

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

# 23V-552

**Manufacturer Name :** Nelson Trailers**Submission Date :** AUG 04, 2023**NHTSA Recall No. :** 23V-552**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Nelson Trailers

Address : 6448 Rt 224

Ottawa OH 45875

Company phone : 419-523-5321

**Population :**

Number of potentially involved : 1

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

**Vehicle Information :**

Vehicle 1 : 2018-2018 Nelson CBC-40ST

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : NR

**Descriptive Information :** Received recall letter 22E-080 for a defective component on an axle. We only used (1) axle that was affected by this recall. The trailer that it was installed on was identified.

Production Dates : MAY 18, 2018 - MAY 18, 2018

VIN Range 1 : Begin : 1n9G62A44J1012142 End : 1N9G62A44J1012142  Not sequential**Description of Defect :**

**Description of the Defect :** Dexter Smart Steer Axle with bolt on steer arm may fracture at low speed during high stress as described in Dexter recall 22E-080

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

**Description of the Safety Risk :** The fractured steer arm and attached tie rod may fail and fall to the ground causing a risk for separation. There is no loss of control of the unit when this failure occurs.

**Description of the Cause :** Axle manufacturer recall

**Identification of Any Warning that can Occur :** Independent castering of the steer axle and noise from dragging parts.

**Involved Components :**

Component Name 1 : Dexter Axle

Component Description : Dexter Smart Steer Axle

Component Part Number : 702887

## Supplier Identification :

### Component Manufacturer

Name : Dexter Axle Company

Address : 2900 Industrial Parkway East  
Elkhart Indiana 46516

Country : United States

## Chronology :

Notified by recall letter from Dexter Axle October 17, 2022

## Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Only affects (1) unit. Nelson records axle serial numbers and was able to immediately identify the subject trailer.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : Trailer axle is repaired per Dexter Safety bulletin SB015

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Nelson only ever received 1 axle subject to this recall.

## Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Customer has already been notified and the repairs per SP015 have been completed.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : AUG 04, 2023 - AUG 04, 2023

Planned Owner Notification Date : AUG 04, 2023 - AUG 04, 2023

\* NR - Not Reported