

*the nineteen hundred and ninety eight*  
**EXPEDITION**



THE ONLY WAY TO GET THERE





## 1998 FORD EXPEDITION

*When you're considering Ford Expedition, it may well be your adult response to some sound parental advice. Take charge. Think big. Don't compromise. Expedition is the genuine vehicle for those who enjoy an active lifestyle and insist on living life to the fullest. With the capabilities to take you where you want to go, Expedition is the only way to get there.*





Expedition Eddie Bauer 4x4 in Dark Toreador Red Clearcoat Metallic.

## GET THERE EDDIE BAUER STYLE

*Expedition Eddie Bauer captures the spirit of the legendary sports outfitting company whose brand has become synonymous with the great outdoors and whose heritage of quality, satisfaction and rugged individualism remains true.*



EXPEDITION



The overhead console, standard with Eddie Bauer, contains map lights, power rear quarter window switches, electronic display, a holder for sunglasses and a bin for your garage door opener.



Auxiliary climate control is an option that benefits rear passengers, allowing them to regulate heat or air conditioning levels.



The optional radio-controlled CD changer holds up to six compact discs for extended listening pleasure.

## GET THERE IN COMFORT

Wherever you're going, you'll find getting there is a pleasure with Ford Expedition. Its superb capability is matched by its extraordinary level of comfort. With the features and options you'd expect in a luxury vehicle, such as power windows, power door locks, remote keyless entry system, power moonroof and the Ford MACH™ Audio System, Expedition provides the conveniences to smooth out the rough spots in any trip.

Optional leather seating surfaces (standard with Eddie Bauer) in Medium Prairie Tan.



The Expedition Eddie Bauer interior includes leather seating surfaces and console. Shown in Medium Prairie Tan.

**SEATS NINE**



**VERSATILE**



**People/cargo versatility** is just one of Expedition's many strengths. You get a full 118-cubic-foot cargo area when the second-row seats are folded down and the third-row seat is completely removed.

**GET THERE WITH SPACE TO SPARE**

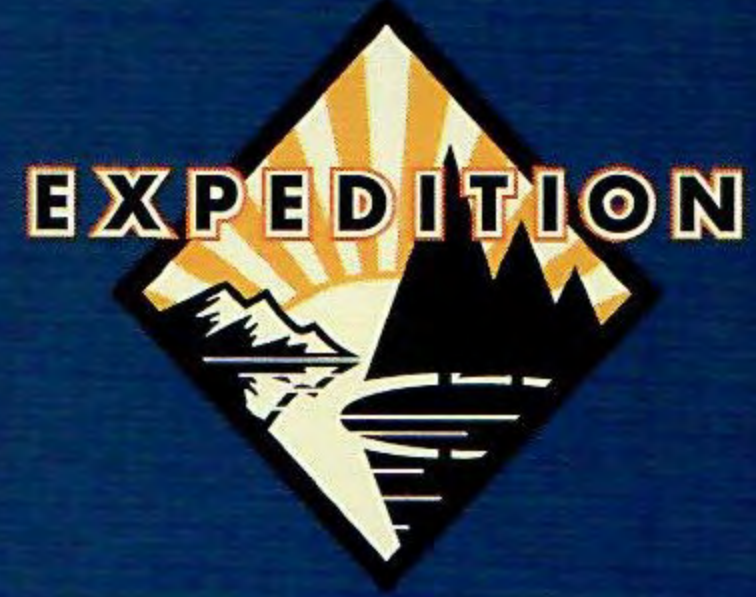
**E**xpedition accommodates family, friends, and all the gear they like to bring along. It's the only full-size sport utility to seat up to nine adventurers (XLT only) with the third-row bench option. Choose high-back captain's chairs (leather available, standard on Eddie Bauer), or a front-row 40/60 split bench seat. Both versions come with a 60/40 second-row bench seat.



**"Fold-and-stow"** removable third-row bench seat option is easy to handle and convenient to have, allowing great versatility for accommodating both passengers and cargo.

**Power flip-open quarter windows** are standard with the Eddie Bauer series. The control switches are located in the overhead console, which also includes an electronic compass and electronic displays for distance-to-empty and average fuel economy.





# GET TO THE HIGH GROUND



*On the automotive landscape,  
Expedition looms large.  
Not only for its physical  
size, but for its performance.  
It fills your needs for a  
vehicle that's both capable  
and comfortable.*

Expedition XLT 4x4 in Black Clearcoat.



