

**Part 573 Safety Recall Report****14V-153****Manufacturer Name :** General Motors LLC**Submission Date :** AUG 25,2014**NHTSA Recall No. :** 14V-153**Manufacturer Recall No. :** N140115**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : General Motors LLC

Address : 30001 VAN DYKE

MAIL CODE 480-210-2V WARREN MI 48090

Company phone : 999

**Population :**

Number of potentially involved : 1,360,895

Estimated percentage with defect : NR

**Vehicle Information :**

Vehicle : 2006-2006 CHEVROLET MALIBU MAXX

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : MAY 24, 2005 - MAR 31, 2006

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2004-2004 CHEVROLET MALIBU

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : MAY 16, 2003 - JUN 11, 2004

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2005-2005 CHEVROLET MALIBU

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : MAR 30, 2004 - JUL 29, 2005

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2006-2006 CHEVROLET MALIBU

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : MAY 26, 2005 - MAR 31, 2006

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2005-2005 CHEVROLET MALIBU MAXX

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : MAR 31, 2004 - JUL 29, 2005

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2004-2004 CHEVROLET MALIBU MAXX

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : JUN 25, 2003 - JUN 11, 2004

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2007-2007 SATURN ION

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : APR 05, 2006 - MAR 28, 2007

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs





**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2009-2009 PONTIAC G6

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : APR 16, 2008 - JUN 27, 2008

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2008-2008 PONTIAC G6

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : OCT 02, 2007 - JUN 13, 2008

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2006-2006 PONTIAC G6

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : JAN 11, 2005 - MAR 31, 2006

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2009-2009 CHEVROLET MALIBU

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : NR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : NR

Production Dates : APR 22, 2008 - JUN 27, 2008

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2008-2008 CHEVROLET MALIBU  
Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES  
Body Style : NR  
Power Train : NR  
Descriptive Information : NR  
Production Dates : OCT 01, 2007 - JUN 27, 2008

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain model year 2004-2006 and 2008-2009 Chevrolet Malibu, 2004-2006 Malibu Maxx, 2009-2010 HHR (non-turbo), 2010 Cobalt, 2008-2009 Saturn Aura and 2004-2007 Ion, and 2005-2009 Pontiac G6. In the affected vehicles, there may be a sudden loss of electric power steering (EPS) assist that could occur at any time while driving.

Description of the Safety Risk : If power steering assist is lost, greater driver effort would be required to steer the vehicle at low speeds, increasing the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

**Supplier Identification :****Component Manufacturer**

Name : JTEKT,Nexteer,

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

**Chronology :**

NR

**Description of Remedy :**

Description of Remedy Program : GM will notify owners, and dealers will perform one of four bulletins. Parts are not currently available. GM expects to send an interim notification around May 28, 2014. When parts are available, owners will be mailed a second letter to come in to have the applicable bulletin applied. Bulletin 14115 covers model year 2004-2007 Saturn Ion, 2009-2010 Chevrolet HHR and 2010 Chevrolet Cobalts. Dealers will replace the EPS motor. Bulletin 14116 covers model year 2004-2006 Chevrolet Malibu and Malibu Maxx, 2005-2006 Pontiac G6 and 2008-2009 Chevrolet Malibu, Pontiac G6 and Saturn Aura built from March 1, 2008, through June 27, 2008. Dealers will replace the torque sensor assembly. Bulletin 14117 covers model year 2008 Chevrolet Malibu, Pontiac G6 and Saturn Aura built from February 1, 2008, through February 28, 2008. Dealers will replace the torque sensor assembly and EPS motor controller unit. Bulletin 14118 covers model year 2008 Chevrolet Malibu, Pontiac G6 and Saturn Aura built from October 1, 2007, through January 31, 2008. Dealers will replace the EPS motor controller unit. The recall began on July 17, 2014. Owners may contact Chevrolet at 1-800-630-2438, Saturn at 1-800-553-6000, and Pontiac at 1-800-620-7668. GM's number for this recall is N140115. Note: GM bulletin number 14119 will be implemented for model year 2006-2008 and early production of 2009 Chevrolet HHR (non-turbo) and model year 2003 Saturn ION to provide EPS Motor replacement for the life of the vehicle.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : NR

**Recall Schedule :**

Description of Recall Schedule : NR

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date : MAY 16, 2014 - NR

\* NR - Not Reported