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SPECIFICATIONS

FASTENER TIGHTENING SPECIFICATIONS

Application	Specification	
	Metric	English
Battery tray Support Bolts	9 N.m	80 lb in
Check Link Strap Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Check Link Strap Nuts	9 N.m	80 lb in
Cowl Support Brace Bolts	9 N.m	80 lb in
Door Hinge Bolts	35 N.m	26 lb ft
Door Striker Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Endgate Hinge Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Electrical Center Retaining Nut	2.5 N.m	22 lb in
Endgate Support Cable Anchor Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Endgate Support Cable Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Endgate Theft Deterrent Bolt	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Front End Diagonal Brace Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Fuel Filler Door Bolts	9 N.m	80 lb in
Hood Hinge Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Hood Latch Bolts	9 N.m	80 lb ft
Hood Latch Release Cable Handle Nut	11 N.m	97 lb in
Hood link Bolt	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Hood Spring Bolt	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Lower Washer Reservoir Bolts	9 N.m	80 lb in
Pickup Box Bolts	85 N.m	63 lb ft
Pickup Box Side Panel Brace Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Pickup Panel Side Shield Bolts	2 N.m	18 lb in
Radiator Brace Bolts	9 N.m	80 lb in
Radiator Mounting Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Radiator Support Nut	70 N.m	52 lb ft
Rear Lower Fender Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Tie Bar Bolts	9 N.m	80 lb in
Upper Condenser Mounting Bolts	9 N.m	80 lb in
Upper Cowl Bracket Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Upper Headlamp Housing Screws	9 N.m	80 lb in

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Wheelhouse Bracket Bolts	25 N.m	18 lb in
Wheelhouse Bracket Nuts	25 N.m	18 lb ft
Wheel Well Screws	9 N.m	80 lb in

REPAIR INSTRUCTIONS

FRONT END UPPER TIE BAR REPLACEMENT

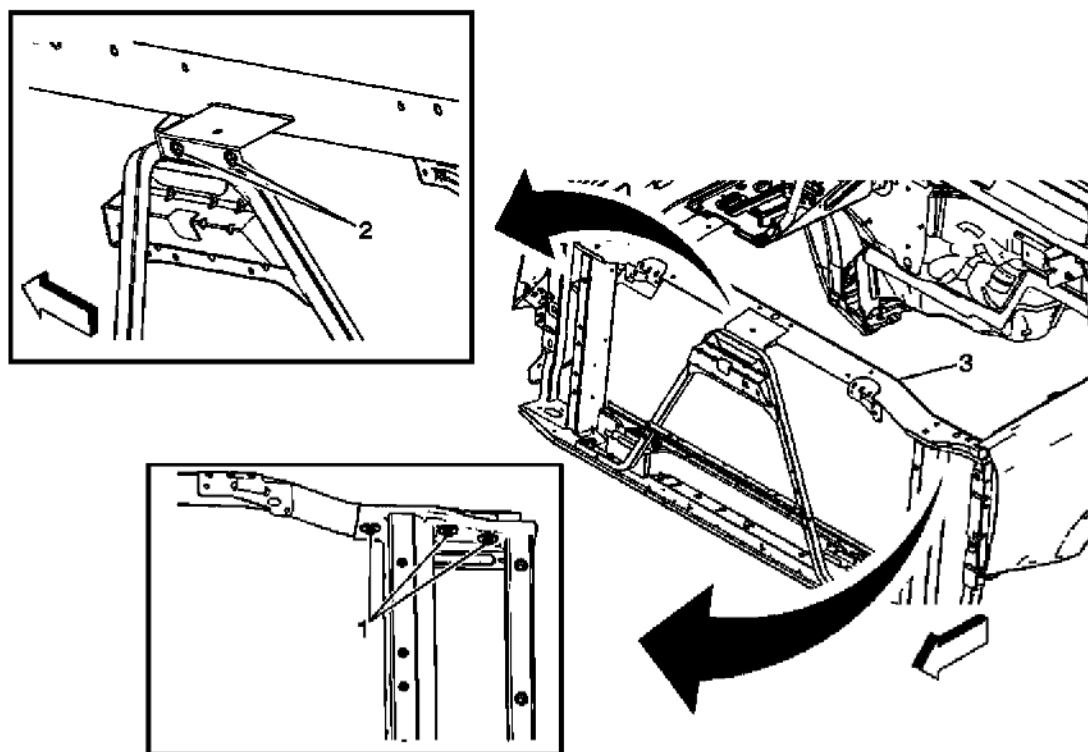


Fig. 1: View Of Upper Tie Bar & Components
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedures	
1.	Remove the front end sheet metal diagonal brace. Refer to <u>Front End Sheet Metal Diagonal Brace Replacement</u> .
2.	Remove the upper fan shroud bolts. Refer to <u>Cooling Fan and Shroud Replacement (Non-HP2)</u> .
3.	Remove the upper radiator bolts. Refer to <u>Radiator Replacement (4.3, 4.8, 5.3, and 6.0L)</u> or <u>Radiator Replacement (LLM)</u> .
4.	Remove the upper condenser bolts. Refer to <u>Condenser Replacement</u> .
5.	Remove fastener holding air deflector

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6. Remove right/left headlamps **Headlamp Replacement (GMC HD)** or **Headlamp Replacement (Chevrolet)**

1	Upper Tie Bar Bolts (Qty: 6) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 9 N.m (80 lb in)
2	Upper Tie Bar Brace Bolts (Qty: 2) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
3	Upper Tie Bar

PICKUP BOX ENDGATE CABLE BOLT REPLACEMENT

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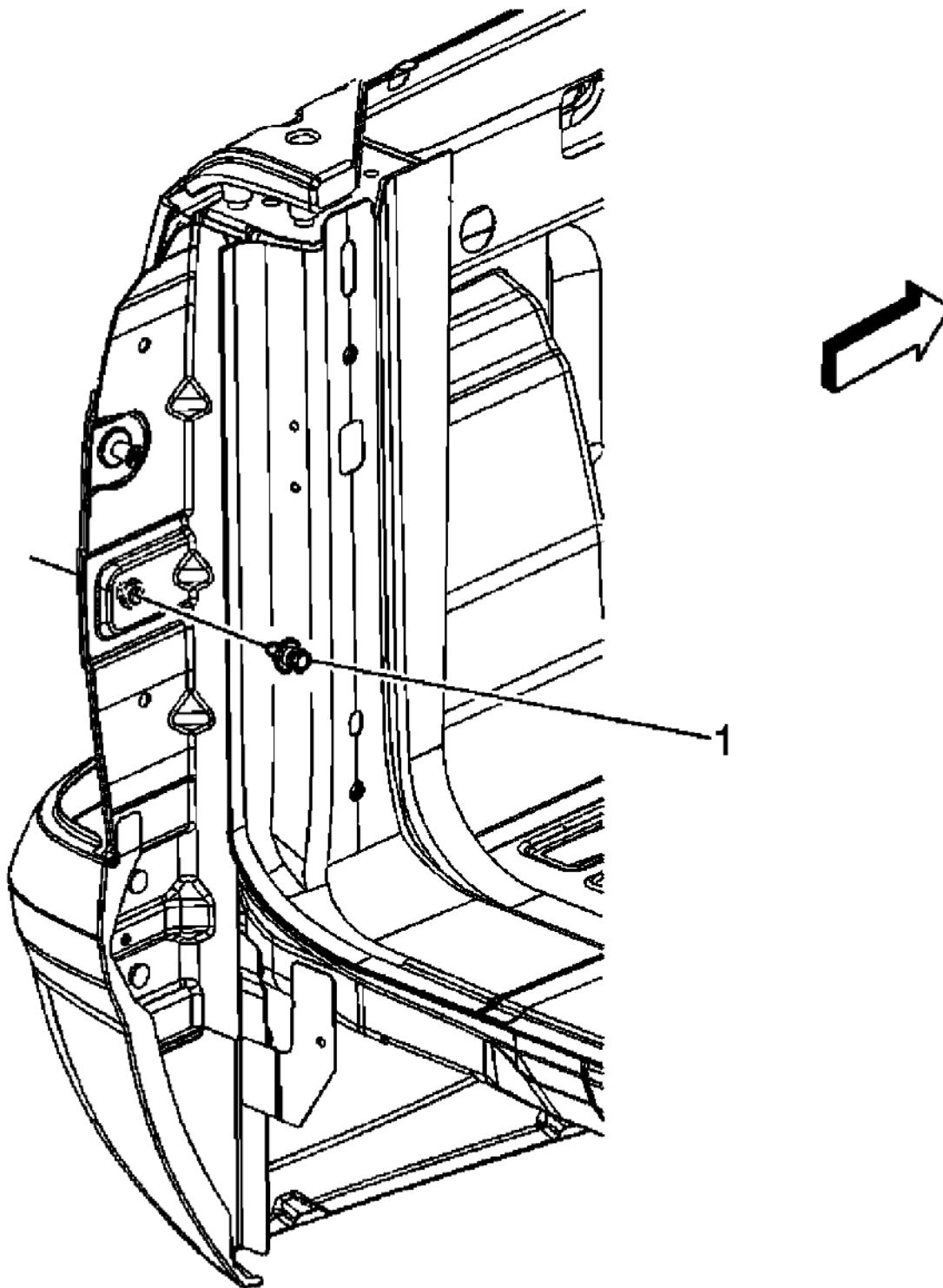


Fig. 2: View Of Pickup Box Endgate Cable Bolt
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Callout	Component Name
1	Pickup Box Endgate Cable Bolt NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tip: Disconnect the endgate cable. Refer to <u>Endgate Cable Replacement</u> . Tighten: 20 N.m (15 lb ft)

PICKUP BOX REPLACEMENT

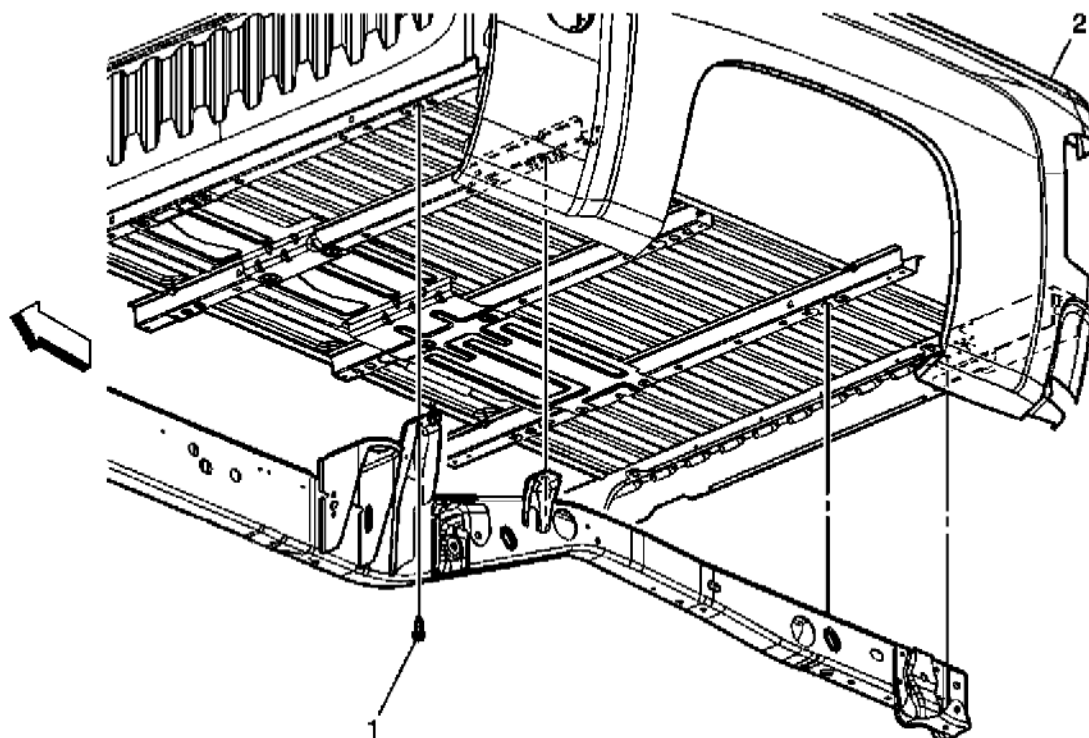


Fig. 3: View Of Pickup Box & Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedures	
1. Loosen the fuel tank filler pipe housing from the pickup box. Refer to <u>Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Housing Replacement</u> .	
2. Remove the endgate. Refer to <u>Endgate Replacement (Pickup Box)</u> .	

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3. Remove the tail lamps. Refer to **Tail Lamp Replacement (GMC)** or **Tail Lamp Replacement (Chevrolet)** .
4. Disconnect all electrical connectors and wiring harnesses from the pickup box.

