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This consumer is awaiting a fix for an air bag recall – 17V061 (published in January). This is not Takata related, but rather involves the Passenger Air Bag Suppression System (PPS/Passenger Presence System). Since his 2006 PONTIAC SOLSTICE is only a 2-seat vehicle, he feels it is imperative that this defect be repaired. As near as I can determine, GM is still developing a fix 7 months later – they have offered to disable his passenger air bag warning system in the meantime, but that does not give him a very warm, fuzzy feeling. He submitted an IVOQ – 11004722 .



-----Original Message-----

From: [REDACTED]  
Sent: Wednesday, August 16, 2017 8:34 AM  
To: donotreplyodi (VOLPE) <donotreplyodi@dot.gov>  
Subject: Re: Thanks for Letting Us Know About Your Vehicle

Good Morning,

I am replying on the case I sent in with the airbag that is located in my car that GM has no fix for it and with this being a two seat car my passenger/child has no airbag that can help if crash occurs. If you can help with this lower page has the information that was sent in. Thanks [REDACTED]

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On Wed, 7/12/17, U.S. DOT National Highway Traffic Safety Administration <donotreplyodi@dot.gov> wrote:

Subject: Thanks for Letting Us Know About Your Vehicle  
To: [REDACTED]  
Date: Wednesday, July 12, 2017, 7:58 AM

This email is to confirm we received your vehicle complaint submitted to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA). Thank you for this public service as it is through actions like yours that together we can save lives on America's roadways.

Your tracking number assigned by NHTSA for this issue is 11004722.

Please keep this number for your records and for future reference. Once your complaint has been processed, you will be able to view it online and find any related documents.  
Please allow two business days for NHTSA to review your complaint.

What happens next?

Your complaint will be reviewed by NHTSA technical staff and entered into our database. If any additional information is needed, a NHTSA investigator will contact you.

Every complaint is taken seriously, reviewed in detail and analyzed for defects trends. Your complaint is important because it helps to inform NHTSA, other vehicle owners and manufacturers about potential safety concerns. Such information helps save lives, and we encourage you to share the resources available at [www.SaferCar.gov](http://www.SaferCar.gov) with your family, friends and others in your community.

Will my vehicle be recalled?

When a manufacturer or NHTSA determines that a car or item of motor vehicle equipment creates an unreasonable risk to safety or fails to meet minimum safety standards, the manufacturer is required to fix that car or equipment. That can be done by repairing it, replacing it, offering a refund (for equipment) or, in rare cases, repurchasing the car.

If your vehicle is included in a recall, the manufacturer will contact you. Sign up to receive recall email alerts from NHTSA if there's ever a recall involving your vehicle.

If you have any other questions regarding your complaint, please contact NHTSA's Office of Defects Investigation:  
Phone: 888-327-4236, Monday-Friday, 8:00AM to 8:00PM EST (Spanish-speaking representatives available)

TTY: 888-424-9153

(Please have your ODI number referenced above available.)

Email: <https://www.nhtsa.gov/about-nhtsa/contact-us>

(Please indicate your ODI Number referenced above in the contact form.)

Thank you for contacting us and playing a critical role in helping to keep our roads safe.

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