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| <b>Recall:</b>           | 26V-446 NHTSA / 2026-336 TC   | <b>Product:</b>     | Airxcel MaxxAir Roof Ventilation Fan |
| <b>Companion Recall:</b> | Airxcel (RV Products) 26E-036 | <b>Repair Time:</b> | 0.30 h insp. / 0.50 h insp.+ repl.   |

## Purpose

This document accompanies **NHTSA Safety Recall 26V-446/TC safety recall 2026-336**, a companion to Airxcel (RV Products) Equipment Recall 26E-036. The repair procedure for this recall is the attached Airxcel document, “RV Products Recall 26E-036 Inspection and Repair Procedure.” Perform the repair exactly as described in that document. This claim preparation document provides the GDRV-specific claim coding, pre-authorization requirements, and supplementary references for the repair.

## Technician Safety

This document provides general instructions. Many variables can change the circumstances of any procedure, including the degree of difficulty involved and the ability level of the individual performing the operation. If the skill level required is too advanced or the procedure too difficult, a certified technician should be consulted before performing the operation. Failure to correctly install, remove, or service the system may result in voiding the warranty, inflicting injury, or even death.

### WARNING

The “WARNING” symbol indicates a procedure has a safety risk involved and may cause death, serious personal injury, or severe product and/or property damage if not performed safely and within the parameters set forth in this document.

### CAUTION

The “CAUTION” symbol indicates a procedure that has a safety risk involved and may cause personal injury or product and/or property damage if not performed safely and within the parameters set forth in this document.

### WARNING

Electric shock hazard. Before working on any installed fan, disconnect all power or turn off the associated breaker.

### CAUTION

Ensure task-appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) is worn at all times during this procedure.

## Affected Units

This procedure applies to Grand Design RV units within the NHTSA Safety Recall **26V-446/TC safety recall 2026-336** population that were factory-equipped with an Airxcel (RV Products) MaxxAir roof ventilation fan containing an affected control board.

**Affected models: 2026-2027 Grand Design Lineage**

**Affected component build dates:** Control boards built December 15, 2025 – June 17, 2026; installed in fans built January 5, 2026 – June 26, 2026.

**Affected Airxcel part numbers:** 00-08950N, 00-08900N (MaxxFan DLX)

**Affected VIN/SN:**

**Identifying configuration:** Fan serial number (beneath the intake screen) in the format #####-#####N-#### or #####-#####NX-####, with a PCB date code within the affected range.

## Mercedes – Benz (25FW/25TK) 1/13/26 – 6/25/26

| Start Vin/Serial  | End VIN/Serial    |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| W1X9N33Y3SN343418 | W1X9N33Y1TT600167 |
| MM2613TFF01167    | MM2613VFF01576    |

## Ford Transit (LVT1/LVT2) 1/23/26 – 6/26/26

| Start Vin/Serial  | End VIN/Serial    |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1FDBF6XG3RKB74462 | 1FDBF6XG4SKB31464 |
| TV213BTÉE00243    | TV213BTÉE00249    |

## Ford (29AN/31ZW/31ZW5) 1/14/26 – 6/24/26

| Start Vin/Serial  | End VIN/Serial    |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1FDFF6LTXSDA17591 | 1FDFF6LTXSDA17476 |
| FF3428TFF01244    | MM2613VFF01576    |

## Ram (LVP1/LVP2) 3/11/26 – 6/23/26

| Start Vin/Serial  | End VIN/Serial    |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| 3C6MRVSG9TE167197 | 3C6MRVSG0TE181067 |
| DV214CTÉE00262    | DV214CVÉE00393    |
| 3C6MRVSG0TE184213 | 3C6MRVSG0TE181070 |
| AV214CVÉE00396    | AV214CVÉE00417    |

## Claim Information

Submit a warranty claim pre-authorization request using the following codes and labor times.

| Operation Code | M910063 | Fault Code | Recall |
|----------------|---------|------------|--------|
|----------------|---------|------------|--------|

| Approved Time     | 0.30 h (inspection) / 0.20 h (PCB replacement)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pre-Auth Required | <p>Yes — Inspection only claim: the following photos are required, photo of serial number tag, photo of PCB with approved date code showing. Photo of “QUAL INSP” sticker installed by SN tag on fan.</p> <p>PCB replacement photos required: Inspection photos plus photo of new boards date code, photo of replace board destroyed (physical damage must be present in photo).</p> |

Promptly submit all pre-authorizations and claims through the Dealer Portal. For assistance, contact the Dealer Relations Team at 888-825-2820.

