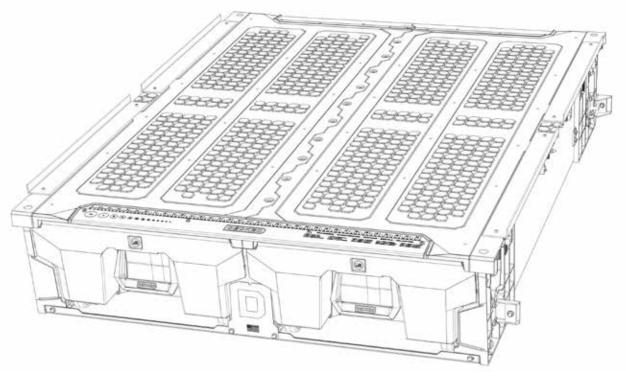


# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS\*



### XR8/XR9 RAMBOX

RAM 1500/2500/3500 WITH RAMBOX ONLY 5'7" AND 6'4" BED LENGTHS 2009-CURRENT

\*Trust us on this one; don't go commando and attempt your install without reading. You'll just cuss a bunch and create even more chaos in your truck bed.

### **TOOLS REQUIRED**

- 7/16" wrench
- · 3/8" socket
- 3/16" and 7/32" hex keys
   (we included these for you, but you may prefer your own)
- · Phillips head screwdriver x 2
- · Trusted friend with a weak mind and a strong back.

### INSTALL VIDEO

High tech link to video here or you can visit decked.com/video



## HEY! TORQUE BOY READ BEFORE YOU INSTALL

Welcome to DECKED! In a world of crappy instructions, bad advice, and questionable sources of truth, we are here to make sure that your install goes as smoothly as possible, saving you headaches and heartburn. That said, your part is to read the darned instructions!

- Drop in bed liners need to be removed before installing a DECKED drawer system.
- Only use cordless screw guns or drivers with a clutch and speed setting adjustment.
- Set your clutch down in the bottom 1/3 of the available torque settings.
- 4. Set your drill speed to the slowest speed.
- 5. We tell you all of this to prevent you from blowing up the inserts and setting your install back. Start screws into inserts with your fingers to make sure you don't cross-thread.
- 6. Do NOT use pneumatic air tools or old school tools with no torque settings.

\*NOTE: Two extra threaded inserts are included in the PREP-EXTRA bag. That's all you get big timer, unless you call us and ask for more. The repair inserts will replace any stripped inserts in the corner support feet and the vert. So, hand-tighten until snug only! You can also screw the feet inserts back in if dislocated. Use a flat screwdriver to screw them back in from below.

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### HARDWARE BOX

PREP XR8/XR9

PREP EXTRA

**C-CHANNELS** 

**BOLTS** 

**DRAWER BRACKETS** 

DRAWER HW

**TUBES** 

**HANDLE** 

HANDLE HARDWARE

XY WHEELS x 2 bags

**FS SCREWS** 

CODPIECE

**WEATHERSTRIPS** 

3/16" HEX KEY

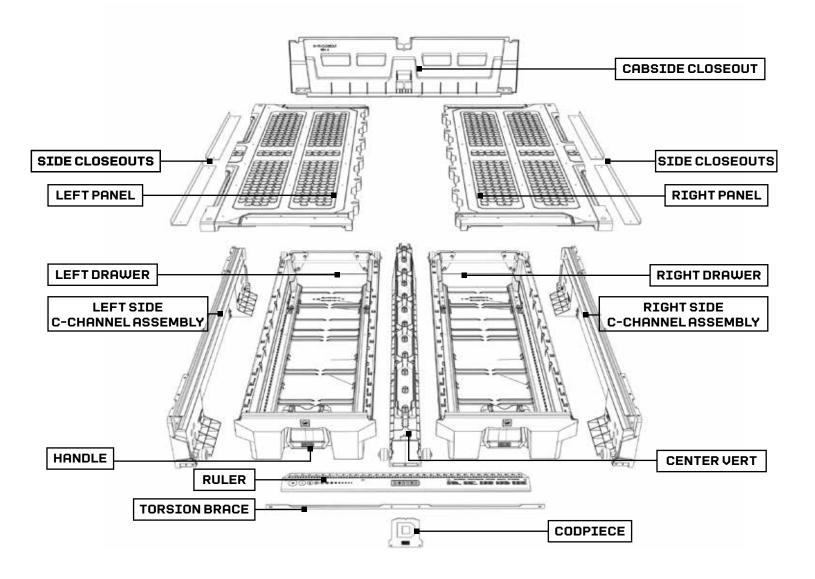
7/32" HEX KEY

**TURNBUCKLES** 

BARREL NUTS/SCREWS - LONG DRAWERS ONLY (6'4" - 8' beds: Bag included

in outer carton)

### **ASSEMBLY OVERVIEW**



#### ARE YOU ADDING A CARGOGLIDE TO YOUR DRAWER SYSTEM?

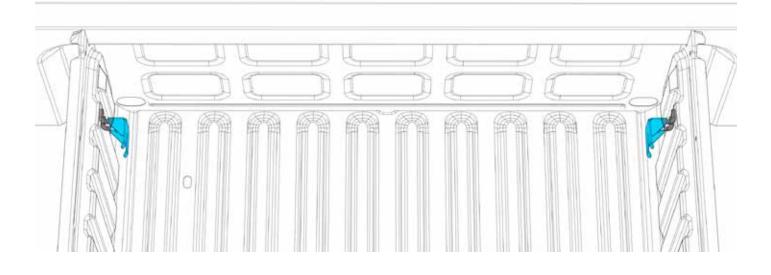
- 1. You will need CargoGlide Mounting Brackets. If you do not have these, they are available on our website.
- 2. The brackets and CargoGlide can be added after installing the Drawer System into your truck bed.

