

LINER CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Liners, like most products, require routine maintenance. If properly cared for your DiamondSlide liner will help protect your investment and contribute to the safe predictable operation of your dump body. We listed some of the most common problems and how to care for each.

- Liner is buckling

Liner may be restricted from expanding laterally due to material that has compacted itself under cover strips. Clean out from under cover strips.

Liner may be expanding against tailgate causing liner to buckle. Cut length of liner shorter.

Bolts may have been placed in liner (other than in front only) thus not allowing liner to “free float”. Remove any bolts further back than 3’ from the front wall.

- Liner is curling at the rear of trailer.

Problem sometimes occurs when hauling products over 200 degrees F. Liner can be scored across the rear to relieve stresses that high temperature hauling can cause.

- Material working up under liner.

Rocks sometimes work under cover strip. Take time to clear them out and press cover strip back against liner.

Raise bed up and pressure wash debris out from under liner.

Caulk any gaps between cover strip and body. Material can work its way under the liner and wall.

- Tears in seams or liner.

If a tear in the liner or in a seam occurs contact your local DiamondSlide Distributor. Immediate repairs of the tear will eliminate a larger problem from happening.

- Material accumulating around doghouse (usually with asphalt).

Material will sometimes begin to grab the cover strip not the liner. Using a release agent periodically will resolve this problem.

Check to see that rough edges are smoothed out on cover strip and weld beads.

Do not allow material to continue to build. Clean it out at once.

- Liner split at the score line.

Score lines are always installed up. Check to make sure your liner was installed properly. Contact Donovan immediately before the problem worsens. Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to call Donovan or your local DiamondSlide Distributor. Basic care and maintenance of your liner will protect your investment for the long haul.