1	Pickup Box Bolt (Qty: 8) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 85 N.m (63 lb ft)
2	Pickup Box Tip: • Use help as needed to remove the pickup box. • Use the alignment pins on the frame of the vehicle to help reinstall the pickup box. • Transfer any parts as needed if replacing the pickup box.

FRONT END SHEET METAL DIAGONAL BRACE REPLACEMENT

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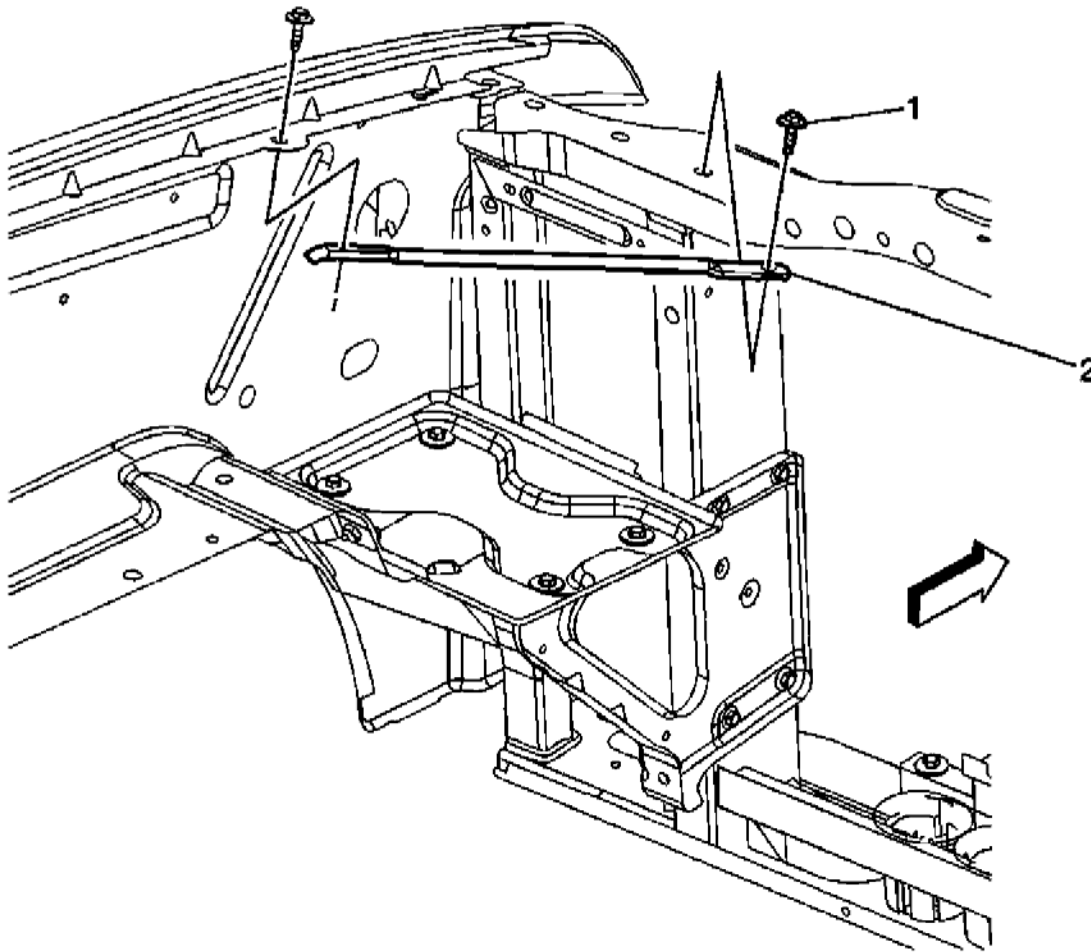


Fig. 4: View Of Diagonal Fender Brace & Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
1	Front End Sheet Metal Diagonal Brace Bolts (Qty: 2)
2	Front End Sheet Metal Diagonal Brace

FRONT FENDER UPPER BRACKET REPLACEMENT

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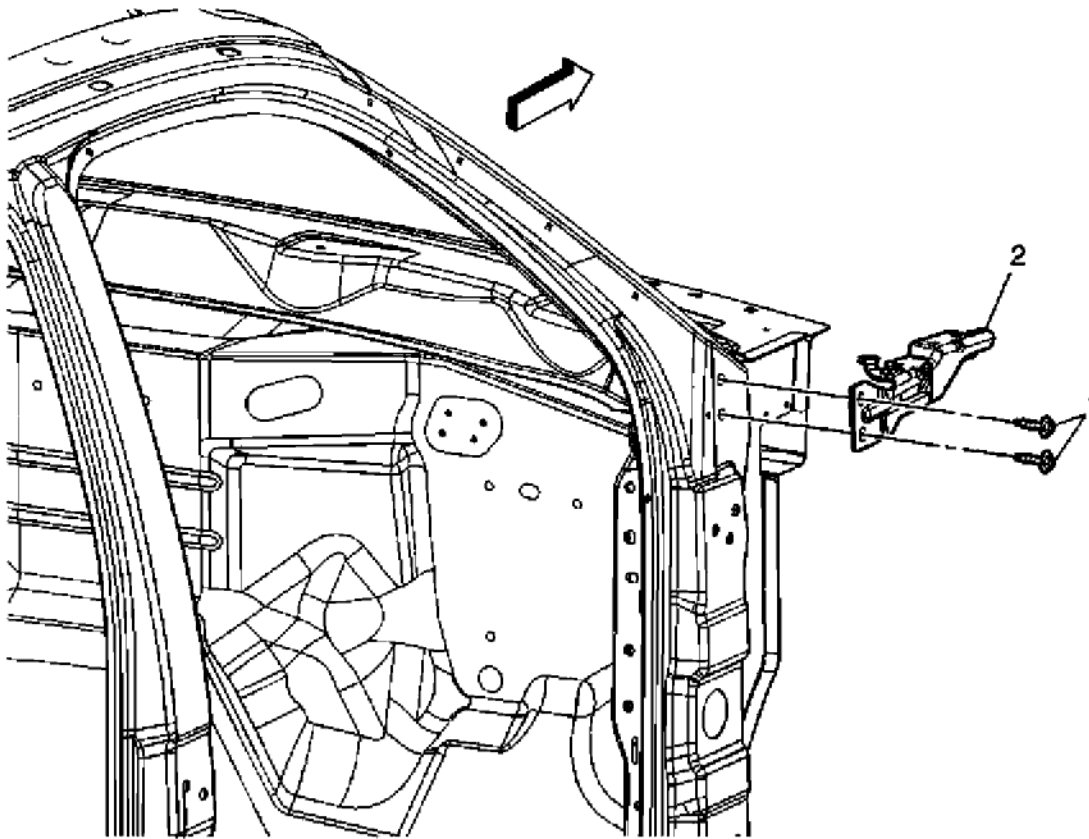


Fig. 5: View Of Front Fender Upper Bracket & Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedures	
1. Remove the front fender. Refer to <u>Front Fender Replacement - Left Side</u> or <u>Front Fender Replacement - Right Side</u>. 2. Remove the windshield side reveal molding. Refer to <u>Windshield Side Reveal Molding Replacement</u>.	
1	Front Fender Upper Bracket Bolt (Qty: 2) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
2	Front Fender Upper Bracket

FRONT FENDER REAR UPPER BRACE REPLACEMENT

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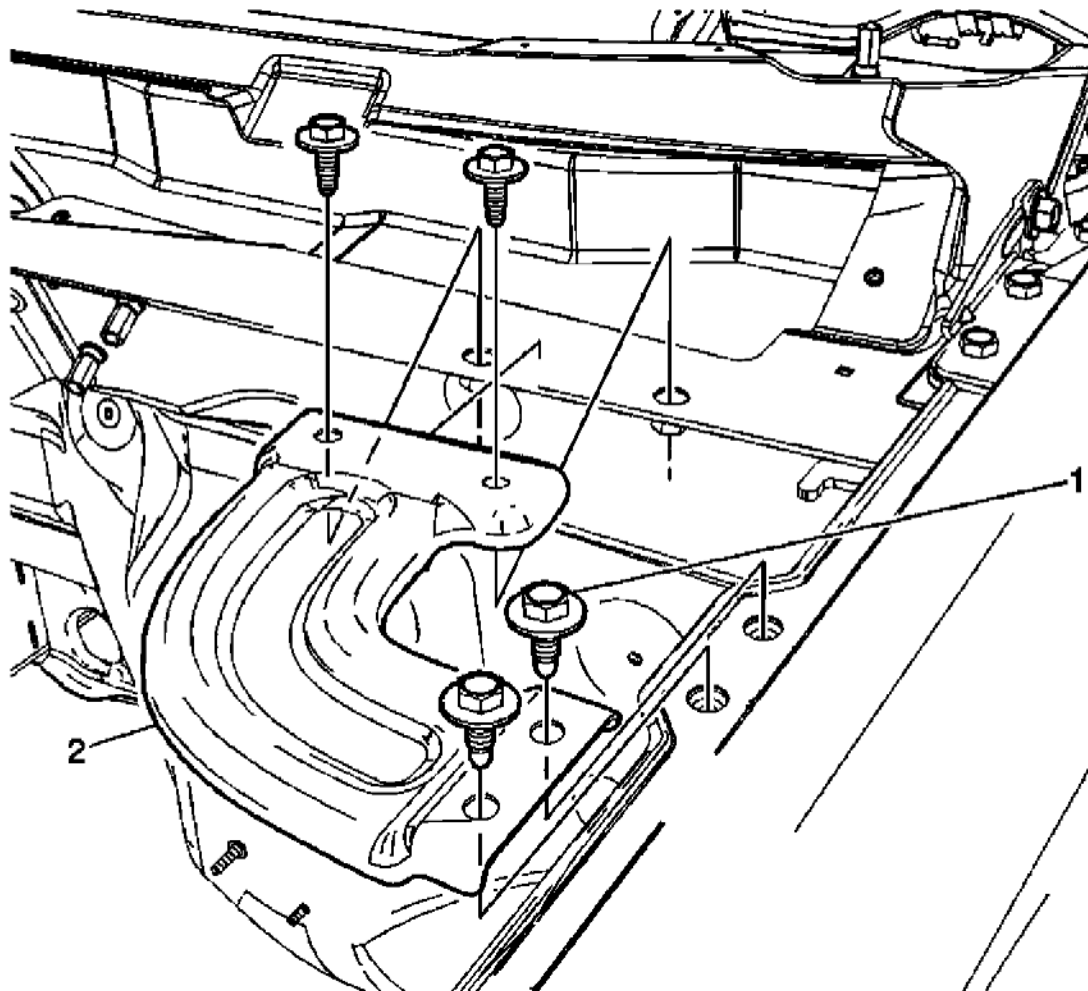


Fig. 6: View Of Rear Fender Brace & Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
1	Front Fender Rear Upper Brace Bolt (Qty: 4) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
2	Front Fender Rear Upper Brace

HOOD STOP BRACKET REPLACEMENT

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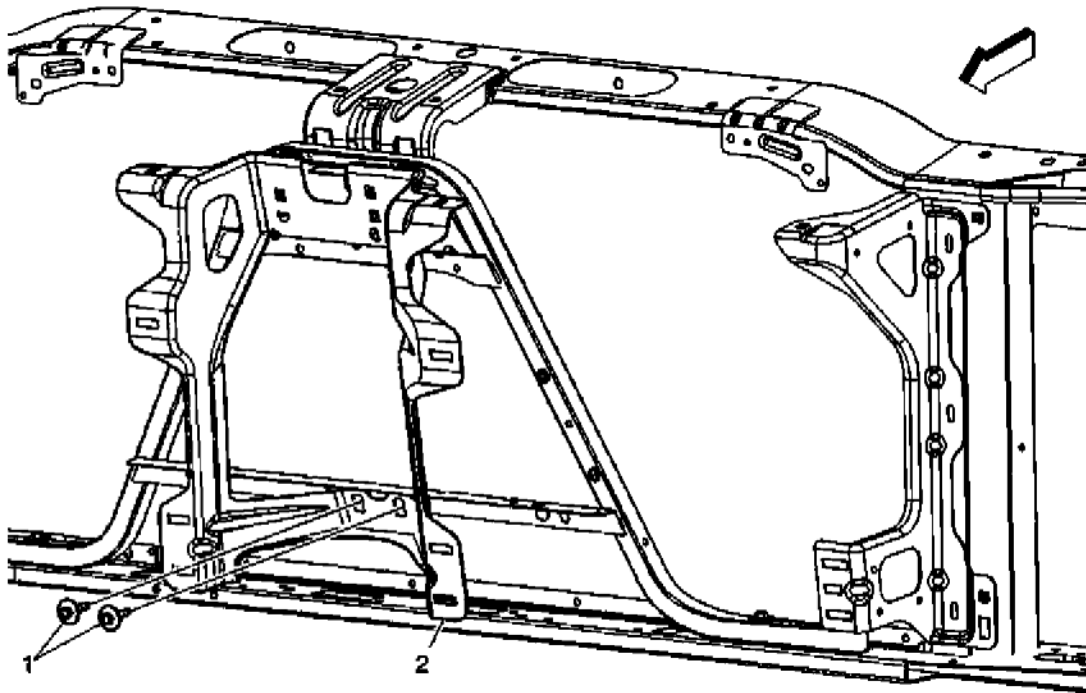


