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RE: N **18895** EQ-11118895-9059

US Department of Transportation

NHTSA National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Office of Defects Investigation (NVS-210)

1200 New Jersey Avenue, Southeast

West Building

Washington, DC 20590

[redacted]

From: U.S. DOT National Highway Traffic Safety Administration <donotreplyodi@dot.gov>
Sent: Friday, August 10, 2018 6:07 AM
To: [redacted]
Subject: Thanks for Letting Us Know About Your Vehicle

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Will my vehicle be recalled?

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- 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.)

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[redacted]
SCOTTSDALE, AZ [redacted]

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	1G1YY26U865	[redacted]
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[redacted]		

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2006	CHEVROLET	CORVETTE	2DR CPE		

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE AND PARTS		AMOUNT
Cell: 480-343-7383 Email: [redacted]		
#1 - DMOBIL1: $99.95 MOBIL1 OIL AND FILTER CHANGE WITHMULTIPO INT INSPECTION		
Tech: BRIAN CARR (095)		22.08
Installed 19210335 :PF46 FILTER KIT (01836-BOPCKT)	1@5.95	5.95
Installed 12345885 :5W30 MOBIL1 SYN OIL	6@8.99	53.94
Hazardous Materials Charge		3.00
Perform oil and filter change, top off fluids, and set tire pressures.		
Sub Total: 84.97		
#2 - DLIGHTLINE: LIGHT LINE		
C/S: CUSTOMER STATES SHE CAN SMELL FUEL UPON FUELI NG		
Tech: BRIAN CARR (095)		1469.48
Installed 19354666 :SL-*-N-MODULE KIT (03107-C)	1@513.35	513.35
Installed 10337583 :SL-N-PIPE (03163-CK)	1@71.39	71.39
REPLACE LEFT FUEL TANK MODULE		
Sub Total: 2054.22		
#3 - DINFO: ADDED INFORMATION		
C/S: REPLACE KEY FOB BATTERIES IN BOTH FOBS		
Tech: BRIAN CARR (095)		
Installed 30331 :TRANS BATTERYS	2@3.89	7.78
COMPLETED		
Sub Total: 7.78		
#4 - DLIGHTLINE: LIGHT LINE		

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SCOTTSDALE, AZ [redacted]

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	1G1YY26U8[redacted]	
Home Phone	**Delivery Date**	**In-Service Date**
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C/S: CUSTOMER REQUESTS CHECK WIPER HOSE ROUTING AF TER WINDSHIELD REPLACEMENT COMPLETED Sub Total: .00	
#5 - DLIGHTLINE: LIGHT LINE C/S: CUSTOMER REQUESTS AIR FILTERS AND CABIN FILTE R CHECKED REPLACE CABIN FILTER Sub Total: .00	
#6 - DTRIM: TRIM C/S: CUSTOMER STATES DRIVERS SEAT FEELS LIKE IT IS NOT SMOOTH WHEN USING FORWARD AND BACK POSITIONS ALMOST FEELS LIKE ITU2019S CATCHING Tech: BRIAN CARR (095) R&R DRIVERS SEAT AND LUBE SEAT TRACK Sub Total: 139.95	139.95
#7 - REC: PERFORMED VEHICLE OPEN RECALL REPORT, FOUND NOOPEN RECALLS AT THIS TIME. PERFORMED VEHICLE OPEN RECALL REPORT, FOUND NO OPE N RECALLS AT THIS TIME. Sub Total: .00	
#8 - OL: REMAINING OIL LIFE _____% Sub Total: .00	
#9 - CAMPI: PERFORM GM MULTI POINT VEHICLE INSPECTION	

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SUBLET	
SHOP SUPPLIES	
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS	
SALES TAX OR TAX I.D.	
SPECIAL ORDER DEPOSIT	
DISCOUNTS	
TOTAL DUE	

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[redacted]
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COMPLETED	
Sub Total: .00	
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ADDED OPERATION	
Tech: BRIAN CARR (095)	
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Replace cabin air/ pollen filter.	
Sub Total: 34.95	
SERVICE MANAGER DISCOUNT	-100.00
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SUBLET	.00
SHOP SUPPLIES	39.95
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS	3.00
SALES TAX OR TAX I.D.	59.16
SPECIAL ORDER DEPOSIT	.00
DISCOUNTS	-100.00
TOTAL DUE	2320.98
AMEX [redacted]	2320.98

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Chapman Chevrolet Tempe

xtime Automobile Status Report

Prepared For : [redacted]

2006 Chevrolet CORVETTE
Date August 15, 2018
VIN 1G1YY26U865[redacted]
Mileage 17240
RO#[redacted]

Service Advisor

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Customer Name: [redacted] | VIN: 1G1YY26U865[redacted] | Date: 8/15/2018 10:52 AM

Repair Order#[redacted] | Mileage: 17240 | Tag#: 4286 | License#:

☑ Checked and OK ! May Require Attention Soon ⊗ Requires Immediate Attention

☑ ○ OnStar active
☑ ○ Enrolled in OVD
☑ ○ Enrolled in DMN

☑ Service history check
☑ ○ Remaining engine oil life % Reset ☐ N/A ☐
☑ ○ Exterior lights (headlamps, tail lamps, turn signals, etc)

Wiper Blades

☑ LF ☑ RF
○ ○
☐ ○ Rear (if applicable)
☑ ○ Windshield condition
☐ Cracks ☐ Chips

Check Tread Depth 32nds

☑ 8/32 or Greater ! 7/32 to 4/32 ⊗ 3/32 or Less

LF ☑ ○ 8/32
PSI at: ____ set to: ____ PSI
☐ Wear Pattern/Damage

RF ☑ ○ 8/32
PSI at: ____ set to: ____ PSI
☐ Wear Pattern/Damage

LR ☑ ○ 9/32
PSI at: ____ set to: ____ PSI
☐ Wear Pattern/Damage

RR ☑ ○ 9/32
PSI at: ____ set to: ____ PSI
☐ Wear Pattern/Damage

☐ Rotation needed ☐ *Alignment needed ☐ Balance needed

Check Battery

☑ ○ Battery condition
☑ ○ Battery cables and connections

☐ Change Engine Oil & Filter ☐ N/A

Check Fluid Levels

OK FILLED		REQUIRES ATTENTION
☑ ☐	Engine oil	○
☑ ☐	Brake fluid reservoir	○
☑ ☐	Transmission (if equipped w/dipstick)	○
☑ ☐	Coolant recovery reservoir	○
☑ ☐	Power steering	○
☑ ☐	Windshield washer	○

Check/Measure Front and Rear Brake Linings MM

Front ☑ 7mm or Greater ! 6mm to 4mm ⊗ 3mm or Less

LF ☐ ! ○ 5mm
RF ☐ ! ○ 5mm
LR ☑ ○ 5mm
RR ☑ ○ 5mm

Rear ☑ 4mm or Greater ! 3mm ⊗ 2mm or Less

Lowest Front Lining: _____ Lowest Rear Lining: _____

☑ ○ Brake system (also including lines, hoses and parking brake)

Additional Checks

Inspect for visible leaks and visual condition:

☑ ○ Fuel system (also including gas cap seating)
☑ ○ Engine, transmission, drive axle, transfer case
☑ ○ Engine cooling system
☑ ○ Shocks and struts – also check operation
☑ ○ Belts: engine, accessory, serpentine, and/or V-drive
☑ ○ Hoses: engine, power steering and HVAC
☑ ○ Engine air filter
☑ ○ *Cabin Air Filter
☑ ○ Passenger compartment air filter
☑ ○ Steering components and steering linkage
☑ ○ CV drive axle boots or driveshafts and U-joints
☑ ○ Exhaust system components
☑ ○ Body components lubrication
☑ ○ Restraint system component check
☑ ○ Chassis components lubrication
☑ ○ Drive axle (leak/other)

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2006 Corvette Z51 3LT

Failed Fuel Modules at Chapman Chevrolet

Note – 2 OS these are from other customers' cars

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Subject: Complaint has been submitted

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NHTSA — Fuel System, Gasoline Problems

2008 CHEVROLET CORVETTE

Crashes / Fires:
0 / 0

Injuries / Deaths:
0 / 0

Average Mileage:
48,736 miles

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2008 CHEVROLET CORVETTE OWNER COMMENTS

#18 **Corvette 8-cyl** MAY 01 **2016**
86,000 miles

Crack on filler neck on left fuel tank which I believe is a mfg defect in the molding of the tank. GM is of the opinion that this is a wear and tear issue. I disagree as the right tank is still performing without problems. Vehicle has only been used for commuting and never abused in its 91,000+ miles of life. I am of the belief that GM should replace tank under their 10 year 120,000 mile warranty as the tank is not a moving part. Also, when tank is more than half full, fuel odor from leak is extremely strong and possibly combustible. Thank you.

