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Subject: **BMW Recall 26V-xxx: Charging Port**

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The Recall Notice and FAQ have been attached for further information.

The bulletin will be updated when additional information becomes available.

Sincerely,

Technical Service

Attachments:

B612326[1793299904751].pdf

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Recipients: BMW Passenger Cars, All Offering, All Region, All Areas, All Departments, All Personnel
BMW SAV (Light Trucks), All Offering, All Region, All Areas, All Departments, All Personnel
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RECALL 26V-XXX: CHARGING PORT
2026-10-29

MODEL

E-Series	Model Description	Production Date
G60	i5 Sedan	May 12, 2026 – July 22, 2026
G70	i7 Sedan	June 15, 2026 – July 23, 2026

AFFECTED VEHICLES

Vehicles which require this campaign to be completed will show it as “Open” when checked either in AIR, AWP, Campaign Summary or Warranty Vehicle Inquiry.

Please make sure you check your dealer inventory as soon as possible. As of October 30, 2026, you can see a list of affected vehicles in Inventory Campaign Details (ICD) under ROSS.

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Supporting Materials
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SAFETY RECALL NOTICE

To: All Center Operators, Sales Managers, Service Managers, Parts Managers and Warranty Processors

RE: Recall 26V-xxx: Charging Port – B61 23 26

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Please be reminded that it is a violation of federal law (The Safety Act) for you to sell, lease or deliver any new motor vehicle covered by this notification until the recall repair has been performed. This means that Centers may not legally deliver new motor vehicles to consumers until they are fixed or use/sell replacement equipment/parts subject to this recall. Note also that substantial civil penalties apply to violations of the Safety Act.

Also, you should not sell, lease or deliver any Certified Pre-Owned or used vehicles subject to a safety recall until the repair is completed.

Please follow any special instructions that we provide to you for the return or disposition of recall parts.

We appreciate all your assistance with this Recall.

Safety Recall
26V-xyz
Charging Software
Model Year 2026-2027
BMW i5, i7

Q1. Which BMW models in the US are potentially affected by this Safety Recall?
Certain Model Year 2026-2027 BMW i5 and i7 models in the US are potentially affected.

Q2. What is the specific issue?
This safety recall involves software that is used as part of the vehicle's high-voltage battery charging process. The software may not be in accordance with specifications. Depending upon a number of factors, including the non-vehicle charging infrastructure, this could increase the risk of electric shock.

Q3. Why are other models / vehicles not included in this Safety Recall?
Other models contain software according to specifications.

Q4. Can I continue to drive my vehicle?
Yes. However, when you are notified by BMW of this Safety Recall that a remedy is available, please contact an authorized BMW center to schedule an appointment as soon as possible. For the latest updates to this Safety Recall, please visit bmwusa.com/recall. **If you are not the only driver of this vehicle, please advise all other drivers of this important information.**

Q5. How did BMW become aware of the issue?
BMW became aware of the issue through its quality control procedures.

Q6. How will I be informed of this Safety Recall?
Owners of potentially affected vehicles will be notified via First Class mail advising them of this Safety Recall and to schedule an appointment with an authorized BMW center as soon as possible to have the remedy performed. To locate your nearest authorized BMW center, please visit bmwusa.com/dealer.

To ensure BMW has the most up-to-date contact and vehicle information, owners should register their vehicle at bmwusa.com/myBMW. Registration is free and will give them access to other information specific for their BMW vehicle. Alternatively, owners can visit bmwusa.com/recall and click on "**Manage recall notices and contact information".**

Q7. How will my vehicle be remedied?
Potentially affected vehicles will receive a software update *free of charge* which should take about an hour.

Q8. Do I have to wait for BMW to contact me to have the remedy performed?
Yes. BMW is currently in the process of ensuring that the necessary tools, parts, and procedures are available prior to contacting you to schedule an appointment with an authorized BMW center. For the latest updates to this Safety Recall, please visit bmwusa.com/recall.