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F60 XB2H EVAP PURGE (VENT) VALVE EXT LTD WTY (ELW) 15 YEARS/150,000 MILES  
2026-04-27

THIS REPAIR IS MOBILE FRIENDLY

**MODEL**

E-Series	Model Year	Model Description	AG Model Code	Engine
F60	2020 to 2023	Cooper S E Countryman ALL4 (PHEV)	YU83 / 23BS	<b>XB2H</b>

**Note:** The Model listing above is for informational purposes only, it is not the only deciding factor.

To assist you in identifying those vehicles that have this component-specific extended limited warranty (ELW) coverage, the following Vehicle Comment will show in the VIN-specific Warranty Vehicle Inquiry (WVI).

**SI M01 01 26 (RC 13 90 90 03 00):** For this vehicle, the EVAP systems purge (vent) valve limited warranty for defects in materials and / or workmanship has been extended to 15 years / 150,000 miles as determined from the original first in-service / delivery date. This coverage is subject to the same vehicle eligibility requirements, limitations, and exclusion criteria that apply to the MINI New Vehicle Limited Warranty for Passenger Cars and Light Trucks.

**Note:** Before performing a repair and submitting a claim, first confirm that the vehicle has the above Notice of Extended Limited Warranty coverage in the WVI "Vehicle Comments" section.

If you have ELW eligibility and/or coverage questions, please contact the Warranty department through IDS by selecting Coverage, Policy, Coding Questions and Mileage Corrections prior to performing any repair.

**SITUATION**

**Component-Specific Extended Limited Warranty (ELW)**

	<p>For the eligible vehicles and for the issue described below, MINI USA, a division of BMW of North America, LLC (MINI USA) is extending the limited warranty for the vehicle's <b>fuel tank purge (vent) valve</b> to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>15 years/150,000 miles as determined by the vehicle's original first in-service / delivery date.</b></li> </ul> <p>This component-specific extended limited warranty (ELW) applies to defects in materials or workmanship.</p>
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This coverage applies to the vehicle, is transferable, and is subject to the same vehicle eligibility requirements, limitations, and exclusion criteria that apply to the MINI New Passenger Car Limited Warranty.

**Note: This bulletin is notice of a limited warranty extension. This is NOT a notice of a Recall or Service Action.**

There is no immediate repair required unless the MINI vehicle is currently experiencing this problem.

## Customer Notification Letter

Even though this is NOT a Recall, MINI USA is sending VIN-specific customer notification letters.

## CAUSE

Over time, the EVAP system's vent (purge) valve may develop material (micro leaks) and operational issues, this can cause hard starting, and the engine to run rough, especially while idling.

There could also be an audible metallic noise emanating internally from the purge valve.

Additionally, your vehicle will store the corresponding fault codes that may also be generated, and the Malfunction Indicator Lamp (MIL) will illuminate.

One or more of the following or similar fault codes may be entered in the DME fault memory:

- 118001 - mixture control: Mixture too lean,
- 118401 - mixture control: Mixture too lean, large deviation,
- 190F08 - fuel tank ventilation system: malfunction,
- 191C02 - fuel tank ventilation system, 2nd discharge point: malfunction, and/or
- 195014 - differential pressure sensor, tank vent valve, signal: stationary

## CORRECTION

Follow the instructions in the PROCEDURE section.

## PROCEDURE

If a vehicle listed above arrives at your dealer with the issue described in this Service Information Bulletin, perform the corresponding diagnosis and when applicable, replace the EVAP system's vent (purge) valve as instructed or as determined by the diagnosis.

And only if required, refer to SI M16 01 07 "Testing Evaporative System for Leaks," corresponding time support is required.

No other required EVAP system-related repairs are covered under this ELW coverage. When applicable, invoice these items on the repair order separately, and review for other coverage that may apply.

## PARTS INFORMATION

**Only order parts in the quantities needed to address customer vehicles that have confirmed failures.**

To determine the part number that applies to the specific vehicle being repaired, enter the VIN/chassis number into either ETK or AIR, this will consider the specific equipment and/or options that are fitted to the vehicle.

Part Number	Description	Quantity
Refer to ETK/AIR	Fuel tank breather valve	1

Additionally, other materials and small parts that are not specified above, such as fluids, lubricants, one-time use screws, nuts, and seals, which must be replaced or installed according to the ISTA repair instructions/ETK, must be selected from the Electronic Parts Catalogue, or other approved MINI resources, according to the respective vehicle type. Invoiced these items separately under the Repair Code below.

