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Trailer Tow Fuse Warranty Coverage – All Model Year Vehicles (with trailer tow package)

An analysis of warranty claims related to trailer tow fuses (14526) indicates blown fuses are being replaced and submitted as warranty when the cause of the blown fuse was due to overloading the circuits. Accessories that cause amperage to exceed the fuse maximum resulting in a blown fuse are not covered under warranty (trailer lighting, trailer battery charge devices, defective trailer wiring equipment, etc.).

- The vehicle Owner's Manual provides customers with the trailer tow related fuse specifications and outlines proper towing practices, including disconnecting trailer tow wiring before launching or retrieving a boat from water.
- Replacement cost of parts and labor for trailer tow fuses that have been overloaded is the responsibility of the customer and should not be claimed as warranty.

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