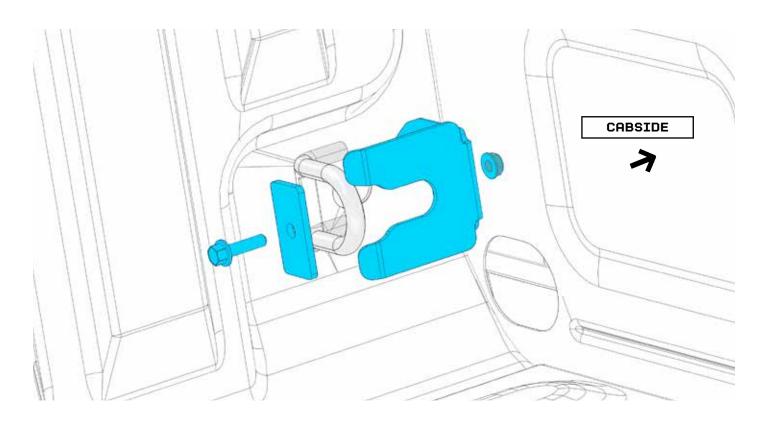
#### (JUST LIKE YOUR MOMMA TAUGHT YOU.)

## INSTALL: PREP BED

- Install the cabside mounting brackets.
- Sandwich the factory cabside tie down between the DECKED mounting bracket and clamp plate. The clamp plate must be on the tailgate side of the assembly.
- Use the 1" bolt and a flanged nut to secure the the brackets.
- Repeat on the passenger side.

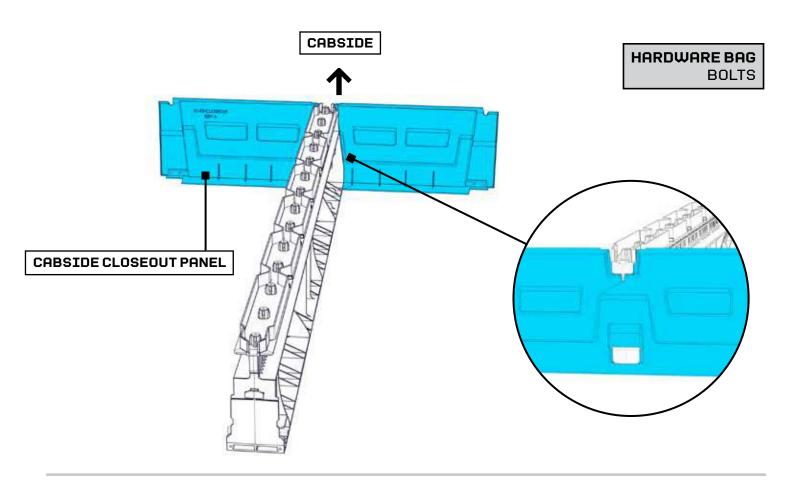
#### CABSIDE

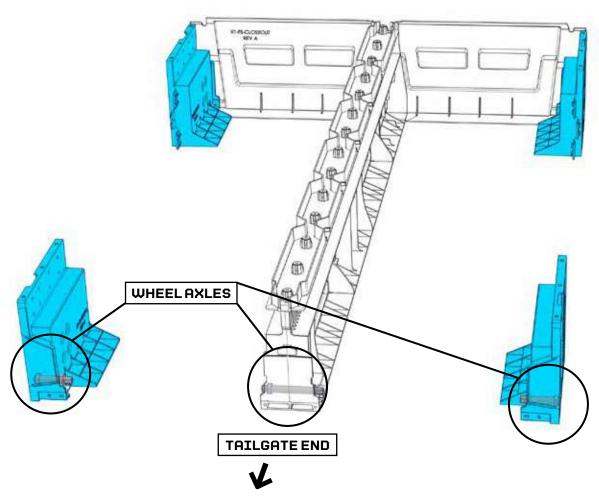




# STEP 1: ARRANGE YOUR ARRANGEMENT

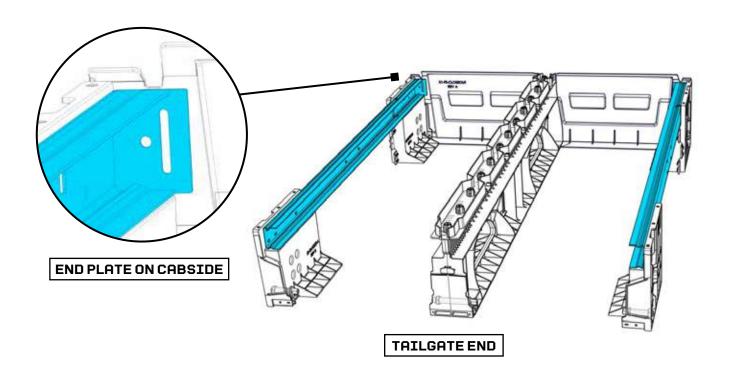
- Hook center vert tabs into cabside closeout panel slots and push vert down to engage.
- 2. On flat ground arrange the four support feet and vert assembly as shown. The tabs on the support feet must face each other.
- All three axles must be located at the tailgate end of your lay out.

