Part 573 Safety Recall Report   24V-929

Manufacturer Name :	Forest River, Inc.
Submission Date :	DEC 13, 2024
NHTSA Recall No. :	24V-929
Manufacturer Recall No. :	80-1877

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Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.
Address : 55470 CR 1
P.O. Box 3030 Elkhart IN 46515-3030
Company phone : 1-800-348-7440

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 116
Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2025-2025 Forest River Inc. RPOD Travel Trailers
Vehicle Type : TRAILERS
Body Style : OTHER
Power Train : NR
Descriptive Information :

The scope was determined by manufacturing records of when the models were upgraded from a single LP tank to two LP tanks.

2025	R.POD	RPT197	83
2025	R.POD	RPT205	33
Grand Total			116

Production Dates : JUN 28, 2024 - DEC 10, 2024
VIN Range 1 : Begin :   NR   End :   NR   ☐ Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : The LP tray may not have adequate fasteners attaching it to the chassis.
FMVSS 1 : NR
FMVSS 2 : NR
Description of the Safety Risk : If the LP tanks becomes loose from the vehicle, this condition may lead to property damage, or a crash. To reduce the safety risk, Forest River recommends the LP tank(s) be removed before taking to a dealer for repair.
Description of the Cause : Manufacturing Error
Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : None

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : LP Tray 3/8" Hex Head Self-Tapping Fasteners

Component Description : LP Tray 3/8" Hex Head Self-Tapping Fasteners

Component Part Number : N/A

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

On December 10, 2024, during a routine Forest River Pre Delivery Inspection ("PDI") it was discovered that the LP Tray did not have the appropriate amount of fasteners attaching it to the chassis.

On December 11, 2024, OCC was notified, and a research item was opened. A warranty report was not run for this issue as it was found during an inspection at the manufacturing plant.

On December 13, 2024, Forest Rivers Corporate Recall Committee voted to recall.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program :	Forest River will provide all parts and labor free of charge to Consumers and Dealers. An authorized Forest River dealer will need to perform the remedy to install the correct amount of fasteners. To reduce the safety risk, Forest River recommends the LP tank(s) be removed before taking to a dealer for repair.

What is the Forest River Customer Service Phone Number? (574) 642-3119

If you have already paid for a repair that is within the scope of this defect under recall, you still need to have this recall inspected and/or performed to ensure the correct parts and procedures were utilized. Additionally, you may be eligible for a refund of previously paid repairs. Refunds will only be provided for within the scope of this defect under recall.
Please send the service invoice to the following address:

RPOD
2780 College Ave
Goshen, IN 46528

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component :	Affected Component – LP Tray 3/8" Hex Head Self-Tapping Fasteners P/N – N/A

Replacement Component - LP Tray 3/8" Hex Head Self-Tapping Fasteners

The LP tray will now be secured with the correct amount of fasteners.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production :	The week of December 11, 2024, the manufacturing plant began installing the proper amount of fasteners into the LP Tray to attach it to the chassis of the trailer.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule :	Forest River has the utmost urgency in our recalls. Forest River will send suspected VIN numbers to our third party vendor that is licensed to pull data on the current owner of the vehicles (as needed) once a formal NHTSA I.D. is provided. Forest River intends on pushing the mailing out as soon as NHTSA provides any correction(s) and an Acknowledgement Letter.
Planned Dealer Notification Date :	JAN 22, 2025 - JAN 22, 2025
Planned Owner Notification Date :	JAN 22, 2025 - JAN 22, 2025

* NR - Not Reported