- Tucson, AZ, USA

#17 **Corvette 8-cyl** OCT 03 **2016**
72,000 miles

Gasoline smell after filling fuel in tank. Smell exists until tank gets to below half. Exists while driving or while parked in garage.

- Mckinney, TX, USA

#16 Corvette 8-cyl
47,430 miles

NOV 18 **2015**

The contact owns a 2008 Chevrolet Corvette. The contact stated that there was a crack in the fuel pump causing an odor of fuel to emit from the vehicle. The vehicle was repaired but the details were not available. The manufacturer was not made aware of the failure. The failure mileage was 47,430...updated 01/13/16

- Gretna, LA, USA

#15 Corvette
90,480 miles

JUL 13 **2015**

The drivers side fuel tank had leak on the top causing fuel to pool and leak on to the hot exhaust. This is very dangerous as fire or death could result. Tank was defective. This was a $4,000 repair.....updated 11/02/15

- Jupiter, FL, USA

#14 Corvette 8-cyl
72,000 miles

JUL 06 **2015**

When the car has over 1/2 a tank of gas in it gas vapors begin to fill the cabin. When this happens the smell is so powerful I have to let the car air out for a minute before I can operate it. Unfortunately, I can not wait for a recall to fix this so I am sending it to my mechanic. I would strongly suggest this gets addressed before someone gets hurt. Thanks...updated 09/22/15

- Charleston, SC, USA

#13 Corvette 8-cyl
51,138 miles

NOV 17 **2014**

2008 Corvette has a fuel leak when the tank is 3/4 to full. The gas vapors permeate the garage and the cockpit. This is a safety concern as it can cause fire/explosions.

- San Juan Capistrano, CA, USA

#12 Corvette 8-cyl
75,000 miles

AUG 08 **2014**

Gas tank leak when I put more than a half tank of gas in I smell gas and some time not even a half tank I smell gas if I fill up today I smell gas then and the next morning I smell gas before I get in the car this is a hazard gas is evaporating I pray it does not catch a fire I just bought the car 08/07/2014.

- Mcdonough, GA, USA

#11 Corvette 8-cyl
80,000 miles

DEC 02 **2014**

When I put more the 1/2 of tank of gas in my car I smell gas. If I fill it, it is very bad I park my car in the garage and in the morning I have to open the garage doors to let it air out im afraid this may lead to a fire.

- Ontario, CA, USA

#10 Corvette 8-cyl
miles

NOV 14 **2014**

Strong gas smell after filling vehicle up.
- **Hillsborough, NJ, USA**

#9 Corvette 8-cyl

12,900 miles

DEC 01 **2014**

I purchased this vehicle this fall with about 12500 miles on the odometer. Starting shortly after purchase I would often notice the smell of gasoline in my garage. After inspection, none of my other vehicles are leaking fuel. After searching for a leak, I turned to Corvette forum, which has a discussion on fuel leaks in the 2008 model year Corvette. Evidently when the gas tank is 3/4 or more filled with fuel, there is a leak which deposits raw gas on the top of the gas tank, from which it drips or evaporates. I consider this leak a fire hazard, and urge NHTSA to require a recall to fix the problem. Thank you for your prompt attention to my request.
- **Shawnee, KS, USA**

#8 Corvette 8-cyl

78,456 miles

AUG 14 **2014**

Strong fuel smell and seepage from drivers side tank when more than half full. Fuel level gauge doesn't work when below half tank as well.
- **Margate, FL, USA**

#7 Corvette 8-cyl

miles

OCT 01 **2014**

It is a very well documented occurrence on C6 Corvettes that on many cars, when the tank is full, fuel leaks out on top of the fuel tank. This happens when the crossover pipe between the two tanks begins to leak. You will not find any fuel on the ground, because it sits on top of the tank. When you begin driving it will fall off onto the exhaust pipe and burn off. This is a huge safety hazard, at any time it could catch fire and lead to injury and/or death. There have been numerous threads on corvetteforum.com regarding the issue and nothing has been done. This affects many Corvette owners, myself included. The fuel smell when I walk into the garage is extremely potent, it even begins entering my home! the vapor can cause a fire in the garage, being a water heater is present, and cause severe property damage. This is a huge ethical case for Chevrolet; well documented safety defect, and nothing has been done about this! nothing the owners have done to cause the issue, a defect in the design and/or manufacturing is to blame. Someone could die from this safety issue, something must be done!
- **Midland, TX, USA**

#6 Corvette 8-cyl

43,750 miles

NOV 12 **2014**

I smelled gasoline in the cabin of my 2008 Chevrolet Corvette coupe base model. I took it to lonestar Chevrolet to check out the problem. They kept it overnight and reported not to be able to smell what I smelled. They reported to have done a "smoke test" and check all connections but was unable to find any problem. I have not smelled it as much since but very faintly a couple of times.
- **Houston, TX, USA**

#5 Corvette 8-cyl

70,900 miles

AUG 01 **2014**

After fueling my 2008 Corvette, I noticed the strong smell of gasoline present on the inside of the car. I didn't give it much thought as the smell went away as I drove. But, the next time I got into the car, the smell was there again. Each subsequent time I got into the car, the smell was present until the tank was half empty. At that point the smell went away, until I filled the tank again and the process began anew. I have blogged with many other owners of various years Corvette models who have experienced the same problem. I am afraid the fumes that create the smell could ultimately ignite and cause a serious fire. As mentioned, this is not an isolated incident. Many others have experienced the same problem.

- San Diego, CA, USA

#4 Corvette 8-cyl

17,000 miles

DEC 11 **2012**

When I fill my Corvette fuel tank past 1/2 tank or more, I smell and ingest fuel vapors/odor...enough to cause me and my passenger headaches and light headedness, feelings of being sick. My garage fills up with the fuel fumes/odor also...I have to air it out for a long time and even leave the garage door open to help dissapate the fuel vapor/odors. Inside the vehicle gets an intense fuel vapor/odor. I exchanged the fuel cap with an oem fuel cap with no improvement. The odor outside the car seemed to be coming from directly behind the driver side/fuel cap area. I dare say that I cannot down play this faint feeling and headaches from the strong fuel odor that this vehicle gives off, especially inside the cock pit/cab of the vehicle....it's very intense. Thorobred Chevrolet of chandler Arizona could not find the source of the odor before the car went out of warranty...go figure! the fuel fumes are even stronger when the weather is warmer. Here in Arizona, we have temperatures in the 110 to 120 degree range and the fumes are bluntly unbearable at that point this fuel defect thing is occurring daily...driving home with a car cooked in the sun and fuel infused in the cock pit bears heavy upon me...the smell never goes away...life sucks with a $740 Corvette payment I don't like driving it anymore because GM won't recall or fix it.

- Chandler, AZ, USA

#3 Corvette 8-cyl

48,500 miles

SEP 27 **2013**

The other day I smelled gas in my garage. The smell is bad until the fuel level drops below 1/2 tank. I took my car to the dealer and they said they cannot find a leak. I mentioned if this is covered under the 80K mile emission warranty and they said it was not. There are many complaints about this issue and the solution is to drop the tanks because the issue may lie in the fuel pump and leaking tanks on the top. I believe this is a serious safety issue regarding leaking fuel tanks and the consumer should not pay for a faulty item being a serious safety issue. I know this was an issue on the C5 corvette and GM replaced those tanks free of charge. The C6 fuel cell is the same as the C5 and it appears like its also faulty as well. Please review all C6 corvettes (2005-2013) complaints on this site. This should be a recall or a fix by GM to cover the costs.

