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**INSPECT YOUR PRODUCT FOR DAMAGE & MISSING
PARTS BEFORE PROCEEDING TO INSTALLATION**

PROCEDURE FOR RETURNS OR MISSING HARDWARE

-PLEASE CONTACT THE ORIGINAL POINT OF PURCHASE FOR:
SHIPPING DAMAGE, RETURNS, OR WARRANTY CLAIMS

-CONTACT DEE ZEE DIRECTLY FOR MISSING PARTS OR HARDWARE

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⚠️ WARNING: Cancer and Reproductive Harm
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Operating, servicing, and maintaining a passenger vehicle can expose you to chemicals such as lead, phthalates, engine exhaust, and carbon monoxide that are known to the State of California cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. To minimize exposure, service your vehicle and its accessories in a well-vented area and wear gloves or wash your hands frequently.



DEE ZEE, INC. WARRANTY AGREEMENT

Dee Zee, Inc. guarantees the original purchaser a limited lifetime warranty against manufacturer defects in materials, workmanship, and design under normal use, excluding damage resulting from road hazards such as gravel or other debris, product misuse, improper installation, impairments from accidents, product modifications, improper repairs, spills, vandalism, product neglect, or acts of God.

This warranty applies only to the original purchaser of new product(s) and is limited to the replacement of genuine Dee Zee products. Modification of any kind to Dee Zee products voids all warranty coverage. Warranty does not include electrical components, installation, cost of removal, labor, transportation costs, loss of use, inconvenience, or consequential damages.

WARRANTY COVERAGE - MATERIALS & WORKMANSHIP

LIMITED LIFETIME WARRANTY:

- STAINLESS STEEL: Side Steps, Grill Guards, Bull Bars, Bed Caps, and Side Rails
- ALUMINUM: Side Steps, Running Boards, Storage Boxes, Transfer Tanks, Bed Protection, Side Rails, Invis-A-Racks, and Cab Racks
- PLASTIC: Storage Boxes
- OTHER: Front and Rear Bumpers

THREE-YEAR WARRANTY:

- POWDER-COATED / E-COATED STEEL: Side Steps, Running Boards, Storage Boxes, Transfer Tanks, Cab Racks, Sport Bar Ladder Racks, Cargo Carriers, Mounting Brackets (NX, Rough Step, and Bumper Guards only)
- OTHER: Tailgate Assist, Bed Mats, Floor Mats, Auxiliary Fuel Connection Kits, and All Products Not Otherwise Listed Individually

WARRANTY COVERAGE – FINISH PROTECTION

The finish of all Dee Zee products is covered for one-year (1) from the date of purchase. Dee Zee products have a high quality finish that must be cared for and maintained like any other exposed finish on the vehicle. Protect the finish with non-abrasive automotive wax (e.g. Pure Carnauba) on a regular basis. Applying soaps, polishes, or waxes that contain an abrasive compound may scratch the finish and leave the exposed material susceptible to corrosion.

WARRANTY COVERAGE – COMPONENT PARTS

Operational items such as shocks, latches, hinges, and wear items including, but not limited to, mud flaps, step pads, toolbox tray, end caps, hardware, seals, etc. have a one-year (1) warranty. Replacement component parts can be ordered via credit card (MasterCard or VISA) by calling 1-800-779-2102. All replacement parts are non-returnable and non-refundable.

GPI® FUEL PUMPS & ACCESSORIES

All Great Plains Industries (GPI) products, including transfer tank pumps and fuel meters are covered by GPI's warranty policies. Dee Zee's warranty terms do not apply to GPI products. To submit a warranty claim, please contact GPI at 1-800-835-0113 or visit www.gpi.net.

WARRANTY SUBMISSION PROCEDURE

All warranty claims will be initiated at the place of purchase. The original purchaser will be required to present the original sales receipt with purchase date shown and provide photographs of the defect.

In the event the originally purchased product style is no longer available, Dee Zee will warranty the defective part with a current equivalent. If a comparable product is no longer available, the product would be returned to the store of purchase for a refund or the applicable cost difference can be paid to choose an alternate style.

DISCLAIMER

All products are sold as appearance accessories and should not be relied upon as protection for the vehicle or its occupants in the event of an accident. Vehicles equipped with a supplemental restraints system (air bags) deployed by impact and collision avoidance systems should not be modified in any way. Always consult the vehicle manufacturer if you have any questions regarding supplemental restraint systems and sensors.

Buyer must accommodate front and rear sensors during product installation and assumes all risk should these be tampered, rerouted, severed, or disconnected. This includes disabling visual, audio, or vibration alerts into the cab. Buyer assumes all risk and responsibility for wiring any supplemental auxiliary lights.

Buyer assumes all risk, liability, and cost for the installation and use of Dee Zee products. Dee Zee, Inc. assumes no liability for injury, loss, incidental or consequential damages in the event of an accident.



Thank you for choosing Dee Zee to add function and accessorize your vehicle. Dee Zee has been a staple brand in the truck accessory market since 1977 and we hold a reputation of quality manufacturing based in America's Heartland. Our products are born through careful engineering and backed by industry leading warranty programs. We appreciate the opportunity to serve you and your vehicle!

