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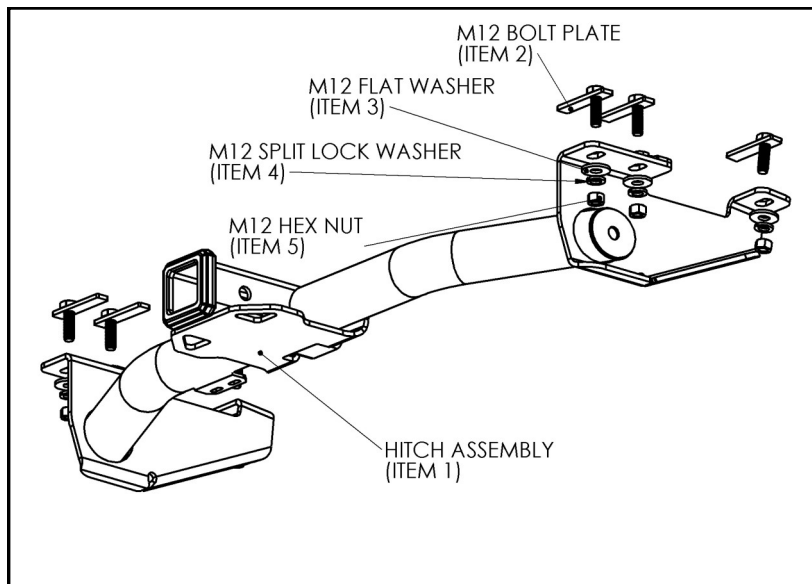
INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

CLASS III RECEIVER HITCH
APPLICATION: 2000-2014 FORD E-150/250/350
APP PART # 65-1165

ITEM	QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	TOOLS NEEDED
1	1	CLASS 3 HITCH ASSEMBLY	TORQUE WRENCH
2	6	M12 BOLT PLATE	RATCHET
3	6	M12 FLAT WASHER	18MM SOCKET
4	6	M12 LOCK WASHER	1/2" DRILL BIT
5	6	M12 HEX NUT	POWER DRILL

WARNING: Never exceed the capacity ratings shown on the receiver hitch or the tow vehicle. See your vehicle's owners guide for towing guidelines.

1. Remove contents from box, verify if all parts listed are present and free from damage. Carefully read and understand all instructions before attempting installation.
2. Some vehicles may have steel plates installed at the rear frame section where the receiver hitch will be installed. Remove these with an 18MM socket & ratchet. These plates will not be re-used. Figure 1
3. Starting at the passenger side, place two M12 bolt plates into the rearmost two mounting holes on the frame rail. Repeat for the driver side. Figure 2
4. With assistance, raise the hitch assembly to the frame rail so that the slots in the hitch assembly align with the previously placed M12 bolt plates. Secure with the supplied M12 flat washers, split lock washers, & hex nuts. Do not fully tighten at this time. Figure 3
5. Install the remaining two M12 bolt plates to the forward mounting flanges at the frame rail. Secure with the remaining M12 flat washers, split lock washers, & hex nuts. Figure 4 . Some vehicles may not have a rear mounting hole. Drill the frame using the hitch bracket as a pilot.



NOTICE: This product complies with all safety specifications and requirements defined for V.E.S.C. regulation V-5 & SAE J684

CARE INSTRUCTIONS

- BLACK FINISHES SHOULD BE CLEANED WITH MILD SOAP AND WATER



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FIGURE 1



FIGURE 2

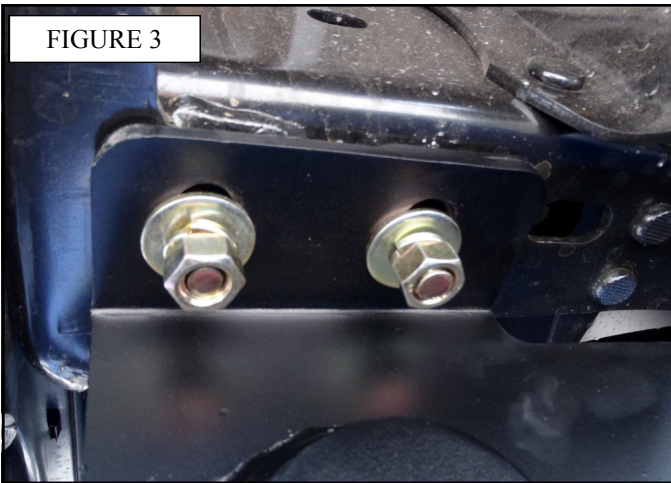


FIGURE 3

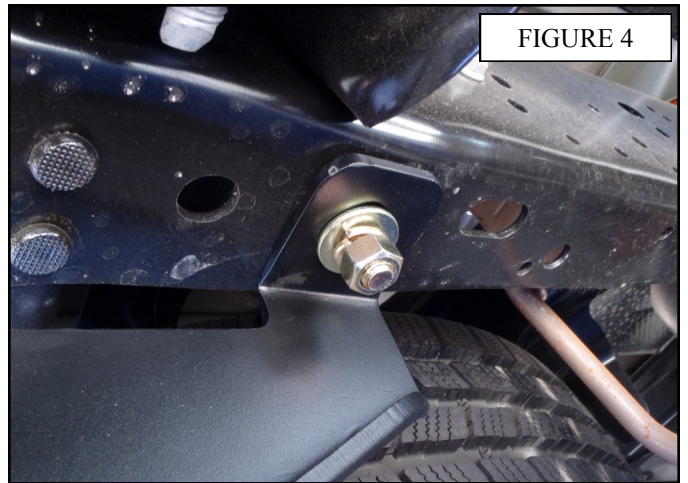


FIGURE 4



INSTALLATION COMPLETE



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WARNINGS & NOTICES FOR THE INSTALLATION OF WESTIN TOWING PRODUCTS - CLASS III RECEIVER HITCH

NOTICE

Westin Receiver Hitches are designed to accommodate a 2" - square receiver type draw bar rated for class III/IV towing. Closely follow all Westin Installation Instructions for the proper installation of product. Improper installation can result in death, serious injury, and/or product and vehicle damage. In the operation of these products, it is imperative to observe precautions for your personal safety and the safety of others.

WARNING

Failure to follow these instructions could lead to death, personal injury, and / or property damage.

FASTENERS:

All Westin supplied fasteners must be utilized and installed in accordance with the installation instructions and apply torque to the specifications as defined. **DOUBLE CHECK ALL FASTENERS BEFORE INITIAL USE, AND PERIODICALLY IN THE FUTURE TO ENSURE PROPER FUNCTION AND SAFETY.**

DRILLING:

Most Westin products do not require drilling for installation. If drilling is defined as required, use caution when drilling a vehicle. **FAILURE TO REVIEW AN AREA TO BE DRILLED MAY RESULT IN PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR INJURY TO OTHERS AS WELL AS VEHICLE DAMAGE.**

EYE PROTECTION:

ALWAYS WEAR SAFETY GLASSES OR GOGGLES DURING THE INSTALLATION PROCESS TO AVOID PERSONAL INJURY.

MAXIMUM TOWING/CARRYING CAPACITY:

The Westin Receiver Hitches will have a visible tow rating label affixed directly on the product. User should never exceed the vehicle manufacturers maximum tow and weight rating regardless of the capacity of the hitch. **FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES WILL VOID THE WESTIN WARRANTY AND MAY RESULT IN PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR INJURY TO OTHERS AS WELL AS VEHICLE DAMAGE.**



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