Part 573 Safety Recall Report

Manufacturer Name :	Forest River, Inc.
Submission Date :	JAN 05, 2024
NHTSA Recall No. :	24V-003
Manufacturer Recall No. :	95-1705

Manufacturer Information :

Vehicle Information :

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc. Address : 55470 CR 1 P.O. Box 3030 Elkhart IN 46515-3030 Company phone : 1-800-348-7440

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 302 Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

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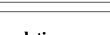
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Vehicle 1:	2020-2020 Forest River Inc. Cherokee Travel Trailers		
Vehicle Type :	TRAILERS		
Body Style :			
Power Train :			
	The scope was determined by reviewing warranty claims of d	row have This	
Descriptive mormation.	information indicated an increase in claims from August 2019		
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT16BF 61	f through october 2019.	
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT16BFH 1		
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT16GR 82		
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT16GRH 5		
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT17BB 4		
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT17BBH 21		
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT17MP 60		
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT17MPH 49		
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT17TH 13		
	2020 CHEROKEE CKT17THH 6		
	Grand Total 302		
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	AUG 23, 2019 - OCT 24, 2019		
VIN Range 1:	Begin : NR End : NR	☐ Not sequential	
Description of Defect :			
Description of the Defect. The drawbar locking mechanism may break at one or both bands			
Description of the Defect : The drawbar locking mechanism may break at one or both bends.			
FMVSS 1: NR			
FMVSS	S 2 : NR		
Description of the Safety Ri	isk · If the drawbar locking mechanism fails the drawbar may a	allow the front of	

Description of the Safety Risk : If the drawbar locking mechanism fails the drawbar may allow the front of the vehicle to contact the road surface, which may increase the risk of

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Description of the Cause : Unknown

property damage, personal injury, or crash. Unknown

Identification of Any Warning None that can Occur :

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Draw Bar Lock Mechanism Component Description : Draw Bar Lock Mechanism Component Part Number : TBD

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name :Lippert Components IncAddress :PO BOX 2888Elkhart Indiana 46515Country :United States

Chronology:

On November 9, 2023, Forest Rivers Office of Corporate Compliance ("OCC") received a complaint from an owner of the drawbar locking mechanism that failed through the Minnesota Attorney General's Office.

On November 10, 2023, OCC opened a research item and began reviewing claims.

On November 16, 2023, OCC contacted the chassis manufacture to setup a meeting.

On November 21, 2023, OCC and chassis manufacturer had a meeting to discuss the concern. The same day, OCC provided the chassis manufacturer data, and is awaiting the chassis manufacturer to review their claims.

On December 20, 2023, OCC received a VOQ #11561005 from NHTSA ODI for the same vehicle.

On January 2, 2024, OCC inquired with the chassis manufacturer as to why we haven't heard any status update of their research dating to when OCC provided the chassis manufacturer with data on November 21, 2023. The same day, OCC received a response from the chassis manufacturer indicating that "We have reviewed all prints and verified no changes were made prior to or during the years discussed regarding drawbar. We are not seeing anything which would indicate the occurrences discussed were due to an issue with the specs or

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manufacturing."	
On January 5, 2024, Forest Rivers Co	orporate Recall Committee voted to recall.
Description of Remedy :	
Description of Remedy Program :	The remedy is not available at this time. Once the remedy is available, the 573 will be updated.
How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component :	Uknown
Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production :	The warranty claims spike dissipates after October 2019.
Recall Schedule :	
Description of Recall Schedule :	Forest River has the utmost urgency in our recalls. Forest River will send suspected VIN numbers to our third party vendor that is licensed to pull data on the current owner of the vehicles (as needed) once a formal NHTSA I.D. is provided. Forest River intends on pushing the mailing out as soon as NHTSA provides any correction(s) and an Acknowledgement Letter.
Planned Dealer Notification Date :	FEB 14, 2024 - FEB 14, 2024
Planned Owner Notification Date :	FEB 14, 2024 ⁻ FEB 14, 2024

* NR - Not Reported

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