- Oviedo, FL, USA

#2 Corvette 8-cyl

30,000 miles

APR 15 **2013**

Last summer started to smell fuel in the car after it had been sitting, smell wasn't noticeable during winter. Now that summer is approaching, I get a bad fuel smell after the car had sat for a few hours. It permeates the passenger cabin. I took the car to dealer with 44K miles, tech found the driver side fuel tank has leak in plastic seam where the filler neck is attached to the main body of the tank. This is a very common problem with these cars (2005 thru 2012). Search online for "C6 Corvette fuel smell", you will see numerous examples reporting

fuel smell whenever the tank is more than half full on the gauge. GM stated the fuel tank is not covered unless the vehicle was equipped with cal emissions (7yr/70K miles) other wise only 2yr/24K miles. The tank is the same tank used on all models. GM is selectively covering some replacements and refusing others. With a low mileage vehicle, I wouldn't expect to need to replace a fuel tank. I bought the car with roughly 25000 miles on it last June. I believe the tank has been leaking ever since and maybe before I owned it. Since GM will not cover it, I'm now left with a $3000 repair estimate to remove and replace the tank. I have a 2007 GM 4WD pickup with 117,000 miles of rough roads, off road, etc and not a drop of fuel leaking from it. How does a vehicle only designed to drive on the street, that is one of the most expensive vehicles GM makes, not have better fuel tanks. This is a fire/explosion risk as the fuel runs down the back of the tank, then drips onto the hot exhaust running right behind the tanks. This seems very similar to the C5 Corvette fuel tank problems (almost same body style). I don't know why GM hasn't designed a fix for this and recalled all the tanks to protect the public other than profit reasons. I will pay to change the old tank out this weekend to make it safe to drive again at my own expense.

- Bryan , TX, USA

#1 Corvette

1,700 miles

MAY 24 **2008**

Does someone have to die? our brand new 2008 base model Corvette has lost power in the middle of the road, 5 times driving to our home. The 4th time my husband was almost rear ended by a truck! first time we had the car a week. 2nd time the dealer said it was the gas. We use chevron texaco. 4th time the liaison from Chevy said that oil was getting into our gas from a bad ignition switch. Doesn't make since. 5th time was same day as 4th time. It drops from 45 to 10 and goes all the way down to 1st gear. The RPM goes up and down. It back fires! we have been taking it to the local Chevy dealer in kingman AZ. The 4th time it happened my husband pulled over but didn't turn off the car, and waited for someone from the dealership to drive up and get in the car for a drive. It was idling up and down for about 15 min then idled fine. After hooking up a computer scanner to the car they started up the hill. They drove 2 miles 45 miles per hour, then it just dropped to 5 miles per hour surging back and forth. Making this the 5th time! foot was steady on the throttle. Husband was told to hold it to the floor, and then it back fired real loud and stopped completely in the middle of the road! turned off key opened and closed door to reset computer. Check engine light was on now. Drove down to dealer. It's been there 9 days so far this time. 7/23/08 the liaison from Chevy called and said that our car does not meet the criteria for a buy back! we are fearful of being rear ended at a high speed! we've had to cancel trips we had planned to take in the car. We still don't have our car fixed, as they don't know what is wrong. No Corvette tech has been on site to check out our car. Only buy phone! each time they have sent the car home stating that the problem was fixed, to go ahead and drive it. Someone is going to get killed if this car isn't fixed, as there is no warning that the car is going to jerk to a stop in the middle of the road!

- Kingman, AZ, USA

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Left after you fill the tank, YOU NEED TO GO TO
WEBSITE AND FILL OUT A COMPLAINT.

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This issue seems to be reported most often on
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This issue is very serious. Fuel leaks out the [illegible] will then drip down the back side onto the hot e [illegible]

If our [illegible] might in a garage, the vapor will [illegible] could [illegible] e triggered into an explosion and [illegible] water heater or other ignition source.

I can't park my C6 in my garage without it fillin with fumes so strong that I can't even keep my vapors then seep into the house. The car is uns unsafe to leave parked.

This is a safety defect, and if GM doesn't recall them, it is eventually going to result in someon and possibly burning down their house as well. loss of life is very high, and the problem that ca be found and fixed before someone dies from it

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Member Since: Oct 2005
Location: Bay Area Ca.
Posts: 14,701
Thanks: 23 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=199570)
Thanked 137 Times in 124 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=199570)
CF 10 year member

I have seen the many gas smell threads after f
2008 and never experienced this problem. I kn
bad and now wonder if my sense of smell is too

More importantly I would want to find the caus
smell.

Some have replaced the gas cap with good res

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CF Senior Member

The cause is that fuel leaks at the TOP of the ta
[redacted] of the tank in a big
[redacted] happens when the tank is full or near full.

If yours leaks, you won't be able to ignore it. T
cockpit of the car as well, and it is overwhelmin

Member Since: Ja[redacted]
Posts: 1,[redacted]
Thanks: 0

Thanked 22 Times in 7 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=402774)

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Member Since: Aug 2006
Location: Mansfield TEXAS
Posts: 14,107
Thanks: 28 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=225358)
Thanked 538 Times in 455 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=225358)
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CF Senior Member

Thread Starter

Member Since: Jan 2012
Posts: 314
Thanks: 0
Thanked 22 Times in 7 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=402774)

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> *When the nozzle clicks off do not add one m should fix 99% of the problems. If not take and have it fixed. Better to pay to have it fi possible problems that could occur.*

If you have one that leaks, it isn't because you leak anytime the car is above about 3/4 full.

If your Corvette car has this problem, please [redacted] on the NHTSA site.

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I had the gas smell anytime tank was over half smoke test and found the leak in the EVAP line pump. Pump was replaced under warranty.

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Posts: 314
Thanks: 0
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> Originally Posted by [redacted]
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> *I had the gas smell anytime tank was over did a smoke test and found the leak in the off fuel pump. Pump was replaced under wa*

Please report it on the NHTSA form.

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Member Since: Oct 1999
Location: Tucson AZ
Posts: 8,205
Thanks: 11 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=3392)
Thanked 26 Times in 25 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=3392)
CF 15 year member

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When the nozzle clicks off do not add one more. It should fix 99% of the problems. If not take it to [illegible] possible problems that could occur.

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Stopping when the nozzle clicks will not fix a se
always stop at the first click, and I still have a
3/4 of a tank and I still have a gas smell.

The problem is that there is a defect in the syst

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Member Since: Nov 2013
Location: Providence ri
Posts: 232
Thanks: 0
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*If your Corvette has had a problem with fue
from the car after you fill the tank, YOU NE
THE NHTSA WEBSITE AND FILL OUT A COM*

*https://www-odi.nhtsa.dot.gov/Vehicl...nt/i
(https://www-
odi.nhtsa.dot.gov/VehicleComplaint/index.x*

*This issue seems to be reported most often
Corvettes, but it may also impact other yea*

*This issue is very serious. Fuel leaks out the
tanks, and will then drip down the back side
exhaust. If ignored this could result in a fire
death.*

*If parked overnight in a garage, the vapor
could easily be ignited upon an explos
gas water heater or other ignition source.*

*I can't park my C6 in my garage without it
garage with fumes so strong that I can't ev
in there. The vapors then seep into the hou
unsafe to drive, and unsafe to leave parked*

This is a safety defect, and if GM doesn't re

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burning up and possibly burning down their ... that causes this needs to be found and fixed

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Member Since: Jan 2012
Posts: 314
Thanks: 0
Thanked 22 Times in 7 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=402774)

By the way, I'd just like to point out that if you because you have a leak. Don't let anyone try because the gas cap is leaking. Vapor won't se when the car is parked because no air is being

What causes the fuel smell is that the fuel leak TOP of the gas tank(s) when they are full, beca originates at the top of the tank. You won't see the tank when it is parked. The leaking occurs fuel when it is full, and when you are driving, t run down the back side of the tank. Once you s anymore because it isn't sloshing against the to the puddled fuel remains on the top of the tank evaporate and causes the smell. When driving, down the back side of the tank goes right over pipes, and this presents a huge fire risk. When enclosed area, the fuel vapors also present a s

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(https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/members/463043-granitehead53.html)

I just had my 08 Coupe at the dealership last w check out gas smell. They checked everything Test and could not find anything. Have not sme it up. I filled the tank before I took it to them a

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Posts: 314
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> *I just had my 08 Coupe at the dealership la*
> *there to check out gas smell. They checked*
> *did a Smoke Test and could not find anythi*
> *smelled it since I picked it up. I filled the ta*
> *it to them as well.*

I'd bet money your problem will be back.