Review the instruction pages in their entirety to prepare the required tools

Warning: Please check for wiring or other obstructions before drilling any holes in the vehicle. If it is necessary to drill any holes, Dee Zee recommends putting a sealant or rust inhibitory around all holes drilled into the body of the vehicle.

It is the sole responsibility of the vehicle owner to check for tire clearance. It is unlawful and dangerous to ride on any external vehicle step while the vehicle is in motion.

Cleaning: To be entitled to all warranty rights offered with the product, Dee Zee steps need to be cleaned regularly with a mild detergent. Do NOT use abrasive cleaners. For stainless steel products, the application of a high grade automotive wax is recommended.



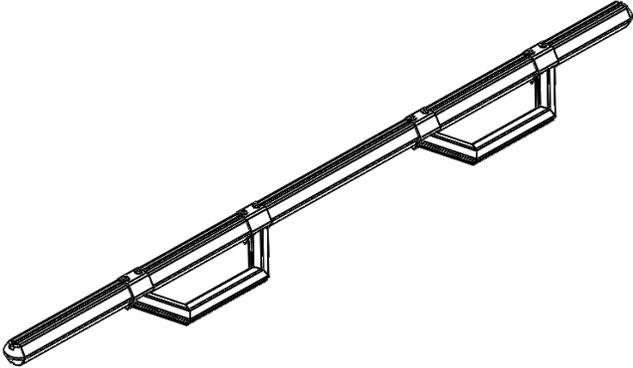
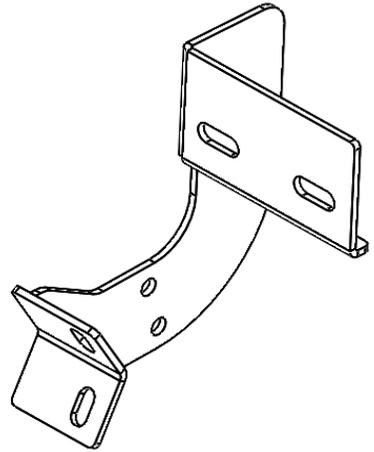
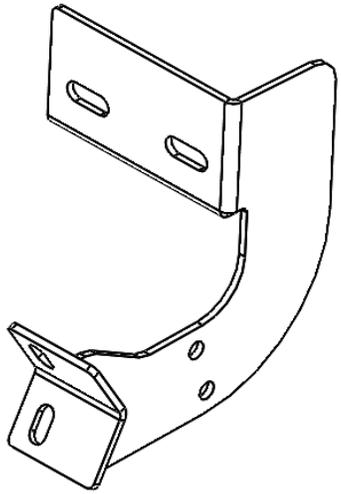
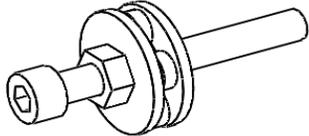
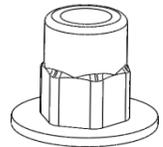
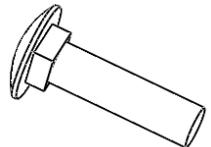
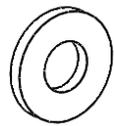
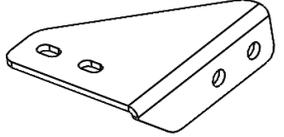
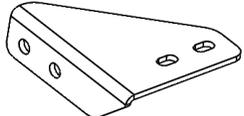
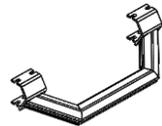
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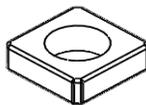
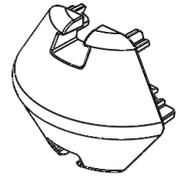
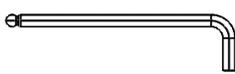
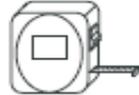
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HEX HOOP SIDE STEP INSTALLATION INSTRUCTION

