



U.S. Department
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National Highway
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Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline
Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire
To Report Vehicle Safety Defects
1-888-DASH-2-DOT
(1-888-327-4236)
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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name: [REDACTED]
Address: [REDACTED]
City: MICHIGAN CITY State: IN Zip Code: [REDACTED]

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 authorized signature, NHTSA WILL NOT provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.
Signature of Owner: [REDACTED] Date: 10/20/03

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side: 2FTZF07351C [REDACTED]
Make: FORD Model: F150 Model Year: 2001
Date Purchased: 7-8-03 Dealer's Name and Telephone Number: Lake Shore Ford 219-787-8600
Original Owner: ☐ State: IN Zip Code: 46304
Engine: No. Cylinders: 8 Fuel Type: gas
Transmission Type: 4 At ☒ Antilock Brakes ☒ Cruise Control
Powertrain: [REDACTED]
Vehicle Component Code: 141000 AIR BAGS: FRONTAL
Multiple Failures: [REDACTED]

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s): 16-SEP-2003 Failure Mileage: 30,345 Failure Speed: 40

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make: Good year Tire Model (Name or Number): Eagle F-1 Tire Size (Example P215/55R15): P295/45R18
DOT No. (Example: DOTM1BABC03B): [REDACTED] ☒ Original Equipment ☐ Prior Repair Failure Location: [REDACTED]
Tire Component Code: [REDACTED] Tire Failure Type: [REDACTED]

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A CHILD SEAT FAILURE

Make: [REDACTED] Date Manufactured: [REDACTED] Model No./Name: [REDACTED]
Seat Type: [REDACTED] Installation System: [REDACTED]
Child Seat Component Code: [REDACTED] Failed Part: [REDACTED]

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

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

Crash: ☒ Yes ☐ No Fire: ☐ Yes ☒ No Number of Persons Injured: 1 Number of Deaths: 0 Reported to Police: Y

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

WHILE DRIVING AT 40 MPH VEHICLE WAS INVOLVED IN A HEAD ON COLLISION WITH ANOTHER VEHICLE. UPON IMPACT, BOTH FRONT AIR BAGS DID NOT DEPLOY. DEALER HAD BEEN NOTIFIED. *AK

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

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

The Privacy Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-578) This information is requested pursuant to authority vested in the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration 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)

I was traveling East on Washington Park Blvd. then accelerated around the corner and lost control of the truck and hit a tree head on. Neither one of the Air Bags Deployed.

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