## Resources Required

Refer to the attached Airxcel 26E-036 procedure for full detail. Key tools and materials include:

- Phillips screwdriver
- Side cutters (to remove the wiring zip tie)
- Camera / phone for required documentation photos
- Validated replacement control board (in-range units only)
- Provided “QUAL INSP” verification stickers
- Task-appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE)

### Required Components

| Callout | Part #        | Qty | Description                                                                                                                 |
|---------|---------------|-----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| PCB     | <b>810930</b> | 1   | Validated MaxxFan control board – in-range units only; obtain from Airxcel (RV Products) – will come with required stickers |

*\*Replacement control boards and verification stickers are supplied by Airxcel (RV Products).*

### Pre-Authorization Documentation

The following documentation must be submitted with the pre-authorization or claim for payment:

- Photo of the PCB date code.
- Photo of a legible serial-number label.
- Photo of the unit VIN tag.

### Instructions

#### NOTE

The repair procedure is contained in the attached Airxcel document “RV Products Recall 26E-036 Inspection and Repair Procedure” (dated August 11, 2026). Perform the repair exactly as described in that document. Do not deviate from the Airxcel procedure.

*Key parameters from the Airxcel procedure are reproduced below for quick reference. The attached Airxcel document governs in all cases.*

- See vendors instructions attached to end of this document

### Required for Claim Payment

Photos required:

- Photo of serial number tag on MaxxFan
- If PCB is replaced, photo of date code on NEW board is required
- If PCB is destroyed, photo of destroyed board is required
- Photo of VIN tag on motorhome

**Lack of photos may delay or prevent payment of claim.**

August 11, 2026

## **RV Products Recall 26E-036**

### **Inspection and Repair Procedure**

#### **Flat Rate Charges**

- Inspection only – 0.25 hours per fan
- Inspection and Repair – 0.50 hours per fan
- Repair parts will be provided directly to OEMs at no cost up to the number included in the recall population.
- OEM's should submit invoices for reimbursement to Airxcel Customer Service via email at [oemform@airxcel.com](mailto:oemform@airxcel.com).
- Retail customers, dealers, and distributors should follow their OEM's procedure for reimbursement.

#### **Documentation Requirements**

To receive reimbursement, the documentation listed below must be provided. Visit [www.airxcel.com/ventfanrecall/](http://www.airxcel.com/ventfanrecall/) to submit the required items. Failure to submit documentation may result in delays.

- To receive reimbursement for an **inspection**, the following information must be provided:
  - Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)
  - Fan Serial Number
  - Photo of PCB with date code
  - Photo of "QUAL INSP" sticker with fan serial number showing
    - **For retail customers, dealers, and repair centers only**, a "QUAL INSP" sticker is not required for inspection-only work. When asked to provide a photo of the sticker with the fan serial number in view, you may provide a photo of the serial number only. OEM's or distributors must include the sticker.
- To receive reimbursement for an **inspection and repair**, the following information must be provided:
  - Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)
  - Fan Serial Number
  - Photo of installed replacement PCB with date code
  - Photo of "QUAL INSP" sticker with fan serial number showing
  - Photo of removed and destroyed PCB with date code

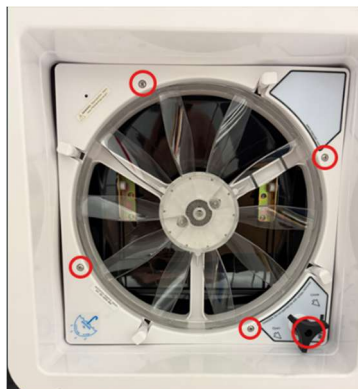
### **Inspection Instructions**

*Prior to working on any installed fan, make sure that all power is disconnected or the associated breaker is turned off to avoid potential electric shock. Ensure that proper PPE is worn at all times during the process.*