Fig. 7: View Of Hood Stop Bracket & Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedures	
1. Remove the radiator grille. Refer to <u>Radiator Grille Replacement (Chevrolet)</u> or <u>Radiator Grille Replacement (GMC)</u> .	
2. Remove the hood latch. Refer to <u>Hood Primary and Secondary Latch Replacement</u> .	
1	Hood Stop Bracket Bolts (Qty: 2) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 9 N.m (80 lb in)
2	Hood Stop Bracket

HOOD STOP BUMPER BRACKET REPLACEMENT

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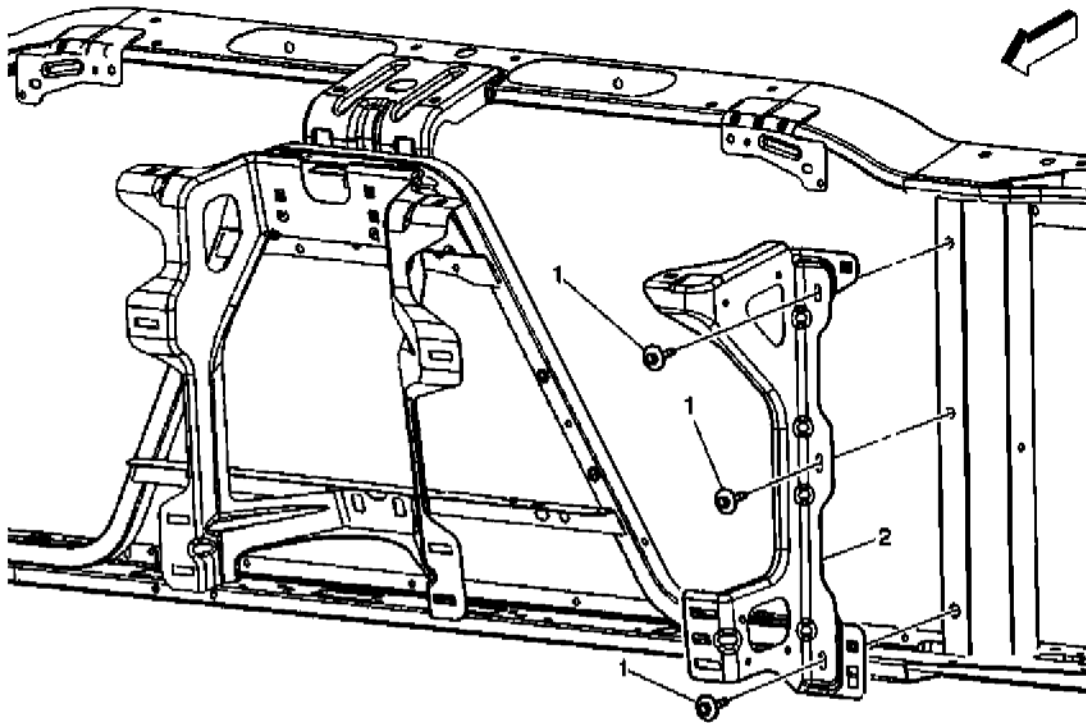


Fig. 8: View Of Hood Stop Bumper Bracket & Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedures	
1. Remove the radiator grille. Refer to <u>Radiator Grille Replacement (Chevrolet)</u> or <u>Radiator Grille Replacement (GMC)</u> .	
2. Remove the headlamp. Refer to <u>Headlamp Replacement (GMC HD)</u> or <u>Headlamp Replacement (Chevrolet)</u> .	
1	Hood Stop Bumper Bracket Bolts (Qty: 3) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 9 N.m (80 lb in)
2	Hood Stop Bumper Bracket

HOOD BUMPER REPLACEMENT

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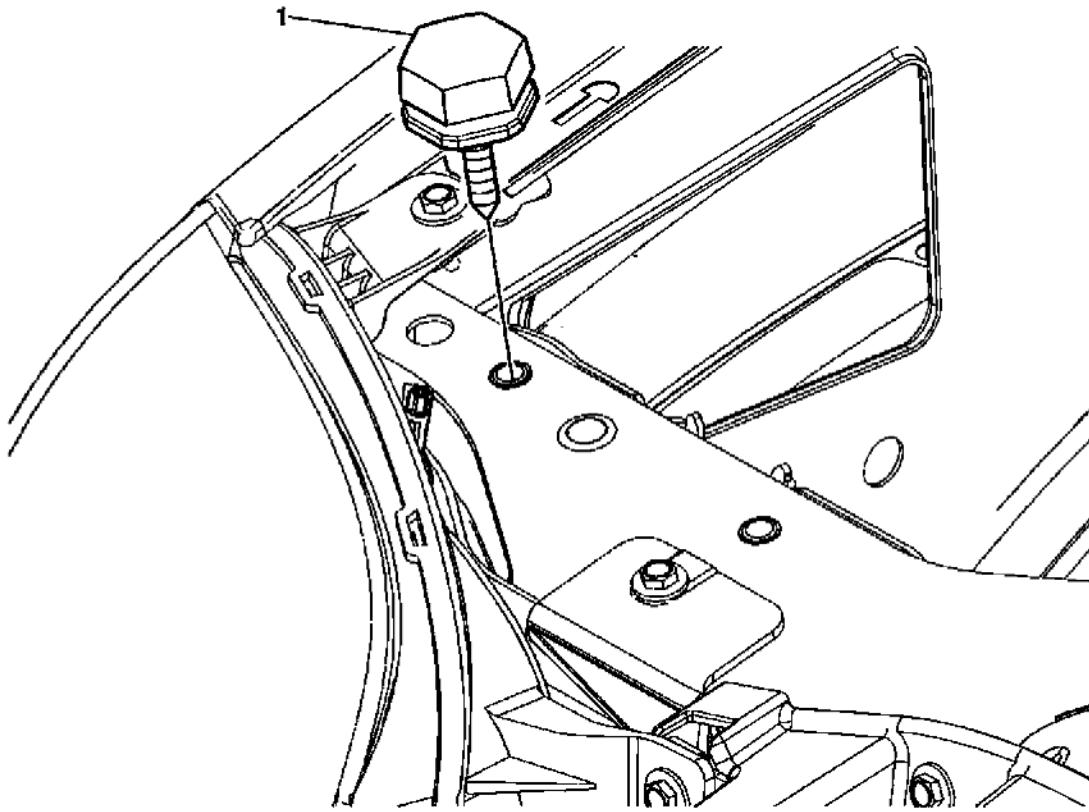


Fig. 9: View Of Hood Bumper

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Callout	Component Name
1	Hood Bumper (Qty: 2) Tip: Install the hood bumper until the hood closes flush with the fender.

ENDGATE CABLE REPLACEMENT

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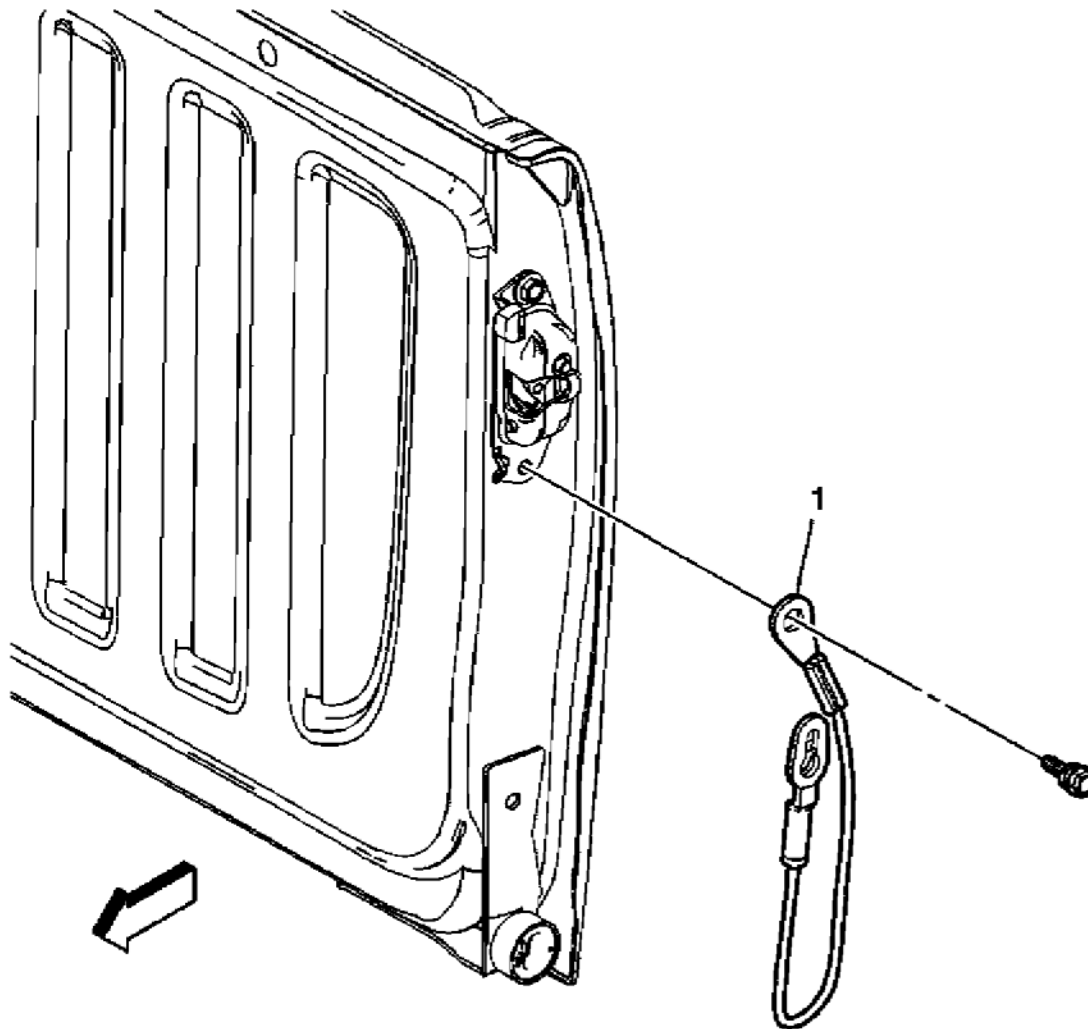


Fig. 10: View Of Endgate Cable

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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedure: Remove the endgate latch lower bolt. Refer to <u>Endgate Latch Replacement</u> .	
1	Endgate Cable Tip: Release the endgate cable from the endgate cable bolt using a small flat bladed screwdriver.

