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IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL NOTICE

This notice applies to your motorcycle or scooter, VIN xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx Model:

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Dear Yamaha Owner:

Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A. has decided that a defect that relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2021 model MTT9GTM/MC (Tracer 9 GT) motorcycles. Our records indicate that you own the affected vehicle shown above.

The reason for this recall: In affected motorcycles, if the throttle grip is used to pull up a motorcycle that has fallen on its side, the throttle grip tube may break at the guide due to the excessive lateral pulling force applied to it because of an improperly designed grip end. If the guide is broken, the broken portion could restrict throttle movement during operation, which could result in loss of control and a crash with severe injury or death.

What Yamaha and your dealer will do: Your authorized Yamaha dealer will inspect the throttle grip tube to see if it is broken. If it is not broken, they will replace the grip end with a new one that is properly designed. If the throttle grip tube is broken, they will replace the entire right throttle grip/handlebar switch with grip warmer before installing the new grip end. The grip end replacement takes approximately 20 minutes to perform. If the throttle tube is broken, it will take approximately an hour and 20 minutes to replace the throttle grip/handlebar switch and the grip end. In either case, your dealer may need to have your motorcycle longer than the time stated, depending upon scheduling. **There will be no charge to you for either procedure.**

What you should do now: Please call your Yamaha dealer to make a service appointment to have this procedure performed. At that same time, you can find out how long they expect to keep your vehicle for this service. Remember to take this letter with you when you take in your vehicle.

You should not operate your affected motorcycle, shown above, other than to take it to a dealer, until this inspection and modification is performed. If your motorcycle ever fell over and was lifted using the handlebar, contact your dealer or Yamaha if you need assistance in having it towed or otherwise transported to your service appointment.

If you are unable to return to the Yamaha dealer who sold you the vehicle, this service will be performed by any authorized Yamaha Motorcycle dealer. For the name of a dealer near you, call 1-800-88-YAMAHA or visit the Yamaha web site at www.yamaha-motor.com.

If you have had this repair performed before you received this letter, you may be entitled to receive reimbursement for the cost of obtaining a pre-notification remedy of the problem associated with this repair. For more information, contact Yamaha Customer Relations at 1-800-962-7926.

Be aware that certain 2021 model Tracer 9 GT motorcycles are also affected by a Safety Recall regarding the ECU. If yours is affected, you will get a second letter from Yamaha. Have your dealer confirm if your motorcycle is affected by both recalls and perform them at the same time for your convenience.

Federal regulations require that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within 10 days.

If you need help: If, after contacting your dealership, you have questions or concerns which the dealership is unable to answer, please write to:
Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A.
Customer Relations Department
P.O. Box 6555
Cypress, CA 90630
Or call: 1-800-962-7926

If, after contacting Yamaha Customer Relations, you are still not satisfied that we have done our best to remedy the situation without charge and within a reasonable time, you may submit a written complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590; or call the Auto Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>. Refer to NHTSA recall number 22V-110.

If you no longer own this Yamaha: If you have sold your Tracer 9 GT to another party, please call us toll-free at with the name and address of the new owner, along with the Vehicle Identification Number shown above your name on this letter.

We're sorry to cause you any inconvenience, but we are sincerely concerned about your safety and continued satisfaction with our products. Thank you for giving your attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,
Motorsports Service Support
Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A.