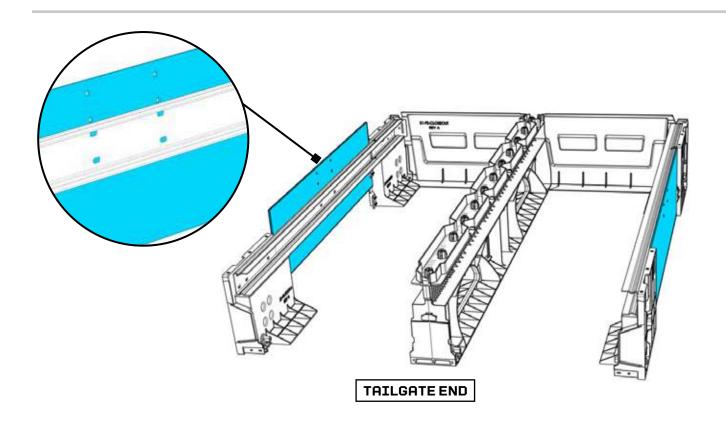




### STEP 2: CHANNEL YOUR ENERGY

- Place a C-Channel on the ledges of the corner feet on each side as shown. The end plate MUST be on the cabside of the assembly.
- Slide a side closeout panel down between the tabs on the support feet on both sides. Make sure the mounting holes in the closeout panel align with the mounting holes in the C-Channels.



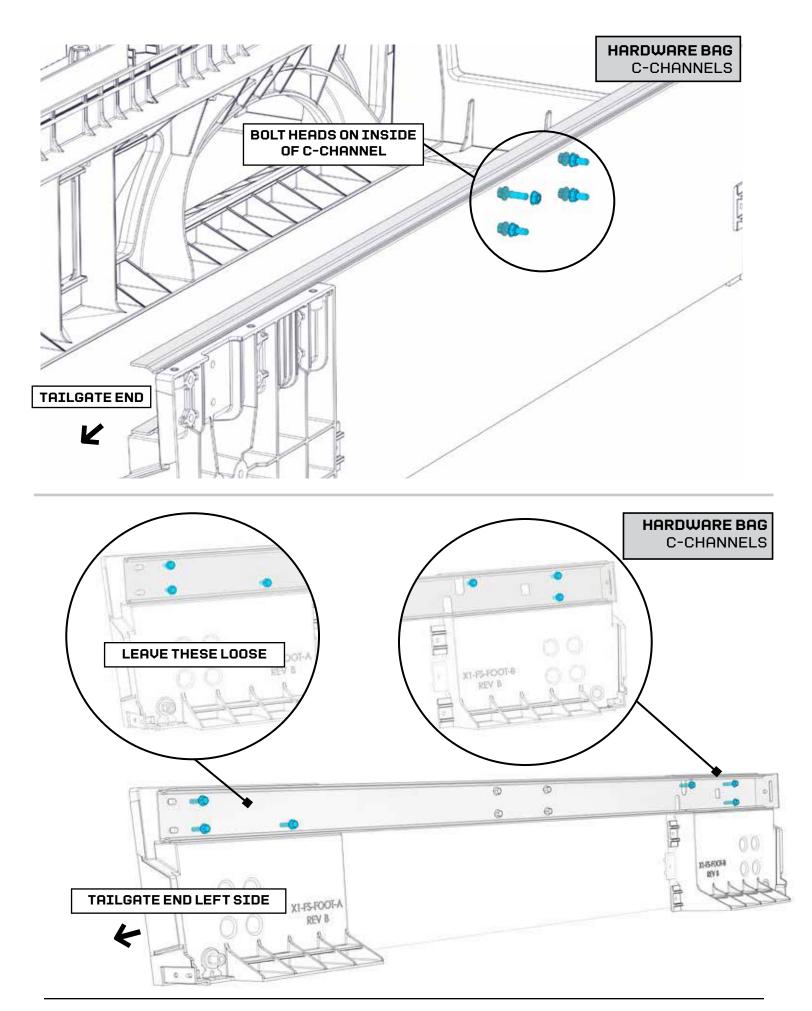


### STEP 3: GET BOLTED

 Secure the left and right side closeout panels to the C-Channels using the 1" bolts and flanged nuts.

NOTE: All bolt heads must be on the inside of the C-Channel.

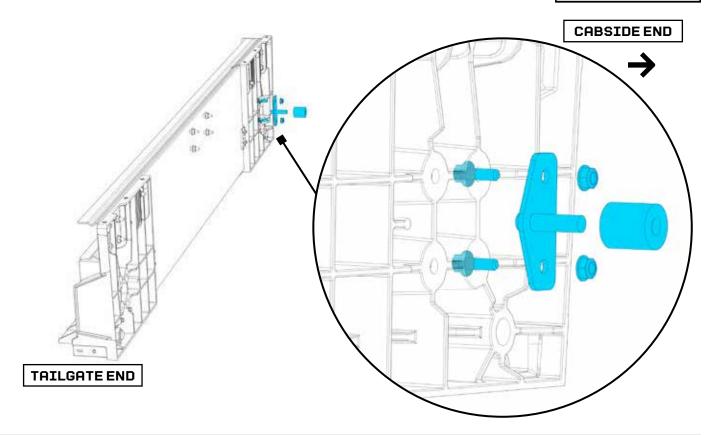
 Secure the C-Channels to the feet where shown with the 1" bolts and flanged nuts. Not all mounting holes will be used. Leave the three bolts on each tailgate foot loose for now.

