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Work Instructions Subject: TBB Minotour Backup Cameras

Models Affected: Specific Model Year 2019-2020 Thomas Built Buses Minotour SRW school buses manufactured August 17, 2018, through March 31, 2019.

Parts

Kit Contents:

- Mirror Mount
- Mirror/Monitor
- Allen Wrench

The harness is supplied in three sections (see **Figure 1**):

- Monitor End Marked A
- Extension Marked B
- Camera End Marked C

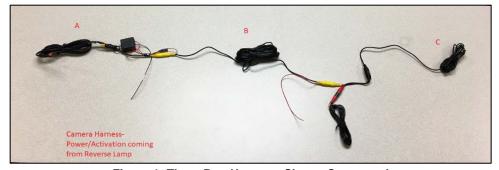


Figure 1: Three-Part Harness, Shown Connected

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Mirror/Monitor Mounting

- 1. Park the vehicle on a level surface, shut down the engine, and set the parking brake. Chock the tires
- 2. Remove the rear view mirror from the front glass, leaving the mounting block on the glass.
- 3. Attach the mirror mount to the back of the mirror/monitor. Ensure correct orientation.
- 4. Install the mirror/monitor and mount on the windshield using the existing mounting block. Tighten with the Allen wrench. See **Figure 2**.

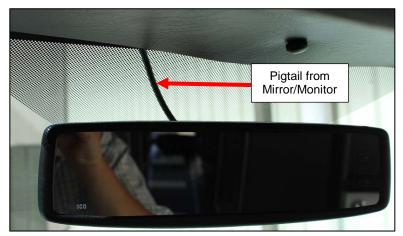


Figure 2: Mirror/Monitor Mounted

5. Connect the orange-taped end of Section A of the harness to the pigtail from the mirror/monitor. See Figures 2 and 3.

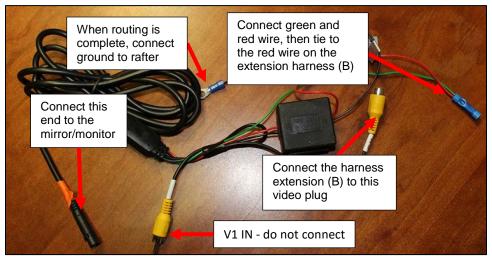


Figure 3: Harness Section A

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- Install loom on this entire section.
- 7. Feed this end through the bulkhead hole with all other switch harnesses.
- 8. Pull the harness out near the windshield and over to the mirror/monitor so it feeds down in a straight line.
- 9. Connect the pigtail and harness; tuck excess up into the bulkhead.
- 10. Route harness Section A toward the main body harness. Use a method that supports the harness.

Camera Mounting

1. Drill a 5/8-inch hole approximately 1 inch below the horizontal centerline, as shown in Figure 4.



Figure 4: Camera Location

- 2. Remove the nut from the back of the camera and retain. Feed the wire from the back of the camera into the bulkhead.
- 3. Attach the double-sided tape to the camera and then the camera to the rear cap, centered over the drilled hole. Ensure the camera faces down and is level horizontally.
- 4. Feed the nut along the harness to the camera and tighten. Ensure the mounting of the camera does not move.
- Remove the harness covers above the windows on the driver's side of the bus.
- 6. Cover the camera harness with loom and route above the windows on the driver's side of the bus. See Figure 5.

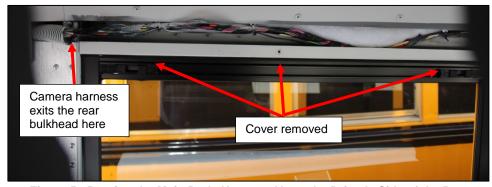


Figure 5: Routing the Main Body Harness Along the Driver's Side of the Bus

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7. Connect Section C of the harness as shown in Figure 6.



Figure 6: Section C Harness Connections

- 8. Connect the harness extension (Section B) yellow video plug with the red wire to the video plug on the main harness. It may be installed in either direction. Note: Do not use the AV1 section of the main harness.
- 9. Tie up excess wiring evenly along the main harness.
- 10. Check for proper operation of the backup camera.
- 11. Install the harness cover and bulkhead cover removed earlier.