## **CLAIM INFORMATION**

For eligible US-specification MINI vehicles that are registered and operated in the United States (including Puerto Rico), this component-specific 15 years (180 months)/150,000-mile extended limited warranty coverage for defects in materials and/or workmanship applies to qualifying repairs performed by authorized MINI dealers.

This coverage applies to the vehicle, is transferable, and is subject to the same vehicle eligibility requirements, limitations, and exclusion criteria that apply to the MINI New Passenger Car Limited Warranty.

**The existing limited warranty coverage for the whole vehicle and other components has not changed.**

This coverage supersedes the coverage that is provided under the MINI New Passenger Car Limited Warranty or any BMW Group Vehicle Service Contract that applies to the vehicle.

For the issue described in this bulletin, the fuel tank purge valve is then covered by the remaining portion of the extended limited warranty coverage period.

### **Non-Qualifying Repairs**

Repairs performed on ineligible vehicles, eligible vehicles operated and repaired outside the United States and Puerto Rico, the diagnosis and repair of issues and items that are outside the intended scope of this extended coverage, other unrelated issues, and/or that are due to outside influences are not covered by this extended limited warranty. This exclusion also applies to repairs that were performed using (including those repairs that result from using) non-genuine MINI parts and/or used passenger car or light truck parts.

### **Qualifying Repairs – Claim Submission**

<b>Repair Code:</b>	<b>1390900300</b>	<b>F60 XB2H US tank purge valve</b>
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Obtain the flat rate unit (FRU) allowances for the following that applies.

<b>Labor Operation</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Labor Allowance</b>
00 00 006	Carrying out vehicle test (Main work)	As applicable
Or:		
00 00 556	Carrying out vehicle test (Plus work)	As applicable
And:		
61 21 528	Supporting voltage of the vehicle electrical system / recharging vehicle battery	As applicable
And, as needed:		
61 00 006*	Carrying out vehicle diagnosis, ABL (Work time)	WT FRU
Or		
00 58 500*	Diagnosis Worktime Flat Rate (See below)	2 FRU
And:		
13 90 500	Replacing tank venting valve	As applicable

If you are using a Main labor code for another repair, use the Plusposition labor operation 00 00 556 instead of 00 00 006, or exclude them (including 61 21 528) when the Vehicle Test is included in another repair.

Work time labor operation codes 61 00 006 and 00 58 500 are not considered Main labor operations.

And only if it was needed to diagnose the above issue (Identified corresponding RO Time Support Required):

<b>Labor Operation</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Labor Allowance</b>
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16 00 500	Checking tightness of fuel tank and fuel tank ventilation system (SI M16 01 07)	5 FRU
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(\*) Based on which one applies to your dealer, please refer to **SI M01 01 20** or **M01 04 20** for the applicable procedure for documenting, claiming, and explaining, on the RO and in the claim comments, your diagnosis work time (WT), job/repair work time (WT), and the vehicle repairs your dealer performed, unless otherwise required by State law.

### **BMW Group's AIR Application Resource for Flat Rate Labor Operation Codes**

To obtain the corresponding flat rate unit (FRU) allowance information from the BMW Group AIR application resource, start by entering the Chassis Number (the last seven (7) characters of the VIN, select the applicable Model if two or more vehicle choices show), or enter the full VIN (17 characters), click on the "Search" button. Next, click on the "Flat Rate Units" button and enter the flat rate labor operation code in the field to the right, click "Search" to display the Flat Rate Unit Group detail choices.

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### **Previous Customer-Pay Repairs – Extended Limited Warranty Reimbursement**

MINI USA, a division of BMW of North America, LLC (MINI USA) will reimburse certain costs for qualifying customer-pay repairs that were performed on an eligible vehicle **prior** to the release of this component and issue specific extended limited warranty.

**A qualifying customer pay repair must primarily address this Service Information Bulletin's identified vehicle issue and repair. Also, the repair must have been correctly, adequately, and completely performed as required by the applicable BMW Group approved repair standards, procedures, processes, and policy instructions.**

**Eligible 2020 and newer model year vehicles identified and added with the April 2026 SIM update.**

Customer-pay repairs are subject to the same vehicle eligibility requirements, limitations, and exclusion criteria that apply to the MINI New Passenger Car Limited Warranty.

### **Repairs that Do Not Qualify for Reimbursement**

Repairs performed on ineligible vehicles, eligible vehicles operated and repaired outside the United States and Puerto Rico, the diagnosis and repair of issues and items that are outside the intended scope of this extended coverage, other unrelated issues, and/or that are due to outside influences are not covered by this extended limited warranty. This exclusion also applies to repairs that were performed using (including those repairs that result from using) non-genuine MINI parts and/or used passenger car or light truck parts.

