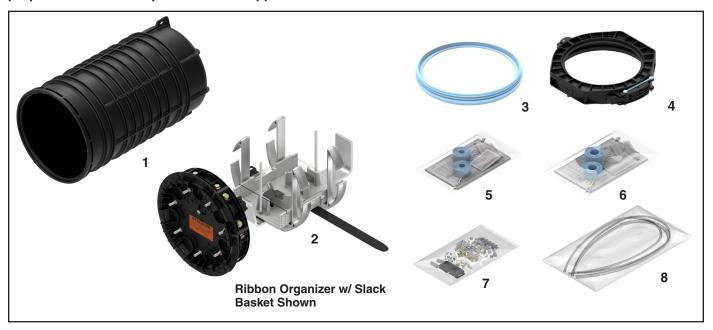
# COYOTE® Dome Closure 9.5" x 19"

Be sure to read and completely understand this procedure before applying product. Be sure to select the proper PREFORMED™ product before application.



# **NOMENCLATURE**

- 1. Dome (1)
- 2. End Plate with 9.5" x 19" Organizer (1)
- 3. Dome Gasket (1)
- 4. Dome Collar (1)
- 5. Grommet Kit (1) (0.60" 0.85" Cable Range)
- Grommet Kit (1) (0.85" 1.00" Cable Range)
- 7. Small Parts Bag (1)
- 8. Transition Tubing Kit Ribbon Organizers ONLY (1)

#### **TOOLS REQUIRED**

- 3/8" & 7/16" Can Wrench or Socket
- Snips
- Side Cutters
- · Fiber Optic Cable Opening Tools
- 1/4" Nut Driver
- Utility Knife

Splice Tray Capacities for COYOTE® Dome Closure 9.5" x 19"					
PLP Catalog Number	Description	Image	Splice Type	Max Trays per Closure	Closure Max Splice Capacity
80809958	Short Low Profile LITE-GRIP Splice Tray (24ct)	A ARREST OF	Single Fusion	With Buffer Tube Organizer - 12 With Ribbon Organizer - 12	With Buffer Tube Organizer - 288 With Ribbon Organizer - 288
80813152	Short Low Profile LITE-GRIP Splice Tray (36ct)		Single Fusion	With Buffer Tube Organizer - 12 With Ribbon Organizer - 12	With Buffer Tube Organizer - 432 With Ribbon Organizer - 432
80808945	Short Deep Profile LITE-GRIP Splice Tray (40ct)		Single Fusion	With Buffer Tube Organizer - 6 With Ribbon Organizer - 6	With Buffer Tube Organizer - 240 With Ribbon Organizer - 240
LGSTR144	Short Deep Profile LITE- GRIP Splice Tray (144ct)		Mass Fusion/ Ribbon	With Buffer Tube Organizer - N/A With Ribbon Organizer - 6	With Buffer Tube Organizer - N/A With Ribbon Organizer - 864

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Closure Kits for COYOTE Dome Closure 9.5" x 19"				
PLP Catalog Number	Description			
COYD919B-000	COYOTE 9.5" x 19" Dome Closure for Buffer Tube – Includes (2) 1-Hole Grommets 0.60" – 0.85" (15.2 – 21.6 mm) and (2) 1-Hole Grommets 0.85" – 1.00" (21.6 – 25.4 mm)			
COYD919R-000	COYOTE 9.5" x 19" Dome Closure for Ribbon – Includes (2) 1-Hole Grommets 0.60" – 0.85" (15.2 – 21.6 mm), (2) 1-Hole Grommets 0.85" – 1.00" (21.6 – 25.4 mm) and (1) Transition Tubing Kit			
	Accessory Kits for COYOTE Dome 9.5" x 19"			
COYEPFIX1	End Plate Assembly Fixture for COYOTE Domes			
8004160	Heat Shrink Splice Protector Kit – Includes (50) 40 mm Mass Fusion			
8004095	Heat Shrink Splice Protector Kit – Includes (50) 40 mm Single Fusion			
8003717	Heat Shrink Splice Protector Kit – Includes (50) 60 mm Single Fusion			
80061477	9.5" End Plate Gasket and Latching Collar			
80061201	Breakaway Bonding Plate for 9.5" Domes			
80809205	Strength Member Bracket Kit – Includes (2) Short L-Brackets			
800015236	Strength Member Bracket Kit – Includes (3) Long L-Brackets and (3) Hose Clamps			
80808651	Strength Member Bracket Kit – Includes (4) Long L-Brackets			
80808878	Large Strength Member Adapter Kit			
80811037	4-Port Cable Retention Bobbin Kit			
80811036	6-Port Drop Cable Retention Bobbin Kit			
80812928	6/8-Port Drop Cable Retention Bobbin Kit			
	Mounting Brackets for COYOTE Dome 9.5" x 19"			
8003940	Aerial Mounting Bracket – Strand Applications			
8004037	Aerial Adjustable Offset Mounting Bracket – Strand Applications			
8003869	Aerial Mounting Bracket – ADSS Applications			
8004038	Aerial Adjustable Offset Mounting Bracket – ADSS Applications			
8003942	Pole/Wall Mounting Bracket			
8003835	Universal Mounting Bracket Kit – Handhole Applications			
8003941	Aerial Mounting Bracket – End Plate Mounting Applications			
8004003	Manhole Support Bracket			

