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Rough Country 1262 Installation Instructions

Kicker Bar Kit (Rough Country 1262)

Part number: 1262

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07-UP CHEVY/GM KICKER BARS FOR 7.5”KIT

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Rough Country recommends a certified technician installs this system. In addition to these instructions, professional knowledge of disassemble/reassembly procedures as well as post installation checks must be known. Attempts to install this system without this knowledge and expertise may jeopardize the integrity and/or operating safety of the vehicle.

Please read all the instructions before beginning the installation. Be sure you have all the needed parts and understand where they go. If anything is missing, do not proceed with the installation, call Rough Country to obtain needed items.

Notice to Dealer and Vehicle Owner

Any vehicle equipped with any Rough country product must have the “Warning to Driver” decal installed on the sun visor or dash. The decal is to act as a constant reminder for whoever is operating the vehicle of its unique handling characteristics. INSTALLING DEALER—It is your responsibility to install the warning decal and to forward these installation instructions on too the vehicle owner for review and to be kept in the vehicle for its service life.

Kit Contents:

- **Kicker Bars (2)**
- **Rear Cross member Brackets (2)**
- **Kicker Bracket (2)**
- **Poly Bag (1)**

Tools Needed:

3/4” Socket / Wrench

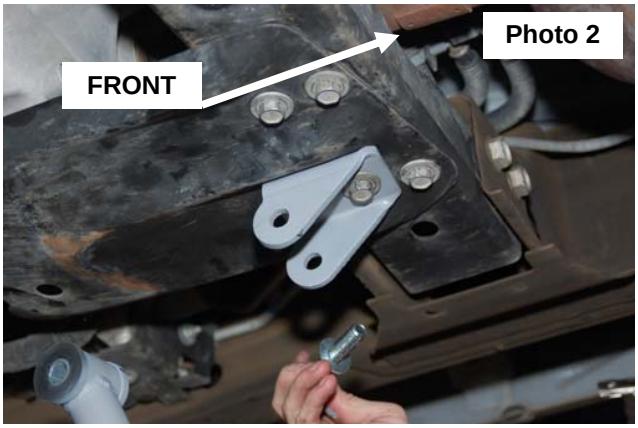
Torque Specs

Size	Grade 5	Grade 8
1/2”	65 ft/lbs	90 ft/lbs

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Install the kicker bar brackets on the cross member as shown in **Photo 1** with the supplied 1/2” x 1 1/4” bolts, washers /nuts. Do not tighten at this time.
2. Install the supplied bushings and sleeves in the kicker bars and install on the cross member brackets with the supplied 1/2” x 3 1/2” bolts, washers / nuts. **See Photo 1.** Do not tighten at this time.
3. On the driver side remove the factory bolt securing the skid plate to the frame on the transmission cross member and install the rear kicker bracket on the frame using the factory hardware as shown in **Photo 2.** Swing the kicker up and install on the bracket using the supplied 1/2” x 3 1/2” bolts, washers/nuts. Tighten all hardware using a 3/4” wrench.





4. On the passenger side, swing the kicker up to the transmission cross member and mark the cross member to be drilled. **See Photo 3.**
5. Drill the cross member using a 17/32” bit and install the bracket as shown with the supplied 1/2” x 1/ 1/4” bolts, washers / nuts on the cross member. Secure the kicker to the bracket with the supplied 1/2” x 3 1/2” bolts , washers / nuts. **See Photo 4.** Tighten hardware using a 3/4” wrench.





KIT COMPONENTS



POST INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. All kit components must be retightened at 500 miles and then every three thousand miles after installation. Periodically check hardware for tightness.
2. Install “Warning to Driver” decal on sun visor.

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