

SAFETY RECALL

Volvo Trucks North America

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Steering Arm Inspection VN, VHD, VAH, VN (4)

RECALL INFORMATION

(July 2026)

Certain 2026 Volvo VN, VHD, VAH, VNL (4), and VNR (4) model vehicles may have been built with steering knuckles that have insufficient torque on steering arm fasteners. Loosening of a steering arm can cause a loss of steering, increasing the risk of a crash or injury.

Volvo Trucks has not received any complaints or reports of vehicle crashes related to this safety defect; therefore, Volvo considers this a proactive measure to protect the public and its customers from the potential risk associated with this defect.

To correct this safety issue, follow the instructions below to inspect the steering arm fastener torque and replace or retorque the bolts.

VEHICLES AFFECTED

Certain 2026 VN, VHD, VAH, and VN (4) model vehicles manufactured from 02/3/2025 through 07/24/2025.

VEHICLE QUANTITY

There are 4,339 vehicles affected by this recall (3,794 U.S., 545 Canada).

Parts

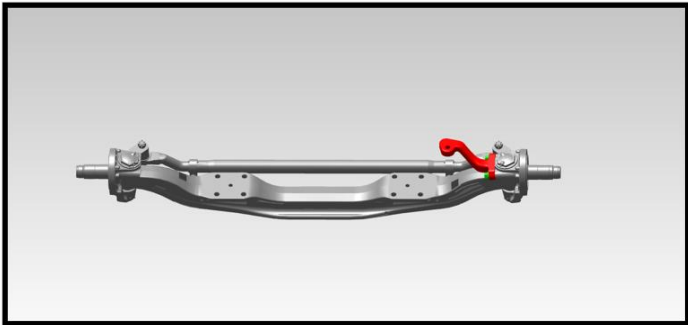
Part Numbers	Part Names	Quantity
1079491	Screw	As needed
1079490	Screw	As needed

Repair Instructions

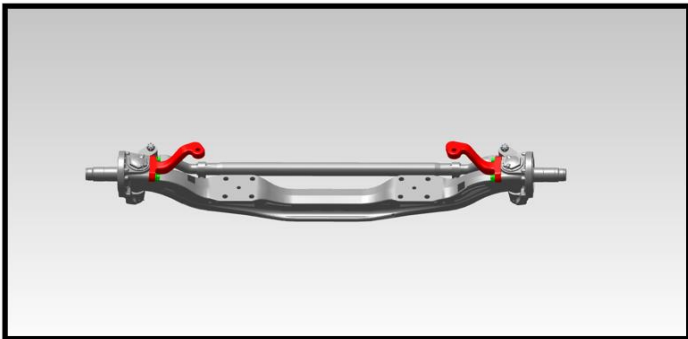
Important note!

There are three different front axle configurations for this recall. Ensure to follow the instructions that match the truck's configuration.

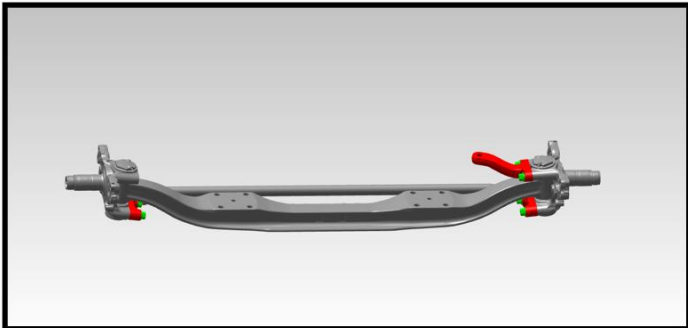
1. Single steering arm. A total of two bolts will be checked.



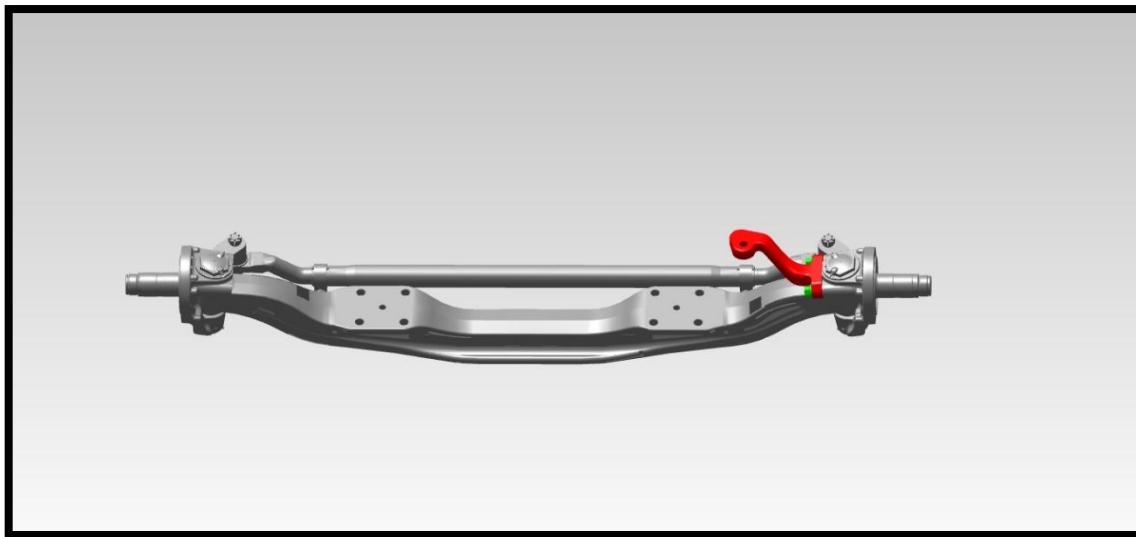
2. Dual steering arm. A total of four bolts will be checked.