Grommet Chart for COYOTE® Dome Closure 9.5" x 19"				
PLP Catalog Number	Cable Range Inches (mm)	Description	Image	Slitting Location
8003691	.4060 (10.2 - 15.2 mm)	1-entry grommet	, O . 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	200
8003692	.6085 (15.2 - 21.6 mm)	1-entry grommet	500-88 <sub>0</sub>	300-300 PM
8003693	.85 - 1.00 (21.6 - 25.4 mm)	1-entry grommet	(m to )	
8003694	1.00 - 1.25 (25.4 - 31.8 mm)	1-entry grommet		
8003663	.4260 (10.7 - 15.2 mm)	2-entry grommet	100-100 S	69
8003664	.3043 (7.6 - 10.9 mm)	4-entry grommet	102 ash	69
8004065	.250312 (6.4 - 7.9 mm)	4-entry grommet		
8003990	.5060 (12.7 - 15.2 mm) .125250 (3.2 - 6.4 mm) and flat drop	4-entry grommet	4033	
8003665	.125250 (3.2 - 6.4 mm) and flat drop	6-entry grommet	0.440 0.82.590	
8003676	.4260 (10.7 - 15.2 mm) .125250 (3.2 - 6.4 mm) and flat drop	7-entry grommet	Q as 2	
8003677	.125250 (3.2 - 6.4 mm) and flat drop	8-entry grommet	25.28 <sub>0</sub>	N/A
8004122	RPX only	2-entry grommet	1 0 m	

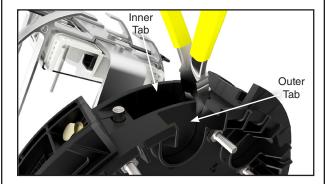
### **End Plate Preparation**

Step #1 Determine which cable ports will be used and mark the respective breakout tabs of the end plate.



NOTE: For expressed buffer tube, buffered ribbon, or unitube applications use ports 3, 4, 5, and 6. Use all other cable ports for branch or drop cables.

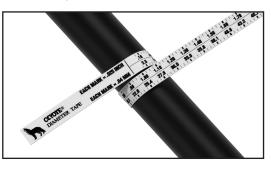
Step #2 Remove the end plate caps from the selected cable ports. Break out the outer and inner tabs of each cable port by snipping the grooves on both sides of each tab with side cutters. Once the grooves have been snipped, remove each tab by pulling the tab outwards from the end plate.



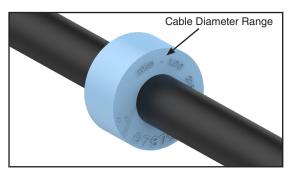


### **Cable Preparation**

Step #3 Measure the cable to determine the diameter and hole location to use in the grommet.



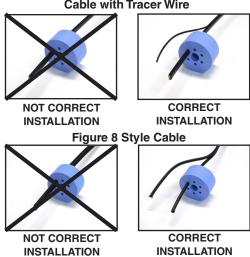
Step #4 If using cut cable, insert cable through grommet. If your application requires express/balloon/ring cut cables, see Step 6 for grommet slitting procedure.



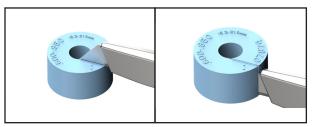
#### Step #5 **Installing Figure 8 Style Cables and Cables with Tracer Wires**

Remove tracer wire or ground wire from the portion of the cable that will be positioned into the grommet and insert cable into grommet. Remove any burrs left on the cable caused by separating the tracer wire from the sheath.

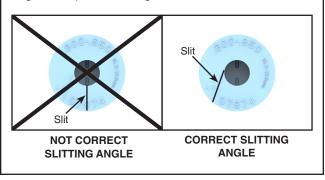
**Cable with Tracer Wire** 



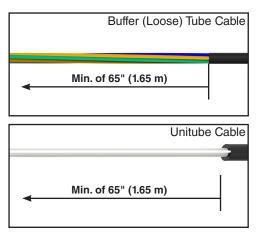
Step #6 Grommet Slitting – If slitting is required, lay grommet on a stable flat surface. Position utility knife with the cutting edge against the top surface and cut through grommet. Consult the grommet chart on page 3 for slitting locations of all grommets.