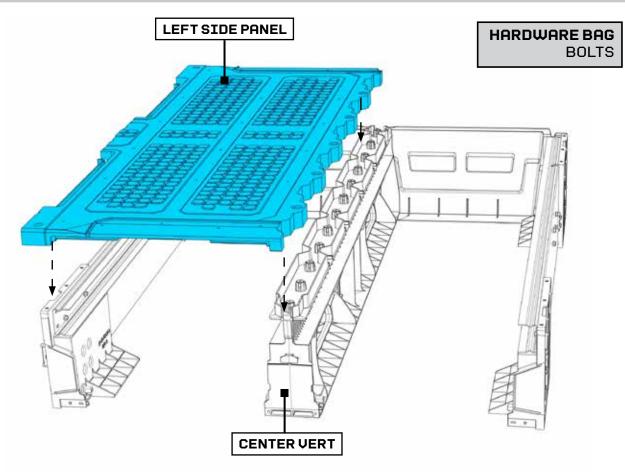


### **STEP 4:** BRACE YOURSELF

- Install the cabside foot brackets using the foot holes closest to the cabside.
- 2. Install a 3/4" bolt through the corner foot holes where shown. Attach the bracket with the flat edge facing the cabside.
- 3. Slide a black rubber bumper onto the bracket pin.
- 4. Repeat on the other side.
- 5. Install the panels. The label is on the TAILGATE side of the panel.
- While supporting the C-Channel assembly, place the left side panel on top of the assembly, seating the panel on the vert bosses.
- 7. Shift the tailgate foot to align the threaded inserts in the corner foot to the mounting holes in the deck panel.

#### HARDWARE BAG PREP XR8/XR9

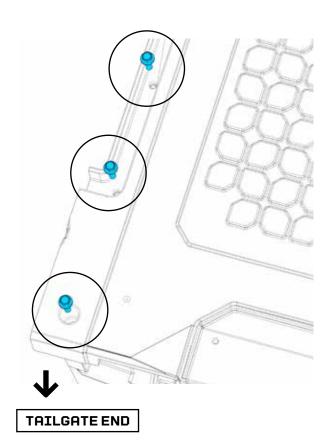


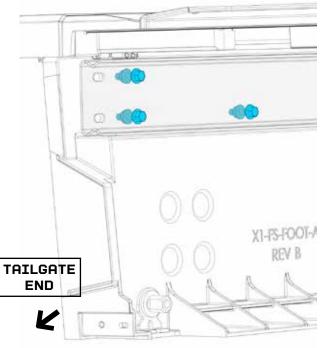


### STEP 5: BOLT IT

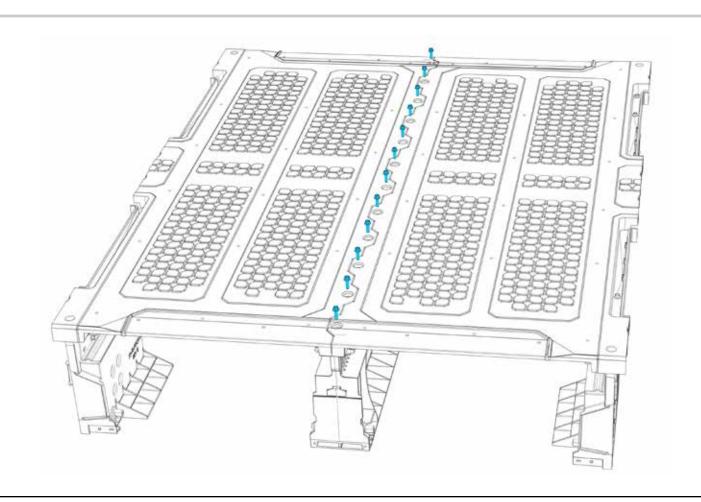
- Once all mounting positions are aligned, use three BOLTS to fasten the panel to the cabside corner foot. Tighten just until snug. Repeat with the tailgate foot.
- 2. Place the right side panel on the assembly and repeat the above steps.
- 3. Tighten the three C-channel bolts and nuts on each tailgate foot.
- 4. Install all deck to center vert bolts down the zig zag center. You'll have two extra if you have a short bed.
- 5. Stretch your hamstrings.