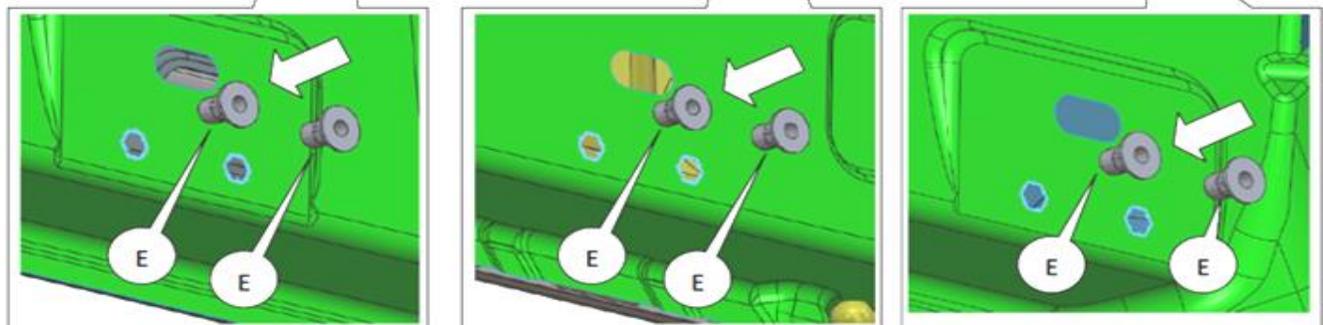
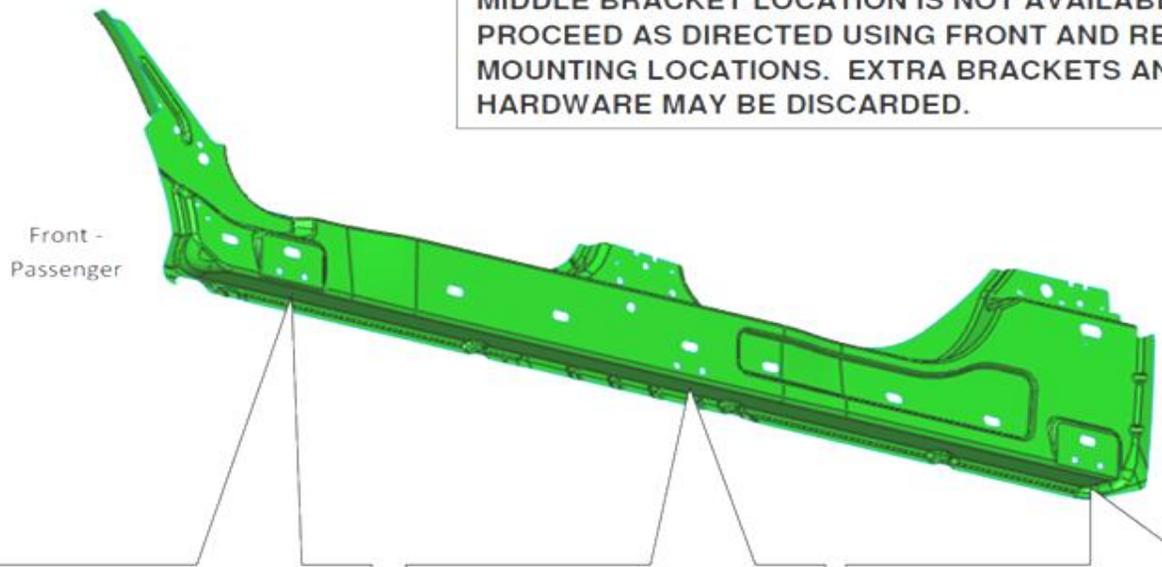
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<p>A</p> <p style="text-align: center;">HEX HOOP SIDE STEP</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">*** TUBES AND SIDE STEPS SOLD SEPARATELY</p>	<p>B</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DRIVER SIDE BRACKET</p> 	<p>C</p> <p style="text-align: center;">PASSENGER SIDE BRACKET</p> 	<p>D</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NUTSERT SET TOOL</p> 	<p>E</p> <p style="text-align: center;">8mm HEX NUTSERT</p> 			
X2	B 2507LP	X3	PN 685	X1	PN 686	X12	
B 2507RP	X3	PN 525	X24	PN 526	X24		
<p>H</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1/4" CARRIAGE BOLT</p> 	<p>I</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1/4" WASHER</p> 	<p>J</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1/4" NUT</p> 	<p>K</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SUPPORT BRACKET</p> 				
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B 2534RP	X3	FROM HEX HOOP SIDE STEP	X2	FROM HEX HOOP SIDE STEP	X8	FROM HEX HOOP SIDE STEP	X12
		Reg Cab	X2	Ext/Crew Cab	X4	Reg Cab	X8
		Ext/Crew Cab	X4	Ext/Crew Cab	X12		

<p>P 8mm X 16mm BUTTON HEAD BOLT</p>  <p>FROM HEX HOOP Reg Cab X16 SIDE STEP Ext/Crew Cab X32</p>	<p>Q 1/4" FLAT WASHER</p>  <p>FROM HEX HOOP Reg Cab X16 SIDE STEP Ext/Crew Cab X32</p>	<p>R 8mm X 1.25 SQUARE NUT</p>  <p>FROM HEX HOOP Reg Cab X16 SIDE STEP Ext/Crew Cab X32</p>	<p>S ENDCAP</p>  <p>FROM HEX HOOP SIDE STEP X4</p>
<p>TOOLS REQUIRED</p>	<p>WRENCH/RATCHET RUBBER Mallet</p>		<p>Tools Recommended</p>
<p>ALLEN WRENCH 5mm, 6mm</p> 	<p>13mm, 7/16"</p> 		<p>TAPE MEASURE</p> 

1 Install the 8mm nutsert (E) as shown below.
The passenger's side is shown. The front of the vehicle is to the left of the picture.

NOTE: FOR STANDARD CAB APPLICATIONS, MIDDLE BRACKET LOCATION IS NOT AVAILABLE. PROCEED AS DIRECTED USING FRONT AND REAR MOUNTING LOCATIONS. EXTRA BRACKETS AND HARDWARE MAY BE DISCARDED.