**PLP Tip:** Use a pen to sketch slitting lines on top surface of grommet prior to cutting.



**Step #7** Prepare loose tube/buffer tube or unitube/ribbon cable(s) for cut applications.

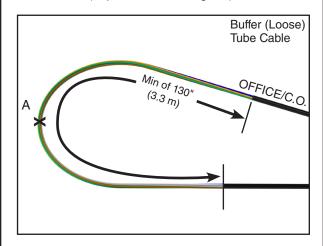


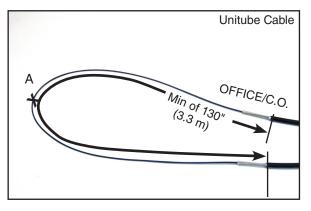
Minimum Sheath Opening for Cut Cable Applications		
Buffer/ Loose Tube Cable	65" (1.65 m)	
Unitube Cable	65" (1.65 m)	

PLP Tip: Leave about 8" (203 mm) of strength member to trim later.

# Cable Sheath Opening for Applications Where Fiber is NOT Dedicated to the Splice Point

Step #8 Prepare loose tube/buffer tube or unitube/ribbon cable(s) for mid sheath applications (Express/Balloon/Ring Cut).





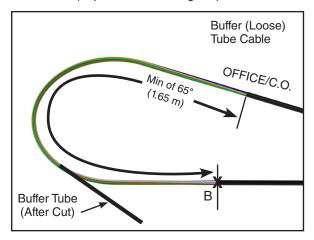
NOTE: When expressing ribbons in the slack basket of the closure at this measurement, the maximum number of ribbons that can be expressed is 24 ribbons (288 fibers).

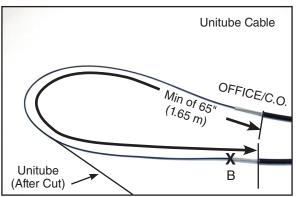
For Applications Where Fiber is NOT Dedicated to the Splice Point		
Sheath Opening	Max. of 130" (3.3 m)	
Buffer Tube Cable Cut Location	A (see 1st image)	
Unitube Cable Cut Location	A (see 2nd image)	

PLP TIP: Leave about 8" (203 mm) of strength member to trim later.

# Cable Sheath Opening for Applications Where Fiber is Dedicated to the Splice Point

Step #9 Prepare loose tube/buffer tube or unitube/ribbon cable(s) for mid sheath applications (Express/Balloon/Ring Cut).





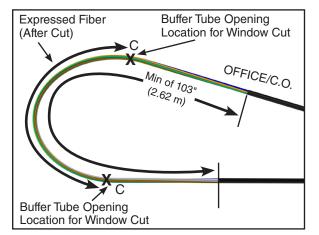
**NOTE:** When expressing ribbons in the slack basket of the closure at this measurement, the maximum number of ribbons that can be expressed is 24 ribbons (288 fibers).

For Applications Where Fiber is Dedicated to the Splice Point		
Sheath Opening	Min. of 65" (1.65 m)	
Buffer Tube Cable Cut Location	B (see 1st image)	
Unitube Cable Cut Location	B (see 2nd image)	

PLPTIP: Leave about 8" (203 mm) of strength member to trim later.

# Cable Sheath Opening for Window Cut Applications

**Step #10** Prepare loose tube/buffer tube cable(s) for expressed fiber (buffer tube window cut).

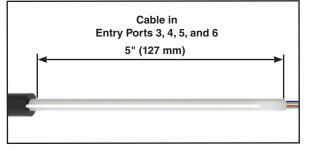


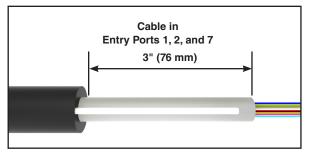
For Window Cut Applications		
Buffer Tube Length	26" (0.66 m)	
Expressed Fiber Length	51" (1.30 m)	
Sheath Opening	103" (2.62 m)	
Buffer Tube Opening Location	C (see image above)	

PLP TIP: Leave about 8" (203 mm) of strength member to trim later.

# **Core Tube Opening for Unitube Cables**

Step #11 Prepare Central/Buffer Tube(s) for Unitube/Ribbon Cable Applications.





Step #12 If the cable contains aramid yarn, braid roughly 3" (7.2 cm) of the aramid yarn.

3" (76 mm)

Attaching Standard Buffer Tube Cable to the Strength Member Bracket

Step #13 Align the sheath opening with the end of the slot of the strength member bracket as shown below.