#### HARDWARE BAG BOLTS





Tighten the three C-channel bolts and nuts



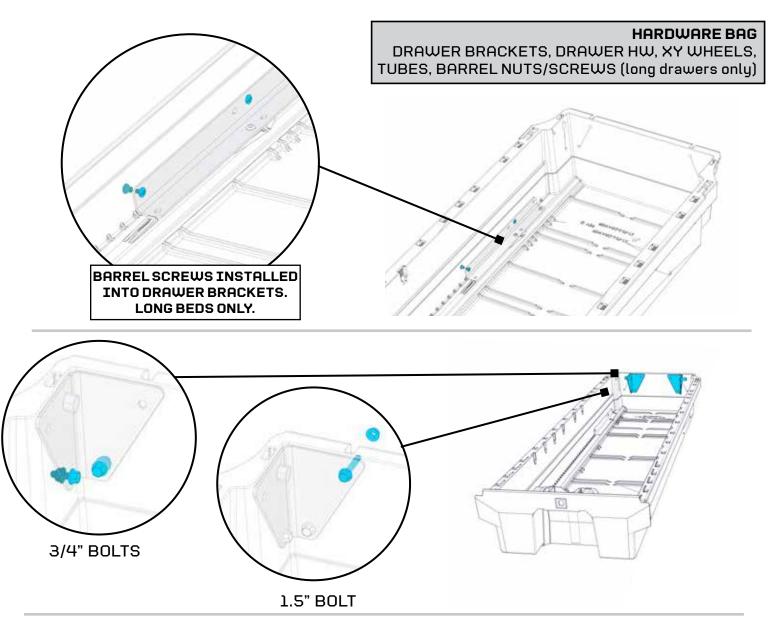
### STEP 6: ADORN YOUR DRAWERS

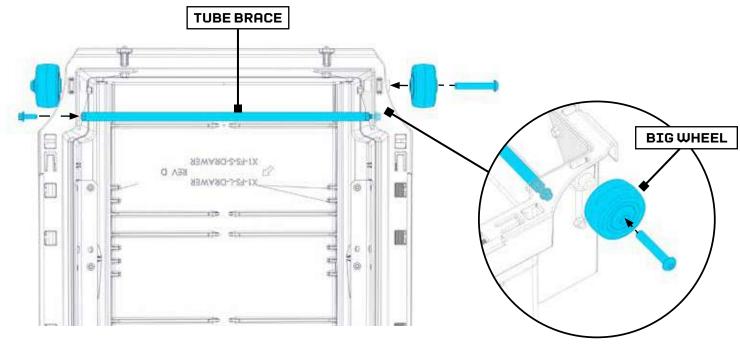
LONG BED TRUCKS ONLY: (6'4" - 8' beds)
 Your drawers will have drawer braces pre-installed.
 Look for the BARREL NUTS/SCREWS bag in the outer carton, not in your hardware kit.

Install two barrel nuts/screws through each drawer brace where shown.

There are no drawer brackets in the short drawers (5'5" - 5'9" beds) - skip this step.

- 2. Each drawer has a left and a right wheel bracket.
- 3. Place the brackets into the drawers as shown.
- 4. Install two 3/4" bolts into the bottom two bracket holes. Secure with nuts and tighten until snug.
- 5. Install the 1.5" (the obviously longer one) bolt into the back mounting hole where shown. Secure with a nut and tighten until snug.
- 6. Use two 3/4" bolts to install the tube braces.
- 7. Install the BIG wheels with a 7/32" hex driver.
- 8. Flex for the neighbors.

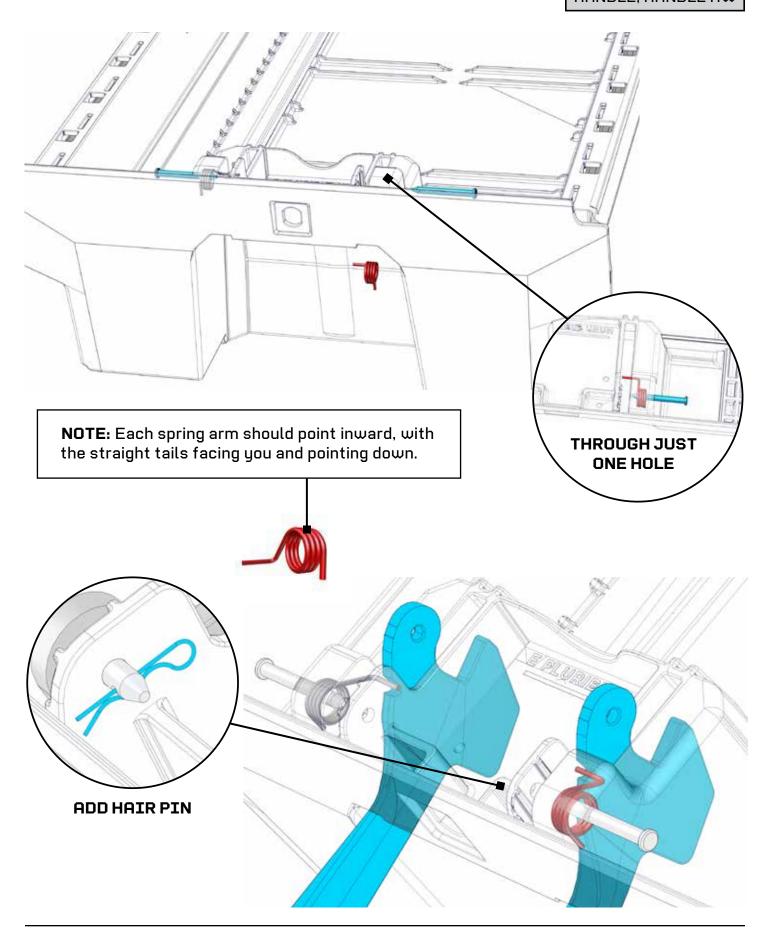




### STEP 7: THE LOVE HANDLE

- Ok, big timer, one drawer handle assembly needs to be done by you. Why? We had to fit every thing in one box!
- 2. Save yourself the headache, watch this short installation video: DECKED.com/videohandle.
- From the front face of the drawer, place the springs up and into the cavities on either side of the handle slots, red spring=right spring.
- 4. Install a clevis pin through each outside drawer hole and through the spring to hold the spring in place. Do not push through 2nd hole yet. If it's sticky you may need to lightly tap the clevis pin to get it threaded.
- 5. With the DECKED logo facing outward, insert the handle ends behind the spring arms. Hook the spring arms into the handle notches and rotate the arms of the handle toward the clevis pins, which will pull the spring arm downward and load the spring with pressure.
- 6. When the handle hole is aligned to the clevis pin, push the pin through the handle hole and through the inside drawer hole. Repeat on the other side of the handle. If it's sticky you may need to lightly tap with a hammer to get it all the way through.
- 7. Install a hair pin through each clevis pin. Check function, make sure your handle is snappy.