GET THERE WITH CONFIDENCE



Expedition XLT in Vermont Green Clearcoat Metallic.



**Second Generation air bags** on Ford vehicles are designed to further enhance protection for the driver and passenger. Always wear your safety belt and secure children in the rear seat.

**Whether** you're traveling on an off-road trail or a rain-dampened highway, your safety is always foremost. Just a few of the ways Expedition looks out for your well being are side door intrusion beams, dual air bags and four-wheel anti-lock brakes, which help maintain control on most wet, dry or icy surfaces. The "Auto 4WD" setting with the 4x4 model's Control-Trac system provides "set and forget" 4-wheel traction capability.

**Expedition** is designed to help you avoid mishaps in addition to protecting you in situations where the trouble just can't be avoided.



**Optional running boards** include two lights on each step for excellent visibility.



**Signal mirrors** (available with Eddie Bauer) display directional arrows invisible to the driver as an additional safety feature.



**SecuriLock™** is standard. The vehicle won't start without your specially coded key.



**Childproof door locks** help keep children safe. When the locks are activated, the rear doors can't be opened from the inside.



**Adjustable harnesses.** The height of the front and second-row seat shoulder harnesses can be adjusted to five different positions for individualized comfort.







## MAXIMUM TOWING WEIGHTS

	Axle Ratio	Maximum GCWR (lbs.)	4x2	4x4
4.6L V8/4-Speed Automatic	3.31	11,000	5,900	-
	3.55	11,500*	-	6,100
	3.55	11,000**	-	5,500
5.4L V8/4-Speed Automatic	3.31	12,000	6,700	6,400
	3.73	13,500*	8,000	7,900
	3.73	13,000**	-	7,400

\*With 16" tires. \*\*With 17" tires. NOTE: Maximum trailer weights shown. The combined weight of the towing vehicle (including hitch, passengers and cargo) and the loaded trailer must not exceed the Gross Combination Weight Rating (GCWR).

Frontal area considerations:

- Not to exceed base vehicle frontal area without Class III Trailer Towing Group
- Not to exceed 60 square feet with Class III Trailer Towing Group

Required equipment:

- Class III Trailer Towing Group for trailers over 4,000 lbs.

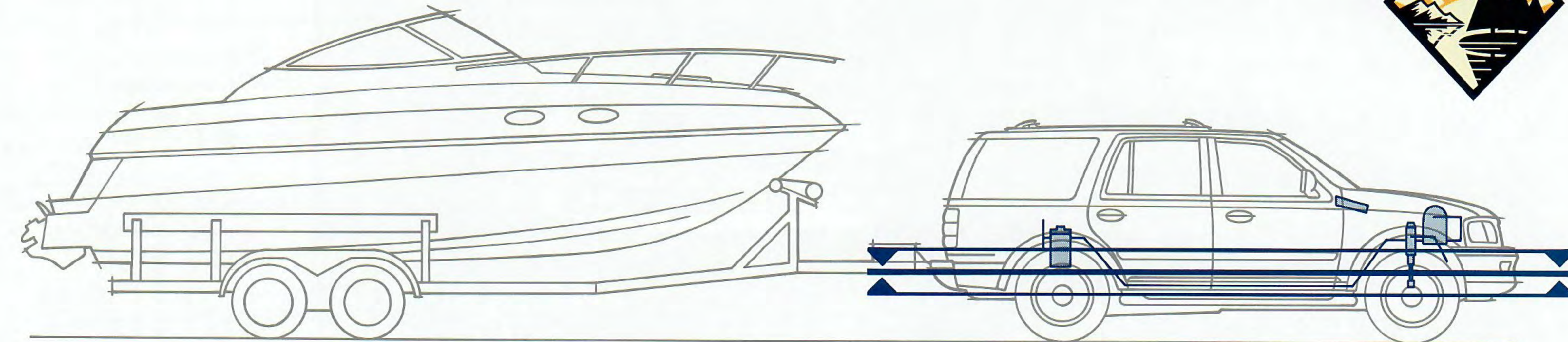
Trailer Towing Package content:

- 7-pin trailer wiring harness
- Auxiliary automatic transmission oil cooler
- 78 amp-hr. heavy-duty battery
- Super engine cooling (4.6L engine only)
- Class III frame-mounted hitch
- Engine oil cooler (5.4L engine only)
- Rear load-leveling suspension (4x2 only)

# THE POWER AND TORQUE TO GET YOU THERE



## MOST TOWING POWER



**Automatic load-leveling** (rear with 4x2, 4-corner with 4x4) is part of the optional air suspension system, which is designed to improve ride, handling and performance in a variety of conditions. Automatic load leveling keeps the vehicle at a consistent level if weight is added or removed.