Cable Sheath Opening

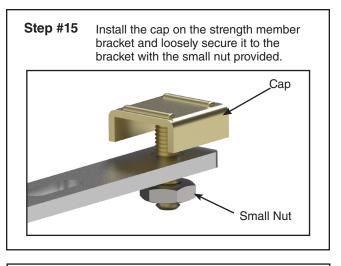
Long Strength Member Bracket

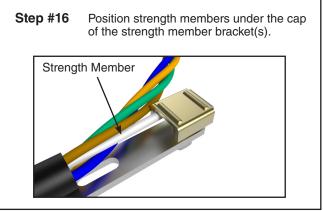
Cable Sheath Opening

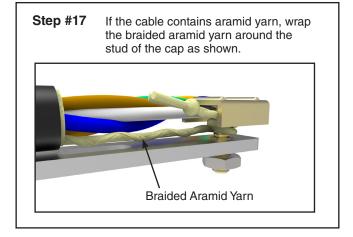
Short Strength Member Bracket

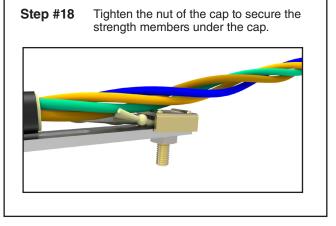
Step #14 Trim the strength members flush with the end of the strength member bracket(s).

Strength Member Bracket

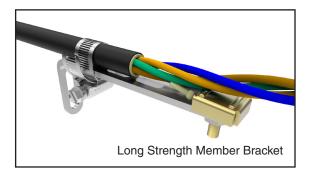


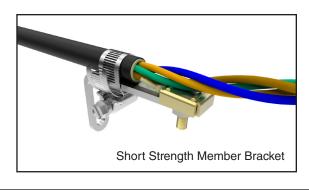






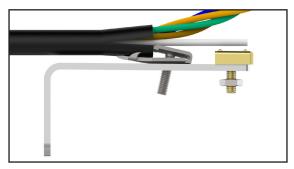
Step #19 Secure the cable to the strength member bracket(s) with a hose clamp.





# Attaching Shielded Cable to Strength Member Bracket

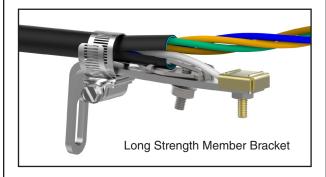
Step #20 Install the shield connector on the cable and insert the stud of the shield connector through the slot of the strength member bracket.

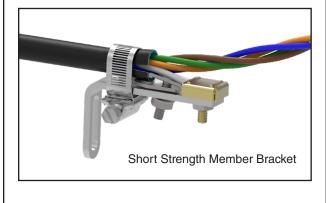


Follow standard company practices when applying shield connector to cable.

Step #21 Secure the shield connector to the strength member bracket with the nut and secure the cable strength members under the cap of the strength member bracket.

**Step #22** Secure the shielded cable to the strength member bracket with the hose clamp.

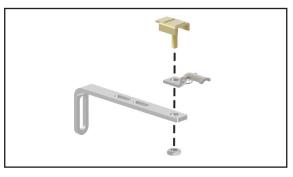


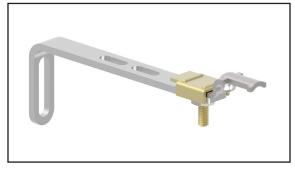


# Securing Cable with Large Central Strength Member to Strength Member Bracket

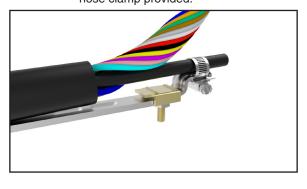
Step #23 Align the sheath opening with the end of the slot of the strength member bracket as shown below.

**Step #24** Assemble the adapter to the bracket as shown below.

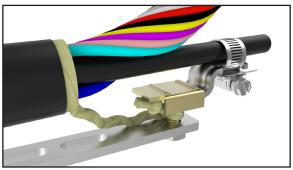


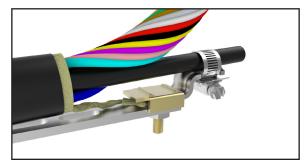


Step #25 Trim the large strength member 1/2" (12.7 mm) past the end of the adapter. Secure the cable strength member to the adapter with the small hose clamp provided.



Step #26 If the cable contains aramid yarn, braid roughly 3" (76 mm) of it and wrap it around the stud of the cap as shown below. Tighten the nut of the cap to secure the yarn under the cap.