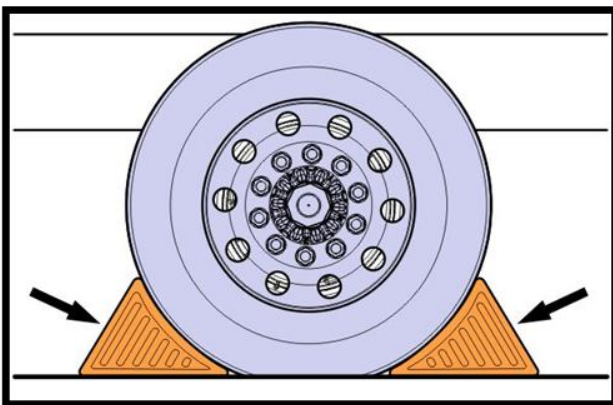
3. Single steering arm with bolt-on tie rod arms. A total of six bolts will be checked.



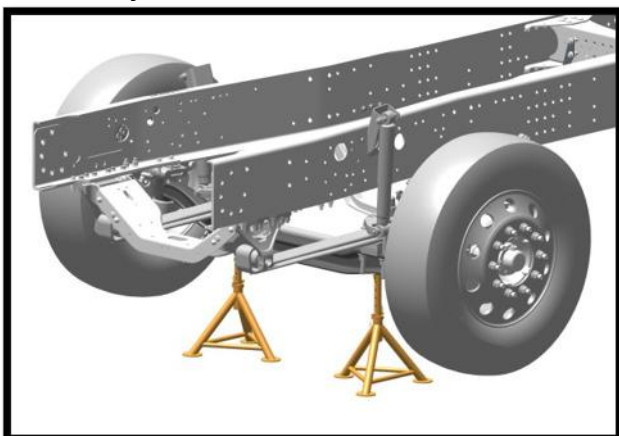
Single Steering Arm



1. Secure the vehicle for service.
2. Install wheel chocks.



3. Raise the vehicle.
4. Position jack stands under the front axle.



5. Locate the steering arm to knuckle bolts.

Important Note!

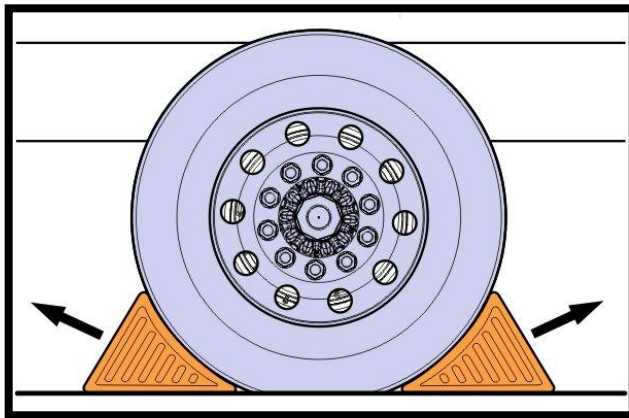
Ensure the rear suspension is lowered and the parking brake is applied.

6. Set the torque wrench to **597 Nm (440 lbf·ft)** and tighten the bolt in direction of normal tightening.
- a. If the bolts move, continue to **step 7**.
 - b. If the bolts do not move, continue to **step 8**.
7. Remove both bolts and replace using new bolts **P/N 1079490**.
8. Set the torque wrench to **750 ±75 Nm (553 ±55 lbf·ft)** and tighten the bolts.

