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# Heavy-Duty Front Arm Return 2" Roll Tubes

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If a product returned is found, in our judgement, to be defective in material or workmanship, our obligation under this warranty is limited to the repair or replacement of the product, which will be made by us. Repair or replacement will be at our discretion, with replacements being made using current products performing in the equivalent function. Labor charges, other than those incurred at our factory, including, but not limited to, any labor to install a repaired or replacement product, are not covered under this warranty. All expenses associated with delivering defective products to our factory and delivering repaired or replacement products from our factory to the owner will be paid by us.

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Pay particular attention to important safety and operating instructions, as well as warnings and cautions. The hazard symbol is used to alert users to potentially hazardous conditions and is followed by caution, warning or danger messages.

Failure to READ AND FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS could result in failure of your tarping system and/or personal injury. Your trailer requirements may, however, call for minor variations to these instructions.

Please inspect your tarping system periodically. Repair or replace worn or damaged parts to your system.

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### SAFETY

We at Shur-Co® are concerned with your safety and the safety of all those operating this system. Therefore, we have provided safety decals at various locations on your tarping system. Keep decals as clean as possible at all times. Replace any decal that has become worn or damaged, painted over or otherwise difficult to read. Replacement decals are available through Shur-Co® dealers.

## **SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Always wear safety glasses during installation and operation.
- 2. Stay clear of moving parts.
- 3. No other use of this system is authorized, except as designed.

#### **RUST PREVENTION**

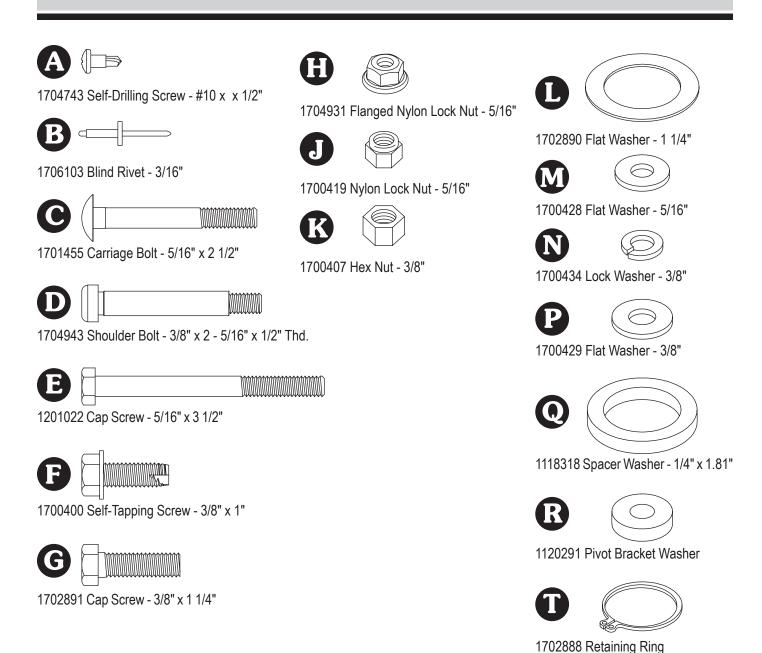
To prevent rust, paint all exposed metal, such as weld seams and/or metal exposed by grinding or cutting, with corrosion-resistant paint.

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#### **TOOLS REQUIRED**

- 1. Welder
- 2. Hammer
- 3. Center Punch or Transfer Punch
- 4. #3 Phillips Insert Bit
- 5. Air or Electric Impact Wrench (9/16" deep socket)
- 6. 7/16" Deep Socket
- 7. 3/8" Combination Wrench
- 8. 9/16" Combination Wrench
- 9. 1/2" Combination Wrench
- 10. 1/8" Hex Wrench Long T-Handle
- 11. 3/16" Hex Wrench Long T-Handle (recommended)
- 12. 7/32" Drill Bit
- 13. 5/16" Drill Bit (for 3/8" self-tapping screws)
- 14. 11/32" Drill Bit
- 15. 13/32" Drill Bit
- 16. 3/8" Drill
- 17. Standard/Flathead Screwdriver
- 18. #2 Phillips Screwdriver
- 19. Utility Knife
- 20. Ratchet
- 21. Hack Saw (metal cutter)
- 22. Pliers
- 23. Snap-Ring Pliers
- 24. Wire Cutters
- Grinder
- 26. Tape Measure

