

COLDGUARD KIT ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS FOR GM SAVANA / CHEV EXPRESS EXTENDED LENGTH BODY CARGO VANS WITH NO REAR DOOR FRAME AND DOOR

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

Do not alter the kit by cutting or trimming the panels without first contacting Van Liner on Tel # 905-634-9989. Any unauthorized alterations will void the warranty on the product.

Please make sure to completely familiarize yourself with these instructions before beginning the install.

TO UNPACK THE COLDGUARD KIT, REMOVE LID AND LAY ON SIDE AS INDICATED BY ARROW ON SIDE OF BOX.

The ColdGuard Kit comprises the following parts:

| DESCRIPTION | PART# | <u>QTY</u> | |
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| FRONT ROOF PANEL | VLS001 | 1 | |
| REAR ROOF PANEL | VLS002 | 1 | |
| FRONT FLOOR PANEL | VLS003 | 1 | |
| REAR FLOOR PANEL | VLS004 | 1 | |
| FRONT BULKHEAD | VLS005 | 1 | |
| DRIVERS SIDE FRONT WALL | VLS006 | 1 | |
| LEFT WHEEL ARCH PANEL | VLS007 | 1 | |
| RIGHT WHEEL ARCH PANEL | VLS008 | 1 | |
| LEFT 11.5" SIDE WALL PANEL | VLS009 | 1 | |
| RIGHT 11.5" SIDE WALL PANEL | VLS010 | 1 | |
| SIDE DOOR FRAME | VLS011 | 1 | |
| SIDE DOOR | VLS012 | 1 | |
| REAR DOOR FRAME | VLS013 | 1 | |
| REAR DOOR | VLS014 | 1 | |
| ALL NECESSARY FASTENERS, DOOR HARDWARE AND CAULKING | | | |

For Extended Length Vans, the following extra panels are included in the kit:

| DRIVERS SIDE WALL 20" INSERT PANEL | VLS016 | 1 |
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| CURBSIDE WALL 20" INSERT PANEL | VLS017 | 1 |
| ROOF 20" INSERT PANEL | VLS018 | 1 |
| FLOOR 20" INSERT PANEL | VLS019 | 1 |

TO INSTALL THIS KIT, YOU ENTER THE VAN WITH EACH PANEL THROUGH THE SIDE DOOR, BUILDING FROM THE REAR OF VAN TO THE FRONT.

THESE INSTRUCTIONS ARE DESIGNED FOR A TWO PERSON INSTALL CREW.

AS THE COLDGUARD KIT IS DESIGNED TO FIT DIFFERENT VEHICLES, IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO TRIM FOAM AT THE TOP OF THE WALL PANELS AND FUEL FILLER TO ENSURE PROPER FIT. PLEASE CONTACT US AT 905-634-9989 WITH ANY QUESTIONS.

DURING INSTALL, BE CAREFUL NOT TO OVERTIGHTEN ANY SCREWS WHEN ASSEMBLING KIT INSIDE THE VAN TO PREVENT EXCESS STRAIN ON THE PLASTIC. USE ONLY WAFERHEAD SCREWS FOR THE FLOOR LEVEL AREA.

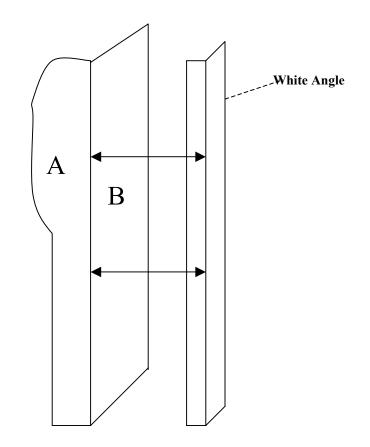
Preparation of vehicle:

Remove floor mat, wheel jack and bracket, floor moldings, and passenger seat. Move drivers seat and back rest forward.

Remove any interior light in cargo area and extend wiring by 18 inches.

Begin Install

Before assembling the body into the vehicle, rivet rear panels 'A' and 'B' onto rear door opening posts. Using white angle (supplied), cut as required to follow shape of door pillar and then rivet into place to cover seam between A & B.



