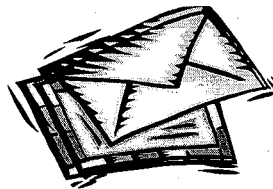


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2006 GENERAL MOTORS CHEVROLET MALIBU RECALL**

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August 12, 2014

Ms. Dana Gresham
Assistant Secretary for Governmental Affairs
U.S. Department of Transportation
1200 New Jersey Avenue, Se
Washington, D.C. 20590

Dear Ms. Gresham:

RE: [REDACTED] 2006 General Motors Chevrolet Malibu recall

Please review the enclosed information I received regarding the above referenced constituent.

I would greatly appreciate your addressing the constituent's concerns to the best of your abilities. Earlier this year, the National Transportation Highway Safety Administration oversaw the recall of the 2006 model year Chevrolet Malibu. The defect was in 4-speed automatic transmission. When our constituent [REDACTED] took her vehicle to the dealership, when was told that the parts were not available and she would have to wait for a shipment. She is now driving in a vehicle she does not feel safe inside of and is seeking assistance and recourse. Please look into the matter and inform me of any developments.

Thank you for your immediate attention to this matter. I look forward to your written response to my office within 30 days.

Sincerely,



DORIS O. MATSUI
Member of Congress

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PRIVACY RELEASE FORM/REQUEST FOR CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY

Date: 8/5/14
Name: [REDACTED] E-mail: [REDACTED]
Address: [REDACTED]
City: Sacramento State: Ca. Zip: [REDACTED]
Home Phone: [REDACTED] Work/Cell Phone: [REDACTED] (Work #)
ID# (SSN, VA, Alien Registration, etc.): [REDACTED] *Senator Steinberg's office*

Federal Agency Involved: NHTSA

Have you ever contacted our office before? yes

Have you contacted another congressional office regarding this matter? NO

If "yes" to the above, which office & when? _____

Is this matter currently pending before a local, state, or federal court? NO

Please briefly explain your problem and outline the steps that have been taken by you and the agency with regards to your situation. If you need additional room, feel free to attach a letter or write on the back of this form.

Attached is the notice I received from GM. Basically
I am driving a car with a serious safety issue.
"Clearly the cable can break at any time & I can
crash." Not only am my family and I not safe, but
any other cars around me. Parts not available and
GM refuses to provide loaner or rental to keep safety.

I hereby authorize Congresswoman Matsui or her representative to have access to any information and records pertaining to this matter. Please inform her District Office directly of the results of this inquiry as soon as possible.

Signature: [REDACTED]

** GM letter attached*

I am driving afraid at this point.

Dealers in Sacramento
have no loaner program
and no parts.

AUG/05/2014/TUE 11:34 AM Senator Steinberg

FAX No.

P. 002



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Milwaukee, WI 53209-9989

IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

14152 1G1ZT51F86F 13 0013153

SACRAMENTO, CA



July 2014

Dear

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

General Motors has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2006 model year Chevrolet Malibu vehicles equipped with a 4-speed automatic transmission. As a result, GM is conducting a safety recall. We apologize for this inconvenience. However, we are concerned about your safety and continued satisfaction with our products.

IMPORTANT

- This notice applies to your 2006 model year Chevrolet Malibu, VIN 1G1ZT51F86F
- Your vehicle is involved in GM safety recall 14152.

Why is your vehicle being recalled?

Your vehicle has a condition in which the transmission shift cable may fracture at any time. When the fracture occurs, the driver may not be able to select a different gear, remove the key from the ignition or place the transmission in park. When the fracture occurs, the driver may not be able to select a different gear and the vehicle may move in an unintended direction, increasing the risk of a crash. If the driver cannot place the vehicle in park, and exits the vehicle without applying the park brake, the vehicle could roll away and a crash could occur without prior warning.

What will we do?

PARTS ARE NOT CURRENTLY AVAILABLE. When parts become available your Chevrolet dealer will install a shift cable assembly and mounting bracket. This service will be performed for you at **no charge**.

We are working as quickly as possible to correct this condition. When parts are available, we will send you another letter asking you to take your vehicle to your Chevrolet dealer to have your vehicle serviced. If you have already paid for repairs for this condition, a reimbursement request form will be included with the letter.





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