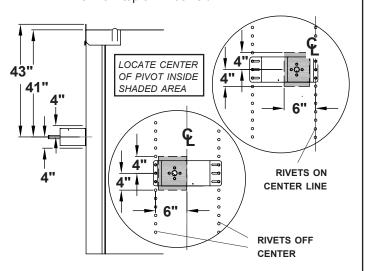


Inspect all parts in your Heavy-Duty Front Arm Return kit upon arrival.

**NOTE:** Read pages 2 and 3 entirely before drilling holes. Determine if rivets are centered or off center on front and rear of trailer.

**NOTE:** In flat cap applications, use heaped load as cap height. Maximum cap height is 10" above top rail.

STEP 1: Locate pivot mount bracket on front passenger side of trailer so center of pivot lies within shaded area shown below. Measure 41" down from top of cap or 43" from top of windshield.

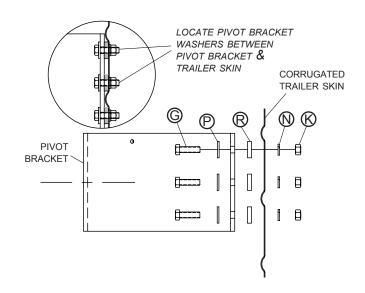


**NOTE:** Mount brackets into support braces on trailer, if possible. If bracket cannot be mounted into support braces, reinforce mounting area with backer plate for adequate support. Before drilling any holes, make sure flex arm has clear pathway to operate.

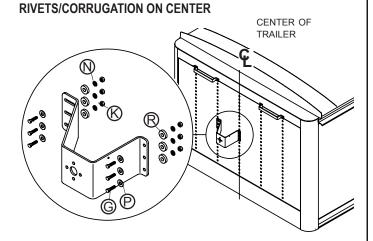
# INSTALL BRACKETS ON HORIZONTALLY CORRUGATED TRAILERS

**NOTE:** Use pivot bracket washers **①** only when horizontal corrugation on trailer prevents bracket from contacting trailer skin.

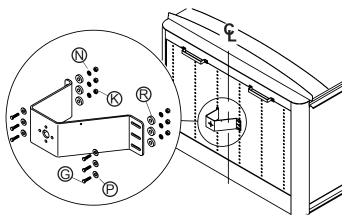
STEP 2: If installing pivot bracket or pivot mount bracket on horizontally corrugated trailer skin, use brackets as guide to mark hole locations. Mark and drill 13/32" holes in trailer and fasten with screws ③, flat washers ④, lock washers ⑤, pivot bracket washers ⑥ and nuts ⑥. Locate pivot bracket washers between pivot bracket and trailer skin as shown.



STEP 3: Place pivot mount brackets on trailer as shown below. Using brackets as guide, mark mounting hole locations.



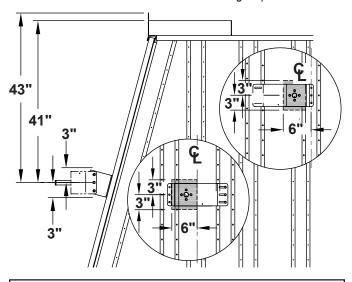
#### **RIVETS/CORRUGATION OFF CENTER**



**NOTE:** Read entire page before drilling holes. Determine if ribs are centered or off center on front and rear of trailer.

**NOTE:** Use pivot bracket washers **①** only when horizontal corrugation on trailer prevents bracket from contacting trailer skin (see instructions on page 2).

