

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

18V-785

Manufacturer Name : Keystone RV Company

Submission Date : NOV 06, 2018

NHTSA Recall No. : 18V-785

Manufacturer Recall No. : 18-336



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Keystone RV Company

Address : PO Box 2000
2642 Hackberry Drive Goshen IN
46527

Company phone : 574-535-2100

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 98

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2019-2019 Keystone Montana

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Legacy Package

Production Dates : AUG 14, 2018 - OCT 24, 2018

VIN Range 1 : Begin : 4YDF38128K4701412 **End :** 4YDF37928K4702140 Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : It has been decided that the vehicles in the recall population may have fasteners used to install a disc brake assembly that may fail.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Under certain conditions during travel, if the fasteners come loose the vehicle can lose all braking ability, leading to an increased risk of property damage and poor vehicle handling.

Description of the Cause : The fasteners may have been improperly torqued by the vendors that supplied the component allowing the fasteners to come loose.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : Loss of braking ability.

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : Dexter Axle
Address : PO Box 250
Elkhart INDIANA 46515
Country : United States

Chronology :

9/10/2018–Report was made of a failure concerning disc brakes.
9/17/2018 – Report made of a second disc brake failure.
9/24/2018 – Information gathered from first two failures and investigation opened. All affected Montana units were put on hold and brake fasteners were inspected. Further investigation needed to review failed parts.
10/24/2018 – Returned parts information gathered and reviewed with supplying vendors. Morryde installed disc brakes onto the Dexter axles discovered to have a similar failure and added to investigation.
11/1/2018 – Investigation concluded and scope completed.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : The remedy is remove the brake assembly, replace and properly torque the new mounting fasteners.
How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The old fasteners will be replaced in case of damage and properly torqued.
Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Units were quarantined, inspected then repaired as indicated by inspection.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Keystone will notify the dealers and owners of the recreational vehicles by letter. A final copy of the owner letter will be provided to NHTSA, along with the dealer repair procedures.
Planned Dealer Notification Date : NOV 30, 2018 - NOV 30, 2018
Planned Owner Notification Date : NOV 30, 2018 - NOV 30, 2018

* NR - Not Reported