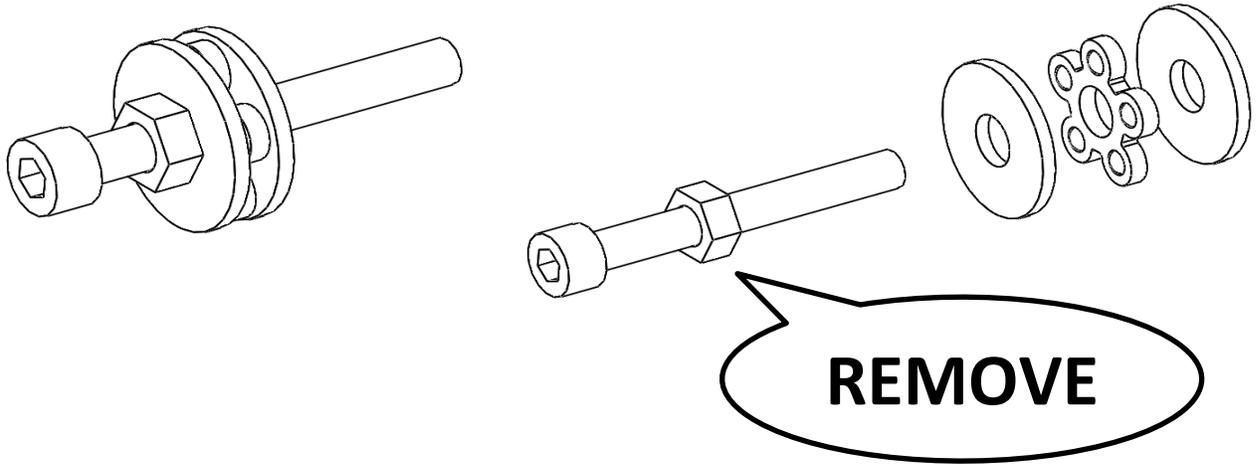


NOTE: ON SOME MODEL YEARS, THERE ARE WELD NUTS IN THE FRONT MOUNTING LOCATION. IF THERE ARE WELD NUTS, THE NUTSERT CAN NOT BE INSTALLED. THE EXISTING WELD NUT WILL BE USED TO INSTALL THE BRACE. INSTALL THE NUTSERTS AT THE MIDDLE AND REAR MOUNTING LOCATIONS.

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Because the nutserts are being installed in a hexagon shaped hole, the nut on the set tool (D) is not required.

Remove the washers and bearing plate, then remove the nut from the bolt.

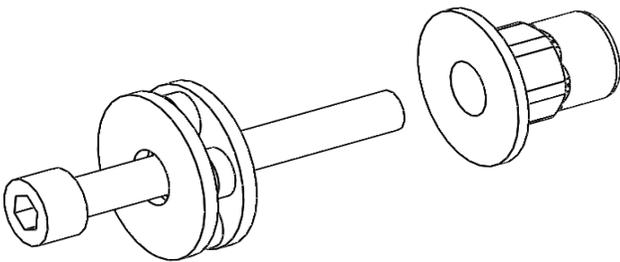


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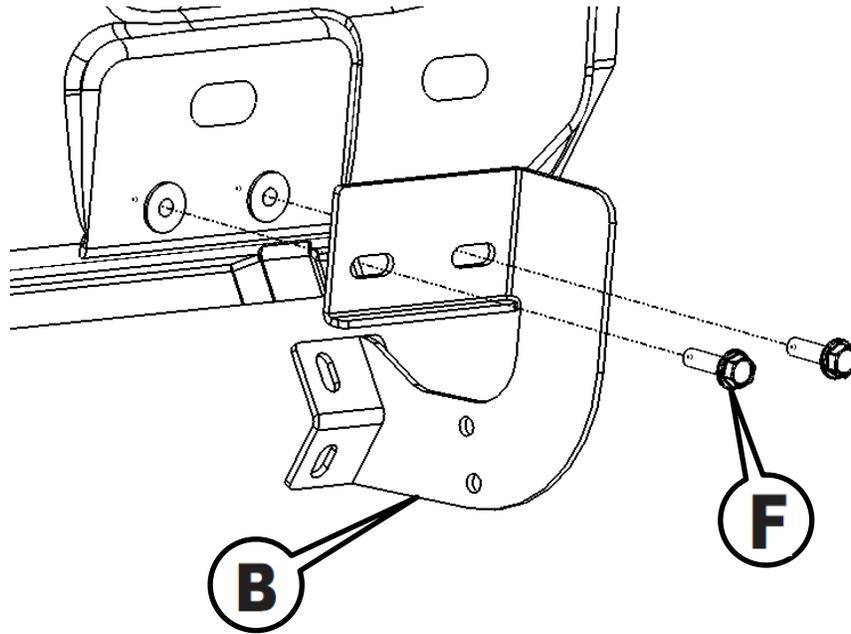
Replace the washers and bearing plate.

Thread the bolt into a nutsert and tighten with and M6 allen to set the nutsert.