#### **HARDWARE BAG** HANDLE, HANDLE HW



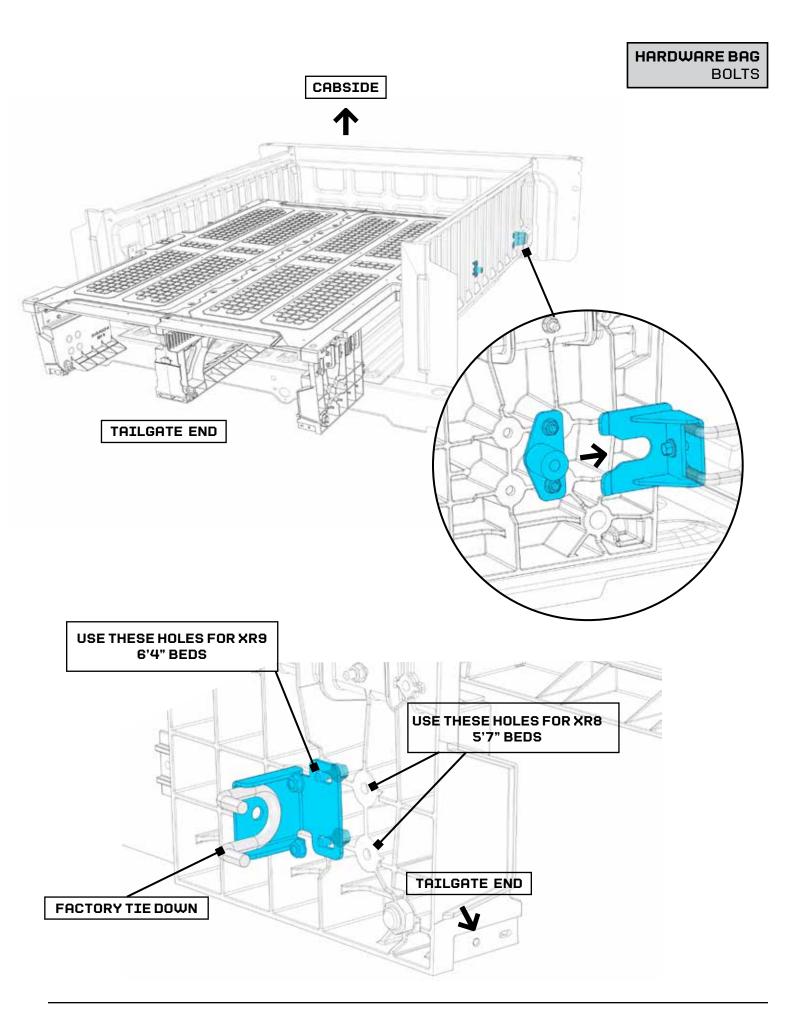
### STEP 8: IT'S INSTALL TIME

- Promise your buddy a beverage and have them help you lift the assembly into the back of the truck.
- 2. Be sure to lift the cabside alignment pins over the tailgate side tie down loop when sliding the system forward.
- Slide forward until the cabside alignment pins engage into the cabside support brackets and the system rests against the cabside wall. You may need to push firmly to get the pins seated.
- 4. The next step depends on the length of your truck. Refer to the illustration on the next page to install the tailgate foot brackets.

5'7" bed (XR8) - Use the two holes closest to the tailgate. 6'4" bed (XR9) - Use the next two holes towards the cabside.

Use the 3/4" bolts and flanged nuts to install the tailgate foot bracket onto the support foot. The nut must be on the bracket side.

5. Use a 1" black bolt to install the clamp plate. There is a nut welded on the backside of the foot bracket. Repeat on the other side.



