OMB Control No.: 2127-0004

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

## 22V-009

Manufacturer Name: Oshkosh Corporation

**Submission Date:** FEB 24, 2022 NHTSA Recall No.: 22V-009 Manufacturer Recall No.: NR



Number of potentially involved: 1,268

## **Manufacturer Information:**

## **Population:**

Manufacturer Name: Oshkosh Corporation

Address: 2307 Oregon Street

Estimated percentage with defect: 100 % PO Box 2566 Oshkosh WI 54903-2566

Company phone: 920-235-9151

## Vehicle Information:

Vehicle 1: 2019-2022 Oshkosh S-Series

Vehicle Type: BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style: ALL Power Train: DIESEL

Descriptive Information: Oshkosh determined through investigation that the bolts securing the front axle did

not meet the required specifications as designed.

Production Dates: SEP 13, 2018 - NOV 29, 2021

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End: NR Not sequential

#### **Description of Defect:**

Description of the Defect: Suspect bolts securing the front axle do not meet material properties as

originally designed.

FMVSS 1: NR FMVSS 2: NR

Description of the Safety Risk: Bolts that do not meet the material specifications and where the material is

not sufficiently hard, have the potential to loosen or fail over time and may allow the front axle to shift or come loose and in an extreme case if the condition is not corrected, the front axle could detach from the vehicle. This

could increase the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause: Incorrectly manufactured bolts that did not meet material specifications as

noted on the Engineering drawing.

Identification of Any Warning Noise coming from the area of the front axle may indicate the axle shifting and

that can Occur: loose bolts.

## **Involved Components:**

Component Name 1: U-Bolt Component Description: U-Bolt Component Part Number: A000A335

## **Supplier Identification:**

## **Component Manufacturer**

Name: Component Engineering Address: 1610 Independence Ave Hartford Wisconsin 53027

**Country: United States** 

## **Chronology:**

Not enough space to put all in here. See miscellaneous document

## **Description of Remedy:**

Description of Remedy Program: Oshkosh will send new u-bolts that meet material specifications and that

will secure the front axle properly. This will be done at no cost to the

customer.

How Remedy Component Differs The correct hardware will meet material properties as originally designed.

from Recalled Component:

Identify How/When Recall Condition Production will be installing corrected U-bolts. This change was made in

was Corrected in Production: production on November 30th, 2021. A new Oshkosh PN was created to

aid this cut-in.

#### **Recall Schedule:**

Description of Recall Schedule: Notifications to customers will be made via a customer letter. The 577

customer letter will be mailed pending NHTSA approval. Oshkosh does

not distribute vehicles through dealers.

Planned Dealer Notification Date: NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date: FEB 24, 2022 - FEB 24, 2022

\* NR - Not Reported