



June 13, 2018

Attention: Mazda Dealership General Managers, Service and Parts Managers

Subject: Re-notification of Safety Recalls 2218A and 2318A, MY 2006
Mazda B-Series Truck - Takata Driver Side Frontal Airbag Inflator
(2218A) and Passenger Side Frontal Airbag Inflator (2318A)

Mazda has decided to re-notify customers who have not had their vehicles repaired for these two important safety recalls. Mazda Motor Corporation has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in vehicles equipped with a certain type of Driver Side Frontal Air Bag Inflator, and to conduct a recall campaign on 2006 B-Series Trucks registered in all states. Due to new test data showing a far higher risk of ruptures than for other recalled Takata air bags, Mazda Motor Corporation filed an amendment to expand the affected vehicles subject to these "Do Not Drive" recalls 2218A and 2318A. Parts are available to complete these repair immediately.

URGENT - THE VEHICLES IN THIS PROGRAM ARE NOT TO BE

DRIVEN UNTIL THIS REPAIR HAS BEEN PERFORMED

On June 14th, 2018 we will mail to 865 owners that have not had the two critical recalls completed and ask them to make an appointment to repair their vehicle as soon as possible.

Please remember, dealers are to offer towing of customer vehicles to and from the dealership so repairs may be completed. In addition, other forms of repair and outreach such as mobile repairs will be authorized.

IMPORTANT: Please assist the customers by checking in their vehicle and providing a MCVP or Rental vehicle free of charge if needed while repairs are performed. If the owner requires a pickup truck, please make every effort to provide one. In addition, other forms of repair and outreach

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WARRANTY CLAIMS FOR 2218A and 2318A

Recall 2218A and 2318A will display on eMDCS by as Open. Prompt submission of warranty claims will assist in the proper and prompt notification of the customer's recall status.

Please make certain the appropriate personnel in your dealership are aware of these resources and are familiar with the details of this recall before responding to customer inquiries.

We apologize for any inconvenience this recall may cause you and your customers. Your understanding and support in carrying out this campaign is greatly appreciated.

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