HOOD PRIMARY LATCH RELEASE CABLE REPLACEMENT

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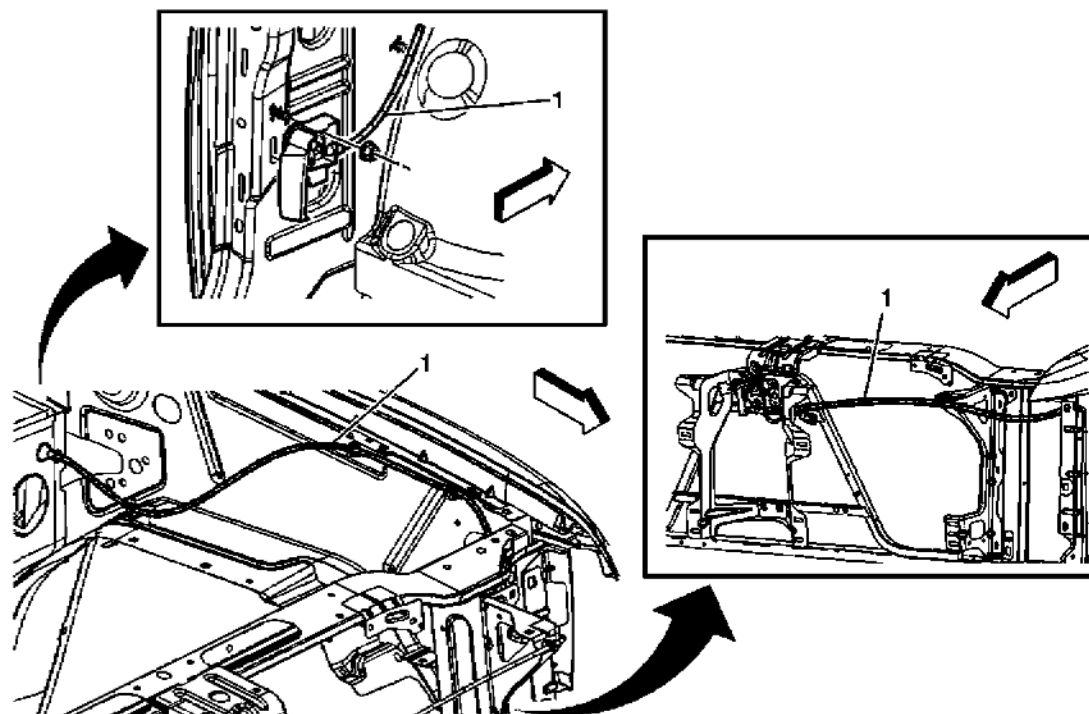


Fig. 11: View Of Hood Latch Release Cable
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedures	
1. Remove the hood latch release handle. Refer to <u>Hood Primary Latch Release Cable Handle Replacement</u>. 2. Remove the left headlamp. Refer to <u>Headlamp Replacement (GMC HD)</u> or <u>Headlamp Replacement (Chevrolet)</u>. 3. Remove the hood latch. Refer to <u>Hood Primary and Secondary Latch Replacement</u>.	
1	Hood Latch Release Cable Tip: • Attach mechanics wire to the existing cable to ease the installation of the new cable. • Use a trim panel removal tool to help disengage the cable from the retaining points along the body.

FRONT SIDE DOOR CONDUIT REPLACEMENT

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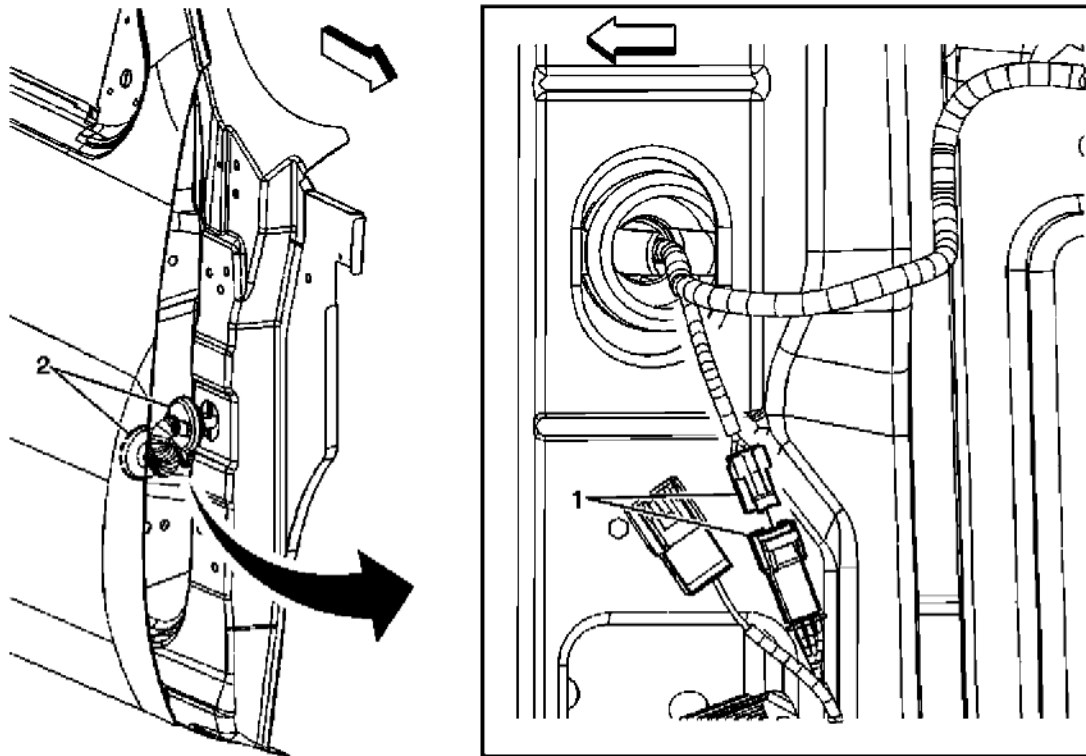


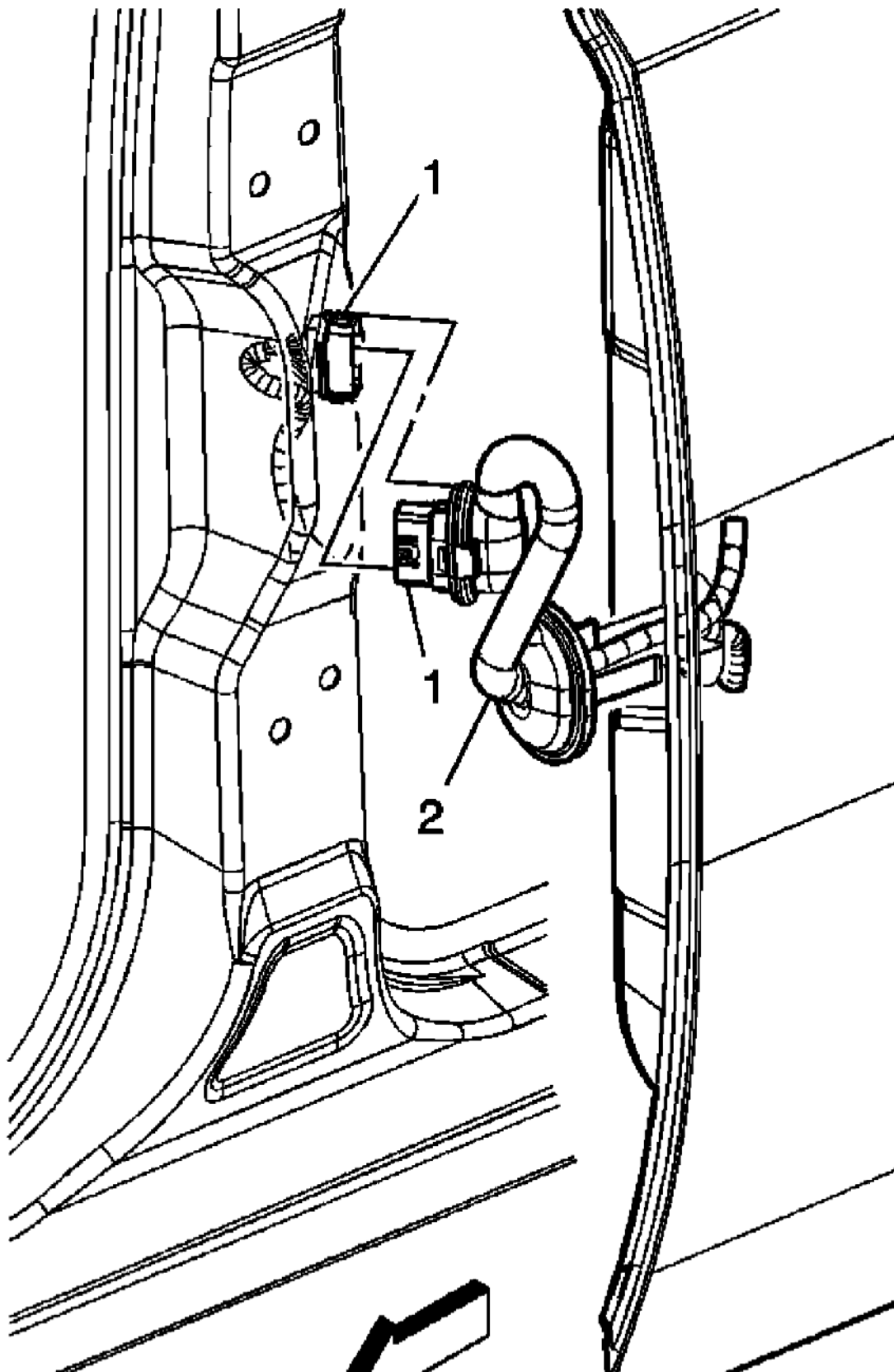
Fig. 12: View Of Conduit Grommet & Electrical Connector
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedure: Remove the hinge pillar insulator cover. Refer to <u>Body Hinge Pillar Trim Panel Replacement</u> .	
1	Electrical Connector
	Procedure 1. Mark the location and the color of the wires to the electrical socket before removing the wires. 2. Disconnect the door wiring harness electrical connector from the body harness. 3. Remove the wiring harness wiring one at a time from the conduit. 4. Remove the wiring harness from the rubber conduit.
2	Conduit Grommet

REAR SIDE DOOR CONDUIT REPLACEMENT

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Fig. 13: View Of Rear Door Conduit Grommet & Electrical Connectors

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Callout	Component Name
1	Electrical Connectors
	Procedure 1. Mark the location and the color of the wires to the electrical socket before removing the wires. 2. Disconnect the door wiring harness electrical connector from the body harness. 3. Remove the wiring harness wiring one at a time from the conduit. 4. Remove the wiring harness from the rubber conduit.
2	Rear Door Conduit Grommet

REAR SIDE DOOR HINGE COVER REPLACEMENT

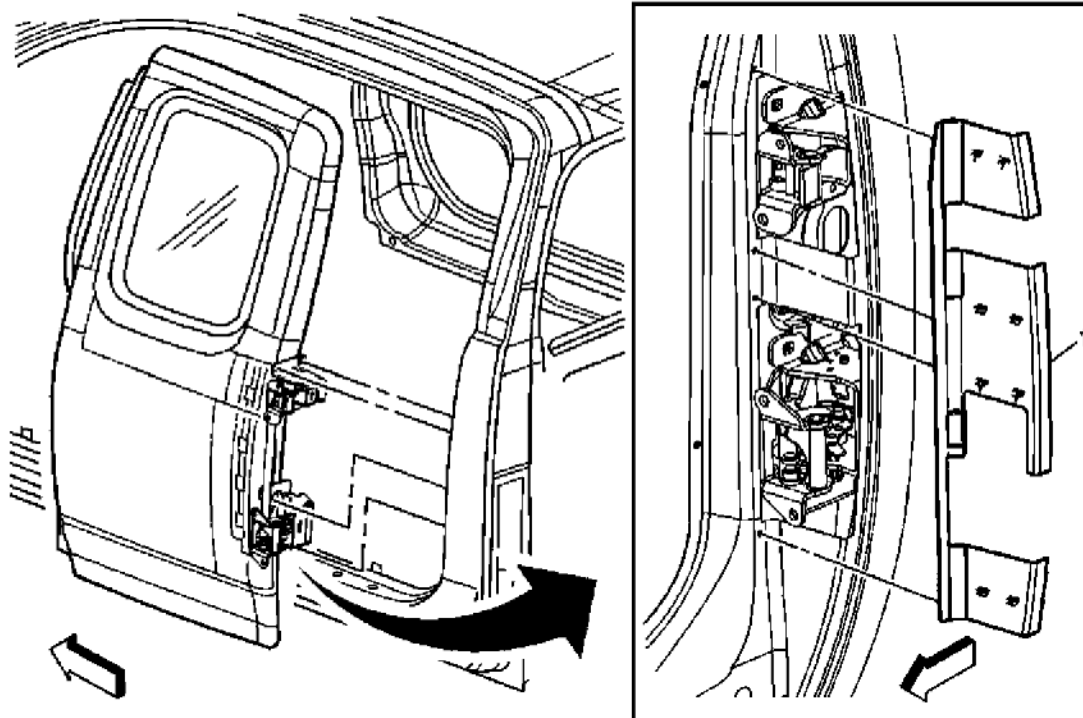


Fig. 14: View Of Rear Side Door Hinge Cover

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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedure:	

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Open the rear door to the full open position.

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Rear Side Door Hinge Cover

Procedure:

Pull rearward on the hinge cover to release the 12 integral retainers.

