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Jay Leno's Big Dog Garage Installs KMT Waterjet System

Jay Leno, recognizing the value of the waterjet process for quickly cutting a wide range of materials, has installed waterjet cutting equipment which uses pressure equipment from KMT Waterjet. The KMT Waterjet "extreme pressure system", delivering water pressurized to 60,000 pounds per square inch, was chosen based on company responsiveness, machine reliability and on being an America-made product.

The equipment will be used to cut a wide variety of products for Mr. Leno's massive car collection, which includes many one-of-a-kind vehicles. "Parts for these rare vehicles need to be custom made. Waterjet is a great way to quickly cut parts, gaskets, glass or metal brackets because it requires little setup and can cut so many types of materials."

To meet Mr. Leno's needs, KMT Waterjet installed a 50hp Streamline Plus intensifier. The intensifier delivers 60,000 pounds of pressure per square inch for fast, reliable cutting. The high pressure system was fitted with the Autoline cutting head, rated as the most efficient head available by the University of Missouri-Rolla. The head is designed to be easy to use and to have the lowest operating cost possible.

It was extremely important to Mr. Leno that the machine be American-made. "Nearly all of the equipment in my shop is American-made. America has lost a lot of manufacturing capacity, but we are still strong by being innovative and creative. This is an example of American ingenuity and resourcefulness. The waterjet technology is amazing."

According to John Dedic, marketing manager for KMT Waterjet, Mr. Leno was "extremely interested in the technology of the machine. For example, he asked why it was important to have the pump stroke slowly and why we designed it to have a threaded cylinder design. He wanted to hear about the longer seal life and ease of maintenance. He clearly has a passion for advanced technology,

precision and performance, which is exactly what KMT is all about. It was a great experience meeting with him.”

KMT Waterjet delivers extreme pressure systems which have greater reliability and ease of use for cutting with water. These systems include the pumps, lines, cutting heads and abrasive-handling equipment. The equipment is sold through the industry’s largest world-wide network of system integrators who build turn-key waterjet systems and provide unequalled support.

KMT Waterjet is part of the KMT Group which markets, develops and manufactures advanced production solutions for the engineering industry within precision grinding, sheet metal working, tube forming, and waterjet cutting. The KMT holding company, Karolin Machine Tool AB, is quoted on the O list of the Stockholm Stock Exchange.

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Jay Leno gets a quick photo in front of his newest toy.

