

PIPELINE REHABILITATION USING TYFO

Founded in 1988, Fyfe is a pioneer in the fiber-reinforced polymer (FRP) structural strengthening industry. Today we are a world leader in developing, testing and manufacturing Tyfo, an advanced composite system of specialized carbon and glass fabrics, which we combine with polymers to strengthen a wide range of infrastructure.

Building upon our industry leading US patent 'Fiber Reinforced Pipe' in 1999, our engineers and designers create pipe rehabilitation solutions for structural deficiencies in piping infrastructure. Our in-house team provides technical support and training to engineers, inspectors, contractors and owners in municipal, industrial, power generation thermal, hydropower and oil & gas markets.

The Tyfo system provides solutions for:

- Full structural repairs & pipeline renewal
- Leak and Joint repairs
- Strengthening for increase loadings
- Strengthening for repurposing pipelines
- Corrosion mitigation

Tyfo FRP system bonds to either the inside or outside of pipes and can be detailed to address complex configurations and transitions. Internal repairs offer a valuable trenchless solution frequently using existing entry points and with a limited site footprint they minimize impact to local traffic and adjacent property owners. A rapid emergency repair option offers greater than a 50-year design service life.

Tyfo FRP pipe repairs are suitable for:

- Pre-stressed concrete cylinder pipe (PCCP)
- Bar-wrapped concrete pipe
- Reinforced concrete pipe (RCP)
- Metallic piping (steel & various irons)
- FRP piping
- Other systems such as CIPP liners.

Applying the AWWA C305 code, designs can accommodate all internal loads (i.e. operating, transient, thrust and vacuum pressures) as well as all external loads (i.e. traffic, soil, groundwater and temperature). Other solutions can be developed using ASME PCC-2 in conjunction with ASME B31.1 & B31.3, and ASTM F1216 too.



