

**Step 1: Prior to Installation**

- A) Stampede Products only approves installing this Hood Protector according to these written instructions with the hardware provided. **WARNING:** Failure to install according to these instructions will invalidate the warranty. This includes, but not limited to using alternative installation methods, hardware, or materials.
- B) Inspect the Hood Protector thoroughly for defects or damage and verify the contents of package.

**KIT CONTAINS:**

- (1) HOOD PROTECTOR
- (2) ALCOHOL PADS

**OPTIONAL:**

- (2) SELF PIERCING SCREWS
- (2) WASHERS

**TOOLS NEEDED**

- #2 PHILLIPS SCREWDRIVER
- POWER DRILL WITH 3/32" DRILL BIT

**Step 2: Installation**

- A) Lift the hood and remove any dirt or debris.
- B) Test fit the Hood Protector to the truck. The center section of the hood protector tapes to the top side of the hood while the two outer tabs tape to the underside of the hood.
- C) Using one of the included alcohol pads clean the leading edge of the top side of the hood as shown in **Figure 1** and the second for the underside of the hood.

**Figure 1**

- D) Completely remove the red backing from the tape on the outer tabs. Remove the first couple of inches of red backing from the center section starting in the center of the Hood Protector as shown in **Figure 2**. **Do not peel the center section all the way off yet.**

**Figure 2****Figure 3**

- E) Carefully place and center your Hood Protector to the hood with the outer tabs beneath the hood and the center section on top of the hood as shown in **Figure 3**. With the Hood Protector centered secure the exposed center section to the top of the hood and push the outer tabs tight to the contour of the underside.
- F) While applying gentle upward pressure remove the remaining red backing from the center section of the hood as shown in **Figure 4**.

**Figure 4**

**OPTIONAL:** Two self piercing screws and shoulder washers are included for use on the outer two tabs in addition to the tape but are not required.

**CLEANING:** USE ONLY SOAPY WATER AND A SOFT CLOTH. NEVER USE PAPER TOWELS, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS OR SOLVENTS TO CLEAN YOUR HOOD PROTECTOR.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**AFTER INSTALLING THE HOOD PROTECTOR CHECK FOR FIT. MAKE SURE THE HOOD PROTECTOR IS NOT TOUCHING THE PAINT IN ANY SPOTS THAT MAY CAUSE RUBBING BY VEHICLE VIBRATION AS THIS INDICATES AN IMPROPER INSTALLATION. IF YOUR APPLICATION REQUIRES BUMP-ONS MAKE SURE THEY ARE INSTALLED PROPERLY. STAMPEDE WILL NOT PAY FOR PAINT TOUCH UPS OR REPAIRS ON HOODS DUE TO IMPROPER INSTALLATION.**