

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

## 25V-229

**Manufacturer Name :** Forest River, Inc.**Submission Date :** APR 10, 2025**NHTSA Recall No. :** 25V-229**Manufacturer Recall No. :** 110-1914**Manufacturer Information :****Population :**

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.

Number of potentially involved : 23

Address : 55470 CR 1

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

P.O. Box 3030 Elkhart IN 46515-3030

Company phone : 1-800-348-7440

**Vehicle Information :**

Vehicle 1 : 2025-2025 Forest River Inc. Coachmen Brookstone BKF398MBL Fifth Wheels

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : 2025

BROOKSTONE

BKF398MBL

23

Grand Total

23

The scope was determined of when the vehicles moved to a new manufacturing building.

Production Dates : OCT 31, 2024 - FEB 28, 2025

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : The waste water holding tank(s) ventilation pipe may not be terminated exterior of the vehicle.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Sewer gas may enter the vehicle, which may lead to personal injury.

Description of the Cause : Manufacturing Error.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : An operator may notice sewer gas smell.

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Black Plumbing Vent Pipe

Component Description : Black Plumbing Vent Pipe

Component Part Number : N/A

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

On Thursday, April 3, 2025, the manufacturing plant notified Forest Rivers Office of Corporate Compliance ("OCC") of the concern.

On April 7, 2025, OCC opened a research item into the concern.

On April 10, 2025, Forest Rivers Corporate 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 extend the pipe through to the exterior of the vehicle.  What is the Forest River Customer Service Phone Number? (574) 825-7101  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:  Coachmen Fifth Wheels 423 N Main St. Middlebury, IN 46540
How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component :	Affected Component - Black Plumbing Vent Pipe Replacement Component - Black Plumbing Vent Pipe  The Black Plumbing Vent Pipe will now exit through the vehicle to eliminate the sewer gas smell.
Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production :	The week of April 3, 2025, the manufacturing plant began fixing all vehicles in production and the holding yard that did not have the vent installed incorrectly.

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 :	MAY 20, 2025 - MAY 20, 2025
Planned Owner Notification Date :	MAY 20, 2025 - MAY 20, 2025

\* NR - Not Reported