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Member Since: Sep 2010
Location: Leavenworth Somewhere over the Rainbow
Posts: 128
Thanks: 0
Thanked 0 Times in 0 Posts
(https://www.facebook.com/Robert.Leishman)

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I don't think I have ever smelled this coming fr
a 2005. I'm not sure if it extends to those mod
would suck for sure to have it and the house go
though.

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it might not be a lot but definitely it will be not

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Member Since: Apr 2007
Location: Toronto, Canada
Posts: 13,587
Thanks: 137 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=242841)
Thanked 104 Times in 100 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=242841)
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Member Since: Feb 2012
Posts: 738
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My experience of overfilling for those that may

I overfilled mine once when filling up, went a li
click (first setting was on high). I didn't stop fil
pouring out of the neck! And it din't take much
second or so and it was probably pouring out. I
these tanks do fill right up to the neck on the a
pump.

When this happened I could only smell the fum
next to the car. Once I closed things up and dr
anything from the cockpit or around the car aft

So this doesn't sound like the leak you are talk

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Member Since: Nov 2000
Location: SIOUX FALLS SD
Posts: 4,135
Thanks: 33 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=17473)
Thanked 64 Times in 56 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=17473)
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No problem with my 05 but it appears it mainly C
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Member Since: Apr 2006
Location: Huntsville AL
Posts: 3,810
Thanks: 3 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=215595)
Thanked 56 Times in 54 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=215595)
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please? It should read "RECALL NEEDED" or so

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> *Is there a recall? If not, would a mod chang*
> *please? It should read "RECALL NEEDED" o*
> *that.*

Sorry, that was my fault, I probably should hav

NHTSA is currently looking into this issue, but a
there is no official recall.

It appears that the plastic GM uses on the fuel
other fuel parts as well) turns brittle over time,
the top of the pump and leaks. The problem ha
to do with how much you filled the tank.

If you have previously paid to have your car fix
the tanks, you should save your repair bill rece
event there is a recall for this, you could get re

This is also why if you have previously had this
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form, because this will give them more evidenc
GM to do a recall.

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I have an appointment for Monday and they have for me.
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Member Since: Jul 2003
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Posts: 20,277
Thanks: 25 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=50463)
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Thanks: 14 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=570600)
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Member Since: Jul 2006
Posts: 511
Thanks: 0
Thanked 0 Times in 0 Posts
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I was contemplating buying a C6.

Not any more.

I will opt for another C5 if any GM product at a...

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Gas Tank Leaks Affect ZR1, Z51, and Base C6 Co... as well as C7 Corvettes

Agree with you that this should be a high priori... recall. It is an issue on C6 and C7 Corvettes, a... local dealer has had to repair several others wi... same problem. I contacted GM about it, but the... refused to do anything. So, I took your advice ... created 3 NHTSA complaints, one for each of m... Corvettes. They are all different models from di... model years, so it cannot be a coincidence that... of them developed the same problem. GM alrea... issued recall for. The gas tank leak causes an ... overwhelming fuel odor inside the car while dri... After shutting it down and moving it in the garage ... walking by the car is an olfactory experience. T... Corvettes filled the inside of my garage with fu... vapors, so I had to move the cars outside, ope... doors, and use heavy duty air mover fans for h... to get the vapors out. The gas tank leak is espe... noticeable in summer when ethanol is added to...

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creates a heavy smell of nail polish remover ins outside the car. Driving with the windows down not help, but sticking to less than half a tank of reduces the smell. The repairs are very expens especially for the ZR1. Chevrolet needs to reca replace this component on all C6 and C7 Corve

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I just filed a complaint with the NHTSA about the Out of Spec Valve Guide Issue. I would encourage everyone else to do so as well, maybe just maybe it will force GM to finally do a

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Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 22 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=468726)
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Quote:

I was concerned about excessive valve train noise and after reading several Corvette forum threads about improperly machined heads by GM's supplier Linamar, and that numerous vehicles have had valves drop and ruin the engines, I took my car with 27000 miles on it to a Corvette Specialty Shop to have my valve guide clearance tested. I had (2) Intake Valve Guides outside of service specifications, (4) Exhaust Valve Guides outside of service specifications, and a combination of (10) other [redacted] t valve guides at or near the n [redacted] n outside of service [redacted] car is being repaired with pro [redacted] machining of the heads to make the valve guides concentric, new intake and exhaust valve guides installed, as well as new seals, valves, springs, etc.

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GM needs to issue a recall on this issue, there have been numerous engine failures as a result of a dropped valve into a cylinder which can cause accidents and fires. GM is very aware of this issue, but refuses to do anything about this huge safety risk to drivers, passengers, and nearby vehicles if the engine fails going down the road.

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Member Since: Jul 2014
Location: Ohio
Posts: 741
Thanks: 5 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=481923)
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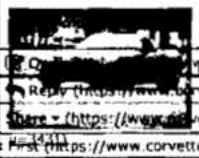

Maybe you should have added a safety component to the complaint. When the engine fails due to a dropped valve the Power Brakes and Power Steering stop immediately.

Bill

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u=468726)
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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588654741#post1588654741)
> *Maybe you should have added a safety component to the complaint. When the engine fails due to a dropped valve the Power Brakes and Power Steering stop immediately.*
>
> [redacted]

Was not aware of that, don't know if I can edit my complaint, will check.

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Member Since: Oct 1999
Location: Charlotte (formerly Endicott, NY) NC
Posts: 31,507
Thanks: 6 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=3431)
Thanked 2,585 Times in 1,772 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=3431)
CF 15 year member

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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588654759#post1588654759)
> *Was not aware of that, don't know if I can edit my complaint, will check.*

When my engine failed it did not lock up. It just quit running. Pre repair diagnosis showed it threw a manifold vacuum code at 2300 rpm which must have happened after the engine quit running since I disengaged the clutch around 6800 rpm and the tach just dropped to zero. From that point it took about 1/3 of a mile without PS or PB to get the car stopped in a safe run off area. I would have much preferred trying to steer a Cobalt without PS than a Vette with wide tires. My in car video which is posted on the forum captures it nicely.

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Quote:

> Originally Posted by Bill Dearborn (showthread.php?p=1588654861#post1588654861)
> *When my engine failed it did not lock up. It just quit running. Pre repair diagnosis showed it threw a manifold vacuum code at 2300 rpm which must have happened after the engine quit running since I disengaged the clutch around 6800 rpm and the tach just dropped to zero. From that point it took about 1/3 of a mile without PS or PB to get the car stopped in a safe run off area. I would have much preferred trying to steer a Cobalt without PS than a Vette with wide tires. My in car video which is posted on the forum captures it nicely.*

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Wow, that must have been a scary ride, glad you walked about unscathed.

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Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 22 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=468726)
(https://www.facebook.com/William Pilgrim)

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#7 (showpost.php?p=1588655172&postcount=7)

u=323513)
CF Senior Member
Gold Member
(http://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/payments.php)

(member.php?u=323513)

Member Since: Dec 2008
Location: Honolulu HI
Posts: 11,397
Thanks: 789 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=323513)
Thanked 987 Times in 876 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=323513)

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I know this has been tried before, but hopefully it gains traction.