### **Requesting Reimbursement for a Previous Repair that Qualifies**

For a customer to request reimbursement for a qualifying customer-pay repair performed either by an authorized MINI dealer or independent repair shop located in the United States (including Puerto Rico), please have him/her submit his/her reimbursement request online at [www.MINI-RP.com](http://www.MINI-RP.com) under the following reference:

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- MINI ELW Purge Valve 15Y150M

### Reimbursement Request Procedure

The online process is initiated by attaching/sending PDF files of the supporting documentation for the prior repair.

The letter also includes alternative methods to request reimbursement, either through the mail or by fax as described below:

MINI Customer Reimbursement Center  
 Attention: MINI ELW Purge Valve 15Y150M  
 P.O. Box 54067  
 Hurst, Texas 76054

Fax number: 877-434-2992

**Please allow 4-6 weeks for processing your request.**

Should you have any questions concerning this reimbursement process, please call 1-844-857-0341.

### FEEDBACK REGARDING THIS BULLETIN

Technical Feedback	To submit feedback for the technical topics of this bulletin: Submit your feedback in the rating box at the top of this bulletin
Warranty Feedback	To submit feedback for the CLAIMS section of this bulletin: Submit an IDS ticket to the Warranty Department, or use the chat available in the Warranty Documentation Portal
Parts Feedback	To submit feedback for the PARTS section of this bulletin: Submit an IDS ticket to the Parts Department

Supporting Materials

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April 2026

Effective as of the date above, the following **Important Vehicle Limited Warranty Information** applies to the MINI model with Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) **5UXCWSEEDSAMPLE01**.

Dear MINI Owner/Lessee:

MINI USA, a division of BMW of North America, LLC (“MINI USA”) is extending the limited warranty for your vehicle's:

- **Evaporative Emission Control (EVAP) System’s Purge Valve** on the above-referenced vehicle to:
- **15 years/150,000 miles, whichever occurs first, as determined from your vehicle’s original first in-service / delivery date.**

Over time, the EVAP system’s purge (vent) valve may develop material and operational issues, this can cause hard starting, and the engine to run rough, especially while idling. Additionally, the Malfunction Indicator Lamp (MIL) may also illuminate.

This component-specific extended limited warranty (ELW) applies to defects in materials and/or workmanship. This coverage is subject to the same vehicle eligibility requirements and limitations that apply to the MINI New Vehicle Limited Warranty for Passenger Cars and Light Trucks.

**This is a notice of a “component-specific” limited warranty extension. This is not a notice of a Recall or Service Action.**

If your vehicle is experiencing a situation like the one described above, please contact your authorized MINI dealer to schedule an appointment to have the issue with your vehicle diagnosed.

After the MINI dealer confirms that the scope of your vehicle’s issue, and that this extended limited warranty coverage corresponds and applies to the required vehicle repair, and your vehicle qualifies, the authorized MINI dealer will perform the applicable covered purge valve replacement repair work free of charge.

Repairs performed on ineligible vehicles, eligible vehicles operated and repaired outside the United States and Puerto Rico, or the diagnosis and repair of issues that are outside the intended scope of this extended coverage including other EVAP system-related component repairs, other unrelated issues, and/or that are due to outside influences are not covered by this limited warranty extension. This exclusion also applies to repairs that were performed using (including those repairs that result from using) non-genuine MINI parts and/or used MINI passenger car parts.

MINI USA will also reimburse certain costs for qualifying customer-pay repairs that were performed prior to the release of this component-specific extended limited warranty coverage as described in this letter.

We are determined to exceed your expectations, and we hope that this focused extended limited warranty coverage will further enhance your ownership experience.

Sincerely,

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**MINI Evaporative Emission Control (EVAP) System Purge Valve: Extended Limited Extension (ELW)  
Previous Customer-Pay Repair – Required Documentation Checklist**

**VIN: 5UXCWSEEDSAMPLE01**

Reimbursement for a qualifying customer pay repair is available to the MINI Owner/Lessee who incurred the expense. The questions below will assist you in reviewing your repair order/invoice documentation. When all your responses below are “Yes,” and after completing the Checklist, proceed to page three (3) for further instructions.