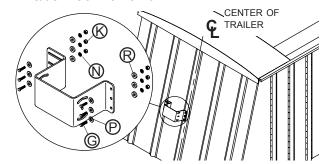
STEP 1: Locate sloped pivot mount bracket 41" down from top of cap or 43" from top of windshield, measuring vertically as shown. Do not measure along slope of trailer.



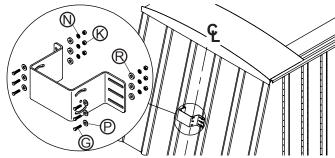
**NOTE:** Mount brackets into support braces on trailer, if possible. If bracket cannot be mounted into support braces, reinforce mounting area with backer plate for adequate support. If bracket does not sit flush with skin of trailer, install spacers between mounting bracket and trailer to assure solid contact through support braces or backer plate. Before drilling any holes, make sure flex arm has clear pathway to operate.

STEP 2: Place pivot mount brackets on trailer as shown below. Using brackets as guide, mark mounting hole locations.

#### **RIVETS/CORRUGATION ON CENTER**



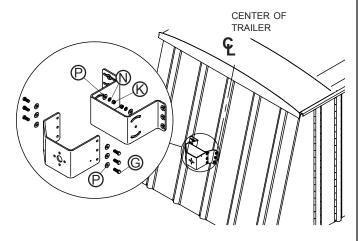
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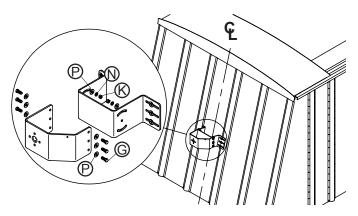
STEP 3: Drill 13/32" holes in trailer. Fasten sloped pivot mount bracket to trailer with screws **©**, washers **Q**, **Q** and **Q** and nuts **Q**.

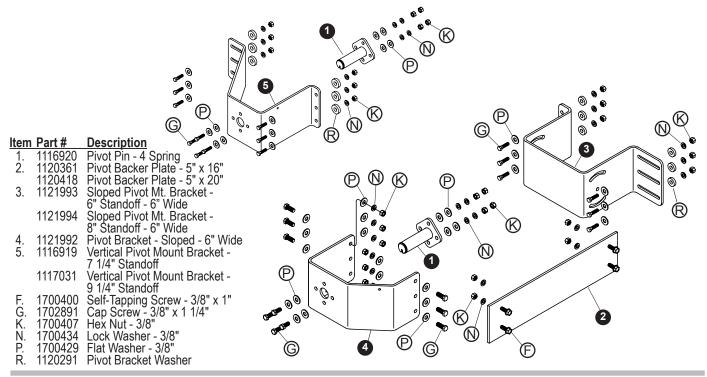
STEP 4: Place pivot brackets on pivot mount brackets on front of trailer as shown below. Fasten pivot brackets to pivot mount brackets with screws **©**, flat washers **Q**, lock washers **Q** and nuts **Q**.

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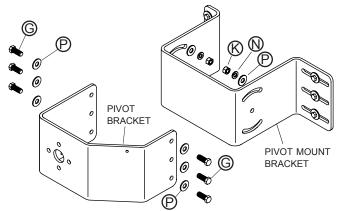


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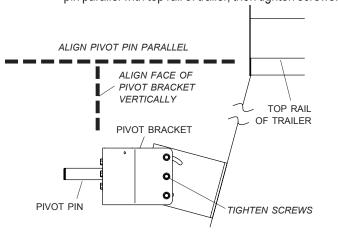


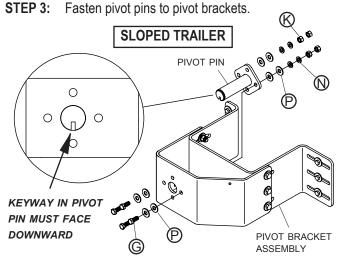


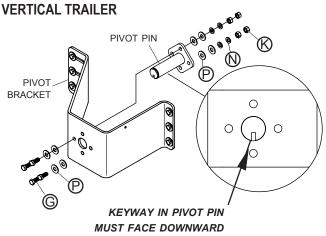
STEP 1: Align and loosely fasten pivot bracket to pivot mount bracket with screws **©**, washers **①** and **②** and nuts **①**.