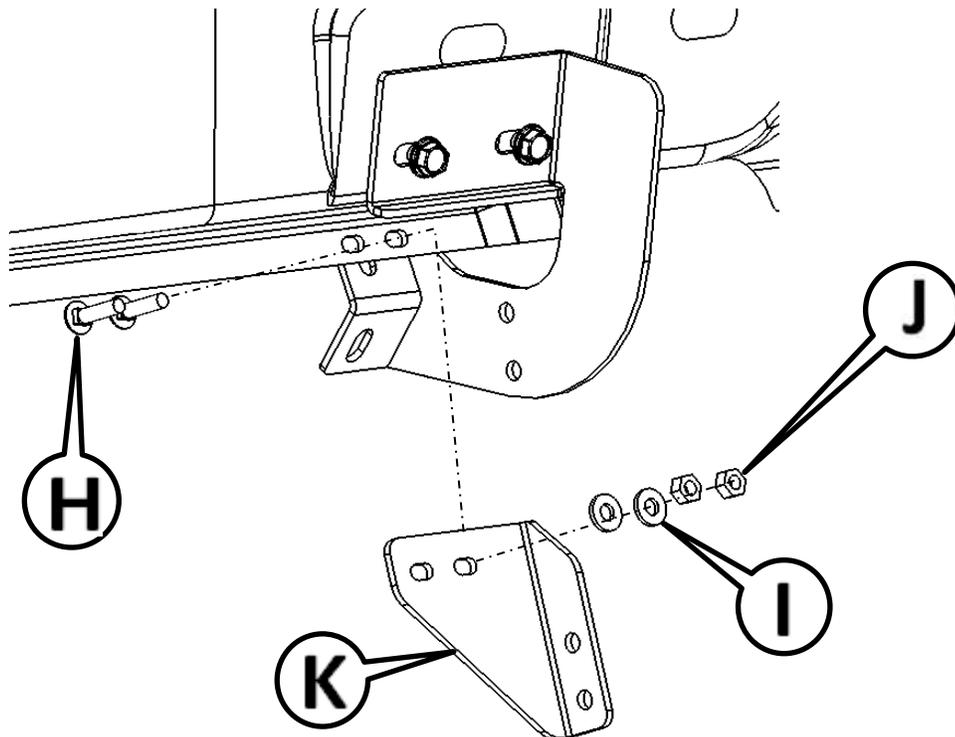
Torque the nutserts to the spcification below to insure they are set correctly.



- 4** Thread 2 of the 8mm x 25mm bolts (F) through the slots in the Driver Side braces (B) into the nutserts. Do not completely tighten.

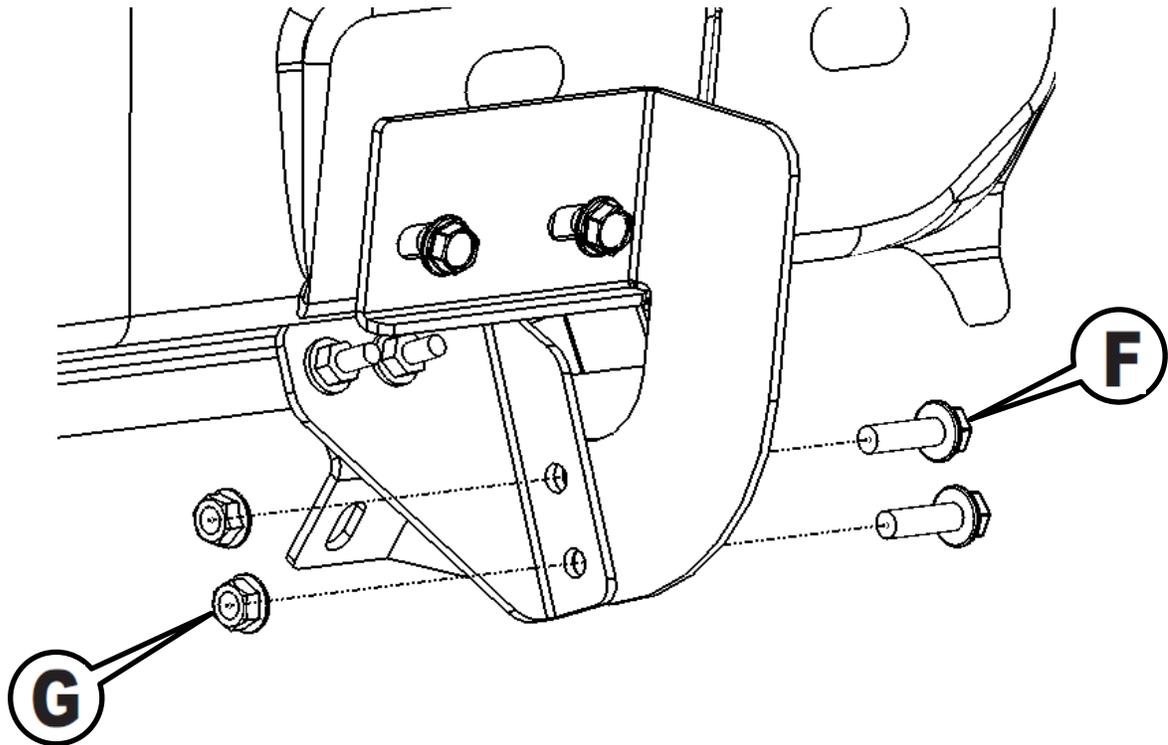


- 5** Using two of the carriage bolts (H), two 1/4" washers (I) and two 1/4" nuts (J), loosely attach the support bracket (K) to the pinch weld on the truck. The bent flange with two holes in it should be point up. The support brackets are left hand/right hand. Select the appropriate one for each mounting location. Do not completely tighten at this time.

