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Voluntary Recall of Wild Country Ropeman1 Rope Ascender

To all owners and retailers of Wild Country Ropeman1, please immediately stop all sales and use of the Wild Country Ropeman1 ascenders that are subject to this voluntary recall.

This voluntary recall applies only to orange colored Wild Country “Ropeman 1” rope ascenders from batch 05A0722 manufactured in July 2022. (code 40-ROPE1_4500)

This recall does NOT apply to any other Wild Country Ropemans. Ropeman 1s in blue (code 40-ROPE1_3500) and black (40-ROPE1_0900) colors, Ropeman 2s in black (code 40-ROPE2_9999) and gold (code 40-ROPE2_0950) colors, and Ropeman 4s in black (code 40-0000006000_0900) and orange (code 40-0000006000_4510) colors, are NOT affected by this issue or subject to this recall. **The Ropeman 1 subject to this recall is only available in orange color.**

Name of Product: Wild Country Ropeman1 (code 40-ROPE1_4500)

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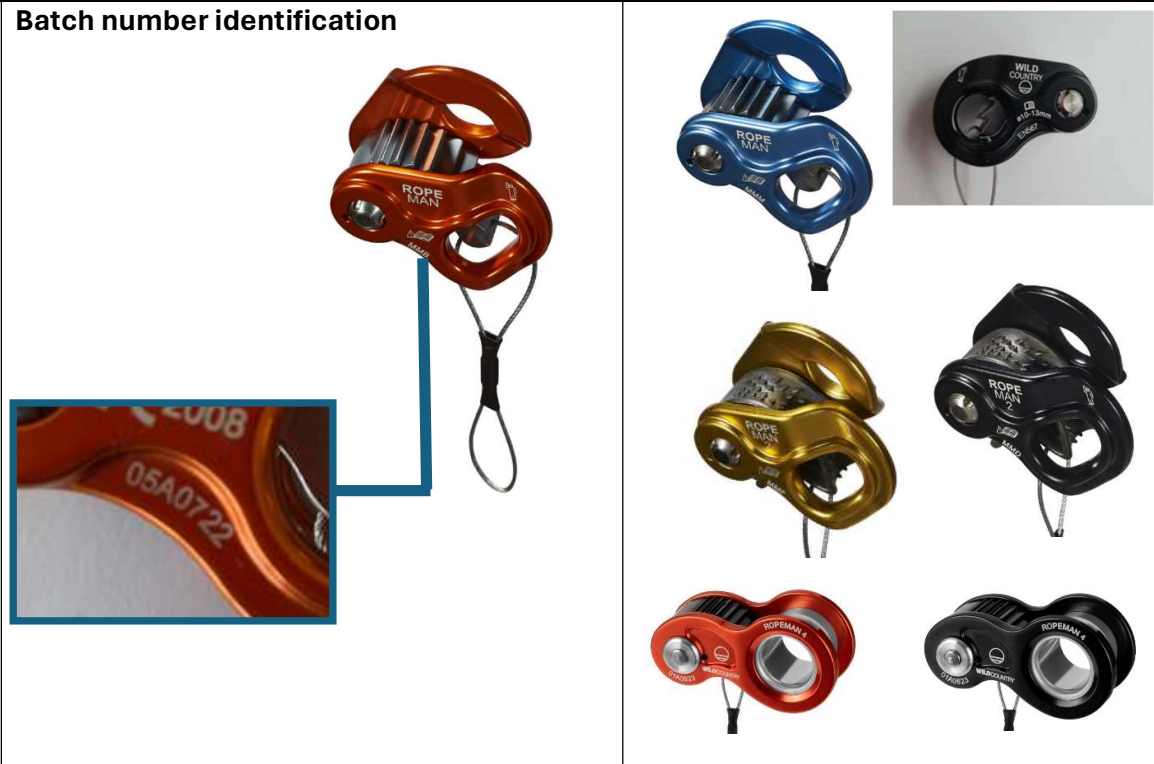
ROPEMAN1 Orange color (4500)

Hazard: Wild Country has recently learned that when recalled Ropeman1s from batch 05A0722 are used to lift weight or to ascend a rope that is under significant tension or weighted, the camming teeth may not fully engage. If this issue occurs, a recalled Ropeman1 may slip on the rope and make it more difficult for the climber to lift weight or to ascend. This issue does not occur when a recalled Ropeman1 is used on an unweighted rope. The issue is limited to 931 out of 8000 units in batch 05A0722 produced

in July 2022 where the edges of the camming teeth were inadvertently slightly rounded during final machining.

Remedy: Retailers and consumers should examine their Ropeman1s to determine if their Ropeman1 is identified with batch number 05A0722 (as shown below) and is included in this recall. If their Ropeman1 is included in this recall, they should immediately stop using the recalled Ropeman1 and contact Wild Country for instructions to obtain a replacement.

This recall does not apply to any other Wild Country Ropeman products, other than the orange colored Ropeman1, from batch 05A0722, manufactured in July 2022. The blue and black colored Ropeman 1s, all colors of the Ropeman2s, and all colors of the Ropeman4s are NOT subject to this voluntary recall.

Batch number identification	
	
SUBJECT TO RECALL	NOT SUBJECT TO RECALL
ROPEMAN1 ORANGE ; 40-ROPE1_4500	ROPEMAN1 BLUE ; 40-ROPE1_3500
Batch code affect by the Recall	ROPEMAN1 BLACK ; 40-ROPE1_0900
05A0722	ROPEMAN2 BLACK ; 40-ROPE2_9999
NOT SUBJECT TO RECALL	ROPEMAN2 GOLD ; 40-ROPE2_0950
All other batches of Orange Ropeman1s	ROPEMAN4 BLACK ; 40-0000006000_0900
	ROPEMAN4 ORANGE; 40-0000006000_4510

Consumer Contact: Wild Country is in the process of setting up the recall process system and expects to have the recall system up and running shortly. For updates and more information, please check the Wild Country website (<https://www.wildcountry.com/en-us/product-recalls>) or contact Wild Country toll-free by telephone at 1-844-412-7013 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (MDT), or by email at Ropeman1Recall@wildcountry.com.