



IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

This notice applies to your trailer(s), VIN **XXXXXXXX**. NHTSA Recall No.: 23V-684.

October 26, 2023

Dear **Trailer Owner**,

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act. T.A. Pelsue Co. had decided that a defect, which relates to motor vehicle safety, exists in certain 2022 Tradesman Fiberlite POD and Tradesman Fiberlite XL trailers. A Service Bulletin from T.A. Pelsue Co. describing this issue was previously sent to all affected owners on June 23, 2023.

Due to a design issue the welds on the front cross member of the trailer frame may fail. If the welds on the trailer frame fail, the trailer could no longer be attached to the towing vehicle and might cause a crash or injury.

To increase the robustness of these trailer frames, T.A. Pelsue Co. has developed a pair of external steel brackets to support the welded front cross member. These brackets can be bolted in place on the front corners of the frame in approximately 30 - 45 minutes at the trailer location and eliminate the failure mechanism of the defective frames. This Corner Cap Kit with instructions is covered under warranty and available at no cost. Shipping costs for this kit and the installation labor cost are also covered under warranty.

Please inspect your affected trailer(s) as soon as possible. The Service Bulletin referenced above is included with this notice and is intended to assist owners in inspecting their trailer(s) to identify the issue and to assess the risk of failure. The trailer(s) with the VIN(s) above must have the Corner Caps installed regardless of the results of your frame inspection(s). Please contact T.A. Pelsue Co. at 303-936-7432 or service@pelsue.com with any questions or concerns regarding this recall or to request Corner Cap Kit(s) if not yet received.

If T.A. Pelsue Co. fails or is unable to remedy this defect without charge, or within a reasonable timeframe, you may submit a written complaint to:

Administration National Highway Traffic Safety Administration 1200 New Jersey Ave. SE Washington, DC 20590

You may also call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

If you have already made repairs to potentially remedy this issue on your trailer(s), you will still need to install the Corner Caps. In addition, you may be eligible for reimbursement of repair costs made prior to receiving this notice in which case please contact T.A. Pelsue Co. at 303-936-7432 or service@pelsue.com for more information. Also, if you no longer own this trailer(s), contact us.

We apologize for any inconvenience and thank you for your attention to this safety matter.

Sincerely,

Glenn Tacke, T.A. Pelsue Co. Recall Coordinator