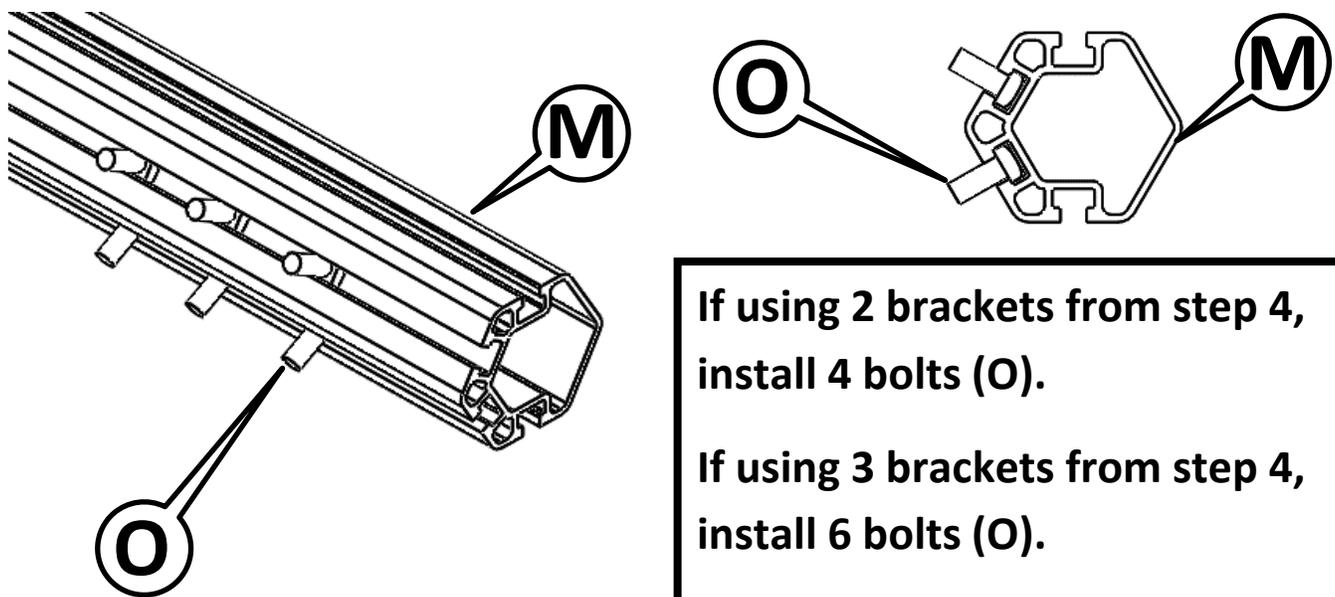


6 Attach the support brace to the main brace using two of the 8mm x 25 mm bolts (F) and two of the 8mm flange nut (G).

Do not tighten at this time. Repeat the support bracket installation for the other mounting locations.



7 Install the 8mm square head bolts (O) into the rear two channels of the main tube (M). For two braces on vehicle install four bolts, for three braces on vehicle install six bolts.

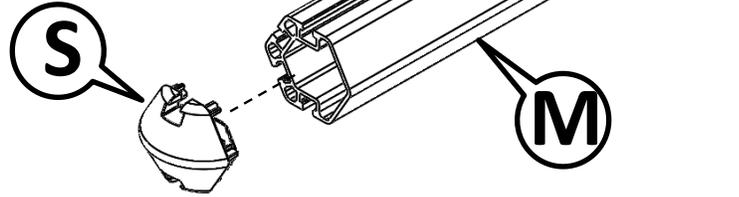
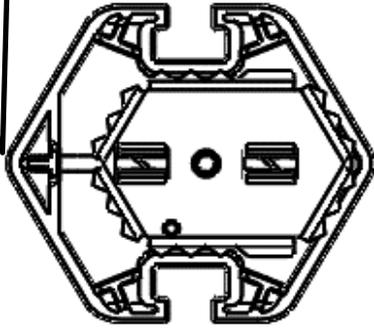


**If using 2 brackets from step 4,
install 4 bolts (O).**

**If using 3 brackets from step 4,
install 6 bolts (O).**

- 8** Install endcaps (**S**) on both ends of the main tube (**M**) by first hand pushing them to set in place, then hitting them with a rubber mallet. Make sure that the spring clip is positioned the correct way (see image below). **Complete this step before installing the tube on the vehicle.**

