



U.S. Department
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National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

25V551

Manufacturer Name: Forest River, Inc.

Submission Date: Aug 26, 2025

NHTSA Recall No.: 25V551

Manufacturer Recall No.: 20-1970

Manufacturer Information

Population

Manufacturer Name: Forest River, Inc.

Address: 55470 CR 1
P.O. Box 3030
Elkhart IN, 46515-3030

Total number of potentially involved: 7

Estimated percentage with defect: 100%

Vehicle Information

Vehicle 1: 2026-2026 FOREST RIVER CEDAR CREEK

Product Category: Trailers

Product Type: Recreational Trailers

Fuel / Propulsion:

Production Dates: Jun 03, 2025 - Jun 26, 2025

Number of potentially involved: 7

Descriptive Information:

The scope was determined using manufacturing records of when the plant began using square corner windows in place of the radius corner windows.

Defect / Noncompliance Description

Description of the defect or noncompliance:

The vehicle may be missing an egress window.

FMVSS1:

FMVSS2:

Description of the safety risk, including crash, fire, death, injury:

If a vehicle rolls over onto the entry door or there is a fire that blocks access to the entry door, the vehicle may pose personal injury to a passenger and/or operator.

Description of the cause:

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Manufacturing Error.

Identification of any warning that can occur:

None

Component Manufacturer

Tier of Supplier:

Supplier Type:

Name:

Address:

Country:

Involved Components

Component Name 1: WINDOW

Component Description: WINDOW

Component Part Number: N/A

Chronology

On August 22, 2025, Forest River's Office of Corporate Compliance was notified that during a routine Standards Audit of manufacturing revealed a vehicle missing the secondary means of egress in a model in manufacturing.

On August 25, 2025, OCC opened a research item into the concern and began working with the plant to identify if any vehicles have left Forest River control.

On August 29, 2025, Forest River's Corporate Committee voted to recall. A stop sale notice is being issued. All vehicles are located at dealers.

Related NHTSA Recall Number:

Description of Remedy

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Remedy Type: Repair

Consumer Advisories: Do Not Drive Park Outside

Description of remedy program:

Forest River will provide all parts and labor free of charge to Consumers and Dealers. An authorized Forest River dealer will need to perform the remedy to install red window operating hardware and an exit sticker for the window.

What is the Forest River Customer Service Phone Number? (260) 593-4000

If you have already paid for a repair that is within the scope of this defect under recall, you still need to have this recall inspected and/or performed to ensure the correct parts and procedures were utilized. Additionally, you may be eligible for a refund of previously paid repairs. Refunds will only be provided for within the scope of this defect under recall.

Please send the service invoice to the following address:

Cedar Creek
501 Hawpatch Dr.
Topeka, IN 46571

How remedy component differs from recalled component:

Affected Component – Window

Replacement Component - Red Window Operating Hardware and "EXIT" sticker for Window

The window will now be an egress window.

Identify how/when recall condition was corrected in production:

The week of August 25, 2025, the manufacturing plant began installing the proper secondary means of egress.

Reimbursement Plan

Manufacturer used general reimbursement plan on file.

Recall Schedule

Description of recall schedule:

Forest River has the utmost urgency in our recalls. Forest River will send suspected VIN numbers to our third party vendor that is licensed to pull data on the current owner of the vehicles (as needed) once a formal NHTSA I.D. is provided. Forest River intends on pushing the mailing out as soon as NHTSA provides any correction(s) and an Acknowledgement Letter.

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