U.S. Department of Transportation

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Safety Recall Report 26E036

Manufacturer Name: Airxcel, Inc.
Submission Date: Jun 19, 2026
NHTSA Recall No.: 26E036
Manufacturer Recall No.:

Manufacturer Information

Manufacturer Name: Airxcel, Inc.
Address: 3050 NORTH SAINT FRANCIS
WICHITA KS, 67219

Population

Total number of potentially involved: 5,021
Estimated percentage with defect: 100%

Equipment Information

Brand / Trade 1: MaxxAir
Model: N-Series Maxxfan
Part Number: 00-04700NX, 00-04900NX, 00-04950NX, 00-08950N, 00-08900N, 10B21275N
Type: Original
Function:
Size:
Production Dates: Jan 05, 2026 - Jun 19, 2026
Number of potentially involved: 5,021
Descriptive Information:
The recall population was determined with input from the PC Board supplier that identified the issue with PC Boards made after the 51st week of 2025 until June 17, 2026. These PC boards were not received by Airxcel until January 5, 2026. The PC boards are date stamped with week and manufacturing year. Any PC boards stamped with a date code after 5125 are part of the recall. New good PC boards has been identified with a QC passed sticker.

Defect / Noncompliance Description

Description of the defect or noncompliance:

During certain operations of the fan, the PC board can overheat.

FMVSS1:

Part 573 Safety Recall Report 26E036

FMVSS2:

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

If the PC board fails resulting in a runaway thermal event, the runaway can lead to a fire resulting in personal injury.

Description of the cause:

Will be submitted in the first amendment.

Identification of any warning that can occur:

Smoke will be present if the PC board is experiencing a thermal event.

Component Manufacturer

Tier of Supplier: Tier 1
Supplier Type: Other
Name: Spyder Controls
Address: 10-7402 52nd St
Lacombe Foreign States, T4L1Y9
Country: Canada

Involved Components

Component Name 1: PC Board
Component Description: Printed Circuit Board
Component Part Number: 10B21275NZ

Purchaser Information

The following manufacturers purchased this defective/noncompliant equipment for possible use or installation in new motor vehicles or new items of motor vehicle equipment:

Name:
Address:
Country:

Chronology

Part 573 Safety Recall Report 26E036

5/18/26: An issue with a thermal event was raised on a Maxxfan part number 00-04900NX at Airstream

5/27/26: A second event occurred on same Maxxfan part at Airstream

5/27/26: A meeting between Airstream and RV Products (Airxcel) was held to discuss issues. Airstream returned 2 suspect PC boards to RV Products.

5/28/26 - 6/4/26 : RV Products evaluated and tested the 2 PC boards but could not replicate the failure.

6/4/26: RV Products shipped 2 suspect PC boards to Spyder Controls, the manufacturer of the boards

6/8/26 - 6/14/26: Spyder controls evaluated the PC boards

6/15/26: Spyder Controls notified RV Products of the safety issue with the PC boards

6/16/26: RV Products Safety Committee met and determined a safety defect was present and voted to conduct a safety recall.

Related NHTSA Recall Number:

Description of Remedy

Remedy Type: Inspect, Repair

Consumer Advisories: ☐ Do Not Drive ☐ Park Outside

Description of remedy program:

The remedy will be to inspect the fan and if it contains the suspect PC board, the PC board will be replaced. All recall work will be done at no cost to the customer. Airxcel has a general reimbursement policy on file to cover any other claims.

How remedy component differs from recalled component:

Remedied PC boards will feature a clear oval sticker with black text stating “Q.C. PASSED”. Remedied fans will feature a white circle sticker with purple text stating “QUAL INSP”. Packages containing remedied fans will feature a purple circle sticker with no text.

Identify how/when recall condition was corrected in production:

The PC boards were modified to address the thermal issue. All boards used in production beginning 6/17/26 will have updates incorporated.

Reimbursement Plan

Description of reimbursement program:
All work associated with the replacement of the PC board will be done at no expense to the customer. Airxcel has a general reimbursement policy on file to cover any other claims.

Period of reimbursement:

Part 573 Safety Recall Report 26E036

Costs to be reimbursed:
All reasonable costs associated with the recall remedy.

Address for reimbursement claims:
3050 N. Francis St.
Wichita KS, 67219

Recall Schedule

Description of recall schedule:

As a vehicle equipment supplier, Airxcel RV Products will notify the purchasers of this product by letter when approved by NHTSA.

Planned Dealer Notification Date: ☑ No Dealers

Planned Interim Owner Notification Date: ☐ No Owners

Planned Remedy Owner Notification Date: Aug 07, 2026 - Aug 07, 2026 ☐ Phased Recall