

1999-2006 GM 1500 Truck Rear Flip Kit Instructions

- 1. Use wheel chalks to secure the front of the vehicle from rolling/movement.
- 2. Put jack stands under the rear of the vehicle (frame) lifting only the back of the truck.
- 3. Place a floor jack under the Rear-end and use it to relieve pressure from the shackles by jacking up the rear end.
- 4. Remove the U-bolts that attach the rear-end to the leaf spring.\*\*REMOVE ONE SPRING AT A TIME\*\*





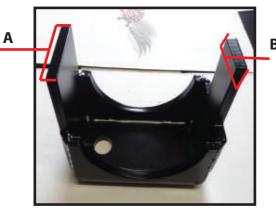
leaf spring on top of rear end. (Before)

5. Once leaf spring is loose from vehicle, place it underneath the rear-end and re-install the leaf spring using factory hardware.

## \*\*DO NOT ATTACH U-BOLTS YET\*\*

6. Complete step (5) for the other leaf spring, before moving forward.





A: FACE TOWARD FRONT OF VEHICLE

**B: FACE TOWARDS REAR OF VEHICLE** 



**Top Retainer** 



**Lower Retainer** 

- 7. Once the rear-end is on top of the leaf spring, install the flip kit saddle between the leaf spring and the rear-end housing.
- 7B. On the flip kit saddle, there are two ears pointing upwards, both ears measure width of 1-1/2".

  Place the ear closet to hole towards the front of the truck.

  8. Using the **FACTORY**, U-bolts and new McGaughy's plates that come with the Flip kit, Install the U-Bolts over the rear-end housing (using new provided retainer), placing the leaf spring plate under the leaf spring with

the U-bolts protruding through the bottom of the plate.

Install the hardware provided in the kit.

- 9. Once the flip kit is installed on both sides, tighten completely to factory specifications.
- 10. Ensure no brake lines and or wires interfere with any part of the rear-end housing, if so, move them accordingly.
- 11. Re-install your wheels and torque to factory specifications. Release the floor jack and set the vehicle on the ground.
  - \*Make sure you double check all work performed, tighten components to factory specification.
  - \*Vehicle alignment is recommended after job is complete.
  - \*When altering your vehicles ride height, it's recommended to adjust your headlight's.