FRONT SIDE DOOR REPLACEMENT

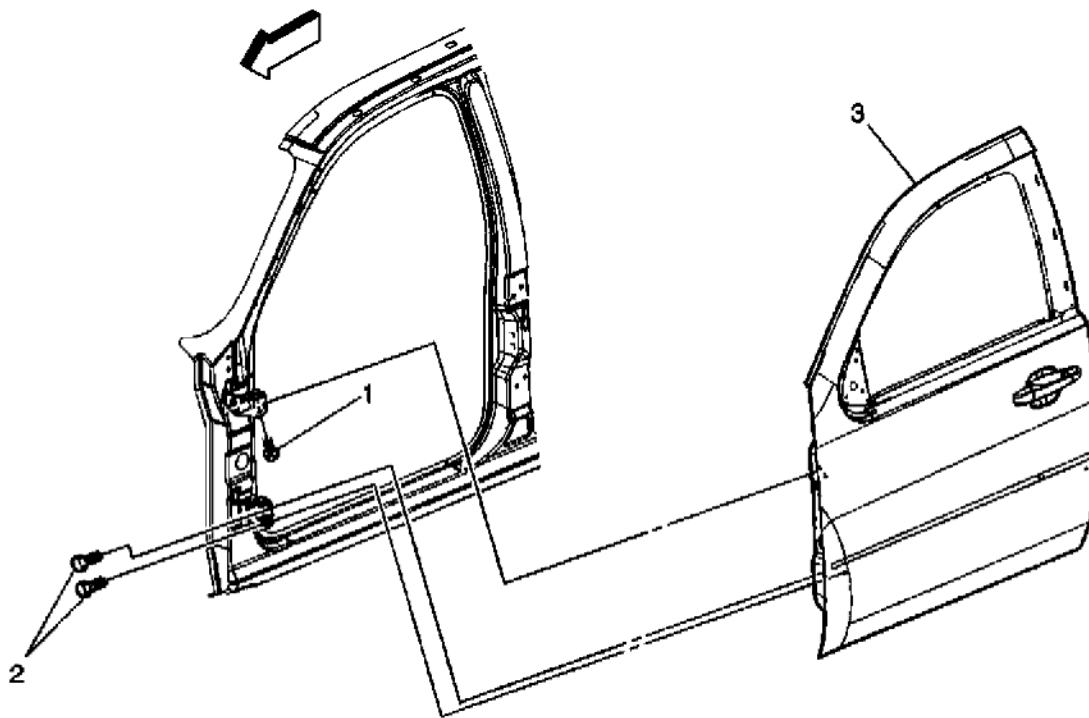


Fig. 15: View Of Front Side Door & Components

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Callout	Component Name
1	Front Side Door Upper Hinge Bolt (Qty: 2) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Procedure 1. Support the door before removing the hinge bolts. 2. Disconnect the electrical connector. 3. With the aid of an assistant, remove the door. Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)

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2	Front Side Door Lower Hinge Bolt (Qty: 2) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
3	Front Side Door Procedure: Transfer components as necessary.

REAR DOOR REPLACEMENT (EXTENDED CAB)

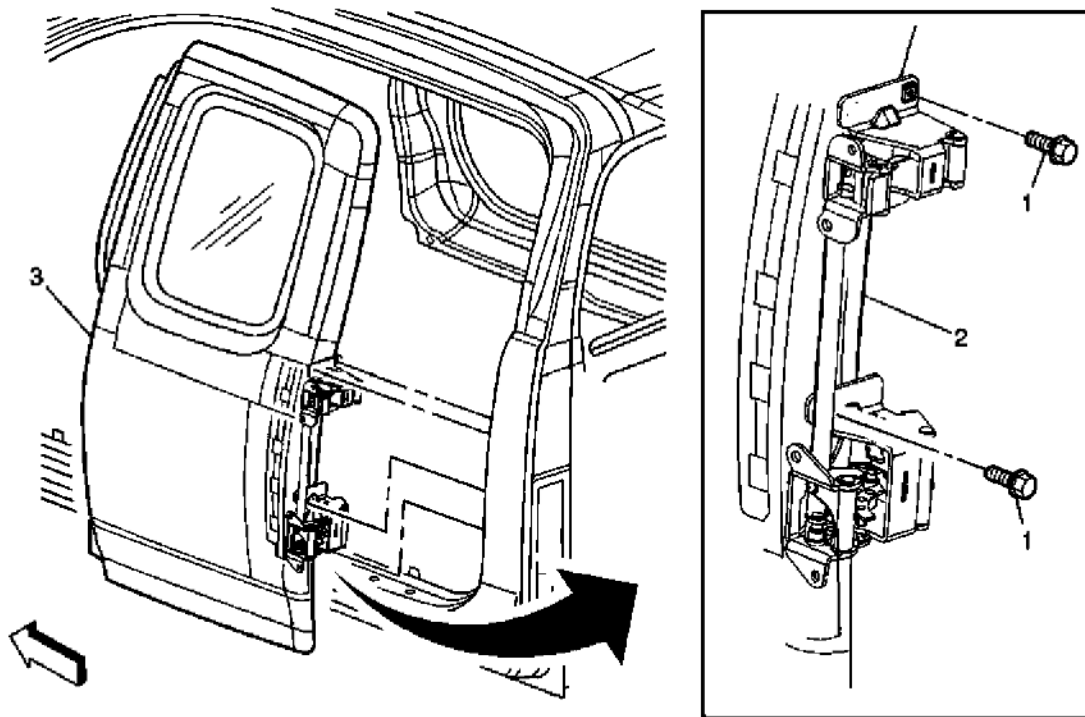


Fig. 16: View Of Rear Side Door & Hinge Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
1	Rear Side Door Upper Hinge Bolt (Qty: 2) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tip: • Support the door before removing the hinge bolts. • Disconnect the electrical connector.

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	• With an assistant remove the door.
	Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
2	Rear Side Door Lower Hinge Bolt (Qty: 2) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
3	Rear Side Door

REAR DOOR REPLACEMENT (CREW CAB)

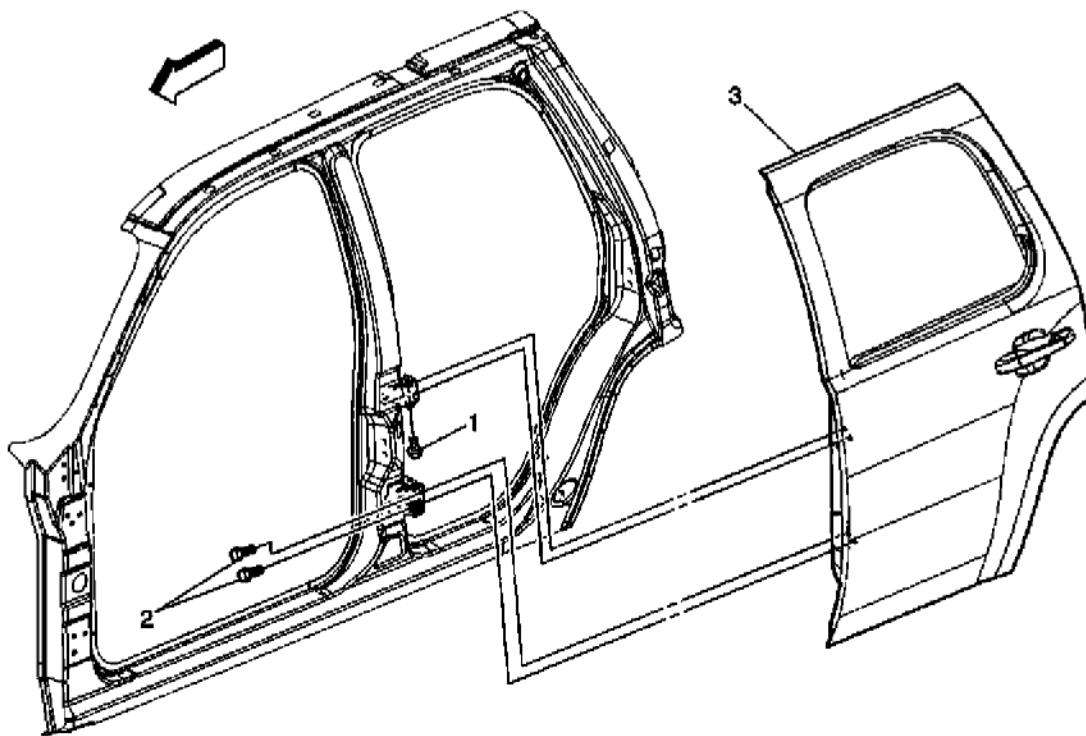


Fig. 17: View Of Rear Side Door & Components
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Callout	Component Name
1	Rear Side Door Upper Hinge Bolt (Qty: 2) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Procedure 1. Support the door before removing the hinge bolts.

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	2. Disconnect the electrical connector. 3. With the aid of an assistant, remove the door. Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
2	Rear Side Door Lower Hinge Bolt (Qty: 2) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
3	Rear Side Door

ENDGATE ADJUSTMENT

Adjustment Procedure

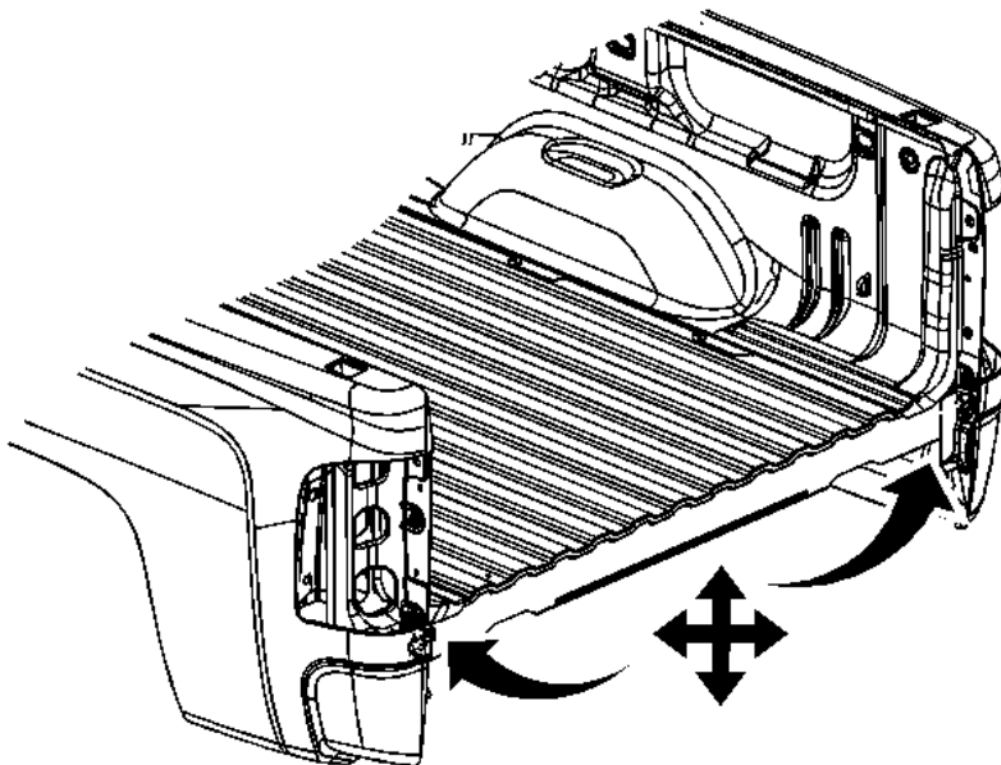


Fig. 18: Adjusting Endgate

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1. With the endgate closed, determine the amount of adjustment will be needed.

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2. If adjustment is necessary, remove the endgate. Refer to Endgate Replacement (Pickup Box).
3. Mark the position of the hinges with a grease pencil.

IMPORTANT: Use a screwdriver to move the adjustment hinge.

4. Loosen the endgate bolts and adjust the endgate hinges by moving the hinges in the following directions.
 - Upward or downward
 - Inward or outward
5. Reinstall the endgate and determine if any further adjustments are needed.

NOTE: Refer to Fastener Notice .

6. When the proper adjustments are set, tighten the hinge bolts.

Tighten: Tighten the hinge bolts to 40 N.m (30 lb ft).