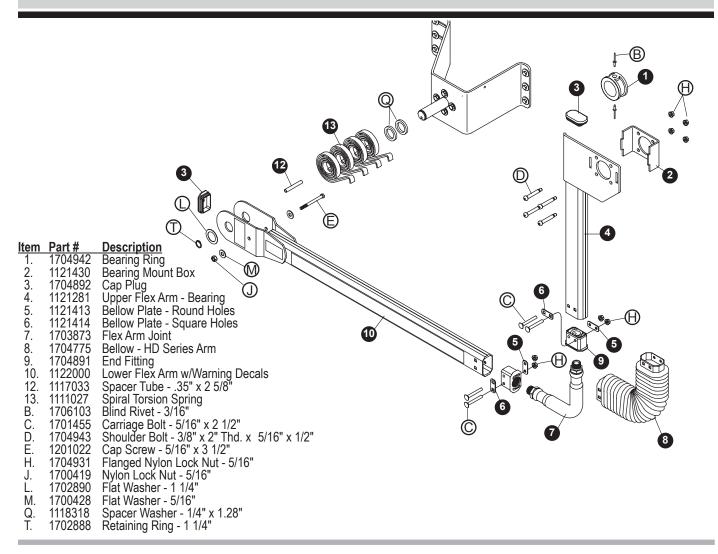
STEP 2: Align face of pivot bracket vertically and align pivot pin parallel with top rail of trailer, then tighten screws.



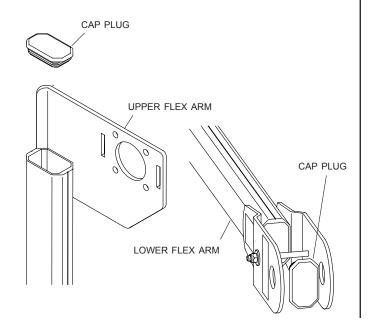




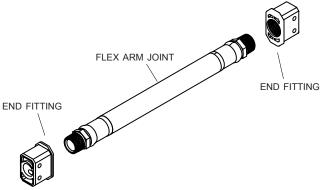
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**STEP 1:** Install cap plugs on upper and lower flex arms.

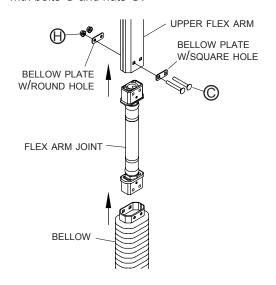


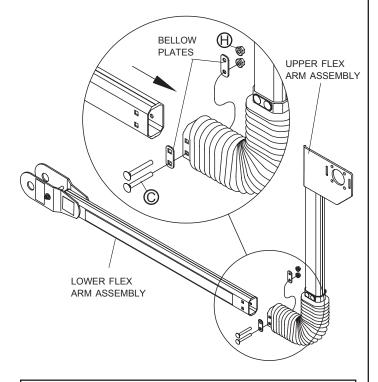
**STEP 2:** Fully thread end fittings onto both ends of flex arm joint. Tighten so end fittings are parallel.



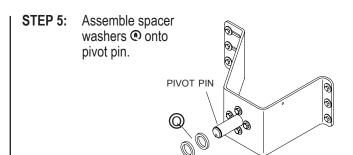
# WARNING

Flex arms are under tension while torsion springs are engaged. Use caution while assembling and disassembling arms. Failure to read and follow instructions could result in serious injury or death.

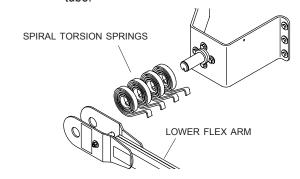




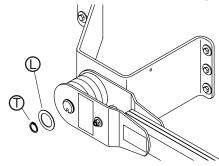
**NOTE:** Bracket on upper flex arm must face toward outside of trailer as shown above.



