#### OMB Control No.: 2127-0004

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

## 24V-826

**Manufacturer Name:** Winnebago Industries, Inc.

Submission Date: APR 25, 2025 NHTSA Recall No.: 24V-826 Manufacturer Recall No.: 192



#### **Manufacturer Information:**

**Population**:

Manufacturer Name: Winnebago Industries, Inc.

Address: PO BOX 152

605 W. Crystal Lake Rd. Forest City IA

50436

Company phone: 1-641-585-3535

Number of potentially involved: 11,982

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

**Vehicle Information:** 

Vehicle 1: 2014-2018 Winnebago Sightseer

Vehicle Type :
Body Style :
Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined by identifying the production dates.

Production Dates: JAN 21, 2014 - MAR 02, 2018

Vehicle 2: 2016-2025 Winnebago Vista

Vehicle Type :
Body Style :
Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information: The recall population was determined by identifying the production dates.

Production Dates: JAN 11, 2016 - AUG 24, 2024

Vehicle 3: 2018-2025 Winnebago Sunstar

Vehicle Type :
Body Style :
Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information: The recall population was determined by identifying the production dates.

Production Dates: MAR 19, 2018 - AUG 24, 2024

Vehicle 4 : Vehicle Type : Body Style : Power Train :		ca Sunstar					
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	Vehicle 9:	2014-2018 Itaso	ca Sunova				
	Vehicle Type :						
	Body Style :						
	Power Train:	NR					
	Descriptive Information :	The recall population was determined by identifying the production dates.					
	Production Dates :	JAN 21, 2014 - MAR 02, 2018					
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Vehicle 10: 2015-2025 Winnebago Adventurer							
	Vehicle Type :						
	Body Style :						
	Power Train:	NR					
	Descriptive Information :	The recall population was determined by identifying the production dates.					
	Production Dates:	JAN 23, 2015 - 0	CT 10, 20	24			

### **Description of Defect:**

Description of the Defect: On certain Winnebago vehicles the adhesive application may have been done

incorrectly on the hood mounting bracket(s).

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FMVSS 1: NR FMVSS 2: NR

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

Description of the Safety Risk: The hood bracket(s) adhesive could potentially fail over time, resulting in the

bracket separating from the vehicle. A detached bracket can become a road

End: NR

hazard, increasing the risk of a crash or injury.

Description of the Cause: On certain Winnebago vehicles the adhesive application was incorrectly

applied or had incorrect prep work performed.

Identification of Any Warning NR

that can Occur:

### **Involved Components:**

Component Name 1: Hood Mounting Bracket Component Description: Hood Mounting Bracket

Component Part Number: N/A

#### **Supplier Identification:**

#### **Component Manufacturer**

Name: Winnebago Ind Inc. Address: 605 W. Crystal Lake Rd

Forest City Iowa 50436

**Country: United States** 

#### **Chronology:**

In late August, Winnebago Product Safety was notified of a concern where a hood bracket had separated from the vehicle in transit. An investigation was subsequently opened. During the investigation, 344 total claims were identified, with some instances of completely detached hood brackets.

On October 25, 2024, the Product Safety Committee met and decided the defect presented an unreasonable risk to safety.

Winnebago is aware of 344 total claims that reference partial or full detachments occurring on the hood bracket(s). Winnebago is not aware of any injuries or property damage as a result of this condition.

### **Description of Remedy:**

Description of Remedy Program: Reimbursement requests will follow the general reimbursement plan on

file with NHTSA.

from Recalled Component:

How Remedy Component Differs There will be 3 different versions of the remedy with staggered launches between two groups. Remedy A applies to 2022-2025 Winnebago Vista, Sunstar, and Adventurer Motorhomes. Remedy A involves installing an additional mechanical fastener to support the existing adhesive.

> Remedy B applies to 2016 - 2018 Winnebago Sightseer, 2016 - 2018 Itasca Sunova, 2016-2021 Winnebago Vista, 2018 - 2021 Winnebago Sunstar, 2016 - 2021 Winnebago Adventurer, 2015 - 2018 Itasca Suncruiser, 2016 -2025 Winnebago Forza, 2016 - 2017 Itasca Solei, and 2016 - 2021 Itasca Sunstar Motorhomes. Remedy B will involve inspection and improving adhesive application to ensure the bracket(s) is/are fully adhered.

> Remedy C applies to 2014 - 2015 Winnebago Sightseer, 2014 - 2015 Itasca Sunova, 2015 Winnebago Adventurer, 2015 - 2024 Winnebago Commercial Vehicles. Remedy C will involve installing an additional mechanical fastener with inspection and improving adhesive application.

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Identify How/When Recall Condition The recall condition was corrected in production by performing the was Corrected in Production: correct adhesion application on the hood mounting bracket(s).

#### **Recall Schedule:**

Description of Recall Schedule: Recall schedule for notifications will be within the 60 day requirement.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NOV 22, 2024 - NOV 22, 2024 Planned Owner Notification Date : JAN 31, 2025 - MAY 30, 2025

\* NR - Not Reported