

SAFETY ADVISORY # 16-269

Cougar FW Propane Manifold

Keystone RV Company is conducting a voluntary RECALL notification campaign in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act. It has been decided that during installation of the LP bottle propane manifold that the fasteners for the floor decking may have come in contact with the propane manifold. If the propane manifold is damaged and leaks in the presence of an ignition source, an increased risk of fire and/or explosion will result causing property damage and/or personal injury.

Models Included: 2017 Cougar: 246RLSWE, 268RLSWE, 279RKSWE, 281RDIWE, 283RETWE, 284RDBWE

Serial Number Ranges: HC503241 – HC505540

Parts Required: (1) KRV # 101083 - Line - Blk Iron - Pipe - 1/2" x 72"

Tools Required: - 3/4" Open End Wrench - 13/16 Open End Wrench
- Pipe Wrench - Pipe Joint Compound

This Safety Advisory requires a Pre-Authorization & Photograph

Note – Check serial number on Key Express to verify the campaign is open.

REPAIR INSTRUCTIONS

Step 1

Locate the trailer on a level, flat, hard surface. Chock the wheels.

Step 2

Turn the propane valves off on the propane containers.

Step 3

Disconnect RV battery and unplug the shore cord power.

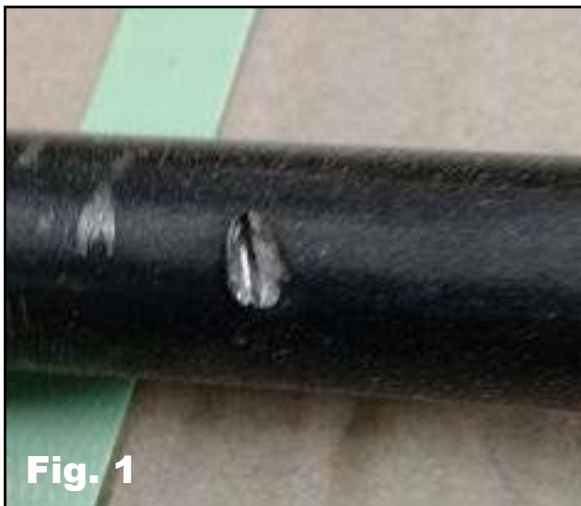


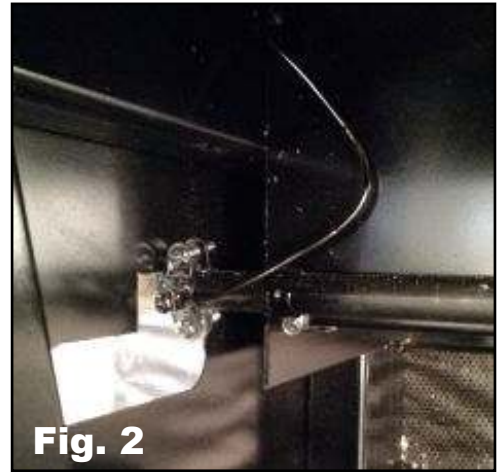
Fig. 1

Step 4

Locate the LP manifold, black pipe, mounted between the LP bottles, Fig. 1. **NOTE:** *Only the manifold located between the bottles is affected.* If the gas line manifold is damaged, submit photos with pre-authorization request and proceed to Step 3. If the manifold is not damaged, proceed to **WARRANTY REIMBURSEMENT, INSPECTION.**

Step 5

If the manifold is damaged, remove the mounting clamps and ground clamp from the LP manifold to allow the manifold to hang loose so the end fittings can be removed, Fig. 2.

**Fig. 2****Step 6**

Disconnect the LP hose on the door side and the high pressure regulator on the off door side, Fig. 3 & Fig. 4.

**Fig. 3****Fig. 4****Step 7**

Remove the damaged manifold and replace with new part number KRV # 101083.

Step 8

Perform Drop Pressure Test.

WARRANTY REIMBURSEMENT**INSPECTION ONLY**

Submit a Pre-Authorization request along with photograph, on Key Express using **Flat Rate Code # 7126942F** with **Safety Advisory # 16-269** noted in the customer complaint section of the form. The amount of time authorized for this inspection is **.3 hour**.

REPAIR

Submit a Pre-Authorization request along with photograph, on Key Express using **Flat Rate Code # 7126942B** with **Safety Advisory # 16-269** noted in the customer complaint section of the form. The amount of time authorized for this repair is **1 hour**.

No part return required.

Please call Keystone RV Customer Service at **(866) 273-1454** if you have any questions.