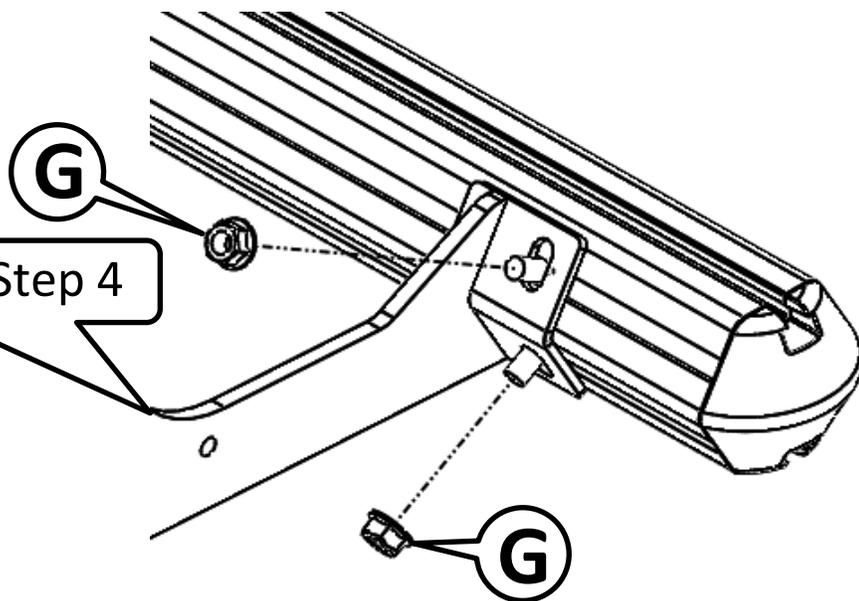
Towards channels with bolts from step 7



Before completing this step ensure that the correct amount of bolts are in the channels. Installing the endcaps will lock the bolts in the channels.

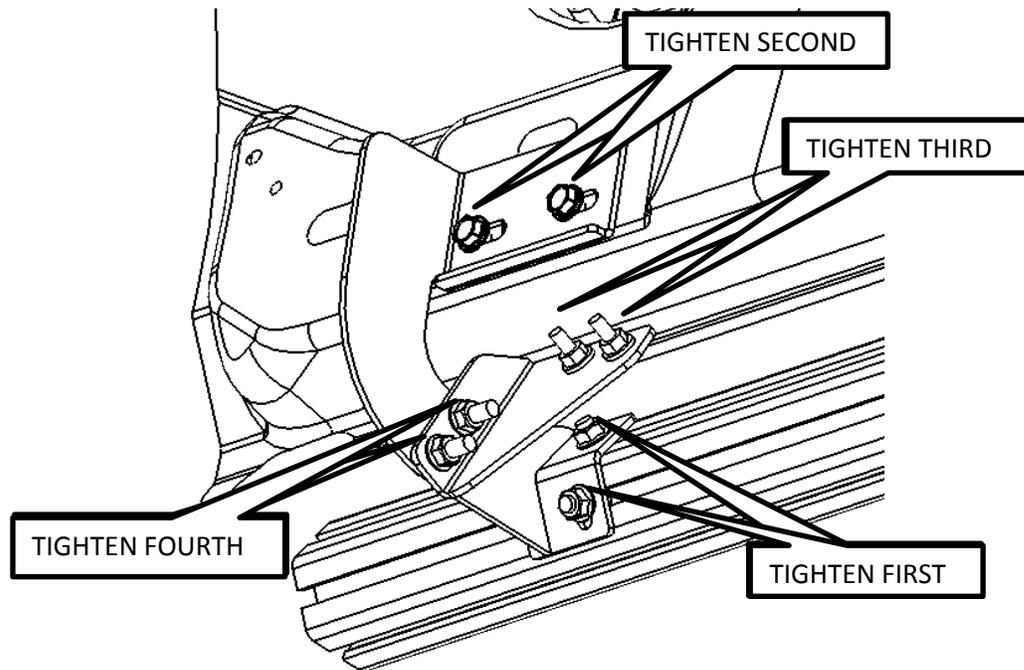
- 9** Mount the tube to the brackets by sliding the bolts into the slots of the brackets and install an M8 nut (**G**). Depending on the tube color, there may be hook marks from the paint process. Install the tube with the hook mark side down. Center the main tube using tape measure. **Fully tighten the tube to the brackets.**

Brackets From Step 4



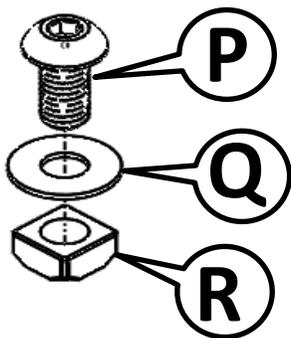
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Center the Main Tube, Fully Tighten the tube to the brackets using a 13mm wrench/socket
Using a 13mm wrench/socket, tighten the bolts that attach the brace to the vehicle.
Using a 7/16" wrench/socket, tighten the carriage bolts attaching the support bracket to the vehicle.
Using a 13mm wrench/socket, tighten the bolts that attach the support bracket to the brace.

