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To: Fax:

From: Dee Re: TM Repair

Happy Halloween!

You may not have to do all of these things, but this is what I did to put the new sliding strips on:

Take out the bed.

Unscrew the plastic screws/bolts and remove the L bracket. Try not to damage the veneer strip and the plastic screws/bolts/nuts. It would be best if you can use the originals.

I had to take the upholstery fabric off the L bracket because it wasn't glued on well and also had to replace the screws/bolts/nuts and the veneer strips. Your repair will be much easier if you don't have to do this.

I had to clean off the old adhesive from the L bracket and the upholstery. I used denatured alcohol; it was not fun.

Then I glued the upholstery fabric onto the L bracket with the overlap where the L bracket attaches next to the inside bed wall.

Then, I glued a rub strip to the bottom of the top of the L Bracket, over the upholstery.

I glued the new veneer strips to the outside of the bed walls.

Then, I used a counter sink bit and did the counter sink drilling so the new bolts sat flush with the veneer.

Then I replaced the bolts & used acorn nuts on the inside (can't remember the size).

Then I glued rub strips over the veneer and the bolt heads.

I don't recommend gorilla glue.

Happy Camping!