## 2024 Silverado Door Molding Decals Application Instructions

Thank you for your order. Please read the installation instructions completely before applying your vinyl decals.

This installation should take about 30 minutes. Here is what you will need:

Spray bottle or small bowl Water Dish soap (we recommend Dawn) Masking Tape Soft towel

Proper cleaning and preparation of the surface prior to vinyl application is critical to the success of the decals. The following cleaning and surface preparation conditions must be followed immediately prior to application. Failure to adhere to these requirements can cause adhesion loss and therefore reduce the durability and performance of the decals.

- 1. Position your vehicle in a well-lit area away from direct sunlight. The optimum temperature range for vinyl adhesion is 60 to 80 degrees F.
- 2. Clean the application area with soap and water to remove any dirt, wax, or oils that may exist. Dry with a lint-free towel.

To ensure proper alignment within the embossed letters we recommend the "wet" application method. Apply one decal at a time and be patient!

- 1. Make a soap solution by filling a spray bottle with water and adding 5-6 drops of dish soap for every 6 oz. of water. For smaller letters you can mix the solution in a small bowl rather than use a spray bottle.
- 2. Spray the embossed letter with the soap solution, ensuring that the entire area is wet.
- 3. Attach a small square of masking tape to a corner of the corresponding decal letter and gently pull up to separate the decal from the backing paper. DO NOT get the paper wet or attempt to peel the decals from the paper like conventional stickers. Doing so may damage the decals.
- 4. Thoroughly spray the adhesive side of the decal with the soap solution or dip the decal into the bowl of soap solution. With wet fingers gently remove the masking tape from the decal.
- 5. Carefully apply the decal into the corresponding letter position it so that it is centered in the deepest area of the embossed letter. The soap solution will allow you to move the decal to the desired position before the decal adheres to the surface.
- 6. Anchor a corner of the decal letter with your thumb and gently slide your other thumb across the letter to push the water out from under the decal. Do this lightly at first to allow you to reposition the decal as needed as you squeegee it with your thumb. The decal will quickly adhere to the vehicle as the moisture is removed with each pass of your thumb so be sure it is positioned correctly and make several light passes over the decal. Once adhered to the vehicle the decal cannot be removed with destroying it.
- 7. Gently blot the excess moisture from the area with a soft towel and make several more gentle passes with your thumbs until there is no more moisture coming out from under the vinyl decal.
- 8. Repeat these steps for the remaining letters.

Please allow 24 hours for the decals to completely dry and properly adhere to the surface. Do not get the decals wet during this time.

Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions about installing these decals on your vehicle.

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