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01-06-2015, 09:45 AM

#8 (showpost.php?p=1588655194&postcount=8)

u=17270)
CF Senior Member

(member.php?u=17270)

Member Since: Jul 1999
Location: Minnesota
Posts: 4,201
Thanks: 5 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=17270)
Thanked 37 Times in 33 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=17270)
CF 15 year member

When my exhaust valve dropped, it was on the exit of turn 14 at Road America. Just as I was rolling on the gas after the apex. Felt a quick shutter and immediately put the clutch in and turned off the motor. Coasted just far enough to get off the track and on the pit in road. Kept the damage internal in the block so no oil or antifreeze to clean up for the safety crew. Whether the motor is immediately turned off or not, the engine is going to stop and the power steering and brakes are not going to work.

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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588655172#post1588655172)
> *I know this has been tried before, but hopefully it gains traction.*

It does not take much time to file the complaint, if more people jump on this maybe GM can be held accountable and finally issue a recall as well as triple check the quality control of parts, especially the C6 heads.

Last [redacted] 01-07-2015 at 09:01 AM. (https://www.28Store.html) (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/usercp.php)

[redacted] (member.php?u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 72 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=468726)
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[redacted] (member.php?u=468726)
CF Senior Member
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Thread Starter

(member.php?u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588655194#post1588655194)
> *When my exhaust valve dropped, it was on the exit of turn 14 at Road America. Just as I was rolling on the gas after the apex. Felt a quick shutter and immediately put the clutch in and turned off the motor. Coasted just far enough to get off the track and on the pit in road. Kept the damage internal in the block so no oil or antifreeze to clean up for the safety crew. Whether the motor is immediately turned off or not, the engine is going to stop and the power steering and brakes are not going to work.*

Were you able to salvage the block or was it toast? Glad to here your quick reaction contained the oil and coolant for the safety of others on the track.

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01-06-2015, 10:07 AM — #11 (showpost.php?p=1588655405&postcount=11)

[redacted] (member.php?u=62872)
CF Senior Member
* * *

Member Since: May 2004
Location: Oakhurst Ca
Posts: 966
Thanks: 4 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=62872)
Thanked 33 Times in 28 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=62872)
CF 10 year member

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Complaint filed

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01-06-2015, 10:07 AM — #12 (showpost.php?p=1588655407&postcount=12)

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[redacted] (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/showthread.php?t=1588655407#post1588655407) for an incident report. If nothing has happened yet and you have not had nothing to send in.

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Moderator

(member.php?u=1526)

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Member Since: Jun 1999
Location: Dove Mountain Arizona
Posts: 6,999
Thanks: 1 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=1526)
Thanked 32 Times in 25 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=1526)
CF [redacted]

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#13 (showpost.php?p=1588655483&postcount=13)

[redacted]member.php?u=468726)
CF Senior Member
Thread Starter

(member.php?u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 72 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=468726)
(https://www.facebook.com/William.Pilgrim)

(report.php?p=1588655483)

Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588655407#post1588655407)
> *The form asks for an incident report. If nothing has happened yet and you have not had your valves checked, it appears there is nothing to send in.*

This is for people who have had their valve guides checked and are out of spec or for people who have lost a motor due to failure.

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The Following 2 Users Say Thank You to [redacted] For This Useful Post:

[redacted] (member.php?u=553768) (08-15-2017), [redacted] (member.php?u=223640) (10-16-2015)

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#14 (showpost.php?p=1588655508&postcount=14)

[redacted]member.php?u=468726)
CF Senior Member
Thread Starter

(member.php?u=468726)

Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588655405#post1588655405)
> *Complaint filed*

Thank you, let's keep this going.

I am pissed at the results on both my Z with 27K and my Father in Law's Z with 48K, his motor barely made it without breaking, the shop said that two of his guides were so bad and out of spec that they opted not to start his car, just pushed it to where it needed to be in the shop.

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01-06-2015, 10:32 AM — #15 (showpost.php?p=1588655616&postcount=15)

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(member.php?u=3431) Quote (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/c6-corvette-general-discussion/3563123-danger-fuel-leaks-safety-recall-51.html?nojs=1#goto_threadsearch)

Tech Contributor

(member.php?u=3431)

Member Since: Oct 1999
Location: Charlotte (formerly Endicott, NY) NC
Posts: 31,507
Thanks: 6 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=3431)
Thanked 2,585 Times in 1,772 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=3431)
CF 15 years member

> [redacted] (showthread.[redacted]) (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/usercp.php)
> *Wow, that must have been a scary ride, glad you walked about unscathed.*

Not all that scary except thinking the typical "Oh, xxit". The engine didn't grenade and lock up so the crank kept turning until I pushed in the clutch. I didn't get excited until the car stopped and all of the smoke coming out of the rear blew forward and I thought the car was on fire. Based on the video it took me 10 seconds to unfasten the harnesses and get out of the car. A little too slow but it isn't easy crawling out of a race seat and exiting a car with a HANs wrapped around your neck and fastened to your helmet.

Others that I knew had much scarier rides. Like the guy who blew his engine entering turn 10 at the Glen. It immediately locked the rear wheels, dumped a massive amount of oil on the track and he spun off into the run off area. 6 other cars joined him (they had all been running close together) as they spun in his oil. One of them almost hit him in the driver's door but spun past him to hit the tire wall. That car suffered the most damage. A lot of body damage and a possibly a ruined engine as the engine broke off its mounts in the collision. It was a true NASCAR style incident.

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[redacted] (member.php?u=468726)

CF Senior Member
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Thread Starter

(member.php?u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588655616#post1588655616)
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>
> [redacted]

Wow, that is crazy, again glad everyone was alright. I think about Z's driven on the street in this scenario, going around a curve during morning traffic on the freeway, valve drops, oil & coolant all over the freeway, whether the Z driver does a good job bring his car to a stop or does it turn into a multiple car pile up with injuries.

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01-06-2015, 11:50 AM #18 (showpost.php?p=1588656296&postcount=18)

[redacted] (member.php?u=310730)
CF Senior Member
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(member.php?u=310730)

Member Since: Jul 2008
Location: Maryland
Posts: 310
Thanks: 1 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=310730)
Thanked 0 Times in 0 Posts

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Complaint filed as well... this thread should be stickied!

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01-06-2015, 11:51 AM #19 (showpost.php?p=1588656311&postcount=19)

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CF Senior Member
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Thread Starter

(member.php?u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588656218#post1588656218)
> *Keep the complaints going. I have a 13Z and would prefer GM to accept responsibility and fix the problem.*

Did you read the recent thread about a guy doing a build, ordered brand new heads from GM, one was fine the other was out of spec, he sent it back.

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01-06-2015, 11:53 AM #20 (showpost.php?p=1588656319&postcount=20)

[redacted] (member.php?u=[redacted])
CF Senior Member
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Thread Starter

Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588656296#post1588656296)
> *Complaint filed as well... this thread should be stickied!*

Thanks you!! I agree can we get a mod/admin to do this?

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03-19-2018, 11:48 AM #981 (showpost.php?p=1596815059&postcount=981)

[redacted]member.php?u=369385)
CF Senior Member

Sorry - I wasn't clear.

I didn't ask him to diagnose and do the repair because my '09 does not exhibit the problem. On the way home, I did hit up the tank to 77 gals and plan to monitor it in the garage.

The reason I went there was to ascertain the "Vehicle In-Service Date" so I'd know for sure when the 10 year limit will be reached.

