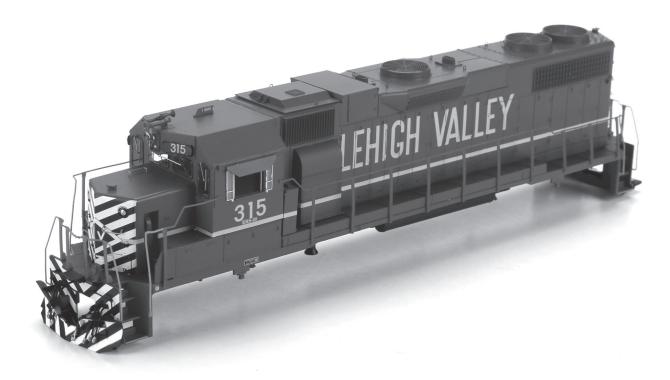


Lehigh Valley Shell Swap





Memorandum: Athearn Genesis Lehigh Valley GP38-2 Locomotives

We understand some recent run Lehigh Valley Genesis GP38-2 customers were not completely satisfied with the body color as delivered. Athearn wants to be responsive to these customers, and has reproduced these shells (cab interior installed separately) with an alternate red that we believe will be acceptable.

| Applicable Products | |
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| DCC Ready | |
| ATHG40566 | HO GP38-2, LV #315 |
| ATHG40567 | HO GP38-2, LV #317 |
| ATHG40568 | HO GP38-2, LV #320 |
| ATHG40569 | HO GP38-2, LV #325 |
| DCC & Tsunami Sound | |
| ATHG40666 | HO GP38-2 w/DCC & Sound, LV #315 |
| ATHG40667 | HO GP38-2 w/DCC & Sound, LV #317 |
| ATHG40668 | HO GP38-2 w/DCC & Sound, LV #320 |
| ATHG40669 | HO GP38-2 w/DCC & Sound, LV #325 |

What To Do:

For owners of these products only, a replacement body shell in the new red and of the same road number can be obtained through the following process:

- 1. Remove your current body shell and wrap carefully in protective material and box for safe transportation. Retain your couplers, mounting screws, and wire clips.
- 2. Write a clearly written, legible note with your name and return address and include it in a conspicuous location inside the box with your current shell(s) from the item numbers in the above "Applicable Products" chart only. Please do not send other repair/warranty material in this package, only your carefully wrapped LV shell(s) and the requested information letter. You may send multiple LV replacement shells together in the same package.
- 3. Using a delivery service that will provide a tracking number, send this package to:

Athearn Trains, attention: GP38-2 LV Shell 1600 Forbes Way, Suite 120, Long Beach CA, 90810

Athearn will return a replacement shell together with a cab interior of the same road number for each shell from the subject item numbers above returned to us, freight prepaid. Replacement shells will have bulbs installed. If you have questions, please contact us online at www.athearn.com/About/Contact.aspx