

**CERTAIN 2015~2017 FJ09, 2014~2017 FZ09, AND 2016~2017 XSR900 MODELS
FACTORY MODIFICATION CAMPAIGN – Lower Handlebar Holder
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Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A. posts this notice as a service to Yamaha customers and potential Yamaha customers. Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A. has decided that a defect that relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2015~2017 FJ09, 2014~2017 FZ09, and 2016~2017 XSR900 motorcycles.

Affected Models	PID Range
2015~2017 FJ09	RN37E-000002~003588
2015~2017 FJ09C	RN37Y-000009~001185
2014~2016 FZ09	RN33E-000002~012055
2014~2016 FZ09C	RN33Y-000011~003344
2017 FZ09	RN53E-000001~001032
2017 FZ09C	RN53Y-000002~000312
2016-2017 XSR900	RN47E-000001~001849
2016-2017 XSR900C	RN47Y-000005~000571

The reason for this recall:

In affected motorcycles, the lower handlebar holder may have been painted improperly during manufacturing. Additionally, the stud bolt threads of the lower handlebar holder may not have had adequate thread-locking agent applied. As a result, if a strong external impact is applied to the handlebar, the paint on the bottom of the lower handlebar holder may be damaged. Over time, the paint can wear off, creating clearance that allows the stud bolt to loosen due to engine vibration. If the stud loosens or falls off, the handlebar holder may come loose from the handle crown, causing loss of control that could result in a crash with injury or death.

What Yamaha and your dealer will do:

To correct these defects, your authorized Yamaha dealer will replace the lower handlebar holders with new ones that were properly manufactured. The procedure takes less than 30 minutes to do, but be aware that your Yamaha dealer may need to keep your motorcycle longer. **There will be no charge to you for this procedure.**

What you should do now:

Please call your Yamaha dealer to make a service appointment to have this procedure performed. At that same time, you can find out how long they expect to keep your motorcycle to complete this service. Remember to take this letter with you when you take in your motorcycle.

You should not ride your affected motorcycle shown above until this modification is performed.

If you are unable to return to the Yamaha dealer who sold you the motorcycle, this service will be performed by any authorized Yamaha motorcycle dealer. To find a dealer near you, call 1-800-88-YAMAHA or visit the "Find a Dealer" section of this website.