## POWERTRAIN AVAILABILITY

		XLT		Eddie Bauer	
		684A	685A	686A	687A
4.6L V8/4-Speed Automatic Overdrive	S	S	S	S	S
5.4L V8/4-Speed Automatic Overdrive	O	O	O	O	P

S = Standard O = Optional P = Included in Preferred Equipment Package

## ENGINE SPECIFICATIONS

Engine	Displacement (liters/cubic inches)	Bore x Stroke	Compression Ratio	Horsepower (SAE net)	Torque, lbs./ft. (SAE net)
4.6-liter SEFI V8	4.6/281	3.55 x 3.54	9.0:1	215 @ 4,400 rpm	290 @ 3,250 rpm
5.4-liter SEFI V8	5.4/330	3.55 x 4.16	9.0:1	230 @ 4,250 rpm	325 @ 3,000 rpm



Expedition can tow more than any vehicle in its class. Expedition Eddie Bauer 4x4 in Oxford White Clearcoat.

## SPECIFICATIONS 4x2

Drivetrain:	4x2
Engine type:	4.6-liter V8; 5.4-liter V8 optional (included in Eddie Bauer package 687A)
Induction system:	Sequential multi-port electronic fuel injection with EEC-V computer
Compression ratio:	9.0:1
Transmission:	Electronic 4-speed automatic OD (4.6L/5.4L)
Horsepower, SAE net (4.6L V8):	215 @ 4,400 rpm
Torque, SAE net (4.6L V8):	290 lbs.-ft. @ 3,250 rpm
Horsepower, SAE net (5.4L V8):	230 @ 4,250 rpm
Torque, SAE net (5.4L V8):	325 lbs.-ft. @ 3,000 rpm
Battery:	72 AH; 650 CCA maintenance-free with battery saver
Alternator:	130 amps, 1,950 watts
Frame:	Boxed front to rear axle; six crossmembers; 36,000 psi
GAWR	
Minimum front:	3,000 lbs. (XLT) / 3,100 lbs. (Eddie Bauer)
Maximum front:	3,100 lbs.
Minimum rear:	3,900 lbs.
Maximum rear:	4,128 lbs.
Front suspension:	Independent SLA, coil spring (computer-selected), gas-pressurized shock absorbers, stabilizer bar
Rear suspension:	Coil spring variable-rate 5-link type with outboard 4-link and a lateral track bar, gas-pressurized shock absorbers, stabilizer bar
Rear load-leveling suspension (optional):	Rear air springs and 30-gallon fuel tank
Steering:	Power-assisted recirculating ball, speed-sensitive with variable assist, 16.1:1 overall ratio
Brakes:	4-wheel power disc with 4-wheel anti-lock system
Fuel tank:	26 gallons
Wheels (type/size):	XLT: argent styled steel/16"x7.0" J; Eddie Bauer: cast aluminum with bright hub/16"x7.0" J; chrome steel optional with XLT package 685A and Eddie Bauer
Tires:	P255/70R16 BSW all-season (standard with XLT); P255/70R16 OWL all-terrain (standard with Eddie Bauer, optional with XLT package 685A)

