

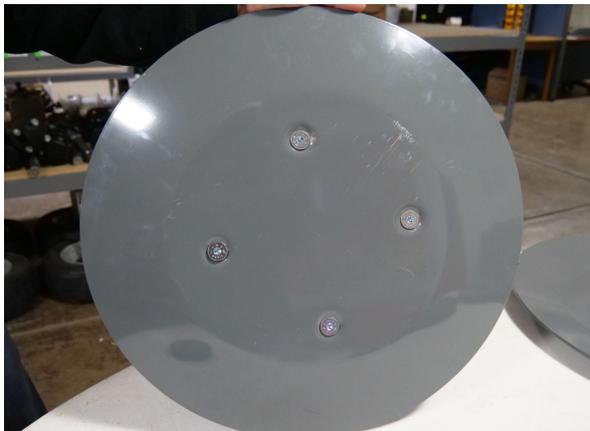
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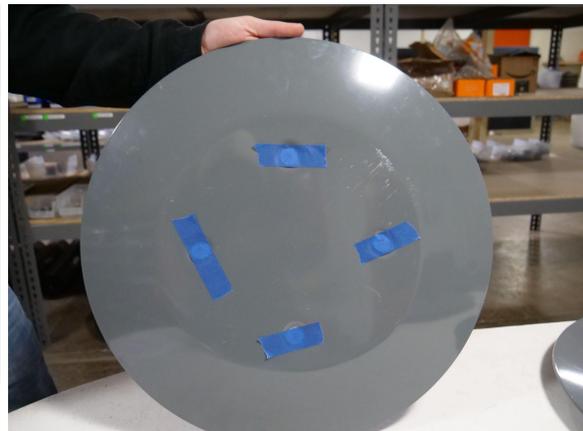


## TX45 Drum Mower Lift Kit

- **Note:** older models of this mower do not have threaded holes on the bottom of the existing skid plates. If this is the case, you will need a retrofit kit. Give us a call at 260-225-3429 for more information.
- Safely lift or place the mower in a position where you can access the bottom skid plate and prepare for removal and installation.
- Inspect the factory skid plate for any damage that may impede safe installation and operation.
- Remove the four (4) bolts located on the bottom of the factory skid plate. These bolts are not actually securing the plate to the mower, they are only placeholders. Do not remove the factory skid plate.
- Place the new longer bolts in through the bottom of the new skid plate (Fig.1) and use tape to hold them in place and keep them from falling out from the bottom (Fig.2). This will make the installation hassle free in the next steps. Then place the skid plate on the ground as it would be sitting on the ground during use, with the bolt threads facing up.



(Fig.1)

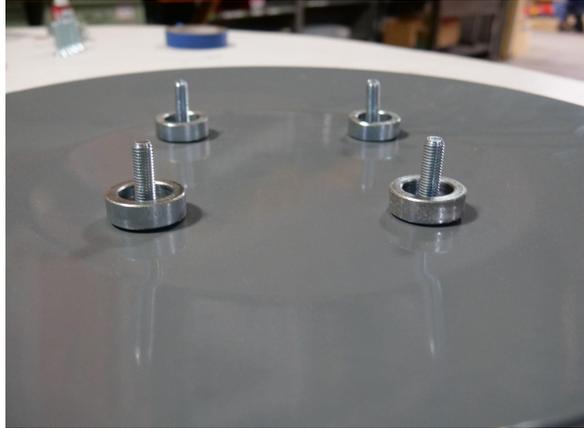


(Fig.2)

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- Place the provided shims over the bolts so they sit on the new skid plate (Fig.3).



(Fig.3)

- Apply the provided thread locker to the threads on each bolt (Fig.4)



(Fig.4)

- Pick up the assembly and line up the bolts to the holes on the drum unit's factory skid plate, take off the tape holding the bolts in place one at a time and install bolts. This step is best done with a helper to help with the heavy plates.
- Place the mower back on the ground and the installation of the lift kit has been successfully completed.