

May 2017 This notice applies to your vehicle:

RE: 2016 Civic

NHTSA Recall 16V-074

<u>IMPORTANT</u>

- Your vehicle is included in a safety recall and should have the recall service done as soon as possible.
- Any authorized Honda dealer will perform the recall service at no charge to you.

Dear

What is the reason for this notice?

Our records indicate that a SAFETY RECALL has not been completed on this vehicle; refer to the address card for the affected VIN. In certain 2016 model year Civic vehicles equipped with a 2.0L engine, the snap rings securing the piston pin to the piston in your vehicle's engine may be missing or improperly installed. Engine vibration could then unseat the piston pin from the piston, resulting in engine seizure. If the engine seizes, it will cause unexpected deceleration and loss of motive power, increasing the risk of crash. Engine block damage could also occur and allow for engine oil leakage, increasing the risk of fire in the presence of an ignition source.

What will Honda do?

Call any authorized Honda dealer and make an appointment to have your vehicle inspected. If necessary, the dealer will replace the defective piston assembly and any damaged engine components. This inspection and possible repair will be performed **at no cost to you**.

If you have questions

If you have any questions about this notice, or you need assistance locating a dealer, contact Honda Automobile Customer Service at 1-888-234-2138. You may also find this information at www.Hondacars.com.

We apologize for any inconvenience this safety recall may cause you.

Sincerely,

American Honda Motor Co., Inc. Honda Automobile Division

NOTICE: If this is a leased vehicle, please forward this notice to the lessee.