Member Since: Nov 2010

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[redacted] (member.php?u=533683)
Junior Member

Member Since: Sep 2016
Posts: 19
Thanks: 1 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=533683)
Thanked 2 Times in 2 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=533683)

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on the list. Concerned and relieved at the same time. Has anyone else had this repair done in the

03-29-2018, 02:38 AM

[redacted] (member.php?u=568482)
Junior Member

Member Since: Mar 2018
Posts: 2
Thanks: 0
Thanked 0 Times in 0 Posts

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Danger Fuel Leak

Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588274273#post1588274273)
> *If your Corvette (http://viglink.com/?key=c7ffea5a66f61d8e9acd6abb5f743f16&insertId=3b9fa5f4ee17e*
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> *coming from the car after you fill the tank, YOU NEED TO GO TO THE NHTSA WEBSITE AND FILL OUT A C*
>
> *https://www-odi.nhtsa.dot.gov/Vehicl...nt/index.xhtml (https://www-odi.nhtsa.dot.gov/VehicleComplaint/*
>
> *This issue seems to be reported most often on 2008 Corvettes, but it may also impact other year models.*
>
> *This issue is very serious. Fuel leaks out the top of the tanks, and will then drip down the back side onto t*
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> *keywords%3Dchevy%2Bcorvette%2Bexhaust&ref=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.corvetteforum.com%2Fforums*
> *and possible death.*
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> *If parked overnight in a garage, the vapor will fill the garage and could easily be triggered into an explosio*
> *recall-51.html%23post1597766204&v=1&iid=42a2504fe9cd91a4&out=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.amazon.c*
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> *I can't park my C6 in my garage without it filling the entire garage with fumes so strong that I can't even*
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> *keywords%3Dchevy%2Bcorvette%2Bsafety&ref=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.corvetteforum.com%2Fforums%*
> *cars and fix them, it is eventually going to result in someones car burning up and possibly burning down t*

There is not a recall at this point but there is a special policy. For corvettes from 2007-2013. The special polic
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for leak. As far as I can tell the fuel pump is covered for a period of 10 years or 120,000 miles. If you are with

04-06-2018, 05:44 PM #984 (showpost.php?p=1596943664&postcount=984)

[redacted] (member.php?u=362053)
Member Since: [illegible] 2010
Posts: 71
Thanks: 2 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=362053)

Know how this "recall" came about? I had a couple of hours with the President of GM. Asked him about this problem, he had no clue. I asked him to check out this forum, 2 weeks later and [illegible]

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[redacted] (member.php?u=490467)
Junior Member
Member Since: Nov 2014
Posts: 39
Thanks: 2 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=490467)
Thanked 0 Times in 0 Posts

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I have given up on GM dealership.
I only drive the car on weekends.

04-07-2018, 07:52 AM

[redacted] (member.php?u=490467)
Junior Member
Member Since: Nov 2014
Posts: 39
Thanks: 2 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=490467)
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Links to actual recall?

Quote:

Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1595307141#post1595307141)
Hey you all,
I posted that I finally got Chevrolet (http://i.viglink.com/?key=c7ffea5a66f61d8e9acd6abb5f74 51.html%23post1597766204&v=1&iid=ea661fcdd891548 7&out=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.amaz keywords%3Dchevy%2Bcorvette%2Bchevrolet&ref=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.corvetteforum.co to issue a recall on the C6 corvette (http://i.viglink.com/?key=c7ffea5a66f61d8e9acd6abb5f74 51.html%23post1597766204&v=1&iid=3b9fa5f4ee17efd0&out=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.amaz keywords%3Dchevy%2Bcorvette%2Bcorvette&ref=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.corvetteforum.com fuel smells. They will replace your tank, fuel pump, and crossover (http://i.viglink.com/?key=c 51.html%23post1597766204&v=1&iid=f7b6cd7743dc54298&out=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.amaz keywords%3Dchevy%2Bcorvette%2Bcrossover&ref=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.corvetteforum.co pipe (http://i.viglink.com/?key=c7ffea5a66f61d8e9acd6abb5f743f16&insertId=90db94d2ed60 51.html%23post1597766204&v=1&iid=90db94d2ed6095ec&out=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.ama keywords%3Dchevy%2Bcorvette%2Bpipe&ref=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.corvetteforum.com%2 tanks are cracking at the fuel pump interface and cannot be repaired. This is a 100% factory re
[redacted]

Can you post copy of actual recall?
I had repairs done but I am still having problems.
GM dealer is giving me the run around.

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[redacted] (member.php?u=379851)
CF Senior Member

Quote:

Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1596946533#post1596946533)
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tank is full. Service fuel system (http://i.viglink.com/?key=c7ffea5a66f61d8e9acd6abb5f743f1
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Corvette
2007
2013
Involved vehicles are identified on the Applicable Warranties section in GM Global Warranty Manag
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involvement prior to beginning any required inspections and/or repairs.
Condition
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vehicles may have a condition where a fuel odor is detected, fuel droplets appear below the left-ha
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illuminates due to a leak path in the left-hand fuel pump module flange.
Special Coverage Adjustment
This special coverage covers the condition described above for a period of 10 years or 120,000 mi
For vehicles covered by Vehicle Service Contracts, all eligible claims with repair orders on or after
Correction
Dealers are to replace the left hand fuel tank fuel pump module. The repairs will be made at no ch
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Quantity
Part Name
Part No.
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Fuel Tank Fuel Pump Module Kit
19302042
1
Fuel Tank Fuel Pump Module Kit
19149687
1
Fuel Tank Fuel Pump Module Kit
19301844
2
Exhaust Manifold Pipe Seal
10354763

2
Exhaust Manifold Pipe Seal
12555555
2
Exhaust Manifold Pipe Gasket
15272179
2
Exhaust Manifold Pipe Gasket
21992620
2
Exhaust Pipe Clamp
15102680
2
Exhaust Pipe Clamp
10345549
4
Rear Crt[illegible]
0353777[illegible]
2
Trans Fluid Cooler Pipe Fitting Retainer
24205103
Note: Use the vehicle identification number (VIN), SI and the GM Electronic Parts Catalog (EPC) to

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Member Since: Nov 2005
Location: Garden Grove California
Posts: 1,081
Thanks: 0
Thanked 17 Times in 16 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=202334)
CF 10 year member

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3 days ago smelled vapors in the garage of my 2008 Z06. Only 40,000 miles on the car. I took the car to the dealer today and informed there is a leak. 2 days to get parts at a cost of $1900 for repair. My service tech has submitted this to GM for reimbursement. This may not get covered as the 10 year period has passed as of January 1, 2018. I did file a complaint with the U.S. DOT NHTSA. I will wait and see what GM decides to do to cover any of this.

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(member.php?u=424430)
CF Senior Member

Member Since: Oct 2012
Posts: 267
Thanks: 0
Thanked 0 Times in 0 Posts

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The NHTSA will not do anything and GM either,I had a brake line on my 2005 that was installed where it rubbed on the exhaust manifold and rubbed a hole in the aluminum line,I had no brakes..filed a report with the NHTSA and heard nothing from them,got the line repaired at my expense,$575.00 GM would not cover it even though there was a recall on this exact problem,my car didn't fit the VIN # for recall.

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[redacted] (member.php?u=202334)

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Quote:

Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1597339462#post1597339462)

3 days ago smelled vapors in the garage of my 2008 Z06. Only 40,000 miles on the car. I took the car to the dealer today and informed there is a leak. 2 days to get parts at a cost of $1900 for repair. My service tech has submitted this to GM for reimbursement. This may not get covered as the 10 year period has passed as of January 1, 2018. I did file a complaint with

(member.php?u=202334)
Location: Garden Grove California
Posts: 1,081
Thanks: 0
Thanked 0 Times in 0 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=202334)

> the U.S. DOT NHTSA. I will wait and see what GM decides to do to cover any of this. (https://www.corvetteforum.com)

Got the car back today. $1954 for repair. I'm 2 1/2 months past the ten year date. [illegible] paperwork to see if GM will cover any of it. We can

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06-10-2018, 10:52 AM

[redacted] (member.php?u=328950)
CF Senior Member
Member Since: Mar 2009
Posts: 192
Thanks: 0
Thanked 1 Time in 1 Post (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=328950)

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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1596881464#post1596881464)
> *There is not a recall at this point but there is a special policy. For corvettes from 2007-2013. The special policy covers the primary fuel pump for leak. As far as I can tell the fuel pump is covered for a period of 10 years or 120,000 miles. If you are within the mileage and time take the vehicle to the dealer. If they can not find at that time at least it will be documented. Sometime the leak is hard to find.*

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[redacted] (member.php?u=564623)
CF Member
Member Since: Jan 2018
Posts: 80
Thanks: 8 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=564623)
Thanked 2 Times in 2 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=564623)

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If it fails it will cause hard start, but you should get a P0949 code I believe

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[redacted] (member.php?u=328950)
CF Senior Member

Quote:

Member Since: Mar 2009
Posts: 192
Thanks: 0
Thanked 1 Time in 1 Post (post_thanks.php?do=thanksu=328950)

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Originally Posted by [redacted] (https://www.corvetteforum.com/showthread.php?p=1597377251#post1597377251)
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Thanks, was not getting any codes. Chevy service called today to say the new fuel pump that was put in went bad, and have to replace again. Drop the tank another 7 hours labor he said.

on the good side GM is again picking up the bill.

