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OWNER'S MANUAL

Introduction

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and care of your 2019 Ford F-250, F-350, F-450, or F-550 Super Duty truck. It covers both gasoline and diesel engine variants. Please read this manual thoroughly to familiarize yourself with your vehicle's features and capabilities. Keep this manual in your vehicle for quick reference.

Safety Information

Your safety and the safety of your passengers are paramount. Always adhere to the following safety guidelines:

- **Seatbelts:** Always wear your seatbelt and ensure all passengers are properly restrained.
- **Child Safety:** Use appropriate child safety seats and restraints as required by law and vehicle specifications.
- **Carbon Monoxide:** Never run the engine in an enclosed area. Carbon monoxide is a colorless, odorless, and deadly gas.
- **Driving Conditions:** Adjust your driving to suit road, weather, and traffic conditions.
- **Warning Lights:** Pay attention to all warning lights and indicators on your instrument cluster. Consult the troubleshooting section or a qualified technician if a warning light illuminates.

Familiarize yourself with the location and function of all safety features before operating the vehicle.

Setup

Before your first drive, perform the following initial setup steps:

1. **Key Fob Programming:** Ensure all key fobs are programmed and functioning correctly. Refer to the vehicle's security section for detailed instructions.
2. **Seat Adjustment:** Adjust the driver's seat for optimal comfort and control, ensuring you can reach

pedals and controls safely.

3. **Mirror Adjustment:** Adjust the side and rearview mirrors to provide clear visibility of the areas around your vehicle.
4. **Steering Wheel Adjustment:** Adjust the steering wheel position for comfortable driving while maintaining a clear view of the instrument cluster.
5. **Personal Settings:** Configure radio presets, climate control preferences, and other personalized settings.

Operating

This section details the fundamental operations of your Super Duty truck.

Starting the Engine

- **Gasoline Engine:** Insert the key into the ignition or press the START/STOP button while pressing the brake pedal.
- **Diesel Engine:** Insert the key or press the START/STOP button. Wait for the glow plug indicator to turn off before starting the engine, especially in cold weather.

Transmission Operation

Your vehicle is equipped with an automatic transmission. Select the desired gear using the shifter. Always ensure the vehicle is in Park (P) before turning off the engine.

Driving Modes

Your Super Duty may feature various driving modes (e.g., Normal, Tow/Haul, Eco, Slippery, Deep Snow/Sand). Select the appropriate mode for current driving conditions to optimize performance and efficiency.

Towing and Hauling

When towing or hauling heavy loads, ensure you do not exceed the vehicle's Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) or Gross Combined Weight Rating (GCWR). Refer to the specifications section and your vehicle's specific towing guide for detailed capacities and recommendations.

Maintenance

Regular maintenance is crucial for the longevity and performance of your Ford Super Duty. Follow the recommended service schedule.

Scheduled Maintenance

Refer to the separate Scheduled Maintenance Guide for detailed intervals and required services based on mileage and time.

Fluid Checks

- **Engine Oil:** Check oil level regularly using the dipstick. Add recommended oil type if low.
- **Coolant:** Ensure coolant level is between MIN and MAX marks when the engine is cool.
- **Brake Fluid:** Check brake fluid level. If low, consult a technician.
- **Diesel Exhaust Fluid (DEF):** For diesel models, monitor DEF levels and refill as needed.

Tire Care

Maintain correct tire pressure as specified on the driver's side door jamb. Rotate tires at recommended

intervals to ensure even wear.

Battery Maintenance

Keep battery terminals clean and free of corrosion. If the vehicle will be stored for an extended period, consider using a battery tender.

Troubleshooting

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your vehicle.

Engine Will Not Start

- **Battery:** Check battery terminals for corrosion or looseness. Ensure the battery is charged.
- **Fuel:** Verify there is sufficient fuel in the tank.
- **Immobilizer:** Ensure you are using a programmed key or key fob.

Warning Light Illuminated

If a warning light illuminates on your instrument cluster, consult the relevant section of this manual for its meaning and recommended action. Some lights may indicate a serious issue requiring immediate professional attention.

Electrical Problems

If electrical components (e.g., lights, radio) are not functioning, check the fuse box. Refer to the fuse diagram in this manual for locations and ratings.

For complex issues or if troubleshooting steps do not resolve the problem, contact an authorized Ford service center.

Specifications

Key specifications for the 2019 Ford F-250, F-350, F-450, and F-550 Super Duty models:

Category	Detail
Engine Options	Gasoline (e.g., 6.2L V8, 7.3L V8), Diesel (e.g., 6.7L Power Stroke V8)
Transmission	Automatic (e.g., TorqShift-G 6-speed, TorqShift 10-speed)
Fuel Capacity	Varies by model and configuration (e.g., 34-48 gallons)
Oil Capacity	Varies by engine type (e.g., 7-13 quarts)
Towing Capacity	Varies significantly by model, engine, and configuration. Refer to specific vehicle documentation.
Payload Capacity	Varies significantly by model and configuration. Refer to specific vehicle documentation.

Note: Specific capacities and dimensions can vary based on trim level, cab configuration, bed length, and optional equipment. Always consult your vehicle's specific documentation for precise figures.

Warranty and Support

Your 2019 Ford Super Duty is covered by a comprehensive warranty. For detailed information regarding warranty coverage, terms, and conditions, please refer to the separate Warranty Guide provided with your vehicle.

Customer Support

If you have questions or require assistance, please contact Ford Customer Service or visit an authorized Ford dealership.

- **Ford Customer Service:** Refer to your Warranty Guide or Ford's official website for current contact information.
- **Online Resources:** Visit the official Ford website for additional owner resources, FAQs, and service information.