

The new plastic banana wraps had to be fitted to length and ends were tapered in thickness, in order to insert them into the joining trim molding which has 0.080" slot.



Front aluminum panel of the belly wrap was inserted over the top edge of the banana wrap to prevent the water from the road from being forced into the belly pan during towing.



The belly pan wrap joint is only 1/2" wide on the outside.



Enclosed belly pan was then topped with Burgundy epoxy paint to a 1/4" above the belly pan molding to keep water from entering behind the trim molding. The beltline insert has presented some problem for us in duplicating the color. Originally I have considered using Formica strips

painted burgundy but I could not get it in one long piece. Not wanting joints to show I have opted for 1/16th thick rigid vinyl strip, which we have painted to match the belly pan color.



In order to positively secure the door from opening during towing a stainless steel bolt was fabricated. End of the slide bolt has a hole drilled across for the padlock.



At the present time we are hard at work in the business. Rest of work will have to be done before and after the business hours. Since the sewing machine is at home in the basement, sewing can be done in the evenings. I will post as the work progresses. Thanks for the patience with posting and pics. Thanks "Boatdoc".