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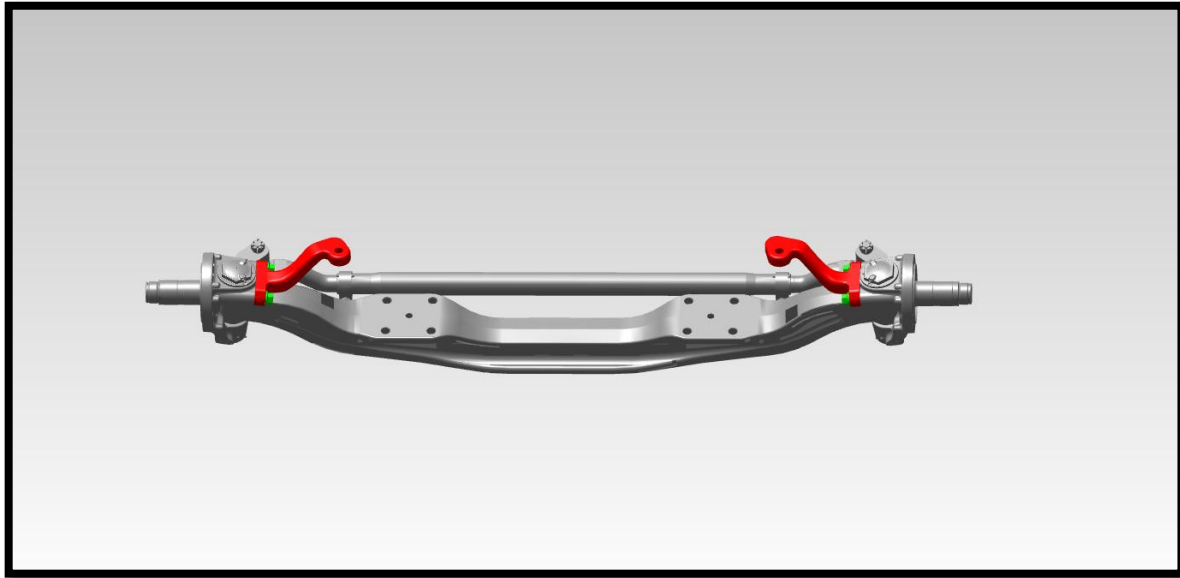
Turning the wheels lock-to-lock will provide more room for the torque wrench when torquing the bolts.

9. Remove wheel chocks.



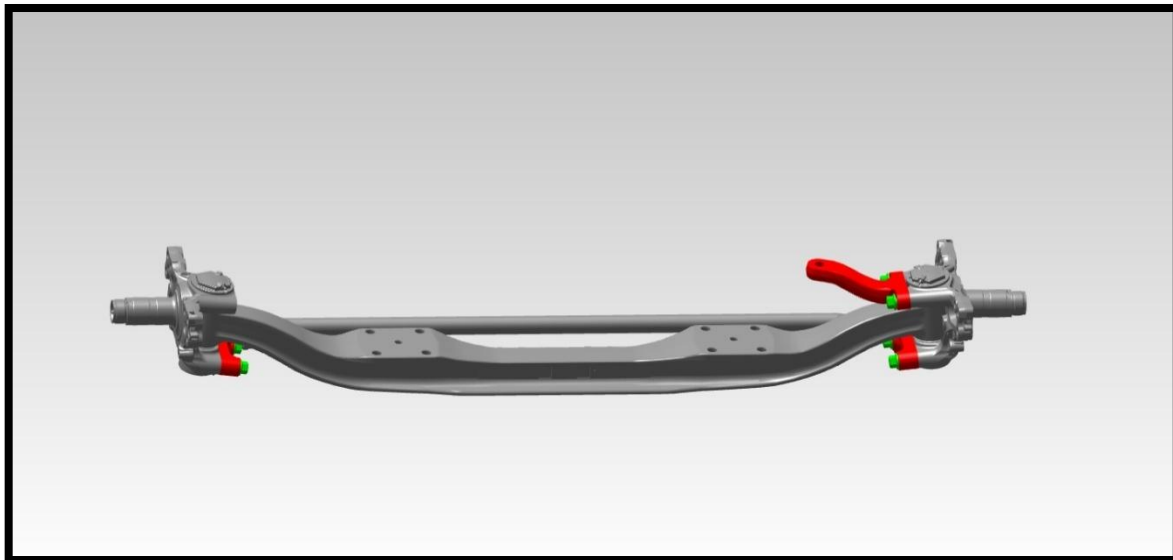
10. Release the vehicle.

Dual Steering Arm



1. Repeat **steps 1 through 10** for the steering arm on both the left and right sides.
2. If the steering arm bolts require replacement, use Bolt **P/N 1079490**.

Single Steering Arm with Bolt-on Tie Rod Arms



1. Repeat **steps 1 through 10** for the steering arm and both tie rod arms.
2. If the steering arm bolts require replacement, use Bolt **P/N 1079490**.
3. If the tie rod arm bolts require replacement, use Bolt **P/N 1079491**.

REIMBURSEMENT

This repair is covered by an authorized Safety Recall. Reimbursement is obtained through the normal claim handling process.		
		UHP Reimbursement
Claim Type (used only when uploading from the Dealer Business System)		40
Recall Status		
Vehicle repaired per instructions		1-Modified per instructions
Primary Labor Codes		
1720-16-09-01	Campaign, General (5 x 0.1) (Single Steering Arm)	0.5
OR		
1720-16-09-01	Campaign, General (8 x 0.1) (Dual Steering Arm)	0.8
OR		
1720-16-09-01	Campaign, General (11 x 0.1) (Single Steering Arm With bolt-on tie rod arm)	1.1
Causal Part		1079490
Authorization Number		C0546
Defect Code		09

Note: Dealers are to perform Safety Recall Campaigns on all subject vehicles at no charge to the vehicle owner regardless of mileage, age of vehicle or ownership (original purchaser or subsequent purchasers). Whenever vehicles are subject to a Safety Recall are brought to your dealership for service, it is strongly recommended that every effort be made to perform the recall correction before the vehicle is released to the owner.