



**RV CHASSIS**  
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## **IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL – 21V-214**

**This notice applies to the vehicle identification number in the label below.**

Dear Valued Customer,

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

The Shyft Group, Inc. has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2021 and 2022 model year K1, K2, K3 and K4 model Spartan RV chassis equipped with a steering column supplied by ZF Active Safety and Electronics.

### **What is the Defect?**

The steering output shaft inside the steering column may be too short and could disengage from the steering input shaft during a full telescope of the steering column/wheel.

### **What is the Safety Risk?**

A disengagement of the steering output shaft from the steering input shaft could result in a loss of steering control increasing the risk of a crash.

### **What is the Warning?**

The shafts could separate without warning.

### **What is the Remedy?**

The steering output shaft will be inspected for the appropriate length. If the steering output shaft is determined to be shorter than required, the steering column will be replaced at no charge. **This will be done at no charge.**

**Labor Time:**

Replacement of the steering gear mounting fasteners may take up to one (1) hour however, due to some service scheduling times, your service center may need your vehicle for a longer period.

**What You Should Do:**

**Call Spartan RV Chassis at 1-855-589-9836 to locate a qualified service center near you.** Steps will be taken to ensure the work is performed at the nearest service center.

**Leased Vehicles:**

The lessor must notify the lessee by first class mail within ten (10) days from receipt of their owner notification letter from the manufacturer; both for the initial notification and all subsequent notifications.

**Reimbursement:**

If you had this repair performed before you received this letter, you may be eligible to receive reimbursement for the cost of obtaining a pre-notification remedy of the problem associated with this recall. For more information contact Spartan RV Chassis at 1-855-589-9836.

**Reply Card:**

Please fill out the enclosed prepaid postcard and mail it to us if you have changed your address, sold, or traded the vehicle.

If the authorized service center has failed or is unable to remedy the defect without charge and within a reasonable time, contact Spartan RV Chassis at 1-855-589-9836. You may also submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, D.C. 20590 or call the Auto Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov> if you feel the manufacturer has failed or is unable to remedy the defect without charge.

We regret any inconvenience this service may cause you. Your safety and continued satisfaction with the quality and performance of your chassis is of the utmost concern to us.

Sincerely,

Spartan RV Chassis