



U.S. Department  
of Transportation

National Highway  
Traffic Safety  
Administration

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

## 26V352

**Manufacturer Name:** Forest River, Inc.

**Submission Date:** Jun 03, 2026

**NHTSA Recall No.:** 26V352

**Manufacturer Recall No.:**

### 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:** 2,271

**Estimated percentage with defect:** 100%

### Vehicle Information

**Vehicle 1:** 2026-2026 FOREST RIVER SALEM

**Product Category:** Trailers

**Product Type:**

**Fuel / Propulsion:**

**Production Dates:** Sep 23, 2025 - Feb 17, 2026

**Number of potentially involved:** 18

**Descriptive Information:**

Population was determined with the first unit built of each affected model till the deviation was reported and corrected at the plant.

**Vehicle 2:** 2026-2026 FOREST RIVER WILDWOOD

**Product Category:** Trailers

**Product Type:**

**Fuel / Propulsion:**

**Production Dates:** Dec 11, 2025 - Apr 27, 2026

**Number of potentially involved:** 4

**Descriptive Information:**

Population was determined with the first unit built of each affected model till the deviation was reported and corrected at the plant.

**Vehicle 3:** 2024-2025 FOREST RIVER SALEM

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**Product Category:** Trailers

**Product Type:** Recreational Trailers

**Fuel / Propulsion:**

**Production Dates:** Aug 25, 2023 - Feb 20, 2025

**Number of potentially involved:** 1,080

**Descriptive Information:**

Population was determined with the first unit built of each affected model till the deviation was reported and corrected at the plant.

**Vehicle 4:** 2024-2025 FOREST RIVER WILDWOOD

**Product Category:** Trailers

**Product Type:** Recreational Trailers

**Fuel / Propulsion:**

**Production Dates:** Aug 04, 2023 - Feb 20, 2025

**Number of potentially involved:** 1,169

**Descriptive Information:**

Population was determined with the first unit built of each affected model till the deviation was reported and corrected at the plant.

### Defect / Noncompliance Description

**Description of the defect or noncompliance:**

Incorrect wiring was used on a fireplace outlet in certain model trailers built from a single manufacturing facility.

**FMVSS1:**

**FMVSS2:**

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

The wire may not make adequate contact into the self-contained receptacle, increasing the risk of high amperage draw over loose connections, resulting in the increased risk of a fire.

**Description of the cause:**

Manufacturing error.

**Identification of any warning that can occur:**

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A user may notice the smell of smoke when using the fireplace.

## Component Manufacturer

**Tier of Supplier:**

**Supplier Type:**

**Name:**

**Address:**

**Country:**

## Involved Components

**Component Name 1:** 110V Wiring

**Component Description:** 110V SJ Wire

**Component Part Number:** 110V SJ Wire

## Chronology

4/15/2026 Forest River received a VOQ with questions attached from NHTS's ODI group. In researching the questions asked it was discovered that Forest River had used the incorrect wire for an outlet used on certain models.

4/22/2026 Reviewed warranty data and found 1 occurrence in warranty. 1 Manufactured in January of 2024 the other unit from the VOQ was manufactured in May of 2024.

4/22/2026 Located units on dealer lots that had not been retail sold. Service team began outreach to have dealers inspect units.

5/20/2026 Received first results from dealer contacts. 2 dealer reported incorrectly wired outlets.

5/20/2026 Plant started a deep dive review of all records relating to unit with a fireplace.

5/26/2026 Plant located a reported deviation for this receipt that was corrected on all product 2/21/2025. Plant was not aware of possible safety risk with this application.

5/29/2026 Forest River's Corporate Committee voted to recall.

5/29/2026 Received notification that a second plant building this same product had made the same error. When building their first unit they had used a vehicle from the affected plant as a build guide for their plant.

6/2/2026 All of the affected models built in this plant up to 5/29/2026 have been added to the recall campaign.

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Related NHTSA Recall Number:

## Description of Remedy

**Remedy Type:** Inspect, Repair

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

**Description of remedy program:**

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

The 110V Romex wire will replace the stranded "SJ" wire. Additionally, the currently installed self-contained receptacle will be replaced.

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

Deviation was noted in production on 2/21/25 and corrected.

## 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.

**Planned Dealer Notification Date:** May 29, 2026 - Jul 08, 2026  No Dealers

**Planned Interim Owner Notification Date:**  No Owners

**Planned Remedy Owner Notification Date:** Jul 08, 2026 - Jul 08, 2026  Phased Recall

**Date when VIN will be searchable:**