ENDGATE REPLACEMENT (PICKUP BOX)

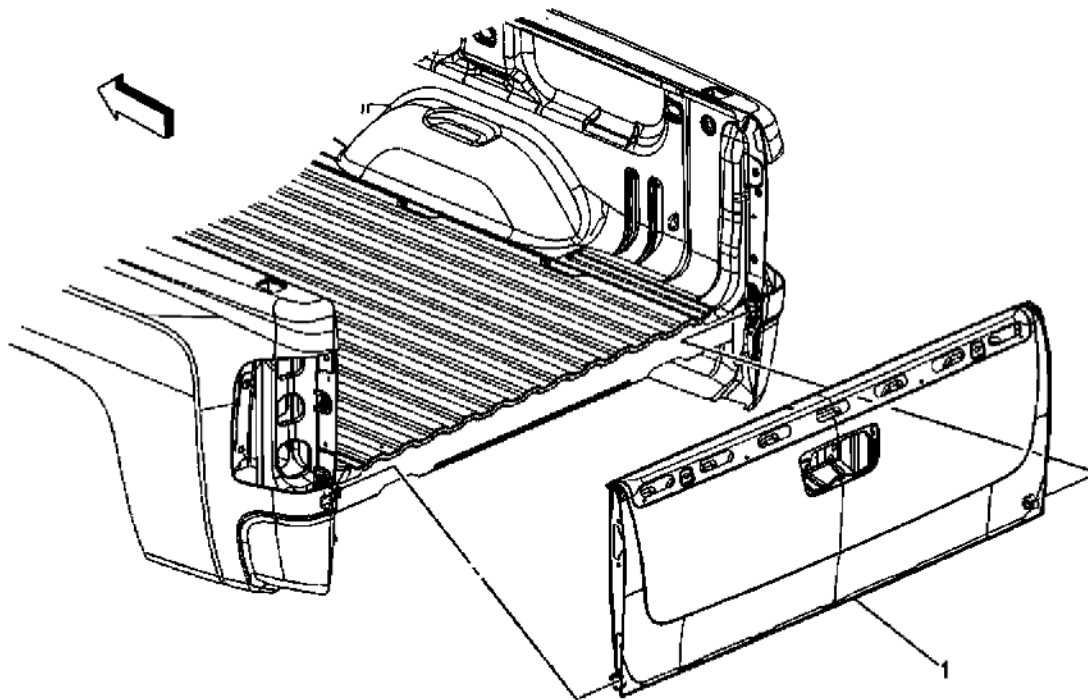


Fig. 19: View Of Pickup Box Endgate
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedure:	

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Remove the endgate cable from the body side of the vehicle. Refer to **Endgate Cable Replacement**.

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Pickup Box Endgate

Tip: Use a partner to help support the pickup box endgate and hold at a forty-five degree angle while pulling to disengage from the body side endgate lower hinge.

FRONT FENDER REPLACEMENT - LEFT SIDE

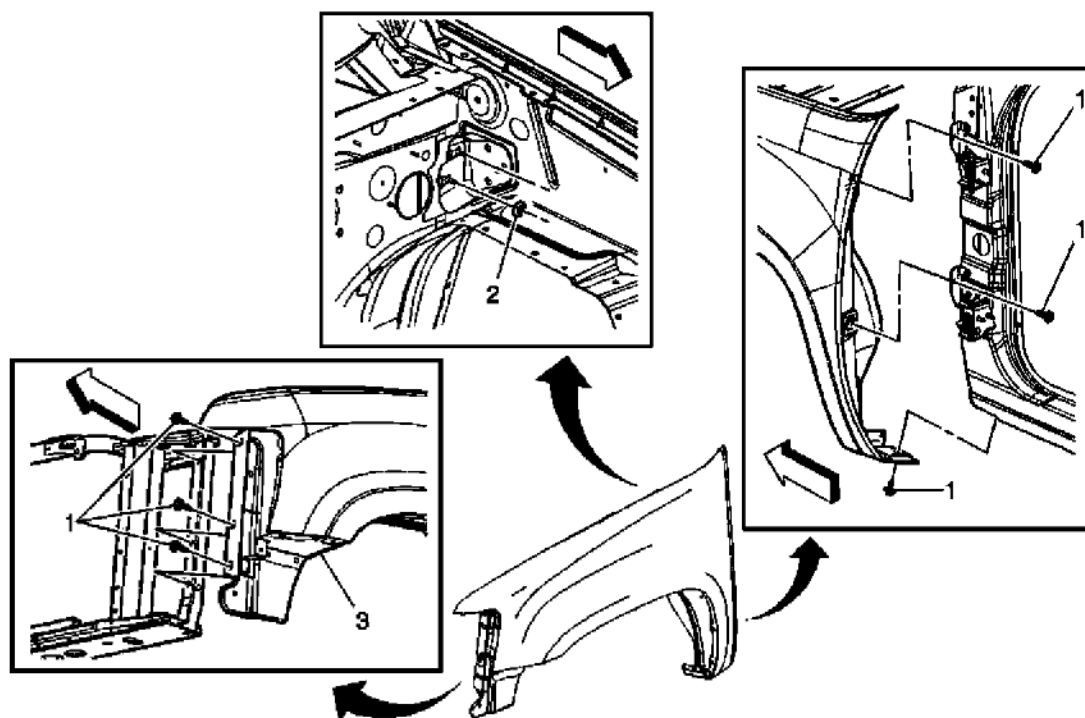


Fig. 20: View Of Left Fender, Mounting Nuts & Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedures	
1.	Remove the headlamp. Refer to <u>Headlamp Replacement (GMC HD)</u> or <u>Headlamp Replacement (Chevrolet)</u> .
2.	Remove the front end sheet metal diagonal brace. Refer to <u>Front End Sheet Metal Diagonal Brace Replacement</u> .
3.	Remove the front fender rear upper brace. Refer to <u>Front Fender Rear Upper Brace Replacement</u> .
4.	Remove the auxiliary battery tray. Refer to <u>Auxiliary Battery Tray Replacement (6.2L and 6.6L)</u> .
5.	Remove the left hood hinge. Refer to <u>Hood Hinge Replacement</u> .
6.	Remove the left hood link. Refer to <u>Hood Link Replacement</u> .

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7. Remove the underhood electrical center/junction block. Refer to **Underhood Electrical Center or Junction Block Replacement** .
8. Remove the left wheelhouse liner. Refer to **Front Wheelhouse Liner Replacement - Left Side (Chevrolet)** or **Front Wheelhouse Liner Replacement - Left Side (GMC)** .

1	Left Fender Mounting Bolts (Qty: 6) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 30 N.m (22 lb ft) Procedure: Apply threadlock compound to the bolts.
2	Left Fender Mounting Nuts (Qty: 2) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
3	Left Fender Tip: Transfer any necessary additional parts as needed.

FRONT FENDER REPLACEMENT - RIGHT SIDE

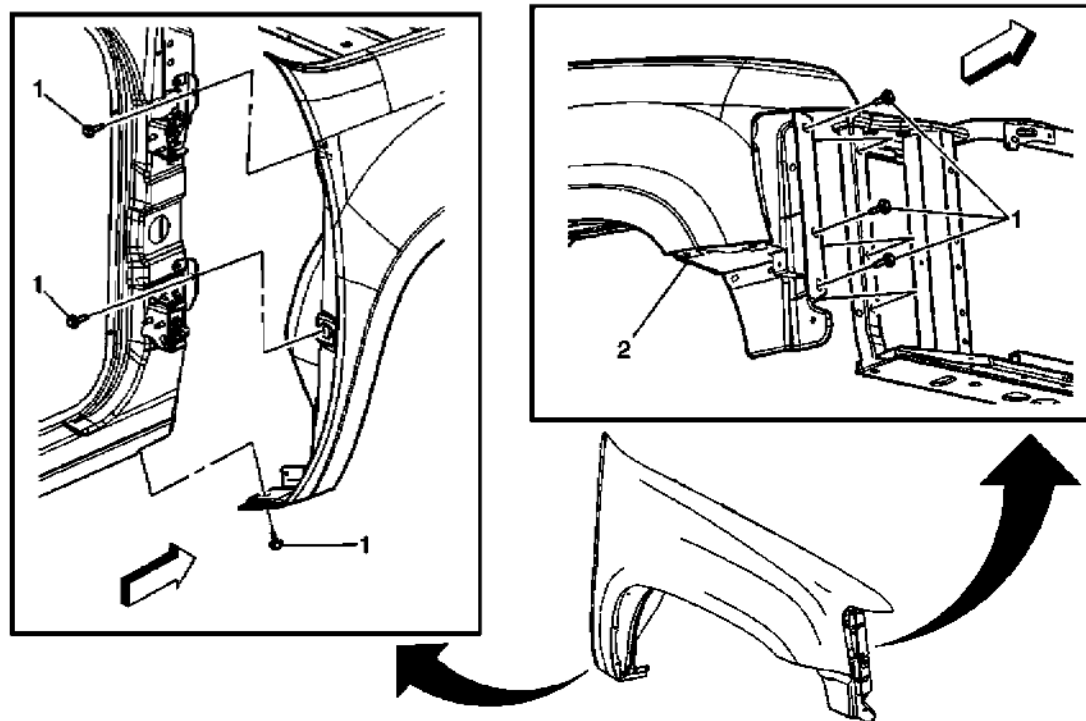


Fig. 21: View Of Right Fender & Mounting Bolts

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Preliminary Procedures	
1. Remove the headlamp. Refer to <u>Headlamp Replacement (GMC HD)</u> or <u>Headlamp Replacement (Chevrolet)</u> . 2. Remove the front fender rear upper brace. Refer to <u>Front Fender Rear Upper Brace Replacement</u> . 3. Remove the air cleaner assembly. Refer to <u>Air Cleaner Assembly Replacement</u> . 4. Remove the air cleaner box tray. 5. Remove the coolant reservoir bottle from the right fender and set it aside. Do not open the cooling system. Refer to <u>Radiator Surge Tank Replacement (Non-HP2)</u> . 6. Remove the battery tray. Refer to <u>Battery Tray Replacement</u> . 7. Remove the right hood hinge. Refer to <u>Hood Hinge Replacement</u> . 8. Remove the right hood link. Refer to <u>Hood Link Replacement</u> . 9. Remove the right wheelhouse liner. Refer to <u>Front Wheelhouse Liner Replacement - Right Side (GMC)</u> or <u>Front Wheelhouse Liner Replacement - Right Side (Chevrolet)</u> .	
1	Right Fender Mounting Bolts (Qty: 6) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 30 N.m (22 lb ft) Procedure: Apply threadlock compound to the bolts.
2	Right Fender Assembly Tip: Transfer any necessary additional parts as needed.

HOOD PRIMARY LATCH RELEASE CABLE HANDLE REPLACEMENT

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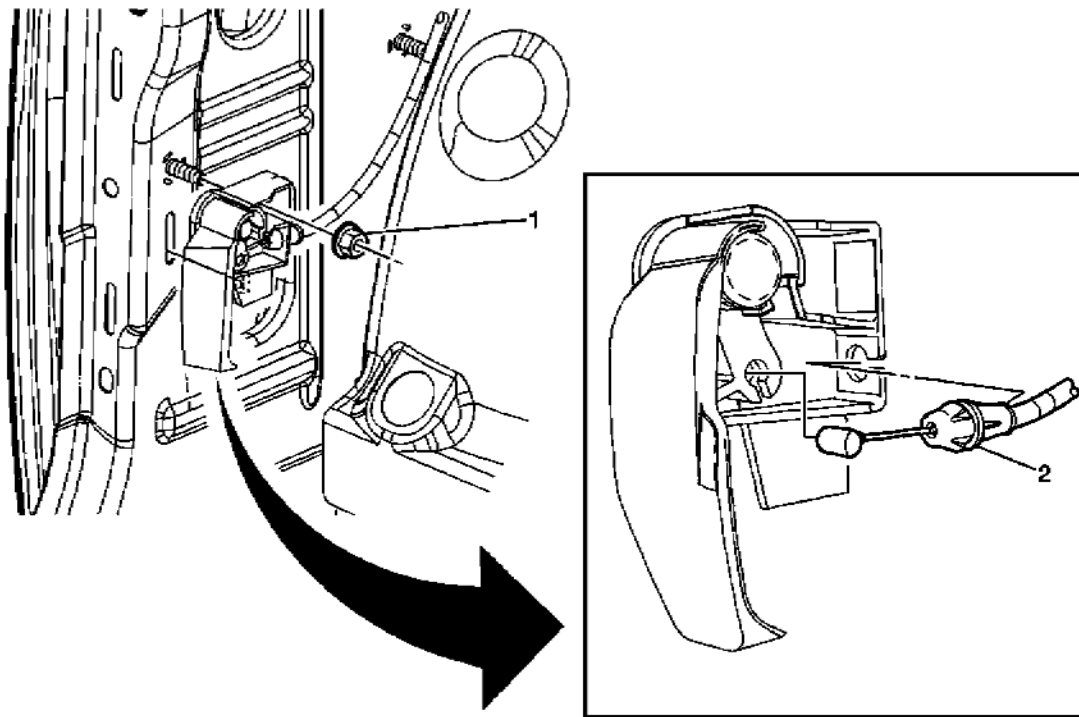


Fig. 22: View Of Hood Latch Release Cable & Nut
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedure: Remove the body hinge pillar trim panel. Refer to <u>Body Hinge Pillar Trim Panel Replacement</u> .	
1	Hood Latch Release Handle Nut NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 9 N.m (80 lb in)
2	Hood Latch Release Handle