## SPECIFICATIONS 4x4

Drivetrain:	4x4
Engine type:	4.6-liter V8; 5.4-liter V8 optional (included in Eddie Bauer package 687A)
Induction system:	Sequential multi-port electronic fuel injection with EEC-V computer
Compression ratio:	9.0:1
Transmission:	Electronic 4-speed automatic OD (4.6L/5.4L)
Horsepower, SAE net (4.6L V8):	215 @ 4,400 rpm
Torque, SAE net (4.6L V8):	290 lbs.-ft. @ 3,250 rpm
Horsepower, SAE net (5.4L V8):	230 @ 4,250 rpm
Torque, SAE net (5.4L V8):	325 lbs.-ft. @ 3,000 rpm
Battery:	72 AH; 650 CCA maintenance-free with battery saver
Alternator:	130 amps, 1,950 watts
Frame:	Boxed front to rear axle; six crossmembers; 36,000 psi
GAWR	
Minimum front:	3,450 lbs.
Maximum front:	3,450 lbs.
Minimum rear:	3,900 lbs.
Maximum rear:	4,128 lbs.
Front suspension:	Independent SLA, torsion bar, gas-pressurized shock absorbers, stabilizer bar
Rear suspension:	Coil spring variable-rate 5-link type with outboard 4-link and a lateral track bar, gas-pressurized shock absorbers, stabilizer bar
Transfer case:	2-speed, low-to-high gear ratio 2.64:1 - 1.00:1
Control-Trac 4WD system:	Center disconnect front axle, "set and forget" computer controlled when set in A4WD. Other settings are: 2H (2-wheel high), 4H (4-wheel high), and 4L (4-wheel low)
4-corner load-leveling suspension (optional):	Rear air springs and front air shocks
Steering:	Power-assisted recirculating ball, speed-sensitive with variable assist, 16.1:1 overall ratio
Brakes:	4-wheel power disc with 4-wheel anti-lock system
Fuel tank:	30 gallons
Wheels (type/size):	Argent styled steel/16"x7.0" J (XLT); cast aluminum with bright hub/ 16"x7.0" J (Eddie Bauer and XLT package 685A); cast aluminum/17"x7.5" J (optional with XLT package 685A and Eddie Bauer package 686A, included in Eddie Bauer package 687A)
Tires:	P255/70R16 BSW all-season (standard with XLT); P255/70R16 OWL all-terrain (standard with Eddie Bauer, optional with XLT package 685A); P265/70R17 OWL all-terrain (optional with XLT package 685A and Eddie Bauer package 686A, included in Eddie Bauer package 687A)



## DIMENSIONS

	4x2	4x4
Angle of approach - loaded	18°	23.5°
Angle of departure - loaded	19°	21°
Axle clearance - loaded (rear)	7.5"	7.5"
Cab height (empty - max.)	74.3"	76.6"
Cargo length with rear seat up @ floor	52.4"	52.4"
with rear seat down @ belt	82.2"	82.2"
Cargo volume with rear seat up	62.5	62.5
(cu. ft.) with rear seat down	118.3	118.3
Front head room	39.8"	39.8"
shoulder room	63.9"	63.9"
hip room	61.5"	61.5"
leg room	40.9"	40.9"
Liftgate opening height	36.0"	36.0"
Load floor height (empty)	33.4"	35.4"
Open liftgate to ground (empty)	72.0"	73.8"
Overall length	204.6"	204.6"
Overall width	78.6"	78.6"
Overhang (front/rear)	38.6"/46.9"	38.6"/46.9"
Ramp breakover angle - loaded	22°	22.5°
Rear cargo opening width @ floor	57.0"	57.0"
Rear head room	39.8"	39.8"
shoulder room	64.4"	64.4"
hip room	62.3"	62.3"
leg room	38.9"	38.9"
Seating capacity (standard/maximum)	6*/9	6*/9
Tread (front/rear)	65.4"/65.5"	65.4"/65.5"
Wheelbase	119.1"	119.1"
Width between wheelhouses	48.5"	48.5"

\*5 passengers standard with Eddie Bauer trim.

THE SPECS TELL THE BIG STORY





Expedition Eddie Bauer 4x4 in Medium Wedgewood Blue Clearcoat Metallic.

## EXPEDITION XLT

### Package 684A

Notable standard features:

- Dual air bag supplemental restraint system
- Air conditioning
- Power autolocking door locks with childproof rear doors
- Power windows (one-touch-down for driver)
- Premium AM/FM stereo/cassette
- Remote, illuminated keyless entry
- SecuriLock™ passive anti-theft
- Dual power fold-away outside mirrors
- Solar tinted glass
- Rear wiper/washer/defroster

### Package 685A

All of 684A plus:

- Cloth captain's chairs and console (includes 6-way power driver's seat and driver and passenger lumbar adjustment)
- Privacy glass
- Dual illuminated visor mirrors
- Speed control
- 16" cast aluminum wheels
- Luggage rack