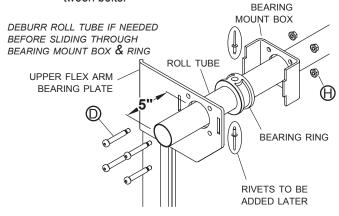
STEP 6: Assemble spiral torsion springs and lower flex arm onto pivot pin. Hook springs over screw (and spacer tube.



STEP 7: Secure with washer **①** and retaining ring **①**.



step 8: Insert roll tube through bearing mount box, bearing ring and upper flex arm bearing plate, aligning end of splined shaft 5" past bearing plate as shown. Fasten with bolts ● and nuts ●, anchoring bearing ring between bolts.

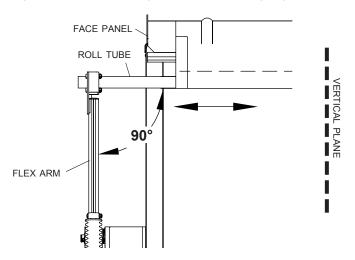


Roll Tube

STEP 1: Adjust roll tube toward front or rear of trailer so flex arm lies on vertical plane parallel to face panel and perpendicular to roll tube.

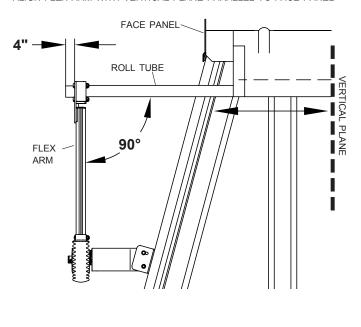
#### **VERTICAL TRAILER**

ALIGN FLEX ARM WITH VERTICAL PLANE PARALLEL TO FACE PANEL

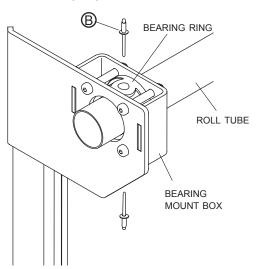


#### **SLOPED TRAILER**

ALIGN FLEX ARM WITH VERTICAL PLANE PARALLEL TO FACE PANEL

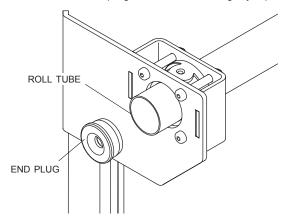


**STEP 3:** When front flex arm is vertical, drill 3/16" holes and fasten bearing ring to roll tube with two rivets **3**.

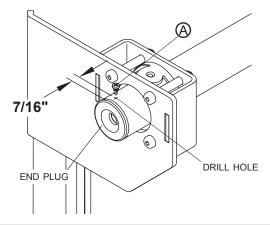


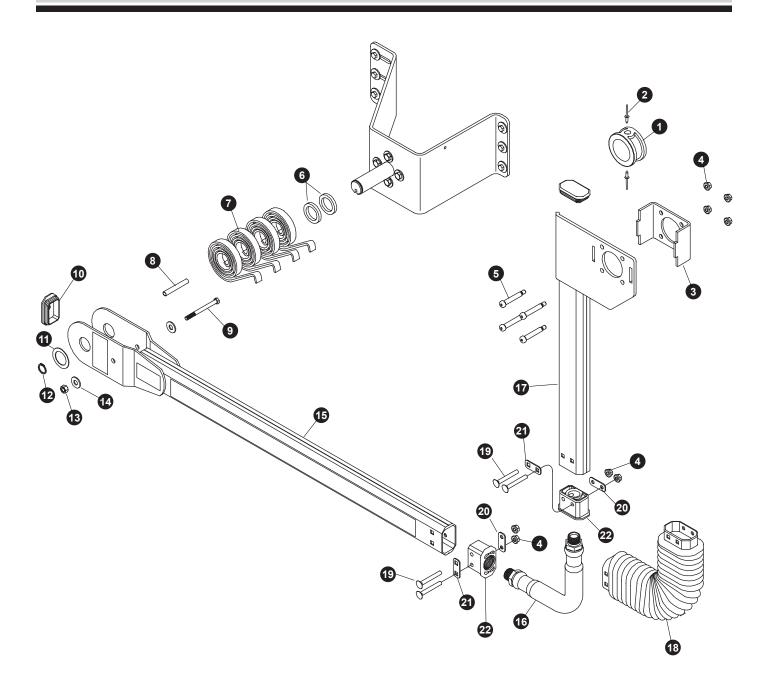
STEP 4: Re-fasten tarp to roll tube with existing U-clamps and screws. Tighten all fasteners securely. Tighten front flex arm connections.

