



U.S. Department
of Transportation

National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline
Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire
To Report Vehicle Safety Defects
1-888-DASH-2-DOT
(1-888-327-4236)
INTERNET: www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Address

City

MACKINAW CITY

State

MI

Zip Code

Daytime Telephone Number

E-mail Address

Evening Telephone Number

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☐ YES ☒ NO
In the absence of an authorization, NHTSA WILL NOT provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner _____ Date 1/1

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 Digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side

1GHD13W9X2717599

Make

OLDSMOBILE

Model

BRAVADA

Model Year

1999

Date Purchased

04-20-2002

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

TALLBERGS 231-347-2585

Engine:

No: Cylinders

Fuel Type:

UNL

Original Owner

Dealer's City

PETOSKEY

State

MI

Zip Code

49770

Transmission Type

AUTOMATIC

☒ Antilock Brakes

☒ Cruise Control

Powertrain

4WD

Vehicle Component Code

103000 POWER TRAIN: AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION

Multiple Failure: 1

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)

21-FEB-2003

Failure Mileage

48712

Failure Speed

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make

Tire Model (Name or Number)

Tire Size (Example: P215/65R15)

DOT No. (Example: DOTM15A9C036)

☐ Original Equipment

☐ Prior Repair

Failure Location:

Tire Component Code

Tire Failure Type

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A CHILD SEAT FAILURE

Make:

Date Manufactured:

Model No./Name:

Seat Type:

Installation System:

Child Seat Component Code:

Failed Part:

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(es).)

Crash

☐ Yes ☒ No

Fire

☐ Yes ☒ No

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Deaths

Reported to Police

N

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Crash(es), and Injury(es).

Please describe (1) events leading up to the failure, (2) failure and its consequences, and (3) what was done to correct the failure; i.e., parts repaired or replaced (and if old part is available).

THE TRANSMISSION FAILED. *JB

I had just left Mackinaw City. Headed south to go home. After stopping at a drive stop & heading down a hill I got behind a front end loader & was barely moving as I followed them up to the top of the overpass. As I got to Trails End Bay Rd. there was an awful squealing

Include, if available: Police/Fire Department Report, Photos, and Repair Invoice.

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

The Privacy Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-579) This information is requested pursuant to authority vested in the National Highway Traffic Safety Act and subsequent amendments. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist the NHTSA in determining whether a Manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If the NHTSA proceeds with administrative enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies)

source. At first I couldn't figure out where the noise was coming from. It stopped (the noise) after about 30 seconds. I came on home - where you pull it in then back up just enough to strangle it up & go forward again & I found it had no reverse. I came in & called Teller & a friend transmission shop & they both reassured me it would not hurt to drive it to work so I worked Sat & Sun 10 miles round trip & drove it to Petoskey on Tues. 02/18/03 34 miles away to be looked at. The difference in 43712 & 43771. I'm not a young person & as in last few miles a year however, my 89 yr. old mother is in a nursing home in Petoskey which accumulates 9000 miles this year.

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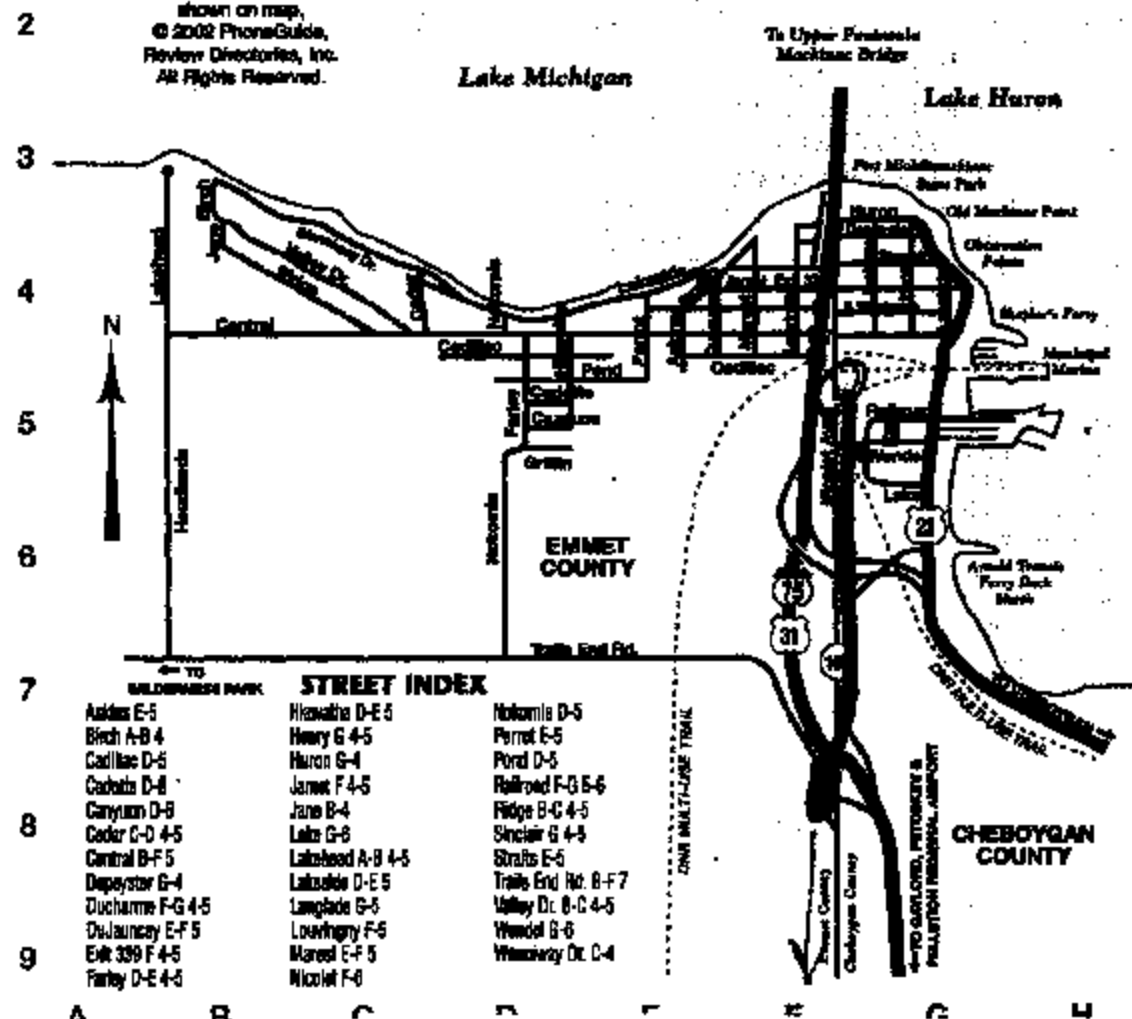
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Lake Michigan

To Upper Peninsula
Mackinac Bridge

Lake Huron



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