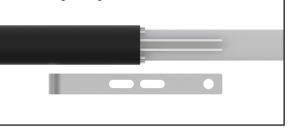
**Step #27** Secure the cable to the strength member bracket with the hose clamp provided.



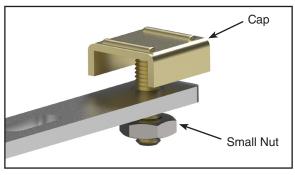
# Attaching the Unitube Cable to the Strength Member Bracket

Step #28 Align the sheath opening of each cable with the end of the slot of the strength member bracket and trim the strength members of each cable flush with the end of the bracket as shown below.

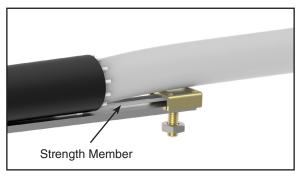
**NOTE:** Only two strength members are needed. Remaining strength members can be cut off.



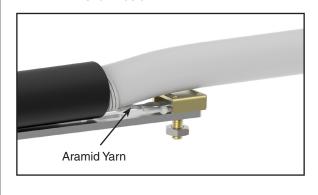
Step #29 Install the cap on the strength member bracket and loosely secure it to the bracket with the small nut provided.



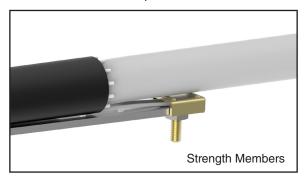
**Step #30** Position the strength members under the cap of the strength member bracket.

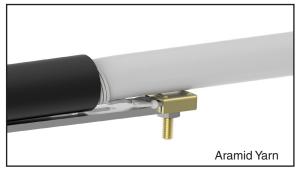


Step #31 If the cable contains aramid yarn, wrap the yarn around the stud of the cap as shown below.



**Step #32** Tighten the nut of the cap to secure the strength members or the aramid yarn under the cap.



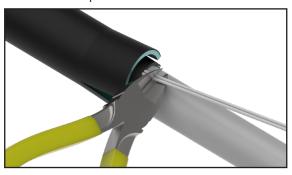


**Step #33** Secure the cable to the strength member bracket with the hose clamp.

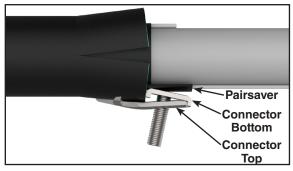


# Securing Armored Cable with Strength Members Embedded in the Cable Sheath to Strength Member Bracket

Step #34 Cut off one set of strength members as close to the cable sheath opening as possible.



Step #35 Install the shield connector onto the cable as shown below. NOTE: PLP recommends using a 3M 4460-D/FO Fiber Optic Shield Connector (Catalog Number: 80803989) for shielded cable applications.

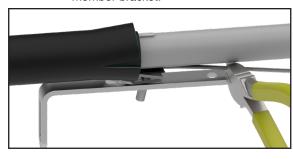


Follow your standard company practices when applying the shield connector to the cable.

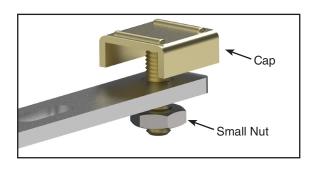
Step #36 Insert the stud of the shield connector through the slot closest to the end of the strength member bracket and push the stud to the back of the slot (away from the end of the bracket).



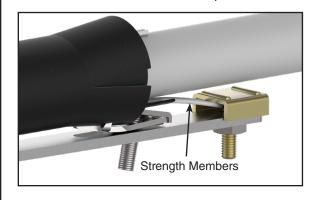
Step #37 Trim the other set of strength members flush with the end of the strength member bracket.



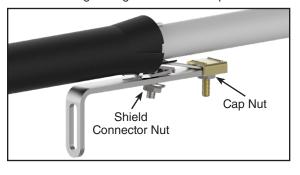
Step #38 Install the cap on the strength member bracket and loosely secure it to the bracket with the small nut provided.



Step #39 Re-insert the stud of the shield connector through the slot of the strength member bracket and capture the strength members of the cable under the cap of the bracket.



Step #40 Secure the shield connector to the strength member bracket with the nut provided with the shield connector and secure the cable strength members by tightening the nut of the cap.



Step #41 Secure the shielded cable to the strength member bracket with the hose clamp.



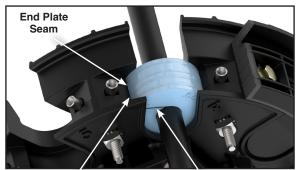
## **Cable Installation and Routing**

Step #42 Lubricate the outer surface of the grommets. Spread lubricant evenly around the outer surface.



**Step #43** Position the grommets in the end plate slots





DO NOT align grommet slit with end plate seam.

