

**2006 YZF-R6 MODELS
FACTORY MODIFICATION CAMPAIGN – Air Filter Element
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Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A. posts this notice as a service to Yamaha customers and potential Yamaha customers. Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A. has decided a defect relating to motor vehicle safety exists in all 2006 YZF-R6V, VC, SPV, and SPVC “R6” model motorcycles.

Affected Models

2006 models

YZF-R6V All

YZF-R6VC All

YZF-R6SPV All

YZF-R6SPVC All

The reason for this recall: In affected motorcycles, the air filter mounting screws may loosen and fall out. If they do, they could be caught in the throttle valve, which could prevent the operator from reducing engine speed properly. This could result in loss of control and a vehicle crash with injury or death.

What Yamaha and your dealer will do: To correct this defect, Yamaha is initiating a Factory Modification Campaign. Affected motorcycles must have the air filter element replaced with a new one that is designed to hold the screws securely.

What you should do now: Do not operate affected motorcycles until they are modified. If you are not the first owner of the motorcycle, and are unsure if this modification has been done, contact any authorized Yamaha Motorcycle Dealer to check. Any authorized Yamaha Motorcycle Dealer can perform this service. For the name and location of a dealer near you, call 1-800-88-YAMAHA or visit the Dealer Locator section of this website.