



U.S. Department of Transportation
**National Highway Traffic Safety
Administration**



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Englewood, NJ [REDACTED]

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Ref. No. 11625319

Dear [REDACTED]:

Thank you for the letter about your model year (MY) 2024 Honda Civic vehicle. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's (NHTSA) mission is to save lives, prevent injuries, and reduce economic costs due to road traffic crashes, through education, research, safety standards, and enforcement activity. I am pleased to respond.

We appreciate the report you provided. Among other enforcement activities, NHTSA continuously monitors available information to identify potential safety defect trends. As such, reports from motorists are a very important source of information for us.

NHTSA's legal authority only extends to vehicle repairs associated with safety recalls. We encourage you to continue to work with the Honda, your local dealer, and Frontline Collision to explore the potential for an amicable resolution to your problem. You may also consider contacting your local Consumer Protection Agency or the New Jersey and New York Attorney General's Offices regarding your problem and rights under state law. In addition, the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) regulates and investigates warranty and dealership problems, reimbursement matters, and fair-trade practices. Therefore, if you believe this issue potentially relates to such a practice, you may contact the FTC to discuss the matter. There are two ways to contact the FTC: by toll free telephone at 877-FTC-HELP; and by using the internet complaint form at [ftc.gov/complaint](https://www.ftc.gov/complaint).

You may also consider contacting the Better Business Bureau (BBB) Auto Line. The BBB offers free mediation/arbitration to resolve warranty disputes under guidelines established by the FTC. Remedies include repair, reimbursement, repurchase or replacement, depending on program eligibility. You can visit their web site at www.bbb.org to file a complaint and review eligibility information or call the BBB Auto Line at (800) 955-5100.

We entered your information into the agency's database. It will be used with other reports to identify any safety defect trends that may require our attention. You can learn more about NHTSA's investigation and recall process on our website at https://www.nhtsa.gov/sites/nhtsa.gov/files/2024-11/MVSDefectsandRecalls-Update_112124_v1a_tag.pdf.

Finally, please complete an electronic Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire on our website at www.nhtsa.gov or call the Vehicle Safety Hotline at 888-327-4236 if you encounter a safety-related problem with a motor vehicle or motor vehicle equipment in the future. You can also review complaints, safety recalls, manufacturers' service bulletins, etc. on our website. I hope you find this information helpful.

Sincerely,

A black rectangular redaction box covering the signature of Randy Reid.

Randy Reid, Chief
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Enforcement