

# VOLKSWAGEN DEALER COMMUNICATION

# Takata Reminder Mailing – Compton Water District / Safety Recalls 69Q8, 69Q9, 69Y5

This notice is for: ✓

Dealer Principal

✓ Service Manager

Warranty Administrator

✓ General Manager

✓ Parts Manager

✓ Technicians

✓ Sales Managers

**Date:** August 5, 2019

Mailing Information:

In conjunction with the City of Compton, Volkswagen will be sending Takata airbag recall reminder notices to approximately 68 Volkswagen owners in the State of California on August 5, 2019.

Service Consultant

A copy of the owner notification is attached for your reference.

Please make every effort to quickly schedule owners who contact your dealership for a repair appointment.

**Parts Department:** 

Parts are available.

Please coordinate with your service department to ensure that parts are on hand to support all scheduled appointments.

Notes:

**IMPORTANT REMINDER: VEHICLES AFFECTED BY SAFETY & COMPLIANCE RECALLS** 

New Vehicles in Dealer Inventory: It is a violation of federal law for a dealer to deliver a new motor vehicle or any new or used item of motor vehicle equipment (including a tire) covered by this notification under a sale or lease until the defect or noncompliance is remedied. By law, dealers must correct, prior to delivery for sale or lease, any vehicle that fails to comply with an applicable Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard or that contains a defect relating to motor vehicle safety.

<u>Pre-Owned Vehicles in Dealer Inventory:</u> Dealers should not deliver any pre-owned vehicles in their inventory which are involved in a safety or compliance recall until the defect has been remedied.

-END OF MESSAGE-

Ensure all dealership personnel are aware of this notice so they are able to address customer questions. Contact Warranty if you require additional assistance. Direct press inquiries to Volkswagen Public Relations.



[Month Year]

[Customer Name] [Street Address] [City, ST Zip]

#### WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- Your vehicle has an urgent airbag recall.
- The airbag could <u>injure or even kill</u> you and your passengers.
- The repair is <u>FREE</u> at any Volkswagen-authorized dealer.
- Visit <u>www.vw.com/find-a-dealer/</u> to find your nearest dealer and make an appointment. Or, call 800-893-5298.

## **URGENT AIRBAG SAFETY RECALL: IMMEDIATE ACTION REQUIRED!**

# This notice applies to a vehicle registered in your name: [VIN]

Dear [NAME]:

The City of Compton is contacting you personally because your Volkswagen has a recalled airbag that could <u>kill</u> <u>or seriously injure you and your passengers</u>.

The City of Compton has received information from Volkswagen that the vehicle that is currently registered in your name with the Vehicle Identification Number [VIN] has been recalled. If the airbag deploys, in some cases, a part within the airbag may explode and spray sharp metal fragments or shrapnel toward you and your passengers.

According to records from Volkswagen, your vehicle has not been repaired yet. The potentially lifesaving repair is <u>FREE</u> and parts are available now. Please **immediately call a Volkswagen dealer** for more information or to schedule a <u>FREE</u> repair.

# What should you do?

- Immediately contact a local Volkswagen dealer to schedule a FREE repair.
- Visit <u>www.vw.com/find-a-dealer</u> or <u>call 800-893-5298</u> to find your nearest Volkswagen dealer.
- If you think you have already taken action on this recall, visit www.NHTSA.gov/recalls or www.airbagrecall.com and enter your vehicle's VIN to verify and ensure that no other recalls have been issued for your vehicle.



Please encourage your family and friends to check for vehicle safety recalls using their VIN at <a href="https://www.NHTSA.gov/recalls">www.NHTSA.gov/recalls</a> or <a href="https://www.airbagrecall.com">www.airbagrecall.com</a>. You and your family's safety is our top priority.

### Please act NOW to protect yourself and your passengers.