## NASCAR Media Conference Victory Lane Interview

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## **Ross Chastain**



**THE MODERATOR:** Ross Chastain seemingly comes out of nowhere to get a second place finish today. Ross, you guys had to work all day long and battle through. A great result at the end, though.

**ROSS CHASTAIN:** Yeah, that's a working class day. That's enough reason to go to Tootsie's next time I'm in Nashville. I want to head straight there. Gosh, that's a working day.

Just no confidence in the car yesterday. Y'all saw that. Just the speed of the Trackhouse cars on Saturdays is just terrible. We're just not confident, all three drivers.

So there was one pit stop today that Phil Surgen and the group -- it takes a ton of people back at Trackhouse and on the box here in GM at Chevrolet. They made me a confident driver all of a sudden with one adjustment. It was small stuff. It doesn't even make sense, but after that I was a confident driver. We still had a jacked brake, so hats off to Shane to quickly recover and get that other jack out there.

Yeah, I can't drive an uncomfortable car. I can't personally. So as soon as they got it comfortable or at least gave me some confidence, we started going forward.

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