Enter rear floor panel VLS 004 through side door opening and position at the rear of the van.

Secure 11.5" side wall panels to floor with 2 screws #12 x 2.5 inches waferhead plated. Make sure the outside installer is pushing the back of the 11.5" side panels inwards as the inside installer is putting the screws in to ensure tightest possible joint.

The second installer should now enter the van and hold the panels in place for the screws to be put in to ensure a tight fit on the joints. Place left and right hand wheel arch panels, VLS 007 and VLS 008 in position and secure with 3 # 10 x 2.5 inch pan head screws in each panel holding them to VLS 009 and VLS 010.

Secure panels VLS 007 and VLS 008 to floor panel VLS 004 using 3 #12 x 2.5" wafer head screws.



INSTALL TIP - BACK OF PANEL SHOULD BE PUSHED BY SECOND INSTALLER WHEN FIRST INSTALLER IS DRILLING HOLES FOR SCREWS TO ENSURE TIGHT JOINTS. Load rear roof panel part #VLS 002 through side door opening, slide into position on top of wheel arch panels until it mates in line with the floor and 11.5" wall panels.

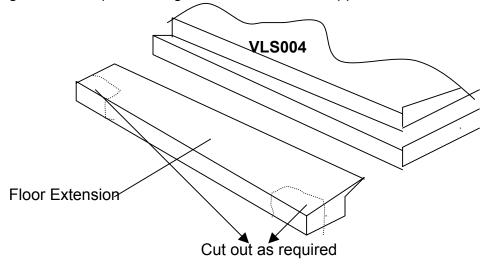
Secure roof to wheel arch panel with 3 $\#10 \times 2.5"$ pan head screws, Holes to be drilled through with 5/32 inch drill.



Secure VLS009 and VLS010 to roof panel with # 10 x 2.5 pan head screw.

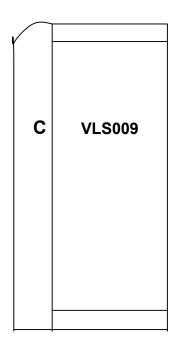
When fully secured, push whole assembly as far to the rear as possible. Check that all wiring is still clear.

Measure and cut floor extension as required so floor extension meets van door opening. Screw in place using waferhead screws supplied.

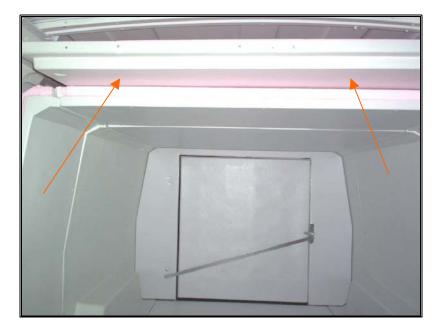


Measure space between rear of VLS 009 & VLS 010 and cut part 'C' to size. Pack opening with fibreglass wool then rivet part 'C' into place along rear shiplap. Apply sealant into corners as required.

Pack fibreglass wool into rear door cavities and rivet supplied door panels into place.



Enter front roof panel part # VLS001 through side door opening, slide back over the rear roof panel (temporary storage only)



1. Secure 20" floor extension panel VLS 019 to VLS 004 floor panel with waferhead screws.

- 2. Secure Driver side 20" extension wall panel VLS 016 to VLS 007 Wheel arch panel with panhead screws.
- 3. Secure Passenger side 20" extension wall panel VLS 017 to VLS 008 Wheel arch panel with panhead screws
- 4. Secure 20" roof extension panel VLS 018 to VLS 002 roof panel with panhead screws as shown below.

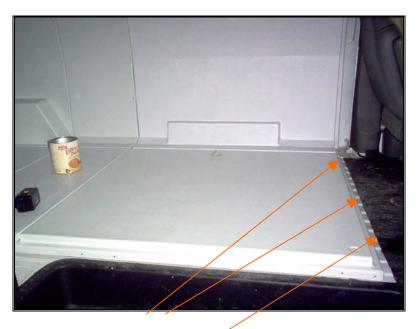


Enter front drivers side wall (fuel filler panel) part # VLS006 through side door opening and locate, secure with 2 # 10 2.5" panhead screws at <u>rear only.</u> Holes are to be drilled with 5/32 inch drill.