<b>Prior Repair Review Questions</b>	<b>Answer - One per Row</b>	
Was the vehicle’s Evaporative Emission Control (EVAP) System’s Purge Valve** replaced?	Yes, next	No
Was this a customer paid repair performed before the release of this ELW coverage?	Yes, next	No
As determined by your vehicle’s in-service date (age), and the mileage when the repair was performed, was the vehicle still within 15 years (180 Mths)/150,000 miles?	Within 15/150, Yes, next	No
Did the repair facility’s diagnosis confirm this component failed? (It did not fail due to another, or outside issue with your vehicle)	Yes, proceed to the checklist	No

When a Prior Repair Review Question’s result is a “No” response, no further action is required.

**Required Repair Order (RO) or Invoice Documentation - Checklist**

For your previous customer paid repair reimbursement request, please include a copy of your completed page 2 document (one per repair/request) together with legible copies (either a scan, photo, PDF, and/or screenshots) of the following documentation with your name, address, and your preferred contact telephone number(s) and email address(es).

**This documentation must include the following information:**

- Customer name (including any and all aliases), and address (Current address also if it has changed since the repair)
- Vehicle Identification Number (“VIN”)
- The date of repair
- The **mileage on your vehicle** when the repair was performed\*
- Itemized list of labor charges for all repairs\* including diagnosis
- Itemized list of **part numbers, descriptions, and quantities**, including any miscellaneous items, billed for all repairs\*

(\* ) For repair orders containing multiple repair line items, reimbursement consideration will only be given to those line-item expenses that are directly related to the specific repair that is now covered by this component issue and repair-specific extended limited warranty.

Repair orders/invoices missing the vehicle’s mileage, and/or those containing only part descriptions with no corresponding part numbers can either delay, or may be insufficient to support processing your reimbursement request.

(\*\* ) You may elect to use non-genuine MINI parts for non-warranty repairs, or repairs beyond the a MINI limited warranty.

As it relates to prior repair reimbursements, if an installed non-genuine MINI part was replaced again with another non-genuine MINI part, MINI USA is not obligated to pay for the subsequent repair performed using non-genuine MINI parts, and/or for any repairs for damage that results from using non-genuine MINI parts.

- Repair order (RO)/invoice stamped and dated as “PAID”
- Cancelled check
- Signed credit/debit card receipt
- Credit/debit card statement

**MINI USA, a division of BMW of North America, LLC (“MINI USA”) reserves the right to review and adjust/reduce the amount that will be reimbursed based on what is normally recognized as customary, fair, and reasonable, to diagnose, perform a repair, or replace a component (including the applicable and scope of replacement parts, related materials, and the amount charged for shop supplies/document fees, if excessive) to address an operational issue with the vehicle.**

**Except for reasonable account number protection measures, illegible, altered/modified, incomplete, non-authentic, and/or fabricated repair order/invoice documentation will not be accepted.**



**MINI Evaporative Emission Control (EVAP) System Purge Valve ELW Previous  
Customer-Pay Repair - Reimbursement Request**

**VIN: 5UXCWSEEDSAMPLE01**

For the MINI model with the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) listed in this letter, MINI USA, a division of BMW of North America, LLC (“MINI USA”) will reimburse certain costs for qualifying customer-pay repairs that were performed prior to the release of this component-specific extended limited warranty coverage.

**A qualifying customer pay repair must primarily be for a repair to address a covered issue with the the vehicle's EVAP purge valve. Also, the repair facility's procedures to address the situation described must have been performed correctly, adequately, and completely, as required by the applicable BMW Group approved repair standards and instructions.**

Customer-pay repairs are subject to the same vehicle eligibility requirements, limitations, and exclusion criteria that apply to the MINI New Vehicle Limited Warranty for Passenger Cars and Light Trucks.

**Repairs that Do Not Qualify for Reimbursement**

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**Requesting Reimbursement**

To request reimbursement for a qualifying customer pay repair performed either by an authorized MINI dealer or independent repair shop located in the United States (including Puerto Rico), please submit your reimbursement request online at [www.MINI-RP.com](http://www.MINI-RP.com) under the following reference:

- MINI ELW Purge Valve 15Y150M

**Reimbursement Request Procedures**

The online process is initiated by attaching/sending PDF files of the supporting documentation for the prior repair (Completed letter page two (2), and the other required documentation).

The alternative method to request reimbursement, either by mail, or by fax, is described below:

MINI Customer Reimbursement Center  
Attention: MINI ELW Purge Valve 15Y150M  
P.O. Box 54067  
Hurst, TX 76054

Fax number: 877-434-2992

**Please allow 4-6 weeks for processing your request.**

Should you have any questions concerning this reimbursement process, please call 1-844-857-0341.

