

November 7, 2013

Associate Administrator for Enforcement
National Highway Traffic and Safety Administration
U.S. Department of Transportation
1200 New Jersey Avenue SE
Washington, DC 20590

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to 49 CFR part 573, Forest River Inc. is submitting this report to NHTSA concerning a recall campaign, which is being voluntarily initiated. Specific information is as follows;

573.5(c)(2)

Affected vehicles are Model Year _2013 Rockwood and Flagstaff travel trailers of various floor plans manufactured between 2/3/2012 and 2/4/2013.

The recall population was determined from the manufacturing records for the company's manufacturing plant in Millersburg, Indiana, which produced the affected recreational vehicles.

573.5(c)(3)

A total of 721 travel trailers are subject to this recall. Specific Vehicle Identification Numbers (VIN) is as follows;

2012 to 2013 Rockwood, Windjammer, Flagstaff and Vlite Models T3008W, T30WFKSS, T3006W, T30WTBS, T3006WK and T30WTBSK with a starting VIN of 4X4TFLF20C1845459 and ending with 4X4FLF2XD1851500, 4X4TRLF20C1845436 and ending with 4X4TRLF2XD1851987.

573.5(c)(4)

Forest River is recalling 100 percent of the model Rockwood and Flagstaff Travel Trailers identified in the scope.

573.5(c)(5)

Forest River has identified that under full GVWR and certain road conditions the tire may contact the bottom of the floor over large bumps or pot holes. This may cause the tire to be damaged and possibly blow out which may cause a loss of control resulting in property damage, personal injury or possibly death.

573.5(c)(6)

Forest River decided to conduct this recall following an internal investigation after notification of a complaint from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. Forest River is aware of one incident related to this issue that resulted in some slight damage to the trailer.

573.5(c)(8)

The remedy for the affected travel trailer will involve the addition of a 2 ½” lift kit between the frame and the axle mounting brackets to provide adequate tire clearance between the tire and the floor for full jounce.

Copies of the repair instructions, dealer notification letters, and owner notification letters will be provided to the agency within 10 business days. Forest River, Inc. is contacting all dealers and retail owners of the affected vehicles. Upon notification Forest River is prepared to begin dealer notification within 5 business days after approval, and 10 business days subsequent to dealer notification.

Thank you for your assistance,

Regards,

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