

FRONT STORAGE COMPARTMENT REMOVAL (1996 - 1997 MODELS)

1. Raise top assembly to full height.
2. Extend rear bed assembly and support with lower bed legs to bumper or frame.
3. Extend front bed assembly approximately 2' and remove the two stop screws with washers from the top of each bed extension.

NOTE: Bed extensions are the arms attached to bed frame that slide in and out of the body rail.

4. Once the stop screws are removed, push the front bed assembly as far inward as possible.

NOTE: The two upper grey plastic rail stops will fall down out of the body rails. Lay atop the front mattress.

5. From inside the trailer, open the front cabinets and remove all retaining screws securing the cabinets and drawer guides to the front interior wood bulkhead of the storage box.
6. From outside the trailer, prop open the storage compartment lid.
7. Remove the two long wood screws or phillips head bolts from upper right and left corners of the storage box. These screws extend through the front wood bulkhead into the main trailer corner bulkheads.
8. Remove the four floor screws or carriage bolts from back of the storage compartment. These are located on the floor along the sliding door.
9. Remove the two carriage bolts from along the front wall of the storage box.
10. Remove all the wood screws along the outer perimeter of the storage box. The screws are located along the outer exposed frame channel.
11. Remove the screws from the end of the body rails where the box compartment inserts under the curbside and roadside body rails.
12. Remove the screws from along the brown plastic strip across the top of storage box deck assembly. This strip is also double-stick taped down. Pull the strip up. A new strip will be required upon reinstallation.
13. Once all the retaining bolts and screws are removed, gently pull the box away from the main part of the trailer body. This will expose the 12 volt and 110 volt wiring for the trunk light.
14. Disconnect the trunk wiring noting which wire is connected to the corresponding light terminal.
15. Remove storage box assembly from the trailer and set aside.

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16. Clean silicone and rust, etc. from atop the exposed trailer frame.

NOTE: Ensure all caulking and sealants are reapplied to the new storage box assembly prior to installation.