

[VIA REGISTERED MAIL AND EMAIL]

## **IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL**

## 

June 27, 2022

Name Address City, State Postal

Dear Zero Motorcycle Owner,

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

Zero Motorcycles has decided that certain model year 2022 Zero SR and Zero SR/F model motorcycles built between April 22, 2022 and April 27, 2022 fail to comply with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 122, "Motorcycles Brake System." The subject motorcycles may have been manufactured with incorrect front brake caliper bolts that have a different thread pitch. The incorrect thread pitch could cause damage to the mounting threads on the fork, which could reduce the clamping load, which in turn could cause the caliper to come loose. If the caliper were to come loose, braking force could be reduced, which could cause a crash.

Our records indicate that you purchased one of the motorcycles listed above.

We strongly urge you to contact your Zero Motorcycles dealer to make arrangements to have the appropriate service performed as soon as possible. Should you choose to ride your motorcycle prior to this service, we urge you to be aware of this condition.

The remedy of this defect is for a Zero Motorcycles authorized dealer to inspect the front brake caliper bolts, and as necessary, replace the bolt/s and fork/s. Should you choose to ride your suspect motorcycle prior to having your dealer perform this rework, you should be aware of this condition and brake cautiously.

Please contact your Zero Motorcycles dealer immediately and arrange an appointment to have your motorcycle repaired. If you are unsure of the location of your nearest authorized dealer, please use the dealer locator located on our website at https://www.zeromotorcycles.com/dealer-locator. The actual dealer labor time to perform this inspection will be approximately 20 minutes; however, due to scheduling, the dealer may require your motorcycle for a longer period if the bolt/s and fork/s need to be replaced. The parts and labor will be free of charge to you. Replacement parts are now available for order by your dealer.



If you no longer own this motorcycle, please contact us at 1-888-841-8085 so we may update our records and notify the new owner. Federal regulation requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.

If your dealer or Zero Motorcycles fails or is unable to remedy your motorcycle without charge within a reasonable time, you may wish to inform the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE, Washington, DC 20590, or call the toll-free hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or contact NHTSA at http://www.safecar.gov.

We value safety above all else and strive for the highest standards in ride quality and experience, and we deeply regret this inconvenience. Zero Motorcycles would not be issuing this action if it were not in the interest of your personal safety, satisfaction and enjoyment of your Zero motorcycle. Thank you for your understanding, and we look forward to a swift and smooth remediation of this issue.

Regards,

Chris M. Langlois Director of Technical and Commercial Services Zero Motorcycles, Inc.