

Part 573 Safety Recall Report**15V-130**

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.
Submission Date : FEB 17,2015
NHTSA Recall No. : 15V-130
Manufacturer Recall No. : 45-02102015

**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.
 Address : 55470 CR 1
 P.O. Box 3030 Elkhart IN 46515-3030
 Company phone : 219-533-5934

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 25
 Estimated percentage with defect : 100

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle : 2015-2015 XLR Nitro XLT31FQSL
 Vehicle Type : TRAILERS
 Body Style : OTHER
 Power Train : NR
 Descriptive Information : Recreational Trailer with a garage in the rear.
 Production Dates : JUL 21, 2014 - JAN 30, 2015

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin : 4X4TXLG20FF159313 End : 4X4TXLG29FF159701 Not sequential VINs

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : The optional fueling station nozzle when fully extended and pulled as far forward as possible is inside of a 36" radius of a fuel burning appliance which is a violation of NFPA 119.2-5.10.11.

Description of the Safety Risk : There is a possibility under certain conditions that the vapor from the act of filling a vehicle can be ignited by a fuel burning appliance if the vapor is allowed to reach the flame or heating element of the appliance. This could result in an explosion, fire, property damage and possibly death.

Description of the Cause : There was an error in calculating the hose length and the position of the fuel burning appliance.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : It is possible that the fuel vapor can flash and burn if it is ignited by the appliance.

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR

Address : NR

FOREIGN STATES

Country : NR

Chronology :

The positioning of the hose nozzle in comparison to the opening for the fuel burning appliance was discovered in a routine PDI inspection of the unit for code and standards compliance on or about 2/6/2015. The proximity was reviewed and found to be within the 36" radius. Units that were already built and still in shipping yards have been or will be corrected prior to shipping.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : At no cost to the customer or dealer, Forest River will move the fueling station box towards the rear to insure that the hose nozzle is outside of the 36" radius of the appliance vent.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : None, the fueling station will be moved to the same position as the production modification.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : The frame design was modified so that the fueling station was moved rearward so that the nozzle on the hose is outside of the 36" radius.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : We are in the process of contacting dealers by phone so that the units are not sold retail until the unit is corrected. We will contact the retail customers as soon as we get a Recall number from NHTSA and obtain the name and address of the titled owners.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : FEB 18, 2015 - FEB 27, 2015

Planned Owner Notification Date : FEB 27, 2015 - MAR 06, 2015

* NR - Not Reported