

Some temporary notes on installing Electric lid on Colorado Z71 (with sailplane). We are in the process of creating more detailed instructions.

**Follow standard instructions step1.**

**Ignore step 2 to 7.**

**Continue from step 8 to 12 . Important, *pay attention to the critical points regarding stop wedges(step8) and top rubber orientation(step9).* If this is not done at this stage, the entire fitment needs to be reversed and redone.**

**Ignore step 13, replaced by the instructions below.**

**Remove bolts on inner edge of sailplane (LHS + RHS)**



**Remove trim panel by loosening bolts and removing clips that hold it in place**





**Remove the two front bolts of the rear clamp (LHS + RHS) as per picture.**

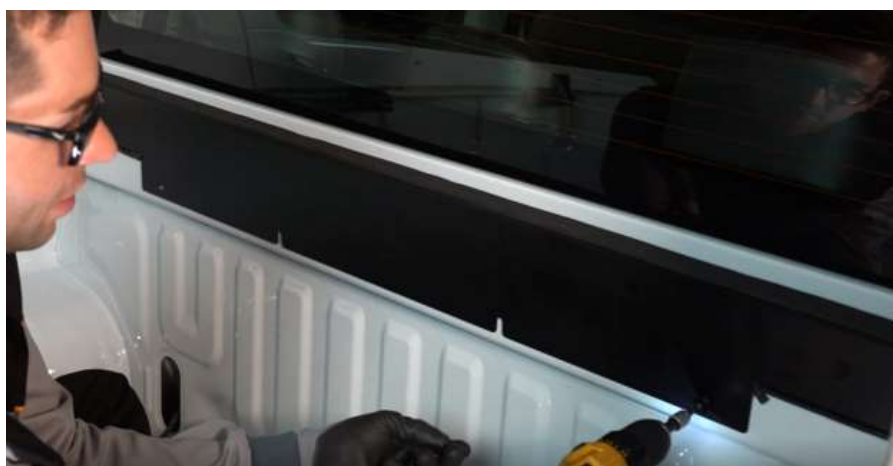


**Bolt the bracket marked with a "T" (Tailgate side) using the bolts removed in the previous step.**





**Fit the front bracket to the front of the tray and bolt down in place.**



**Apply urethane sealant all around the sides and bottom edge of the installed front bracket, ensuring to seal the entire seam. Also apply urethane to seal all gaps present between the sailplane and tray (see red line on image below)**



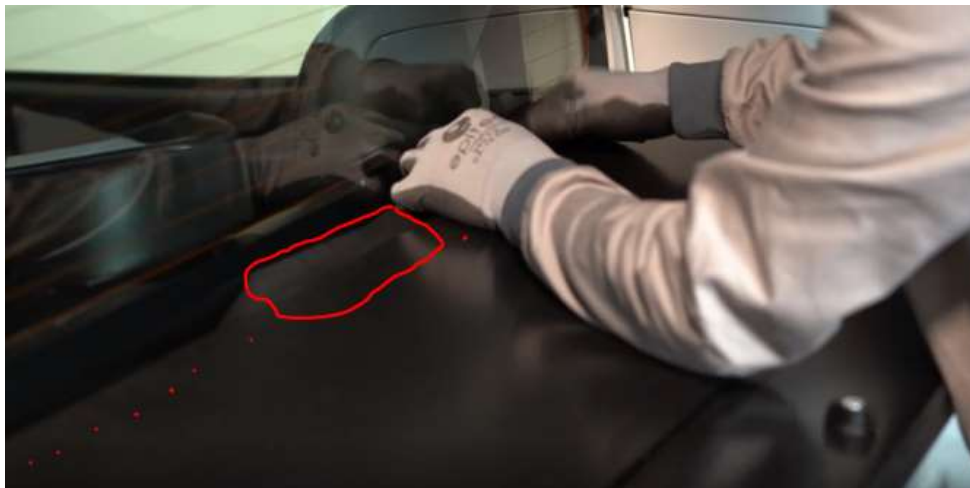
**With the help of a colleague, CAREFULLY lift the lid on the tray.**



**Place the rails on top of the installed rear brackets. Carefully lift the front of the lid unit and push toward front.**



Lift the rubber on the front of the lid cover over the edge of the front tray bracket. Refer to [step 14 of the standard instructions](#) for correct orientation of this rubber. Incorrect fitment will result in excessive water leaks.



