



U.S. Department  
of Transportation

National Highway  
Traffic Safety  
Administration

## Part 573 Safety Recall Report

## 26V277

**Manufacturer Name:** Grand Design RV, LLC

**Submission Date:** Apr 30, 2026

**NHTSA Recall No.:** 26V277

**Manufacturer Recall No.:** M910060

### Manufacturer Information

### Population

**Manufacturer Name:** Grand Design RV, LLC

**Address:** 11333 County Road 2  
Middlebury IN, 46540

**Total number of potentially involved:** 426

**Estimated percentage with defect:** 2%

### Vehicle Information

**Vehicle 1:** 2026-2026 GRAND DESIGN LINEAGE

**Product Category:** Buses, Medium & Heavy Vehicles

**Product Type:** Recreational Vehicle

**Fuel / Propulsion:** Compression Ignition Fuel

**Production Dates:** Apr 07, 2025 - Dec 16, 2025

**Number of potentially involved:** 395

**Descriptive Information:**

Grand Design determined incorrect installation procedures were implemented starting with a specific VIN. All units built prior to that VIN are affected by the recall

**Vehicle 2:** 2025-2025 GRAND DESIGN LINEAGE

**Product Category:** Buses, Medium & Heavy Vehicles

**Product Type:** Recreational Vehicle

**Fuel / Propulsion:** Compression Ignition Fuel

**Production Dates:** Nov 07, 2024 - Apr 04, 2025

**Number of potentially involved:** 31

**Descriptive Information:**

Grand Design determined incorrect installation procedures were implemented starting with a specific VIN. All units built prior to that VIN are affected by the recall

### Defect / Noncompliance Description

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## Description of the defect or noncompliance:

Grand Design determined the seat base reinstall torque was not to Ford specification at the time of production.

**FMVSS1:** 207 - Seating systems

**FMVSS2:**

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

An under torqued seat base may become loose over time. This could increase the risk of injury in the event of an accident.

## Description of the cause:

Production did not torque to vehicle manufacturer specification

## Identification of any warning that can occur:

Seat may have movement at the base where connected to the floor pan

## Component Manufacturer

**Tier of Supplier:** Tier 1

**Supplier Type:** OEM

**Name:** Ford Motor Company

**Address:** 556 S Marias Avenue  
Clawson MI, 48017

**Country:** United States

## Involved Components

**Component Name 1:** Driver and Passenger Seat Base

**Component Description:** Driver and Passenger Seat Base

**Component Part Number:** No Part Number

## Chronology

12/16/2025 - Grand Design became aware that some seats may not have been torqued to the chassis supplier's specifications required to remain FMVSS compliant.

1/5/2026 - Grand Design begins a torque study of units to determine if they were under torqued

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1/23/2026 - Grand Design's torque study reveals a number of seat bases improperly torqued on Series M. At this time no Ford units have shown to be under torqued

1/30/2026 - Grand Design votes to recall Series M

3/31/2026 - Grand Design identifies a Series F unit with an under torqued seat base - investigation is re-opened to evaluate Series F

4/8/2026 - Grand Design identifies a second Series F unit with an under torqued seat base

4/23/2026 - Grand Design votes to recall Series F units.

**Related NHTSA Recall Number:** 26v058

## Description of Remedy

**Remedy Type:** Repair

**Consumer Advisories:**  Do Not Drive  Park Outside

**Description of remedy program:**

A Grand Design dealership will inspect and torque the driver and passenger seat bases to the appropriate torque value. This repair is expected to take less than 30 minutes

**How remedy component differs from recalled component:**

The recalled units were not properly torqued during assembly.

**Identify how/when recall condition was corrected in production:**

The condition was corrected in production when an employee recognized the incorrect torque value and brought it to the attention of their supervisor.

## Reimbursement Plan

Manufacturer used general reimbursement plan on file.

## Recall Schedule

**Description of recall schedule:**

**Planned Dealer Notification Date:** May 08, 2026 - May 13, 2026

No Dealers

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**Planned Interim Owner Notification Date:**

No Owners

**Planned Remedy Owner Notification Date:** Jun 23, 2026 - Jun 26, 2026

Phased Recall

**Date when VIN will be searchable:**