

The Recall That Wasn't Communicated

Submission from a viewer in Ohio. Found her own active safety recall by accident. Manufacturer never told her. The rig had been recalled for almost two years. She'd been driving it the whole time.

NHTSA safety recall database. Public. Free. Enter your VIN. See if your rig is recalled. Most owners don't check. Manufacturers are supposed to mail you. They often don't. The mail-forwarding service the dealer used at sale? Stopped working three years ago.

Recalls aren't optional. They're often safety-critical. Brake system, propane system, electrical, structural. The viewer's recall — a propane regulator that could leak undetected. Five months of family camping.

Bookmark NHTSA dot gov slash recalls. Check your VIN every six months. Don't trust the manufacturer to find you.

THE BOTTOM LINE

Submit your recall miss at crappyrv.com slash allies. We're building a list of how often this happens.