**Grommet Slit** 

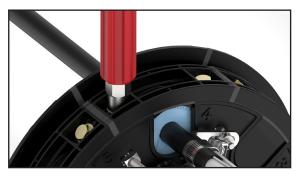
Step #44 Position the slot of the strength member bracket leg over the stud and pull back the cable.



Step #45 Install the strength member bracket on the stud. Install the lock washer and nut against the bracket, but do not tighten fully, so the bracket can slide as the grommet is inserted.



**Step #46** Install the end caps and secure with hex bolts.



NOTE: Tighten bolts by hand evenly until end cap is fully seated (DO NOT USE POWER TOOLS TO TIGHTEN BOLTS).

When using a can wrench or nut driver, the installed torque is 35 to 40 in-lbs.

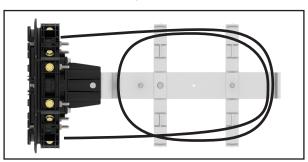
NOTE: TIGHTEN ALL UNUSED END CAPS.
IMPORTANT: TIGHTEN DOWN THE STRENGTH
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Step #47 Complete end plate assembly.

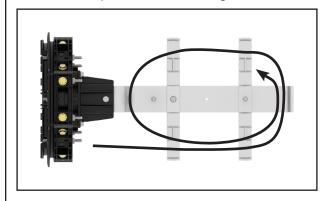


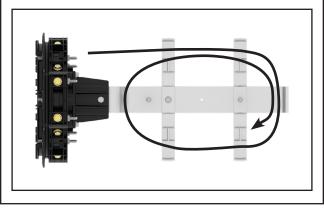
# **Buffer Tube Applications**

**Step #48** Route buffer tubes to be expressed in the side storage brackets as shown.

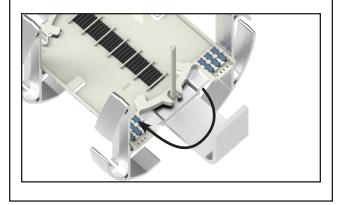


**Step #49** Route and store buffer tubes to be spliced in the side storage brackets.



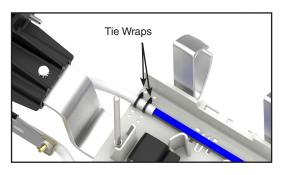


**Step #50** Route buffer tube(s) to splice tray(s) and secure.

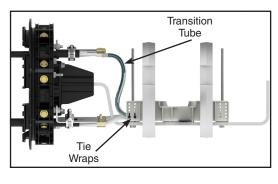


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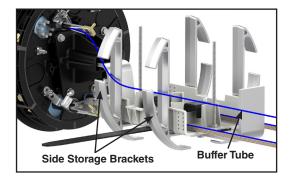
**Step #51** Route and secure the central tube of unitube cables to the slack basket.



Step #52 Use transition tube(s) to route ribbons from upper cable port(s). Secure the transition tube(s) to the slack basket with tie wraps.

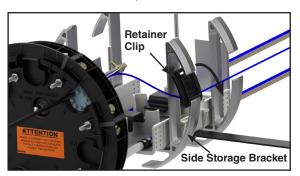


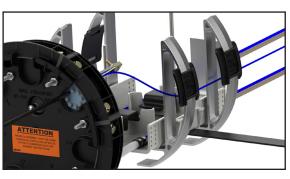
Step #53 Route the buffer tube(s) from loose tube/buffer tube cable(s) through the side storage brackets.



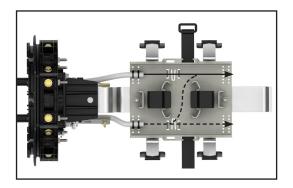
Step #54

Secure the buffer tube(s) in the side storage brackets with the retainer clips. To install the retainer clip, position the bottom slot of the retainer clip onto the bottom portion of the side storage bracket. Tilt the retainer clip forward until the top portion of the side storage bracket snaps into the top slot of the retainer clip.

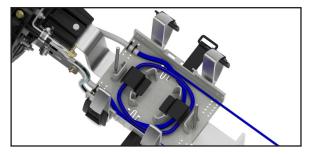




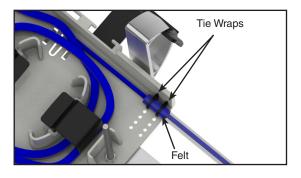
**Step #55** Route feeder ribbons within the slack basket.



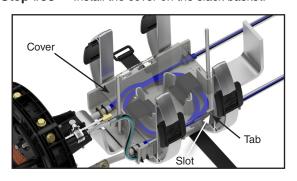
Step #56 Store expressed ribbons in the slack basket.