ENDGATE LOWER HINGE REPLACEMENT - BODY SIDE

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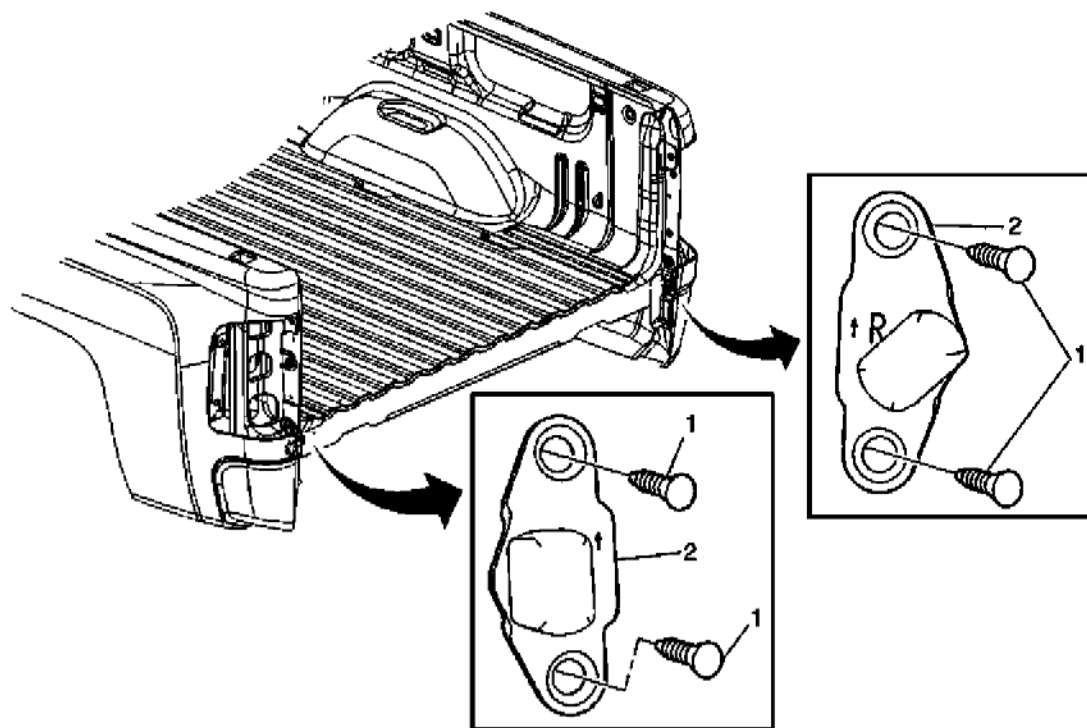


Fig. 23: View Of Endgate Lower Hinge & Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedure: Remove the pickup box endgate. Refer to <u>Endgate Replacement (Pickup Box)</u> .	
1	Endgate Lower Hinge (Body Side) Bolt (Qty: 4) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tip: If necessary, adjust the hinges. Refer to <u>Endgate Adjustment</u> . Tighten: 40 N.m (30 lb ft)
2	Endgate Lower Hinge (Body Side)

FRONT SIDE DOOR HINGE REPLACEMENT

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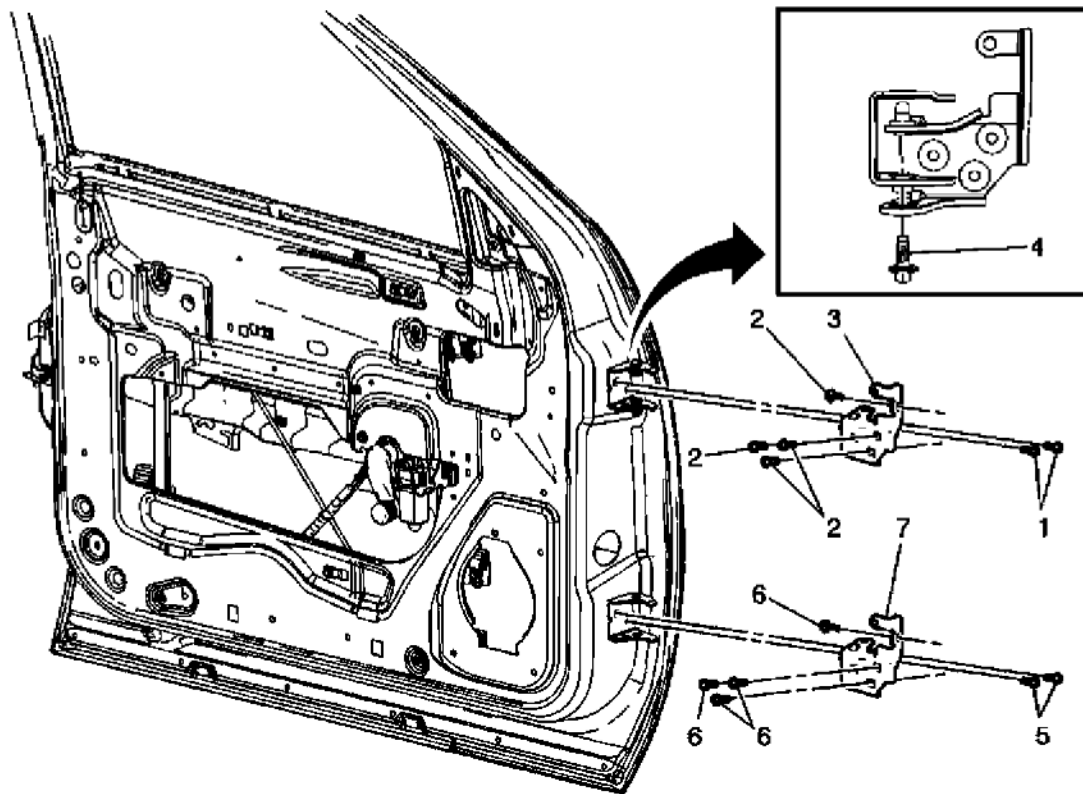


Fig. 24: View Of Front Side Door Hinge & Components
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Callout	Component Name
CAUTION: Refer to <u>SIR Caution</u> .	
Preliminary Procedure: Disable the supplemental inflatable restraint (SIR) system. Refer to <u>SIR Disabling and Enabling</u> .	
1	Front Side Door Hinge Upper Bolt (Qty: 3) NOTE: <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tip: Replace only one hinge at a time. Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
2	Front Side Door Hinge Upper Bolt (Qty: 3) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)

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3	Front Side Door Upper Hinge Tip: Check the door for proper alignment, then adjust as necessary.
4	Front Side Door Hinge Lower Bolt Tip: After installation of the replacement upper hinge, from the underside of the hinge, remove the temporary keeper pivot bolt and replace with longer permanent bolt. Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
5	Front Side Door Hinge Lower Bolt (Qty: 3) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
6	Front Side Door Hinge Lower Bolt (Qty: 4) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
7	Front Side Door Lower Hinge Tip: Check the door for proper alignment, then adjust as necessary.

HOOD HINGE REPLACEMENT

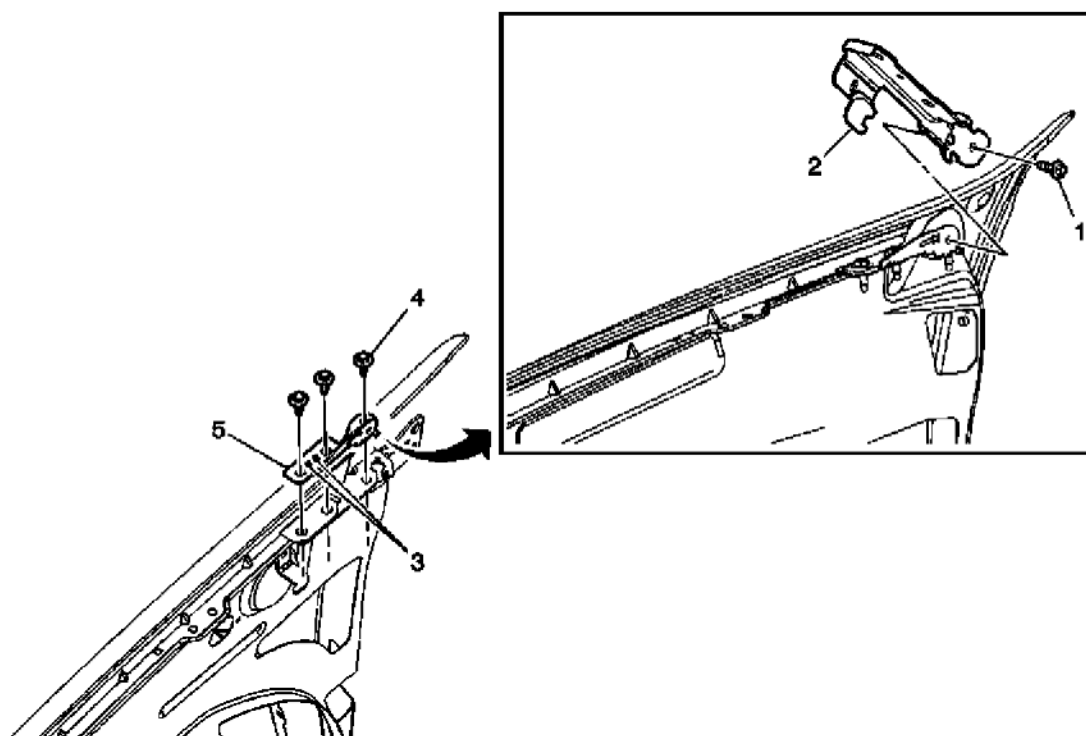


Fig. 25: View Of Hod Hinges & Components
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Callout	Component Name
CAUTION:	

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When a hood hold open device is being removed or installed, provide alternate support to avoid the possibility of damage to the vehicle or personal injury.

Preliminary Procedures

1. Remove the hood. Refer to **Hood Replacement**.
2. Remove the air inlet grille panel. Refer to **Air Inlet Grille Panel Replacement**.
3. Remove the hood open assist spring. Refer to **Hood Open Assist Spring Replacement**.

1	Hood Upper Hinge Bolt NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
2	Hood Upper Hinge
3	Hood Lower Hinge Welds CAUTION: When working with any type of glass or sheet metal with exposed or rough edges, wear approved safety glasses and gloves in order to reduce the chance of personal injury. Procedure: Locate and drill out all factory welds. Note weld are only for factory processing purposes. The replacement hinge does not need to be welded, just bolted on.
4	Hood Lower Hinge Bolt (Qty: 3) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
5	Hood Lower Hinge

HOOD OPEN ASSIST SPRING REPLACEMENT

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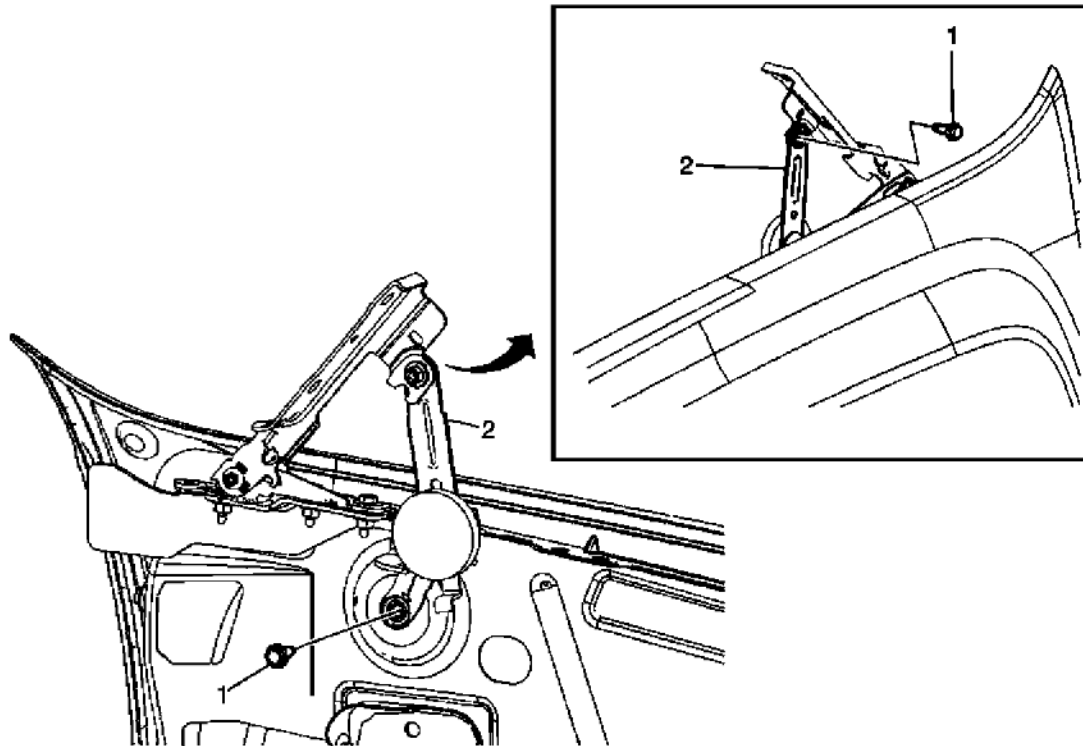