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[redacted] member.php?u=328950)
CF Senior Member
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Member Since: Mar 2009
Posts: 192
Thanks: 0
Thanked 1 Time in 1 Post (post_thanks.php?do=findthanksu=328950)

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[redacted] p?u=313519)
CF Senior Member
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(member.php?u=313519)

Member Since: Aug 2008
Location: Derby KS
Posts: 165
Thanks: 5 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=313519)
Thanked 3 Times in 3 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanksu=313519)

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> *Thanks*

Yes it does. One of the two plastic clip/bushings broke when the dealer was doing mine, required an extra day to wait for the part. Those things are notorious for breaking, search and you will find some pictures.

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My linkage bushing fell off a week after the fuel pump fix. I posted before that while

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u=379851)

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Member Since: Apr 2011
Location: Sarasota, FL
Posts: 1,515
Thanks: 30 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=379851)
Thanked 69 Times in 62 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=379851)
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[redacted] (member.php?u=328950)
CF Senior Member
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Member Since: Mar 2009
Posts: 192
Thanks: 0
Thanked 1 Time in 1 Post (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=328950)

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hopefully the last update for this. dealer told me they failed to seat the shifter in position correctly? I don't know if this is true or not, anyway I was told they were sorry and no charge.

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[redacted] (member.php?u=550579)
CF Senior Member
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(member.php?u=550579)

Member Since: Jul 2017
Location: Everett Washington
Posts: 105
Thanks: 13 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=550579)
Thanked 19 Times in 11 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=550579)

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Location: Pittsburgh
Posts: 1,548
Thanks: 100 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=522186)
Thanked 185 Times in 160 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=522186)
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This gas smell issue is NOT a recall...It is a tsb (technical service bulletin) It covers C6 Corvettes that have less than 120,000 miles & be less than 10 years old from the time that the car was put into service. Your 06 is way past the age limit

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[redacted] (member.php?u=570600)
Junior Member

Member Since: Apr 2018
Location: Cincinnati OH
Posts: 11
Thanks: 14 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=570600)
Thanked 1 Time in 1 Post (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=570600)
(https://plus.google.com/Sean A McEntire Sr) (https://www.instagram.com/seansr917) (https://www.pinterest.com/Sean)
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WTF. Startup the 08 C6 this morning and something wasn't right. Drove about 50ft then it shutoff smelled gas, inside. Once out there was gas all over the ground and the streak of gas from where I parked. StealerShip all booked up till next week.

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Member Since: Jul 2003
Location: Manatee County, FL.
Posts: 20,277
Thanks: 25 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=50463)
Thanked 74 Times in 66 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=50463)

Smelled gas fumes once several months ago but [redacted] away.. Yesterday (July 4th) we went out for seve[redacted] home and parked the Vette (2013 20,200 miles) Went in the garage an hour later and the gas fu[redacted] knocked me over. I opened the garage door to a[redacted] After awhile I backed the Vette out of the garage [redacted] outside overnight.
Today I drove to the dealer and explained my pr[redacted] couldn't get it in until Monday to look at it. Drove [redacted] enough the smell is back again so out will spend [redacted] outside.
I have an appointment for Monday and they have [redacted] for me.
I'll keep everyone posted.

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Member Since: Jul 2003
Location: Manatee County, FL.
Posts: 20,277
Thanks: 25 (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=50463)
Thanked 74 Times in 66 Posts (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=50463)
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Report filed with NHTSA (7/6/18) hopefully bring some action.

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I was contemplating buying a C6.

Not any more.

I will opt for another C5 if any GM product at a

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**Gas Tank Leaks Affect ZR1, Z51, and Base C6 Co
as well as C7 Corvettes**

Agree with you that this should be a high priori
recall. It is an issue on C6 and C7 Corvettes, a
local dealer has had to repair several others wi
same problem. I contacted GM about it, but the
refused to do anything. So, I took your advice
created 3 NHTSA complaints, one for each of m
Corvettes. They are all different models from d
model years, so it cannot be a coincidence that
of them developed the same problem GM alrea
limited recall for. The gas tank leak causes an
overwhelming fuel odor inside the car while dri
after shutting it off and housing it in the garage
walking by the car is an olfactory experience. T
Corvettes filled the inside of my garage with fu
vapors, so I had to move the cars outside, ope
doors, and use heavy duty air mover fans for h
to get the vapors out. The gas tank leak is espe
noticeable in summer when ethanol is added to
creates a heavy smell of nail polish remover ins
outside the car. Driving with the windows dow
not help, but sticking to less than half a tank o
reduces the smell. The repairs are very expens
especially for the ZR1. Chevrolet needs to recal
replace this component on all C6 and C7 Corve

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I just filed a complaint with the NHTSA about the Out of Spec Valve Guide Issue, I would encourage everyone else to do so as well, maybe just maybe it will force GM to finally do a recall and QC on parts.

Here is my complaint:

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Member Since: Feb 2014
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Here's complaint about excessive valve train noise and after reading several Corvette forum threads about improperly machined heads by GM's supplier Mangar, and that numerous vehicles have had valves drop and ruin the engines, I took my car with 17000 miles on it to a Corvette Specialty Shop to have my valve guide clearance tested and (2) intake/exhaust valves outside of service specifications, (4) Exhaust Valve Guides outside of service specifications, and a combination of (10) other intake and exhaust valve guides at or near the maximum outside of service specifications. The car is being reported with proper re-machining of the heads to

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make the valve guides concentric, new intake and exhaust valve guides installed, as well as new seals, valves, springs. (https://www.corvetteforum.com)

88% of the Corvette Forum Members who have had their cylinder heads tested for excessive valve guide wear, were out of service specifications. Source: https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums...-registry.html (https://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/c6-z06-discussion/3386141-the-out-of-spec-guide-wear-registry.html)

GM needs to issue a recall on this issue, there have been numerous engine failures as a result of a dropped valve into a cylinder which can cause accidents and fires. GM is very aware of this issue, but refuses to do anything about this huge safety risk to drivers, passenger, and nearby vehicles if the engine fails going down the road.

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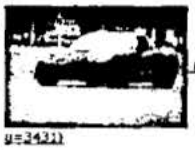

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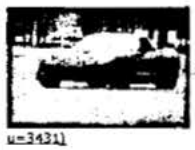

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Wow, that must have been a scary ride, glad you walked about unscathed.

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01-06-2015, 09:45 AM #8 (showpost.php?p=1588655194&postcount=8)

[redacted] (member.php?
u=17270)
CF Senior Member

(member.php?
u=17270)

Member Since: Jul 1999
Location: Minnesota
Posts: 4,201
Thanks: 5 (post_thanks.php?
do=findthanks_user_gave&u=17270)
Thanked 37 Times in 33 Posts
(post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=17270)
CF 15 year member award

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When my exhaust valve dropped, it was on the exit of turn 14 at Road America. Just as I was rolling on the gas after the apex. Felt a quick shutter and immediately put the clutch in and turned off the motor. Coasted just far enough to get off the track and on the pit in road. Kept the damage internal in the block so no oil or antifreeze to clean up for the safety crew. Whether the motor is immediately turned off or not, the engine is going to stop and the power steering and brakes are not going to work.