Note: It may be necessary to trim extra foam from around fuel filler for VLS006 to fit correctly. Contact T: 905-634-9989 for advice before trimming.

Enter front floor panel part # VLS003 through side door and locate with rear floor panel. Secure panel to rear floor panel and fuel filler panel with #12 x 2.5" waferhead screws. Holes are to be drilled with 5/32 inch drill.



To secure the kit to the van - Drill 3 holes, 5/32", in the front flange of the front floor panel (these holes should be in line with the ribs in the floor of the van and make sure you are not drilling into anything underneath the van) and secure with 3 #12 wafer head screws.

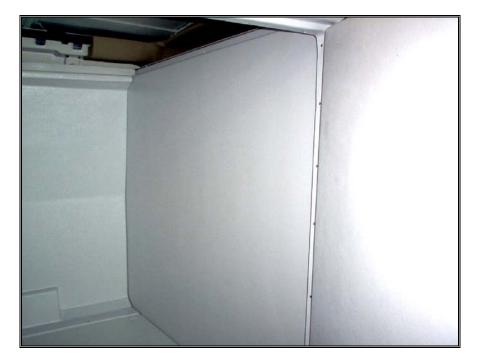
Insert front bulkhead VLS# 005 through side door opening and rest against back of driver and passenger seats. Push as far over to the drivers side. Temporary storage only.



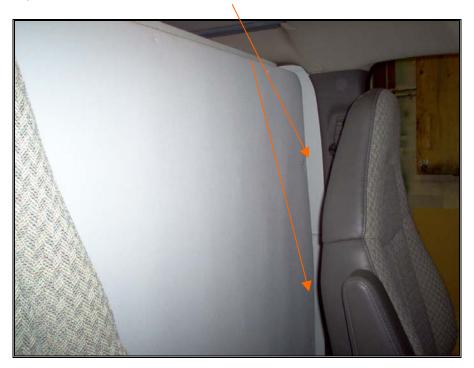
Enter side door panel part # VLS011 and locate with curbside wheel arch panel and floor. Secure with #10 x 2.5" panhead screws on inside of door panel only.



With second installer in the drivers cab, locate bulkhead into position now with floor panel, fuel filler panel, and side door frame.



When bulkhead is in position the second installer in the drivers cab, holes should only be drilled and screwed down both sides of the bulkhead for the moment. (see below)



Slide front roof panel (which was stored above rear roof panel) forward and locate with front drivers side wall panel (fuel filler panel) and side door frame. Secure with $#10 \times 2.5$ " panhead screws.



Secure bulkhead to driver side wall panel, roof, floor, and side door panels with #10 x 2.5" pan head screws. All holes to be drilled 5/32 inch.



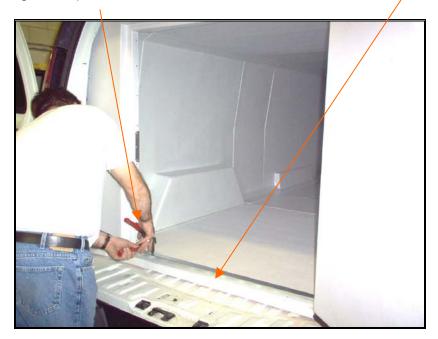
Secure side door panel assembly to floor and roof with #10 x 2.5" pan head screws.



Use sealant (supplied) to seal all joints in the body. Allow sealant to cure properly as per manufacturer's instruction on sealant cartridge.

Remove metal strap on the inside of the rear door.

Run a bead of sealant under steel angle supplied and lay on rear door step. Rivet this angle into place.



Rivet finishing angle at top of door frame as shown below.



INSTALL IS COMPLETE.

DO NOT HESITATE TO CALL US DIRECTLY AT 905-634-9989 FOR ANY ADVICE ON THE INSTALLATION