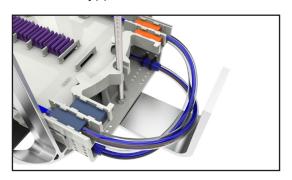
Step #57 Insert ribbons to be routed to splice tray(s) into transport tubes. Wrap a piece of felt around the ends of the transport tubes and secure the tubes to the slack basket with tie wraps.



Step #58 Install the cover on the slack basket.

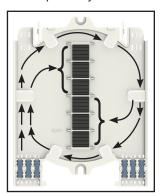


**Step #59** Route the transport tube(s) to the splice tray(s) and secure.



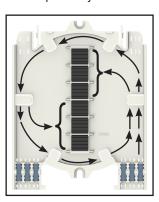
# **Splice Tray Management**

**Step #60a** Routing incoming fibers in the single fusion splice tray.



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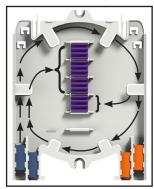
**Step #60b** Routing outgoing fibers in the single fusion splice tray.



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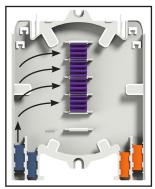
**Step #61a** Routing incoming fibers in mass fusion splice tray.

Slack Storage on Splice Tray



Top: Splices 1-9 Bottom: Splices 10-12

Slack Storage in Slack Basket

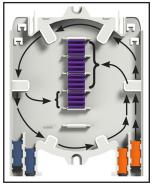


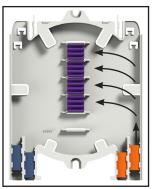
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Step #61b Routing outgoing fibers in mass fusion splice tray.

# Slack Storage on Splice Tray

Slack Storage in Slack Basket



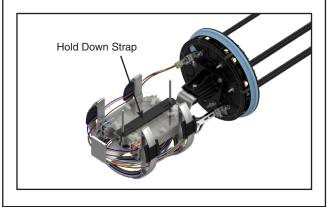


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**Step #62** Splice incoming ribbons to outgoing ribbons per your accepted company practices.

**Step #63** Secure the splice tray(s) with the hold down strap.



## **Dome Preparation & Installation**

Step #64

Re-tighten all end cap bolts (step #46) to assure that the end caps are fully seated. When using a can wrench or nut driver, the installed torque is 35 to 40 in-lbs.

Step #65

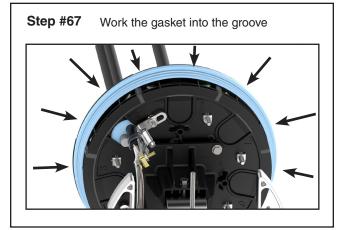
Lubricate all surfaces around gasket with silicone lubricant to assure easy assembly and closure re-entry.

Lubricate all inner surfaces of the gasket

Lubricate all outer surfaces of the gasket

Step #66 Slide the end plate gasket onto the end plate and press into the groove.

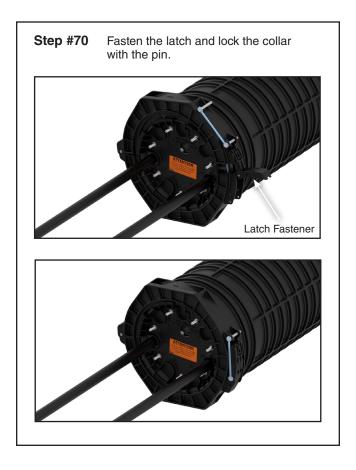
Make sure the gasket is seated in the groove of the end plate



Step #68 Position the dome over the end plate.

Step #69 Install the dome collar.

Make sure that the lip of dome is captured underneath the collar before securing the latch.



# **Flash Test Procedure**

Step #71 Remove the cap from the air valve of the end plate.



Step #73 Spray all the sealing surfaces of the dome end plate with a soap/water solution to determine if the end plate has been assembled properly.



Step #72 Pressurize closure up to a max of 10 psi.





**Step #74** Release the pressure in the closure using the bump on the top of the air valve cap.



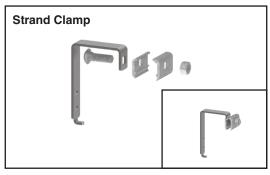


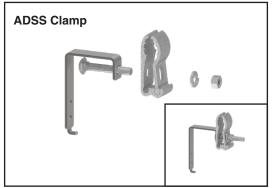
### **Aerial Mounting Options**

#### Step #75a 9.5" Dome Strand Mount Aerial Offset Bracket Kit (PLP Cat. #: 8004037) and 9.5" Dome ADSS Mount Aerial Offset Bracket

Kit (PLP Catalog Number: 8004038)

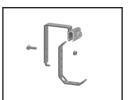
Assemble each bug nut or ADSS clamp to each top aerial offset bracket as shown below.





