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## Flashing Options Comparison

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### OTHER COMPANIES

#### Self-Adhering Flashing

- Creates a watertight seal by adhering directly to the surface.
- Great for complex window shapes and corners.
- No nail or staple penetrations reduce leak risk.
- Performs best when applied to clean, dry surfaces.
- Higher material cost but can save labor and callbacks.
- Must be installed in moderate temperatures.
- Check for compatibility with other materials.
- Some products are vapor-impermeable and may trap moisture.

#### Mechanically (Pneumatically) Fastened Flashing

- Fastened using staples or nails, often called flashing paper.
- Lower material cost, easy and quick to install.
- More forgiving on damp or cold surfaces.
- Potential leak points from fastener penetrations.
- Requires careful layering to shed water properly.
- May not seal as tightly around complex window shapes.
- Proven and familiar method used for decades.
- Works well when detailed correctly with sealant and overlaps.

For more information, contact Rockafellor Windows Inc. — your trusted partner in energy-efficient, weather-tight installations.