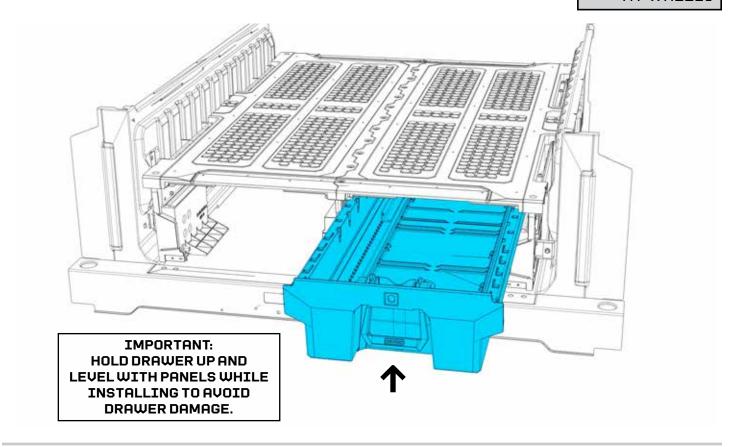
### STEP 9: DRAWERS MADE TO ORDER

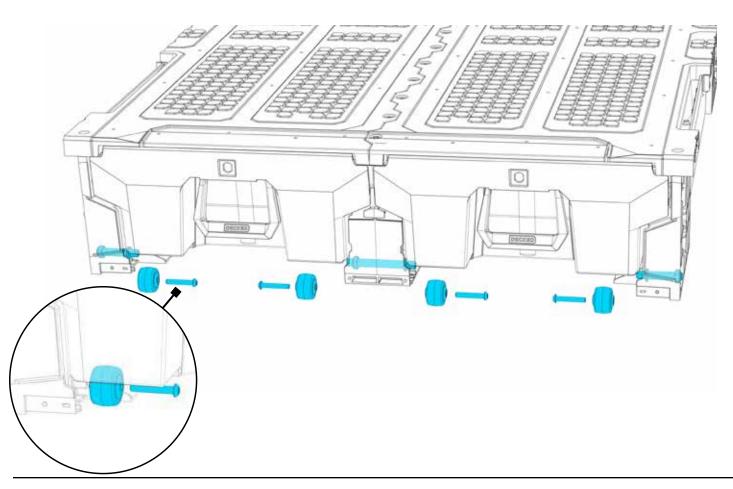
- 1. Install one drawer at a time.
- Holding the drawer level with the panel, carefully support the drawer while rolling the wheels into the channels. Seat the drawer into place.

NOTE: Do not attempt to open/close the drawers until all tailgate wheels are installed.

- 3. Use a piece of 2x2 or a friend to prop the drawer up. Install the four LITTLE wheels under the drawers using the 7/32" hex key.
- 4. Repeat with the other drawer.
- 5. Perform two karate high kicks.

**TECHNIQUE TRICK:** Get the drawer pressed all the way up against the deck panel and make sure you have not placed the weatherstrips on the drawer lip yet. If you have man hands, press the wheel against the axle to start the threads using the driver.





### STEP 10: PUT THE MUSTARD ON THE DOG

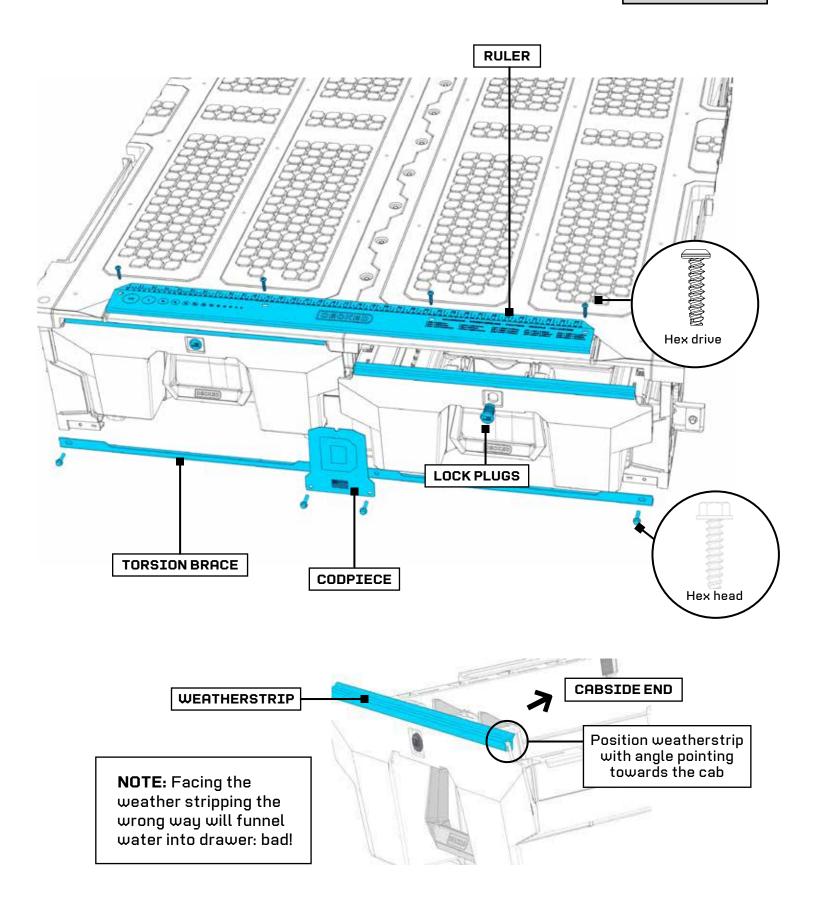
1. Install the ruler with four 3/16" hex drive screws. Do not over torque, torque boy. Just get 'em snug.



- Position the torsion brace such that the holes are facing you and the angle is under the center vert and corner feet. The hole-free side should be hidden underneath.
- 3. Slide the top of the codpiece under the lip on the center vert. Hold the codpiece in place and install two 1" long, 3/8" hex head screws through the codpiece and torsion brace and into the center vert. Do not tighten completely.