## EXPEDITION EDDIE BAUER

### Package 686A

Notable standard features:

- 6-way power driver's seat
- Privacy glass
- Dual illuminated visor mirrors
- Speed control
- 16" cast aluminum wheels
- Captain's chairs with leather seating surfaces and console (includes 6-way power driver's seat and passenger lumbar adjustment)
- Tow hooks (4x4)
- Luggage rack
- Power flip quarter windows
- Fog lamps

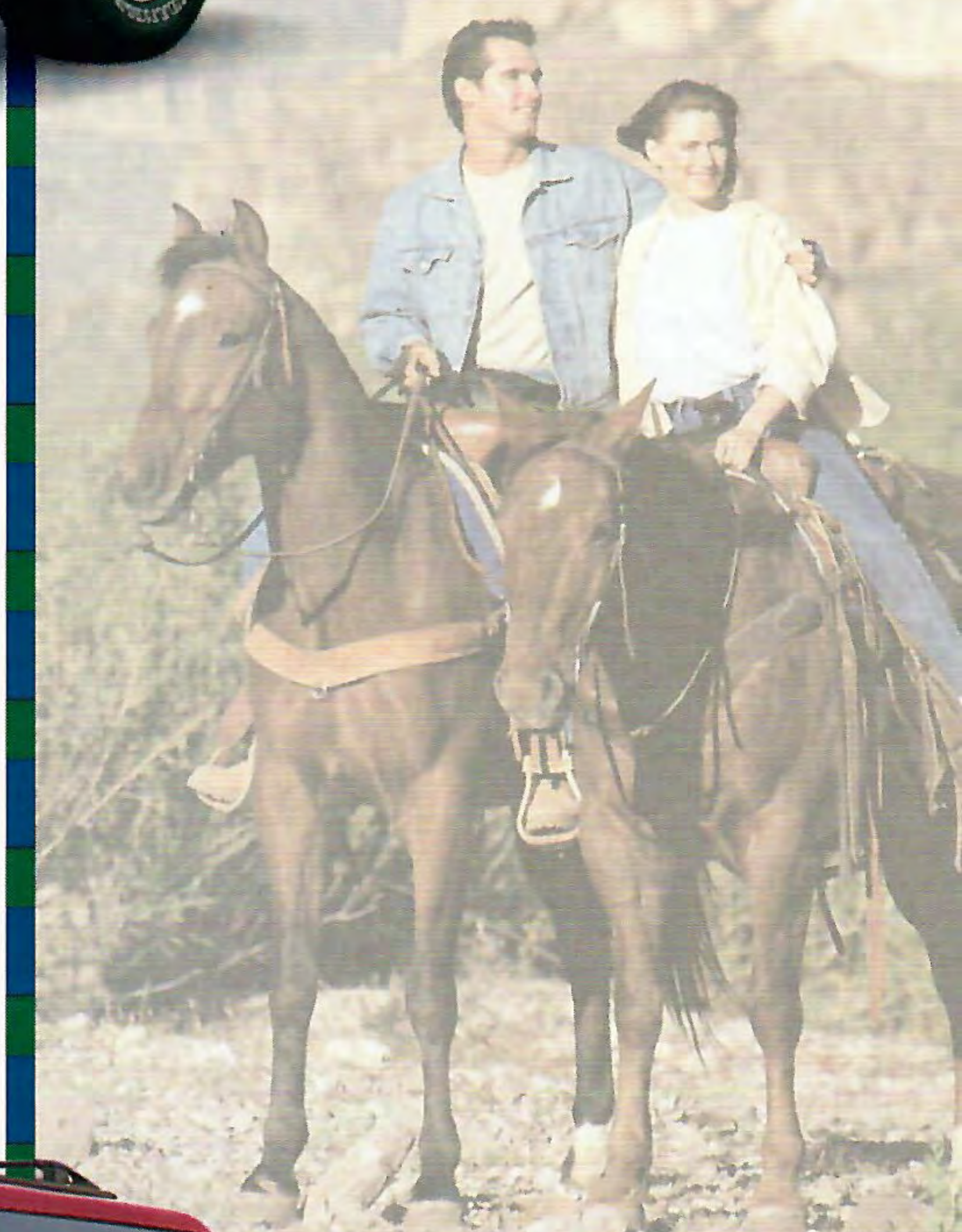
### Package 687A

All of 686A plus:

