



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

FENTON

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 owner, do you provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer?
Signature of Owner _____ Date 10/20/07

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side
1GNDDT13W1W _____

Make
CHEVROLET

Model
BLAZER

Model Year
1998

Date Purchased

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Engine:

No: Cylinders 6

Fuel Type:

Gas

Original Owner

Dealer's City

State

Zip Code

Transmission Type

Antilock Brakes

Powertrain

Vehicle Component Code

136200 VISIBILITY:WINDSHIELD WIPER/WASHER:MOTOR

AUTOMATIC

Cruise Control

4 WHEEL DRIVE

Multiple Failure: 100

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)
01-APR-2004

Failure Mileage
70000

Failure Speed
0

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).

TL*THE CONTACT OWNS A 1998 CHEVROLET BLAZER. THE CONTACT STATED THAT THE WINDSHIELD WIPERS WORKED INTERMITTENTLY. THE DEALER STATED THAT THE MODULE NEEDED TO BE REPLACED. THERE WAS A RECALL FOR THE 1996 CHEVROLET BLAZER, NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID NUMBER 03V159000 (VISIBILITY:WINDSHIELD WIPER/WASHER). THE PURCHASE DATE WAS UNKNOWN. THE FAILURE MILEAGE WAS 70,000 AND CURRENT MILEAGE WAS 117,000.

NHTSA Recall campaign number 98V50001

There was a recall on 95 and 96 models. Why no recall on 98 models, it's the same problem! Does there have to be a death before this year (98) is acknowledged? We are sending a few of the several pages on consumer complaint cases from my car stats.com data. Wipers stop working in rain could result in crash.

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)

We have Two 98 Blazers with same windshield washer problem won't work in RAIN could cause crash.

98 BLAZER
VIN Number on second car 1GNDT13W1W2 [REDACTED]

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400 Seventh St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590

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National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
Office of Defects Investigation, NVS-210
400 7th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20590

Think your vehicle has a safety defect?

If so:

Use the enclosed form to file a report.

or visit:

www.safercar.gov

or call:

Vehicle Safety Hotline
888-327-4236

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Custom Report on 1995 CHEVROLET BLAZER



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Created on: 10/20/2007
Report type: RECALLS
Prepared for: [REDACTED]
Warranty Expires On: Unknown
Sponsored in part by: myCarStats Notification Service

NHTSA Recall Campaign Number: 98V150001

Component: VISIBILITY:WINDSHIELD WIPER/WASHER

Details: VEHICLE DESCRIPTION: LIGHT DUTY PICKUP TRUCKS AND SPORT UTILITY VEHICLES, 2 AND 4-WHEEL DRIVE. SOLDER JOINTS NEAR THE WIRING HARNESS CONNECTOR CAN CRACK CAUSING THE WINDSHIELD WIPERS TO WORK INTERMITTENTLY.

Consequence: THIS CONDITION CAN RESULT IN INOPERATIVE WIPERS, REDUCING A DRIVER'S VISIBILITY, AND INCREASING THE RISK OF A VEHICLE CRASH.

Corrective Action: DEALERS WILL REPLACE THE WIPER MOTOR CIRCUIT BOARD AND COVER.

Units Potentially Affected: 1557565

Recall Initiated By: ODI

Date added to NHTSA database: 02/11/1999

[FILE a complaint about this model car.

Manufacturer Contact Information

Chevrolet Silver Division, General Motors Corp.

Customer Assistance Center

P.O. Box 33170

Detroit, MI 48232-3170

Toll free: 1-800-222-1020

Toll free: 1-800-243-8872 (roadside assistance)

TDD toll free: 1-800-833-2438

Fax: 313-556-5108

Web site: www.chevrolet.com

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Custom Report on 1996 CHEVROLET BLAZER



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Prepared for: [REDACTED]
Warranty Expires On: Unknown
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NHTSA Recall Campaign Number: 03V159000

Component: VISIBILITY:WINDSHIELD WIPER/WASHER

Details: ON CERTAIN MINIVANS, PICKUP TRUCKS, AND SPORT UTILITY VEHICLES WITH CERTAIN MODEL-ENGINE COMBINATIONS, THE WINDSHIELD WIPER MOTOR MAY FAIL DUE TO CRACKED SOLDER JOINTS ON THE CONTROLLER CIRCUIT BOARD. THE WINDSHIELD WIPERS COULD WORK INTERMITTENTLY OR NOT AT ALL.

Consequence: IF THIS WERE TO OCCUR DURING BAD WEATHER, DRIVER VISIBILITY WOULD BE REDUCED, WHICH COULD RESULT IN A CRASH.

Corrective Action: DEALERS WILL REPLACE THE WIPER MOTOR CIRCUIT BOARD AND COVER. OWNER NOTIFICATION BEGAN ON JUNE 19, 2003. OWNERS WHO TAKE THEIR VEHICLES TO AN AUTHORIZED DEALER ON AN AGREED UPON SERVICE DATE AND DO NOT RECEIVE THE FREE REMEDY WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME SHOULD CONTACT CHEVROLET AT 1-800-227-1020, GMC AT 1-800-467-8787, OR OLDSMOBILE AT 1-800-447-3537.

Units Potentially Affected: 175676

Recall Initiated By: ODI

Date added to NHTSA database: 04/30/2003

[FILE a complaint about this model car.](#)

NHTSA Recall Campaign Number: 03V150001

Component: VISIBILITY:WINDSHIELD WIPER/WASHER

Details: VEHICLE DESCRIPTION: LIGHT DUTY PICKUP TRUCKS AND SPORT UTILITY VEHICLES, 2 AND 4 WHEEL DRIVE. SOLDER JOINTS NEAR THE WIRING HARNESS CONNECTOR CAN CRACK CAUSING THE WINDSHIELD WIPERS TO WORK INTERMITTENTLY.

Consequence: THIS CONDITION CAN RESULT IN INOPERATIVE WIPERS, REDUCING A DRIVER'S VISIBILITY, AND INCREASING THE RISK OF A VEHICLE CRASH.

Corrective Action: DEALERS WILL REPLACE THE WIPER MOTOR CIRCUIT BOARD AND COVER.

Units Potentially Affected: 1552785

Recall Initiated By: ODI

Date added to NHTSA database: 03/11/1996

[FILE a complaint about this model car.](#)

Manufacturer Contact Information
Chevrolet Motor Division, General Motors Corp.
Customer Assistance Center
P.O. Box 33170