



NHTSA Safety Recall 20V-441

TO: Winnebago Towables Dealers
SUBJECT: Escape Window

The National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act, as amended, provides that each vehicle which is subject to a recall campaign of this type must be adequately repaired within a reasonable time after the owner has tendered it for repair. A failure to adequately repair within 60 days after tender of a vehicle is prima facie evidence of failure to repair within a reasonable time.

If the condition is not adequately repaired within a reasonable time, the owners may be entitled to an identical or reasonably equivalent vehicle at no charge or to a refund of the purchase price less a reasonable allowance for depreciation.

To avoid having to provide these burdensome solutions, every effort must be made to promptly schedule an appointment with each owner and to repair their vehicle as soon as possible. As you will see in reading the enclosed copy of the letter which is being sent to owners, the owners are being instructed to contact Winnebago Industries, Inc. if you do not remedy the condition within five days of the mutually agreed upon service date. If the condition is not remedied within a reasonable time, they are instructed on how to contact the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

REASON FOR THIS RECALL

Winnebago Towables has determined that a defect related to vehicle safety exists on certain 2019 and 2020 Winnebago MicroMinnie5. These vehicles were manufactured August 16, 2018 through September 12, 2019.

The windows installed in the bedroom do not qualify for an escape window. If an emergency came up and the occupants did not have access to the entry door, there is no alternate means of escape provided. If this were to occur, serious injury or death could result

OWNER NOTIFICATION

Owners will be notified of this campaign on their vehicles by Winnebago Towables. For all units in your inventory, the notification will be mailed to you. **DO NOT DELIVER TO A CUSTOMER ANY SUBJECT UNIT UNTIL CORRECTIVE ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN.** Enclosed is a list of vehicles shipped to you.

DEALER CAMPAIGN RESPONSIBILITY

Dealers are to service all vehicles subject to this campaign at no charge to owners regardless of mileage, age of vehicle, or ownership from this time forward.

Whenever a vehicle subject to this campaign is taken into new or used vehicle inventory or it is in your dealership for service in the future, you should take the steps necessary to be sure the campaign correction has been made before reselling or releasing the vehicle. Owners of vehicles recently sold from your new vehicle inventory are to be contacted by the dealer and arrangements made to make the required correction according to instructions contained in this campaign.

MEMORANDUM

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INSTRUCTION TO PERFORM CAMPAIGN Escape Window Recall

Affected Models:

2019 and 2020 Winnebago MicroMinnie5

Repair Procedure:

Refer to instructions for replacing current bedroom window with an escape window.

Parts Information:

To minimize any inconvenience to your customers, we strongly encourage you to promptly order and stock the following parts for the vehicles on the attached list. This will ensure you have adequate inventory for your customers. Order the following parts from Winnebago Towables. You will be placing the order as a recall order.

Dealer Number:

Quantity

Part Description

**Winnebago Industries
Part Number**

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Window

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REIMBURSEMENT

When the service has been completed, submit the labor amount and labor operation number listed below. Your repair order must be properly signed by both the dealer and the owner.

	<u>OPERATION NUMBER</u>	<u>TIME ALLOWANCE</u>
Replace bedroom window	<u>44011001</u>	<u>1.0 hours</u>

Thank you for your cooperation.

Winnebago Towables
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Enclosures