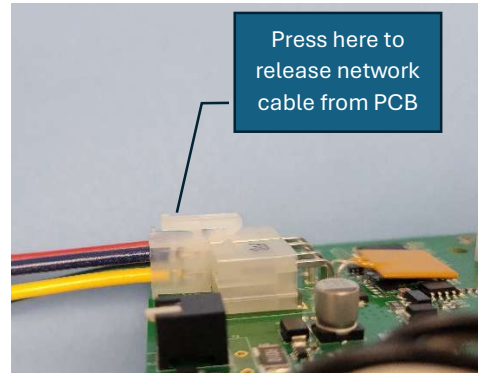
- Record the vehicle identification number (VIN).
- Remove screen on fan by twisting four lock-in tabs:



- Identify and record the fan serial number located underneath the screen.
  - The serial number will follow the format #####-####N-#### or #####-####NX-####.
    - Example: 2601-4900N-1234
- Remove (4) screws in the fan control plate and (1) in the handle:



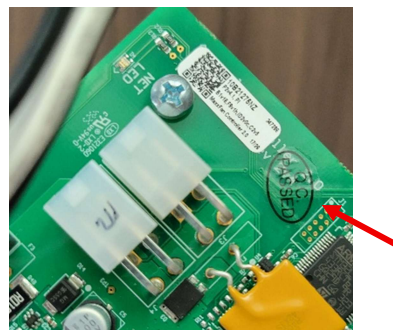
- Remove and lower the control plate. Loosening or removing the garnish ring and disconnecting the network cable from the PCB may be helpful for this step. Use care to avoid damaging the fan assembly.



- Identify the date code on the PCB (circled in red below) and determine if the date code is in the affected range.



- All PCB's with a date code of week 51 of 2025 (51/25) through week 25 of 2026 (25/26) and do not feature a "QC Passed" sticker are affected.
  - Examples of QC stickers:



- **If the date code is outside of the identified recall range**, or the date code is in range but features a “QC Passed” sticker:  
sticker:
  - Record the date code from the PCB
  - Photograph the PCB with date code and “QC Passed” visible (if applicable).
  - Re-assemble the fan following the prior steps in reverse. Do not reattach the screen.
  - Place provided “QUAL INSP” sticker in the corner of the fan control plate. Placement shown below with green arrow.



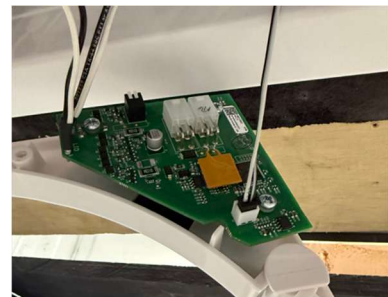
- Photograph the reassembled fan showing the sticker in place and the fan serial number.
  - Reattach the screen.
- **If the PCB date code is within the recall range** and does not feature a “QC Passed” sticker, the PCB must be replaced. Continue to the next section.

## **Repair Instructions**

- Perform relevant steps from inspection section before proceeding.
- Remove (3) screws from PCB.



- Disconnect wiring (3) or (4) places
  - Fan motor connection
  - Lift motor connection
  - Network connection
  - Rain sensor (does not apply to some models)



- Carefully cut and remove zip tie on wiring.
- Destroy the removed PCB, then photograph the destroyed PCB.
- Install the new validated PCB to the back of the control plate using the same screws that were removed previously.
- Photograph the new PCB with date code and “QC Passed” visible (if applicable).
- Reattach wires and replace zip tie.

- Re-assemble the fan following the prior steps in reverse. Do not reattach the screen.
- Place provided “QUAL INSP” sticker in the corner of the fan control plate. Placement shown below with green arrow.



- Photograph reassembled fan showing the sticker in place and the fan serial number.
- Reattach the screen.
- Run a test on the fan to validate connections are made properly.

### **Service**

For any questions, please reach out to the RVP service department using the contact information below:

RVP, A division of Airxcel  
Service Department  
3050 North Saint Francis Street  
Wichita, Kansas 67219  
574-247-9235 (Option 1)