

## Roger Kennedy Construction, Florida



### Efflorescence

Roger B. Kennedy, Inc a family construction business spanning five generations, the Kennedy organization has been in continuous operation for over 130 years. When Roger B. Kennedy, Inc. moved their facility to a building in Altamonte Springs they tried many different ways of removing the efflorescence and hard water stains that turned the lower half of the building white. All procedures to remove staining failed.

Glass Fusion International was introduced to Mr..... Kennedy through a colleague. GFI crew removed most of the efflorescence, but many of the hard water stains still remained on the bricks. Our solution to bring back the color was to stain the bricks with a water based stain, then sealing the building with Glass Fusion™ BR100 for Brick & Pavers. This provided a durable barrier from efflorescence migrating through the brick as well as preventing hard water stains caused by the sprinklers.

The maintenance department can now maintain the brick without harsh chemicals that would ultimately cause damage to the brick and the building.