STEP 1 – PRIOR TO INSTALLATION

A) Bushwacker only approves installing the flares according to these written instructions with the hardware provided. WARNING: Failure to install according to these instructions will invalidate the warranty. This includes, but is not limited to using alternative installation methods, hardware, or materials. DO NOT USE: Loctite, SuperGlue, or similar products on the hardware or the flares.

B) Fit: Verify the fit of the flares to vehicle. (Some filing, sanding, or cutting may be necessary to ensure proper fit).

C) Painting: (Optional) if paint is desired it must be done prior to installing flares on vehicle. Clean outer surface with a good grade degreaser. DO NOT USE LACQUER THINNER OR ENAMEL REDUCER AS A DEGREASER. Wipe outer surface thoroughly with a tack rag prior to paint. Application of plastic adhesion promoter for ABS plastic as per your paint system manufacturer’s recommendations is required. Paint flares using a high quality enamel, or polyurethane automotive paint. If painting edge trim (not recommended), use a flex additive.

D) Performance: Using larger Tires may increase the area required to turn the vehicle. Some Tire/Rim combinations may require lowering bump stops and or installing steering stops to prevent tire from contacting flare.

E) Exhaust System: Modifications may be necessary to maintain a minimum 4” clearance between flares and exhaust pipes. (Exhaust gases should not vent directly onto flares)

F) Metal Protection: All exposed fasteners and bare metal should be treated with rust resistant paint BEFORE installing flares. Spray inner fender wells with undercoating AFTER flare attachments have been completed.

G) Decals: Flares may interfere with existing decals on vehicle. If you wish, remove decals prior to installation of flares.

Included in Hardware Kit:

1. CL-1-0009, Long “U” Clip, Magni 565 8 pcs
2. CL-1-0005, Dacromet “U” Spring Clip, 2 pcs
3. MT1-0014, 1” x 1.5” x .01” Black Mylar Tab, 2 pcs
4. MT1-0034, 1” x 1.5” x .06” Black Foam Tab, 8 pcs
5. SW1-0056, #10 x 5/8” Phillips SS Truss Screw, 8 pcs
6. SW1-0050, 10 x 5/16 Phillips Truss Screw, 2 pcs
7. RV1-P006, 8 x 20mm Black Nylon Retainer, 2 pcs
8. SW1-0067, 5/16 x 18 x 3/8” SS Torx Screw, 18 pcs
9. WA1-0012, .320 x 700 x .03 SS Washer, 18 pcs
10. NU1-0019, 5/16-18 Jam Fin. Nylock Nut, 18 pcs
11. SW1-0052, T-45 Torx Bit, 1 pc
12. ET1-0002, Edge Trim Tool, 1 pc
13. GP1-0007, Med. Wiper Style Edge Trim, 180
Component List:

STEP 2 - EDGE TRIM INSTALLATION

A. Peel two to three inches of red vinyl backing away from Edge Trim (GP1-0007) tape. Applying the adhesive side of the edge trim to the inner side of the flare, affix the edge trim to the top edge of the flare (the portion that comes in contact with the vehicle).

B. Press edge trim into place along the top edge of the flare in one-foot increments, pulling red vinyl backing free as you continue to work your way around the top edge of the flare. Trim flush with ends of flare.

Pocket Hardware Installation:

Put each Bolt/Washer combination through a pocket hole in the flare, Bolt head and Washer on the outside.

Put a Washer (WA1-0012) on each Bolt (SW1-0067).

Place a Nut (NU1-0019) over the end of each Bolt and tighten, using a 1/2" wrench for the Nut and the supplied Torx Bit (SW1-0052) for the Bolt. Repeat for remaining pockets.
Rear Flare Installation Procedures (Passenger’s Side):

1. Remove factory fastener from rear of wheel well. Thoroughly clean the vehicle sheet metal and inner flange prior to installation.

2. Hold flare to vehicle and mark five flare hole locations with a grease pencil.

3. Install a supplied “S” clip (CL1-0005) over the mylar tab installed at the lower front of the rear wheel well.

4. Wrap a Foam Tab (MT1-0034) around the wheel well sheet metal, centered over each of the upper four marks made in Step 5. Place a Mylar Tab (MT1-0014) at the mark made on the lower front of the wheel well.

5. Tab locations

6. Install a Clip (CL1-0009) over each of the four Tabs (MT1-0034) placed over the upper 4 marks made in Step 7.

7. Install a supplied “S” clip (CL1-0005) over the mylar tab installed at the lower front of the rear wheel well.
Install supplied push retainer (RV1-P0006) into flare and through factory hole at rear of wheel well.

**Edge Trim Tool Procedures:**

Using supplied Edge Trim Tool (ET1-0002), seat edge trim against vehicle by hooking curved end under edge trim at one end of flare. Next, slide around outer edge of flare to the other end.

Using flat end of supplied Edge Trim Tool (ET1-0002), seat edge trim against flare by inserting straight end between edge trim and flare at one end. Next, slide around entire edge to the other end.