

Representative Letter – Customer letters are brand, model and model year specific; listing the 17-digit VIN and are personalized.



IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

August 2015

This notice applies to your vehicle, **VIN:** _____

Dear General Motors Customer:

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Takata Corporation (“Takata”) has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2007-2011 Cadillac Escalade, Escalade ESV, Escalade EXT, Chevrolet Avalanche, Silverado 1500, Suburban, Tahoe, GMC Sierra 1500, Yukon, Yukon XL, and 2009-2011 Chevrolet Silverado 2500/3500 and GMC Sierra 2500/3500 vehicles. This is based upon Takata’s decision that front passenger airbag inflators it supplied to GM are defective. Accordingly, GM will conduct a recall of its airbag inflators covered by Takata’s defect information report, unless GM is able to prove to NHTSA’s satisfaction that the inflators in its vehicles do not pose an unreasonable risk to safety.

IMPORTANT

- Your vehicle is involved in GM recall 49151.
- The vehicle is presently **safe to drive**.
- There is no need to take action now. You will be notified when parts are available to remedy your vehicle.

Why is your vehicle being recalled?

The propellant in some types of Takata airbag inflators can degrade over time, especially after long term exposure in hot and humid regions. If the propellant degrades to a certain level, the inflators may rupture during deployment, causing serious or fatal injuries.

What will we do?

You will be notified when there are parts available to remedy your vehicle. You can also check the status of this recall at my.gm.com/recalls.

Do you have questions?

GM considers your vehicle safe to drive. If you have questions or concerns that your dealer is unable to resolve, please contact the appropriate Customer Assistance Center at the number listed below.

| Division | Number | Text Telephones (TTY) |
|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Cadillac | 1-866-982-2339 | 1-800-833-2622 |
| Chevrolet | 1-800-630-2438 | 1-800-833-2438 |
| GMC | 1-866-996-9463 | 1-800-462-8583 |
| Puerto Rico – English | 1-800-496-9992 | |
| Puerto Rico – Español | 1-800-496-9993 | |
| Virgin Islands | 1-800-496-9994 | |

If you are still not satisfied after contacting your dealer and the Customer Assistance Center, you may wish to write the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590, or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at

1.888.327.4236 (TTY 1.800.424.9153), or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Campaign ID Number for this recall is 16V381.

Federal regulation requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.

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GM Recall Number 49151