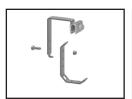
#### Step #75b For Taller Spacing.

Align the top aerial offset bracket with the bottom aerial offset bracket in either Position 1 or Position 2 as shown below and secure with the bolts and keps nuts provided.





Position 1 - Strand Clamp Shown





Position 2 - Strand Clamp Shown

#### Step #75c For Shorter Spacing.

Align the top aerial offset bracket with the bottom aerial offset bracket in either Position 1 or Position 2 as shown below and secure with the bolts and keps nuts provided.



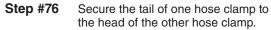


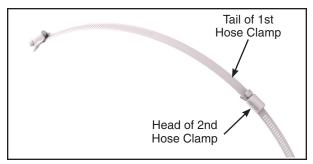
Position 1 - ADSS Clamp Shown



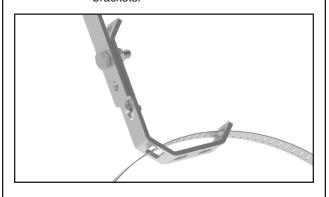


Position 2 - ADSS Clamp Shown





Step #77 Insert hose clamp through slots in each of the bottom aerial offset brackets.



**Step #78** Tighten each hose clamp around the dome.



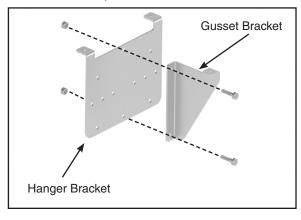
Step #79 Bracket installed on dome closure.
Second bracket also installed on opposite end of dome.



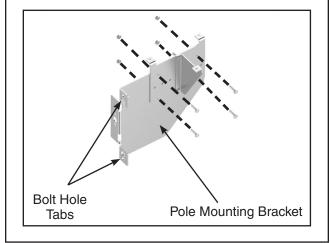
### **Pole/Wall Mounting Option**

Step #80 For COYOTE® 9.5" Dome Pole/Wall Mount Bracket (PLP Catalog Number: 8003942)

Secure the gusset bracket to the hanger bracket with the bolts and nuts provided as shown below.

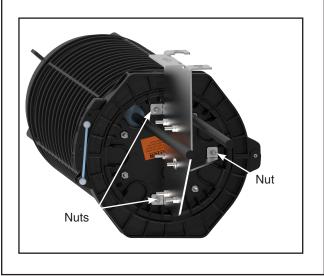


Step #81 Attach the hanger bracket to the pole mounting plate with the gusset side facing the same side as the bolt hole tabs of the pole mounting bracket.



Step #82

Install the pole/wall mount bracket assembly on to the grounding studs of the end plate of the closure and secure it to the end plate with the three nuts that are provided.



Step #83 Attach the do plate to a pol

Attach the dome pole mounting plate to a pole or a wall with either 5/8" through bolts, 1/4" lag screws, or banding.



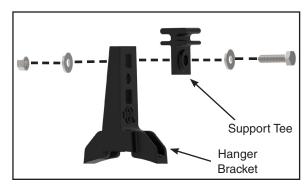


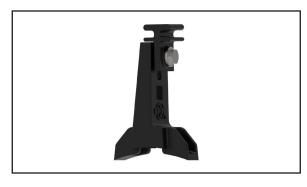
### **Manhole Support Bracket Option**

# Step #84 COYOTE® Dome 9.5" Manhole Support Bracket

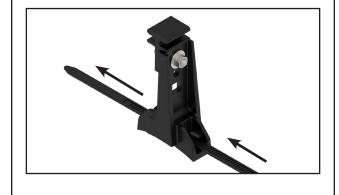
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Attach a support tee to each hanger bracket using two washers, a bolt, and a nut, as shown below.

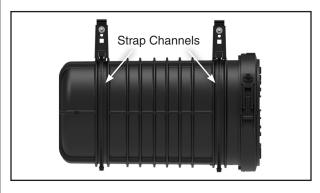




**Step #85** Slide a tie wrap through each hanger bracket as shown below.



Step #86 Secure the hanger brackets to the dome with the tie wraps. Make sure the hanger brackets seat within the strap channels of the dome.

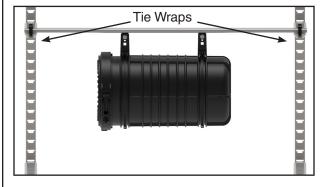


Step #87 Slide the tees of the hanger brackets within the slot of the manhole support bracket.





PLP TIP: The manhole support bar can then be mounted to step brackets with large stainless steel hose clamps or plastic tie wraps (Not included)





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