- 5.4L V8 engine
- P265/70R17 OWL all-terrain tires and 17" cast aluminum wheels (4x4)
- Ford MACH™ Audio System with AM/FM stereo/cassette and seven premium speakers and 290 watts peak power
- Illuminated running boards
- Power signal mirrors

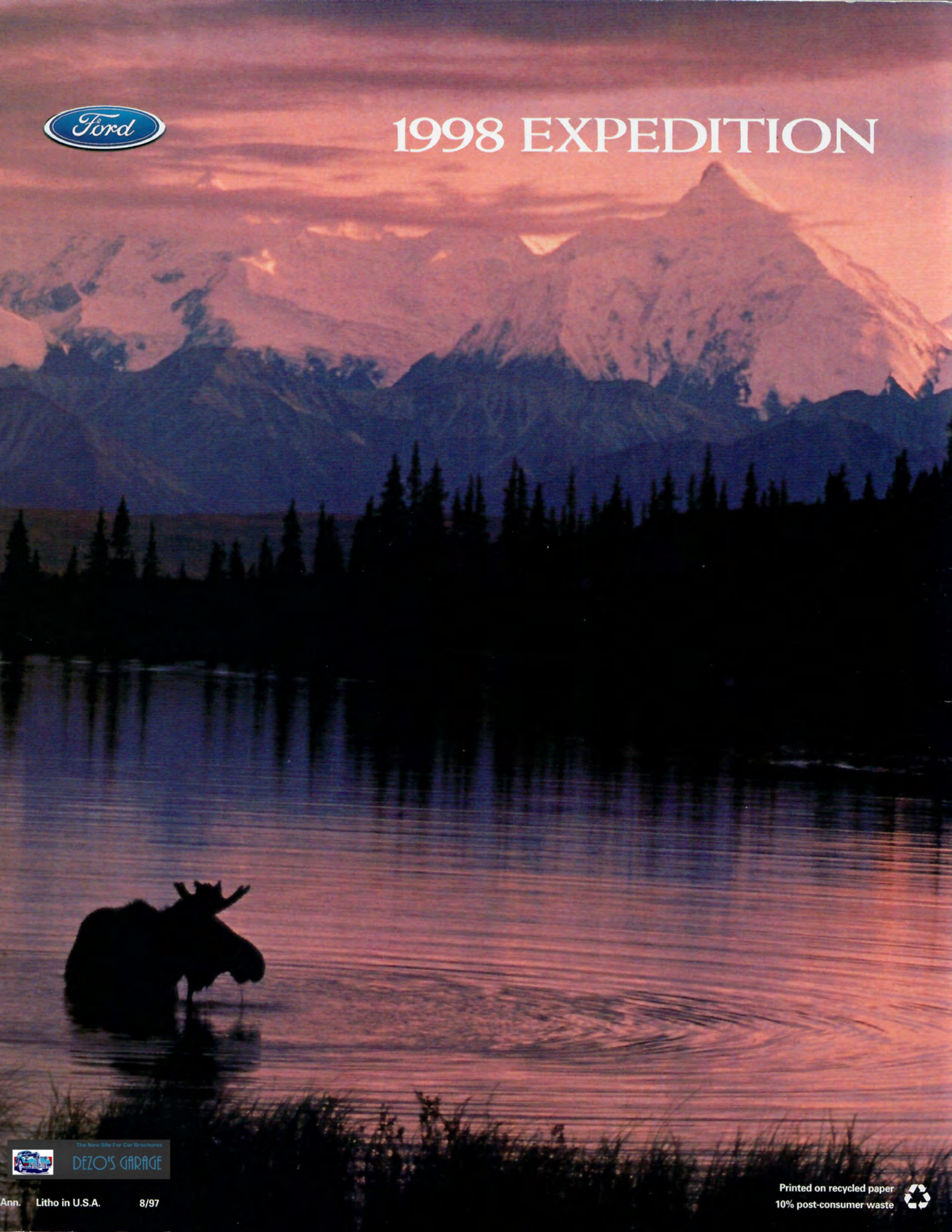


"Tread Lightly" is an educational program designed to increase the awareness of land-use regulations and responsibilities in our wilderness area. Ford joins the U.S. Forest Service and the Bureau of Land Management in encouraging you to preserve our national forests and other public and private lands by "treading lightly."





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