



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 [Redacted]
Address [Redacted]
City LAKE HAVASU CITY State AZ 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 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
1G1YY22G8V [Redacted] Make CHEVROLET Model CORVETTE Model Year 1998
Date Purchased MARCH 1998 Dealer's Name and Telephone Number BRADLEY CHEVROLET
Original Owner [Redacted] Dealer's City LAKE HAVASU CITY State AZ Zip Code 86403
Engine: No: Cylinders 8 Fuel Type: GAS
Transmission Type Antilock Brakes Powertrain
 Cruise Control Vehicle Component Code 012000 STEERING: COLUMN
Multiple Failure: 3

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s) 06-APR-2004 Failure Mileage Failure Speed 57 MPH

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: DOTM19ABC036) 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(ies).)

Crash Yes No Fire Yes No
Number of Persons Injured 0 Number of Deaths 0 Reported to Police N

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 BACKING OUT GARAGE, THE STEERING WHEEL LOCKED UP. THE DRIVER WAS UNABLE TO UNLOCK THE STEERING WHEEL. THE VEHICLE WAS TOWED TO THE DEALERSHIP AND THE CAUSE OF THE PROBLEM COULD NOT BE DETERMINED. *MR

This is the 3rd time Bradley Chevrolet has "biked" this locked steering wheel problem!

GM Recall # 04006 dated 2-6-04 affect Long, owner/driver

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

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