Tools You Will Need

- #2 and #4 Flat Head Screwdrivers
- Adjustable Wrench
- Plumber's Plyers



How to Service a Dog Wash Tom's Way.

Having trouble with your Dog Wash drawing/pulling up soap? Well, there's a right way and a wrong way to service a Dog Wash, and then there's Tom's Way!



After years of installing and maintaining Dog Washes, the most common complaint is that the Dog Wash isn't drawing up soap. If this happens it's usually a dirty solenoid or injector, or else the pressure adjustment is wrong. In this issue I will



Plunger top can be either red or black, ours happens to be red. Be sure the top of the plunger is clean.



First be sure the Power is OFF or you will blow the coil. Start at the top of the block, working your way down, one solenoid at a time. Unscrew the nut.



Then with your flathead screwdriver, unscrew the stem.



Be sure that the plunger moves in & out freely by pushing with your finger. Replace if needed.



After the Nut is off, pull off the coil.



Carefully remove the stem.



the O-ring for wear & replace if needed.





Check both O-rings for wear and replace if needed.

Reassemble the solenoid and proceed onto the next solenoid below in the block. Continue cleaning & inspecting until you have cleaned all 6 solenoids in the block.



If your Injector gets any dirt in it at all, it will not work. Start by removing the four screws on each corner.



Once screws are removed, carfeully pull out the housing.



Carefully remove the spring, be sure not to lose the ball, spring or O-ring. They have a tendency to fall out.



Thoroughly clean the ball, spring and O-ring with alcohol and water. Then clean the seat.

Carefully put everything back together again.



Once you have the injector back together, turn the power back on and turn on your Dog Wash. With selector switch on Disinfectant or Veterinary Shampoo, squeeze shower head handle to see if soap is being pulled. If no soap is being drawn, slowly turn the screw on injector to the right until soap draws. If soap is still not being drawn up, slowly back down the screw and keep going left until soap begins to draw. Turn clockwise to increase pressure, counter clockwise to decrease pressure.



Using your Adjustable Wrench, turn the nut counter clockwise until





Reach inside and pull out the strainer screen and clean it with alcohol and water. Replace if worn.





Have a problem/suggestion you'd like us to feature?

Send your questions/suggestions to Tomsway@kleen-ritecorp.com and we'll show you Tom's Way of solving it.