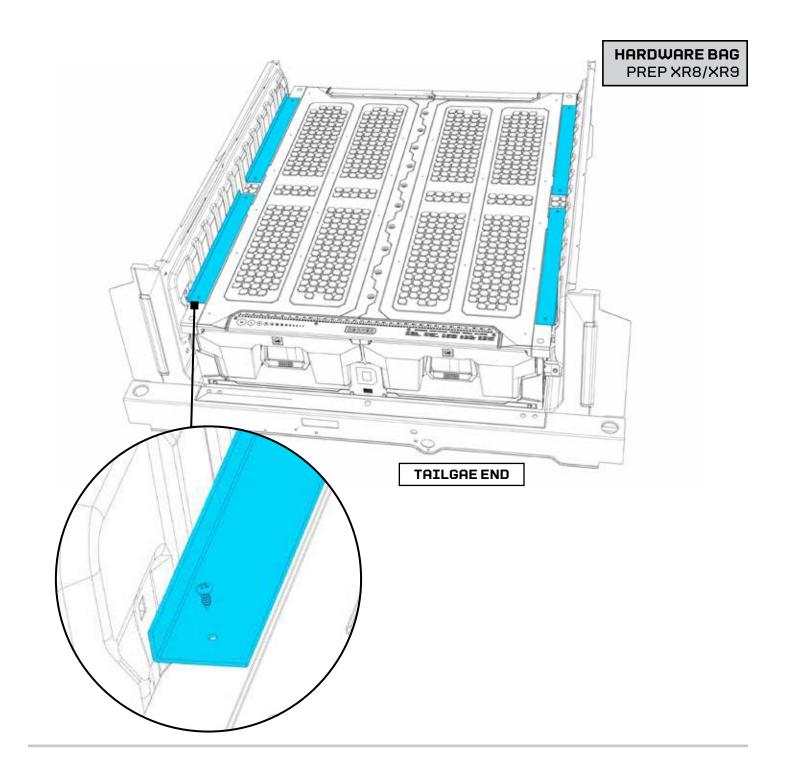
- Install the torsion brace ends with the same hex head screws. Do not tighten completely.
- Once you have the torsion brace where you like it, check to make sure the edge of the feet are plumb vertically, adjust as necessary. Once you are happy go back and tighten completely.
- Install weatherstrips onto drawer lip. Work from one end to the other, pressing firmly in place. Make sure the point of the weatherstrip is angled towards the cab.
- 7. Stand back and say, "YUP" with your hands on your hips.



### STEP 11: FINISH THE DEAL

- Place side closeouts as shown.
- 2. Use a #3 Phillips head screwdriver to install the self-tapping screws through the side closeouts and into the DECKED panels.

3. Slap yourself high five.



### CONGRATS, GAME CHANGER! YOU DID IT.

Crack open a cold one of your liking, sit back and admire your work. Now get busy organizin'!

#### (Valid on DECKED Products purchased on or after 8/1/2021)

DECKED LLC, (the "Manufacturer") warrants the original purchaser only that DECKED Truck and Van Products (The "DECKED" Product) will be free from defects in material and workmanship from the date of purchase and continuing for the expected lifetime of the DECKED Product. The DECKED Product must be registered by the original purchaser with DECKED, LLC via its website at, decked.com/register, and a copy of the original sales receipt must be supplied to the Manufacturer at the time a warranty claim is made. This warranty terminates if the original purchaser transfers the DECKED Product to any other person or vehicle.

#### WHAT IS COVERED

All DECKED Products identified above on or after August 1, 2021. **DECKED's Limited Lifetime Warranty applies to US and Canadian customers only. International shipments are covered by DECKED's 3 Year Limited Warranty.** 

#### WHAT WE WILL DO TO CORRECT PROBLEMS

Subject to the limitations and exclusions described in this limited warranty, the Manufacturer will remedy defects in workmanship or materials by providing one of the following remedies at its option and without charge to the original purchaser for parts: (a) repairing the defective portion of the DECKED Product or (b) replacing the entire DECKED Product. In addition, the Manufacturer may elect at its option not to repair or replace the DECKED Product, but rather issue to the original purchaser a refund equal to the purchase price paid for the DECKED Product or a credit to be used towards the purchase of a new DECKED Product.

#### WHAT IS NOT COVERED

This limited warranty expressly excludes:

- Damage or defects caused by normal wear and tear, cosmetic rust, scratches, accidents, unlawful vehicle operation, installation in a non-supported vehicle or installed in a vehicle which does not match the DECKED Product's SKU-intended fitment or use, or modification of the product, or any types of repair of a DECKED Product other than those authorized or provided by the Manufacturer.
- Damage or defects resulting from conditions beyond the Manufacturer's control and specifications including, but not limited to modification, misuse, overloading, or failure to assemble, install or use the DECKED Product in accordance with the Manufacturer's written instructions or guidelines included with the DECKED Product or separately made available to the original purchaser.
- · Damage to the contents of the DECKED Product or vehicle.
- TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, IN NO EVENT SHALL THE MANUFACTURER BE LIABLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL, INDIRECT, OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, INCLUDING ECONOMIC LOSS, WHETHER RESULTING FROM NONPERFORMANCE, USE, MISUSE, OR INABILITY TO USE THE DECKED PRODUCT OR THE MANUFACTURER'S NEGLIGENCE.

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#### **NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES**

If the DECKED Product does not conform with the terms of this limited warranty, the original purchaser must promptly notify the Manufacturer in writing upon discovery of the nonconformity. In order to receive remedies under this limited warranty, a warranty claim must have been registered with DECKED LLC by the original purchaser, must describe the nature of the products nonconformity, include a copy of the original sales receipt, invoice, or other proof of purchase and be accompanied with photos or video. Repairs or modifications made to the DECKED Product by other than the Manufacturer or its authorized agent will nullify this limited warranty. Coverage under this limited warranty is conditioned at all times upon the owner's compliance with these required registration, notification, and repair procedures.

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