**STEP 5:** Insert end plug into roll tube and lightly tap into place.

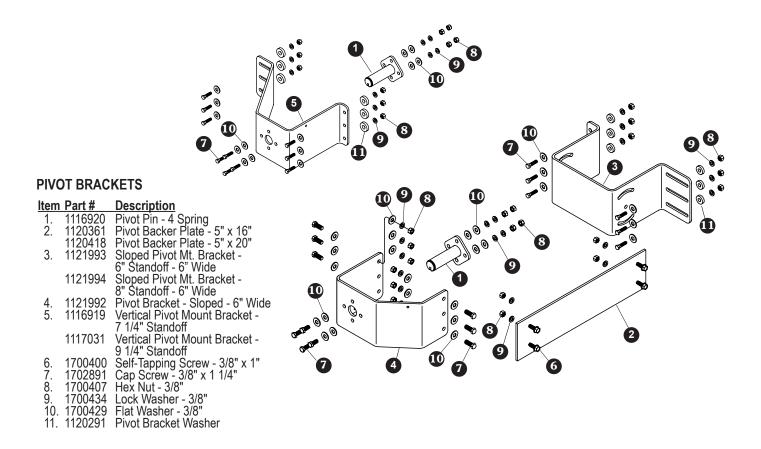


STEP 6: Mark location 7/16" from edge of end plug. Secure end plug to roll tube with screw **3**.





FRONT ARM RETURNS			Item	Part #	Description
	Part #	<u>Description</u>	12.	1702888	External Retaining Ring - 1 1/4"
1.	1704942	Rear Arm Bearing Ring Blind Rivet - 3/16"	13.	1700419	Nylon Lock Nut - 5/16"
2.	1706103	Blind Rivet - 3/16"	14.	1700428	Flat Washer - 5/16"
3.	1121430	Bearing Mount Box	15.	1121617	Lower Flex Arm w/Warning Decals
4.	1704931	Flanged Nylon Lock Nut - 5/16"			(Includes items 15; 16; 20; 21; 22)
5.	1704943	Shoulder Bolt - 3/8" x 2" Thd. x 5/16" x 1/2"	16.	1703873	Flex Arm Joint
6.	1118318	Spacer Washer - 1/4" x 1.81" OD x 1.28"	17.	1121281	Upper Flex Arm - Bearing
7.	1111027	Spiral Torsion Spring	18.	1704775	4500 Series HD Bellow
8.	1117033	Spacer Tube35" x 2 5/8"	19.	1701455	Carriage Bolt - 5/16" x 2 1/2"
9.	1201022	Cap Screw - 5/16" x 3 1/2"	20.	1121413	Bellow Plate - Round Holes
10.	1704892	Cap Plug	21.	1121414	Bellow Plate - Square Holes
11.	1702890	Flat Washer - 1 1/4"	22.	1704891	End Fitting .



**NOTE:** Replace system parts only with Genuine Shur-Co<sup>®</sup> parts to ensure proper system function. If Genuine Shur-Co<sup>®</sup> parts are not used, warranty could be void.

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