



TO: All Forest River, Inc. R. Pod Travel Trailer Dealers

RE: Safety Recall: Clearance Lighting

**Dear Forest River R. Pod Owner
VIN:**

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act. Forest River has determined that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in R. Pods manufactured between 11/10/2008 and 9/02/2010.

The problem is...

Certain travel trailers are not in compliance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act S5.1.1 of the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) No. 108, Lamps, Reflective Devices, and Associated Equipment. Specifically, these trailers were not equipped with the required clearance lights (that can be seen from the front and rear) indicating the design width of the unit, as well as the maker lights (that can only be seen from the rear) indicating the vehicle height. This could render the vehicle less visible to other motorists during hours of darkness, possibly resulting in a crash causing property damage and/or personal injury.

What correction needs to be taken by your Dealer...

A spoiler will be retrofitted with 3 LED lights to the rear top radius and a maker light will be installed on each of the fenders to make the R. Pod more visible at darkness.

What you must do to ensure your safety...

Simply contact your Forest River Dealership right away to schedule a service appointment. Ask the dealer to order the parts for your R. Pod before your appointment. Remember to bring this letter with you at the time of your appointment.

If you need help...

If you have questions or concerns please contact Susan Thornberg at 574-642-3119 Ext 205 or sthornberg@forestriverinc.com.

Sincerely,

**Susan Thornberg
Warranty, Parts & Service Manager
R. Pod/Surveyor by Forest River
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