



## Mounting Instructions for Warn 9000lb Winch Defender 90

- 1. Remove radiator grille.
- 2. Remove bumper. If vehicle has a Brush Bar, remove both as one piece.
- 3. Unbolt tow rings and replace bolt with grade 8 bolts, included in kit. DO NOT bolt back at this time.
- **4.** Cut out bottom of bumper between bumper mounts.
- **5.** Cut 1 1/2" off the bottom of the radiator grille panel between the frame rails. This will allow the winch to sit up in place.

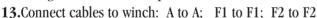


Inside Wall of Battery Box Winch Control Plug

- **6.** Fit winch plate up into bumper to location bolt holes. (drill 7/16" hole)
- 7. Bolt winch and winch plate to bumper and refit bumper and winch to vehicle using grade 8 bolts from kit.
- 7/16" Holes

  -Bumper

- 8. Pull up left seat bottom and battery box cover.
- 9. Remove tape from hole on right side of battery box and install grommet.
- **10.**Run cable through grommet from control box and run the cable along top the chassis on left side and between bottom of radiator and chassis in the front.
- 11.Locate control box under grommet and drill two holes 5/16" and bolt control box in place.
- **12.**Drill 7/8" hole in the top right of battery box. Near hand brake lever, install control plug using the rivets that are provided.



14. Connect wires from control box to control plug:

Green to Green; Black to Black; White to White and Brown to Brown.

15. Connect ground cable from winch and the ground wire from the solenoid pack to the negative battery terminal.

**16.**Connect red battery cable from control box to positive battery terminal.

## IMPORTANT:

The current vehicle battery may not be adequate for use with this winch. It is very important that you replace it with a group 31, 12 volt battery with a minimum 1000 cold start cranking amps.

## **Hardware List:**

- (1) Grommet 2"x 1/2"
- (4) 6" Cable ties
- (2) 3/8 16x 1 1/2" bolt
- (2) 3/8 24 x 5 1/2" bolt bowalloy
- (2) 3/8 24 Nylon Insert Lock-Nut

- (4) 5/16" Flat washers
- (2) 1/4 24x 3/4" bolt
- (2) 1/4 24 Nut
- (2) 1/4 Washer
- (2) 1/4 Lock Washer
- (2) Pop Rivets

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