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01-06-2015, 09:59 AM #9 (showpost.php?p=1588655336&postcount=9)

[redacted] member.php?
u=468726)
CF Senior Member
Thread Starter

(member.php?

Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?
> p=1588655172#post1588655172)
> *I know this has been tried before, but hopefully it gains traction.*

It does not take much time to file the complaint, if more people jump on this maybe GM can be held accountable and finally issue a recall as well as triple check the quality control of parts, especially these heads.

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Member Since: Feb 2014
Posts: 1,920
Thanks: 1,[illegible]
do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 72 Posts
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01-06-2015, 10:01 AM

DANGER Fuel Leaks - SAFETY RECALL * * * * #10 (showpost.php?p=1588655357&postcount=10)

[redacted] (member.php?u=468726)

CF Senior Member

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Thread Starter

(member.php?u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 72 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=468726)
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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588655194)
>
> *valve dropped, it was on the [illegible] 14 at Road America. Just as I was rolling on the gas after the apex. Felt a quick shutter and immediately put the clutch in and turned off the motor. Coasted just far enough to get off the track and on the pit in road. Kept the damage internal in the block so no oil or antifreeze to clean up for the safety crew. Whether the motor is immediately turned off or not, the engine is going to stop and the power steering and brakes are not going to work.*

Were you able to salvage the block or was it toast? Glad to here your quick reaction contained the oil and coolant for the safety of others on the track.

(http://www.corvetteforum.com/forums/usercp.php)

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01-06-2015, 10:07 AM

#11 (showpost.php?p=1588655405&postcount=11)

[redacted] (member.php?u=62872)

CF Senior Member

* * *

Member Since: May 2004
Location: Oakhurst Ca
Posts: 966
Thanks: 4 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=62872)
Thanked 33 Times in 28 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=62872)

CF 10 year member

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Complaint filed

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#12 (showpost.php?p=1588655407&postcount=12)

[redacted] (member.php?u=1526)

Moderator

(member.php?u=1526)

Member Since: Jun 1999
Location: Dove Mountain Arizona
Posts: 6,935
Thanks: 1 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=1526)
Thanked 32 Times in 25 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=1526)

The form asks for an incident report. If nothing has happened yet and you have not had your valves checked, it appears there is nothing to send in.

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#13 (showpost.php?p=1588655483&postcount=13)

[redacted] (member.php?u=468726)

(https://www.corvetteforum.com)

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Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588655405#post1588655405)
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This is for people who have had their valve guides checked and are out of spec or for people who have lost a motor due to failure.

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u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 72 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=468726)
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The Following 2 Users Say Thank You to [redacted] For This Useful Post:

[redacted] (member.php?u=553768) (08-15-2017), [redacted] (member.php?u=223640) (10-16-2015)

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#14 (showpost.php?p=1588655508&postcount=14)

[redacted] (member.php?u=468726)

CF Senior Member
* * * *
Thread Starter

(member.php?u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 72 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=468726)
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Quote:

Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588655405#post1588655405)
Complaint filed

Thank you, let's keep this going.

I am pissed at the results on both my Z with 27K and my Father In Law's Z with 48K, his motor barely made it without breaking, the shop said that two of his guides were so bad and out of spec that they opted not to start his car, just pushed it to where it needed to be in the shop.

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#15 (showpost.php?p=1588655616&postcount=15)

[redacted] (member.php?u=3431)

Tech Contributor

Quote:

Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588654881#post1588654881)
Wow, that must have been a scary ride, glad you walked about unscathed

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Member Since: Feb 2008
Location: Chenoa (formerly Endicott, NY)
Posts: 31,507

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Not all the usage exceptions kick in at 27 miles. On both cars the engine blew up and lock up so the crank kept turning until I pushed in the clutch. I didn't get excited until the car stopped and all of the smoke coming out of the rear blew forward and I thought the car was on fire. Based on the video it took me 30 seconds to unbuckle the harnesses and get out of the car. A little too slow but it isn't easy crawling out of a race seat and exiting a car with a HANs wrapped around your neck and fastened to your helmet.

Thanks: 6 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=3431)
Thanked 2,585 Times in 1,772 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=3431)
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Others that I knew had much scarier rides. Like the guy who blew his engine entering turn 10 at the Glen. It immediately locked the rear wheels, dumped a massive amount of oil on the track and he spun off into the run off area. 6 other cars joined him (they had all been running close together) as they spun in his oil. One of them almost hit him in the driver's door but spun past him to hit the tire wall. That car suffered the most damage. A lot of body damage and a possibly a ruined engine as the engine broke off its mounts in the collision. It was a true NASCAR style incident.

Bill

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[redacted] (member.php?u=468726)
CF Senior Member
Thread Starter

(member.php?u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 72 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=468726)
(https://www.facebook.com/William.Pilgrim)

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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted] (showthread.php?p=1588655616#post1588655616)
> *Not all that scary except thinking the typical "Oh, xxit". The engine didn't grenade and lock up so the crank kept turning until I pushed in the clutch. I didn't get excited until the car stopped and all of the smoke coming out of the rear blew forward and I thought the car was on fire. Based on the video it took me 10 seconds to unfasten the harnesses and get out of the car. A little too slow but it isn't easy crawling out of a race seat and exiting a car with a HANs wrapped around your neck and fastened to your helmet.*
>
> *Others that I knew had much scarier rides. Like the guy who blew his engine entering turn 10 at the Glen. It immediately locked the rear wheels, dumped a massive amount of oil on the track and he spun off into the run off area. 6 other cars joined him (they had all been running close together) as they spun in his oil. One of them almost hit him in the driver's door but spun past him to hit the tire wall. That car suffered the most damage. A lot of body damage and a possibly a ruined engine as the engine broke off its mounts in the collision. It was a true NASCAR style incident.*
>
> [redacted]

Wow, that is crazy, again glad everyone was alright. I think about Z's driven on the street in this scenario, going around a curve during morning traffic on the freeway, valve drops, oil & coolant all over the freeway, whether the Z driver does a good job bring his car to a stop or does it turn into a multiple car pile up with injuries.

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#17 (showpost.php?p=1588656218&postcount=17)

[redacted] (member.php?u=404960)
CF Senior Member

Member Since: Feb 2012
Location: WA.
Posts: 114
Thanks: 6 (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks_user_gave&u=404960)
Thanked 2 Times in 2 Posts (post_thanks.php?do=findthanks&u=404960)

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Keep the complaints going. I have a 13Z and would prefer GM to accept responsibility and fix the problem.

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#18 (showpost.php?p=1588656296&postcount=18)

[redacted] (member.php?u=310730)
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u=310730)

Member Since: Jul 2008
Location: [redacted]
Posts: 310
Thanks: 1 (post_thanks.php?
do=findthanks_user_gave&u=310730)
Thanked 0 Times in 0 Posts

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#19 (showpost.php?p=1588656311&postcount=19)

[redacted] (member.php?
u=468726)
CF Senior Member
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Thread Starter

(member.php?
u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?
do=findthanks_user_gave&u=468726)
Thanked 127 Times in 22 Posts
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do=findthanks&u=468726)
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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted]i (showthread.php?
> p=1588656218#post1588656218)
> *Keep the complaints going. I have a 13Z and would prefer GM to accept responsibility and fix the problem.*

Did you read the recent thread about a guy doing a build, ordered brand new heads from GM, one was fine the other was out of spec, he sent it back.

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u=468726)
CF Senior Member
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Thread Starter

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u=468726)

Member Since: Feb 2014
Location: Arizona
Posts: 1,520
Thanks: 101 (post_thanks.php?
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Quote:

> Originally Posted by [redacted]i (showthread.php?
> p=1588656296#post1588656296)
> *Complaint filed as well... this thread should be stickied!*

Thanks you!! I agree can we get a moderator to do this???

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