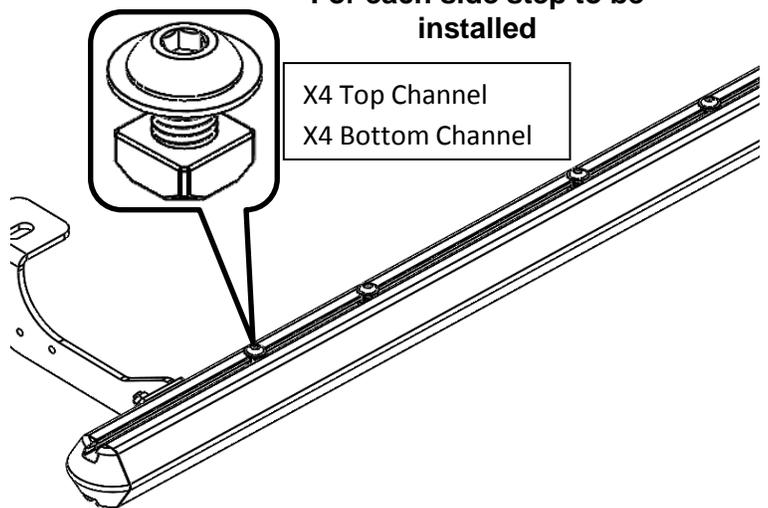


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Assemble bolts (P), washers (Q), and nuts (R). Only turn the bolts two times into the nuts. There will be eight bolts per Side Step. Four bolts in the top, and four in the bottom channel per Side Step. Then slide the nut into the upper and lower channels roughly where the Side Step(s) (N) will be located.

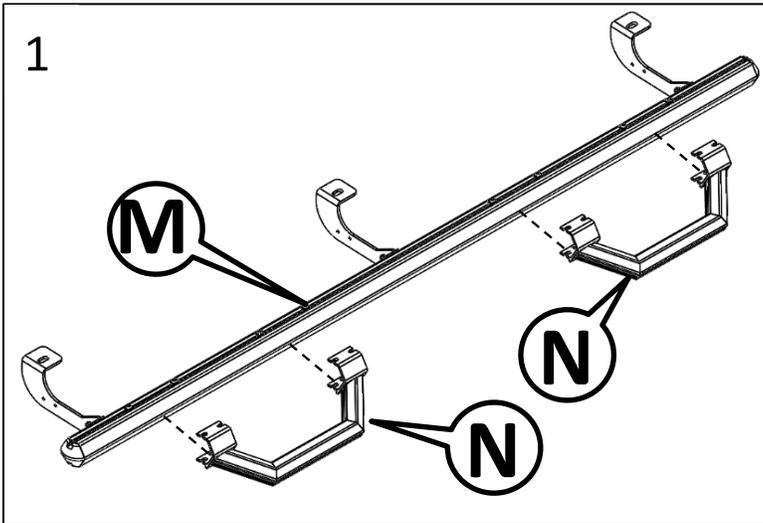


For each side step to be installed

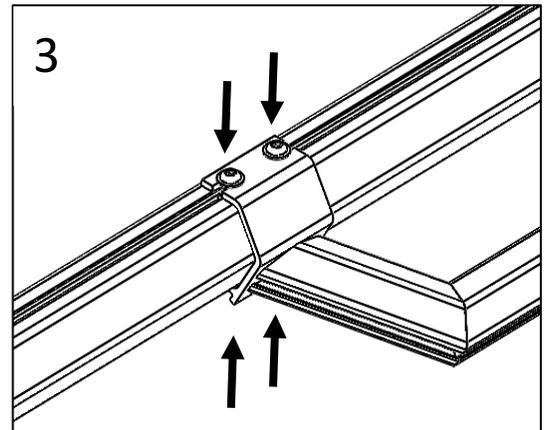
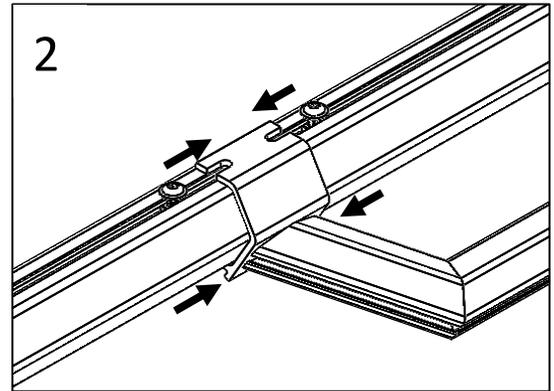


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Install Side Step (N) by placing the side step(s) on the main tube (M) and sliding the button head bolts into the slots of the side step with the washer on top of the Side Step. Double check the placement of the side step by opening the door(s) then adjust as necessary. **Fully tighten all hardware at this time.**



Use tape measure to ensure tubes and step locations match on both sides



Repeat Steps 1-12 on Passenger side using Braces C instead of B and Braces L instead of K.