Install the front bracket (marked F), by removing the front bolts of the front clamp, and bolting it in place.



**Adjust the position if the lid so that the holes match up to the factory tapped holes in the sailplane. Loosely insert all bolts before tightening. When tightening, start with the rear bolts as proper alignment is critical for correct operation of the shutterlid. (see next image for alignment notes).**



**Close the tailgate and lift the shutterlid rail so that a gap of 2mm is present between the tailgate and the shutterlid rail bottom corner.**



**Reinstall the plastic cover by re-using original bolts/nuts and clips.**



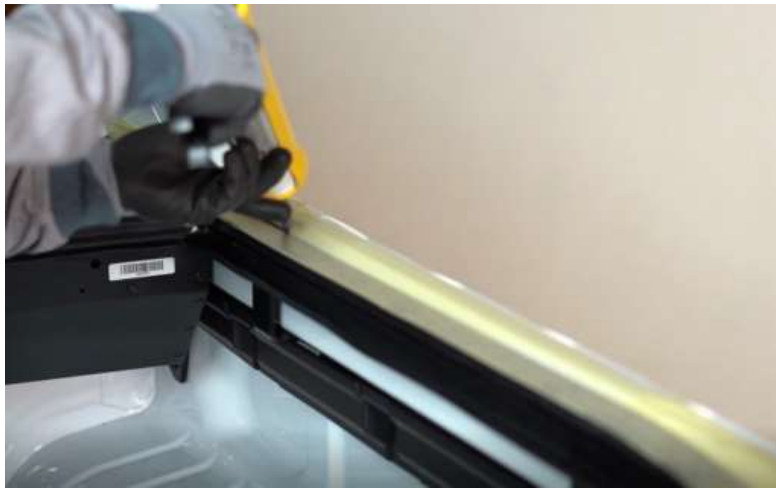
**From here, follow step 15 to 19. Skip 20 to 23 and continue from 24 to 29.**

**Tape off the edges between the sailplane and shutterlid tracks.**





**Apply urethane sealant evenly, making sure to cover the entire length closing any visible gaps**

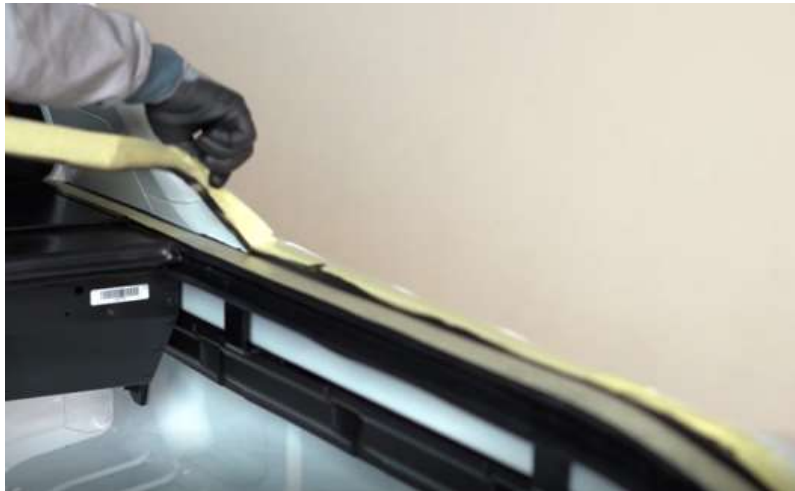


**Run your finger along the bead of urethane to create a uniform seal.**





**After allowing a surface set period of about 5 minutes, gently but evenly pull away the masking tape. Any excessive blotches must be cleaned up carefully before the urethane cures.**



**From here, refer to tailgate sealing procedure, gutter drain installation and sealing, lubrication and water test sections of the standard instructions.**