Fig. 26: View Of Hood Spring & Open Assist Bolts
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Callout	Component Name
CAUTION: When a hood hold open device is being removed or installed, provide alternate support to avoid the possibility of damage to the vehicle or personal injury.	
Preliminary Procedures: Remove the hood. Refer to <u>Hood Replacement</u> .	
1	Hood Open Assist Spring Bolt (Qty: 2) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 22 N.m (16 lb ft)
2	Hood Spring

REAR SIDE DOOR HINGE REPLACEMENT (EXTENDED CAB)

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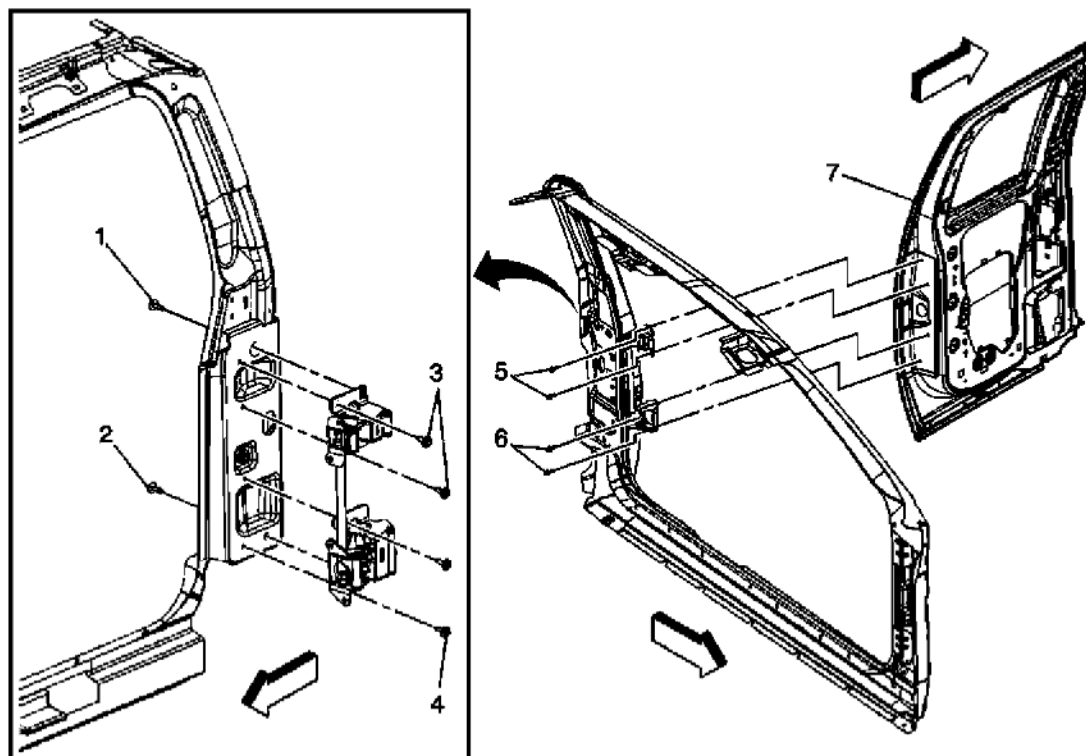


Fig. 27: View Of Rear Side Door Hinge Components

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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedures: Remove the body hinge pillar trim. Refer to <u>Body Hinge Pillar Trim Panel Replacement</u> .	
1	Rear Side Door Upper Hinge to Body Bolt Tip: One bolt is located behind the body hinge pillar trim.
2	Rear Side Door Lower Hinge to Body Bolt Tip: One bolt is located behind the body hinge pillar trim.
3	Rear Side Door Upper Hinge to Body Bolt (Qty: 2) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Procedure 1. Disconnect the electrical connector, if equipped. 2. Tape the edges of the door and body. 3. Support the door before removing hinge bolts from step 3 and 4. Tighten: 26 N.m (19 lb ft)

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4	Rear Side Door Lower Hinge to Body Bolt (Qty: 2) Tip: Remove the door from the vehicle then remove the door side hinge bolts. Tighten: 26 N.m (19 lb ft)
5	Rear Side Door Upper Hinge to Door Bolt (Qty: 2)
6	Rear Side Door Lower Hinge to Door Bolt (Qty: 2)
7	Rear Side Door Lower Hinge

REAR SIDE DOOR HINGE REPLACEMENT (CREW CAB)

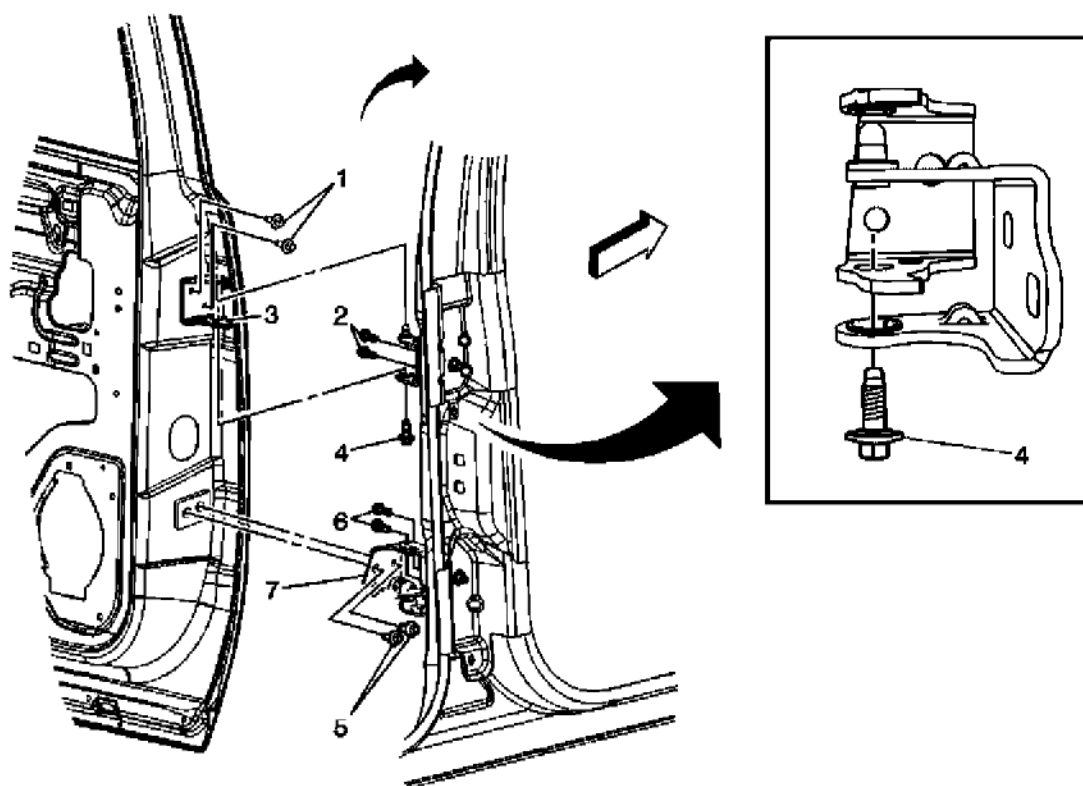


Fig. 28: View Of Rear Side Door Hinge & Components
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Callout	Component Name
1	Rear Side Door Hinge Upper Bolt (Qty: 2) NOTE: <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
	Rear Side Door Hinge Upper Bolt (Qty: 2)

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2	Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
3	Rear Side Door Upper Hinge Tip: Check the door for proper alignment, then adjust as necessary.
4	Rear Side Door Hinge Lower Bolt Tip: After installation of the replacement upper hinge, from the underside of the hinge, remove the temporary keeper pivot bolt and replace with longer permanent bolt. Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
5	Rear Side Door Hinge Lower Bolt (Qty: 2) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
6	Rear Side Door Hinge Lower Bolt (Qty: 2) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
7	Rear Side Door Lower Hinge Tip: Check the door for proper alignment, then adjust as necessary.

HOOD REPLACEMENT

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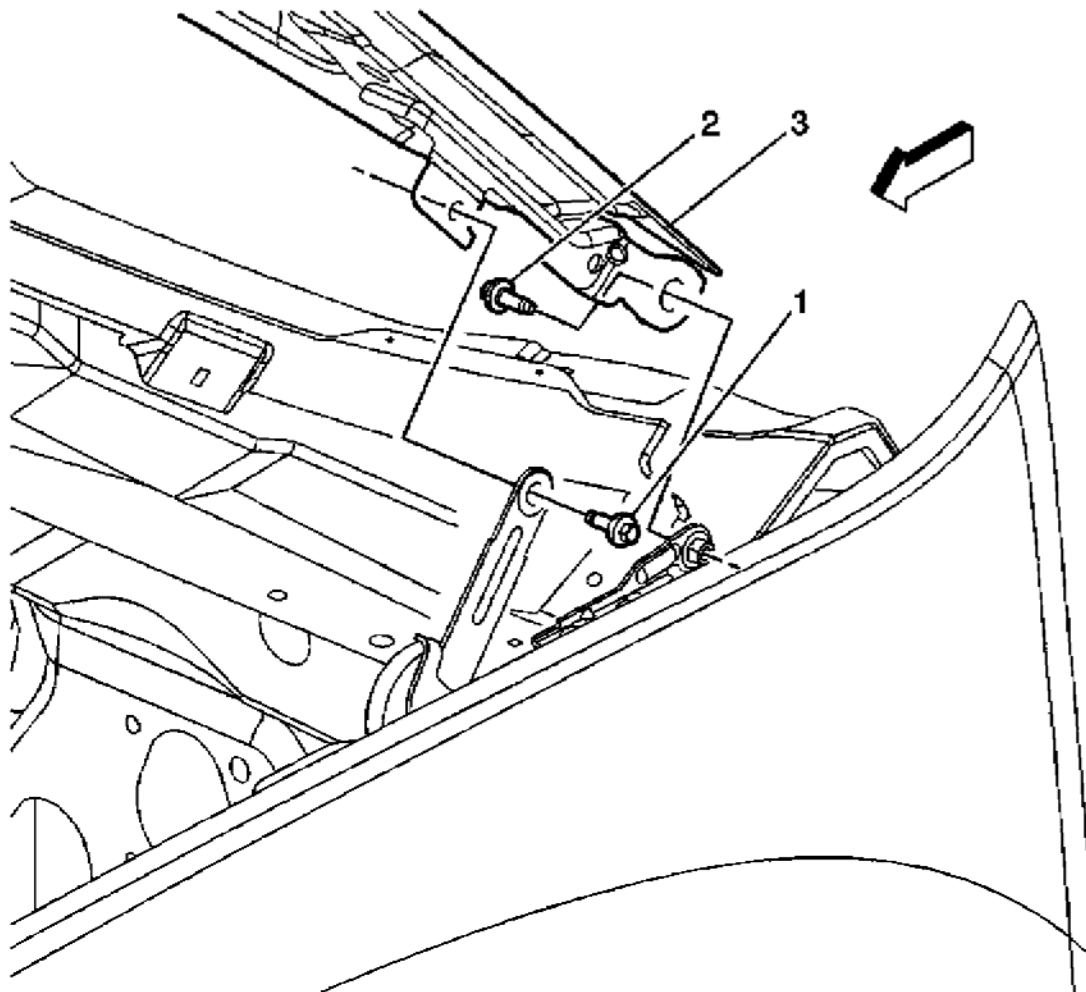


Fig. 29: View Of Hood & Bolts

Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name
CAUTION: When a hood hold open device is being removed or installed, provide alternate support to avoid the possibility of damage to the vehicle or personal injury.	
Preliminary Procedure	
1. Disconnect the hood strut. Refer to <u>Hood Strut Replacement</u> .	
2. Remove the air inlet panel end panels. Refer to <u>Air Inlet Grille Panel Replacement</u> .	
	Hood Link Upper Bolt (Qty: 2)
	NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> .

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1	Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft) Tip: Disconnect any electrical connectors before removing.
2	Hood Hinge Pivot Bolt (Qty: 2) Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
3	Hood Tip: • Disconnect any electrical connectors before removing. • Transfer any parts as needed.

HOOD INSULATOR REPLACEMENT

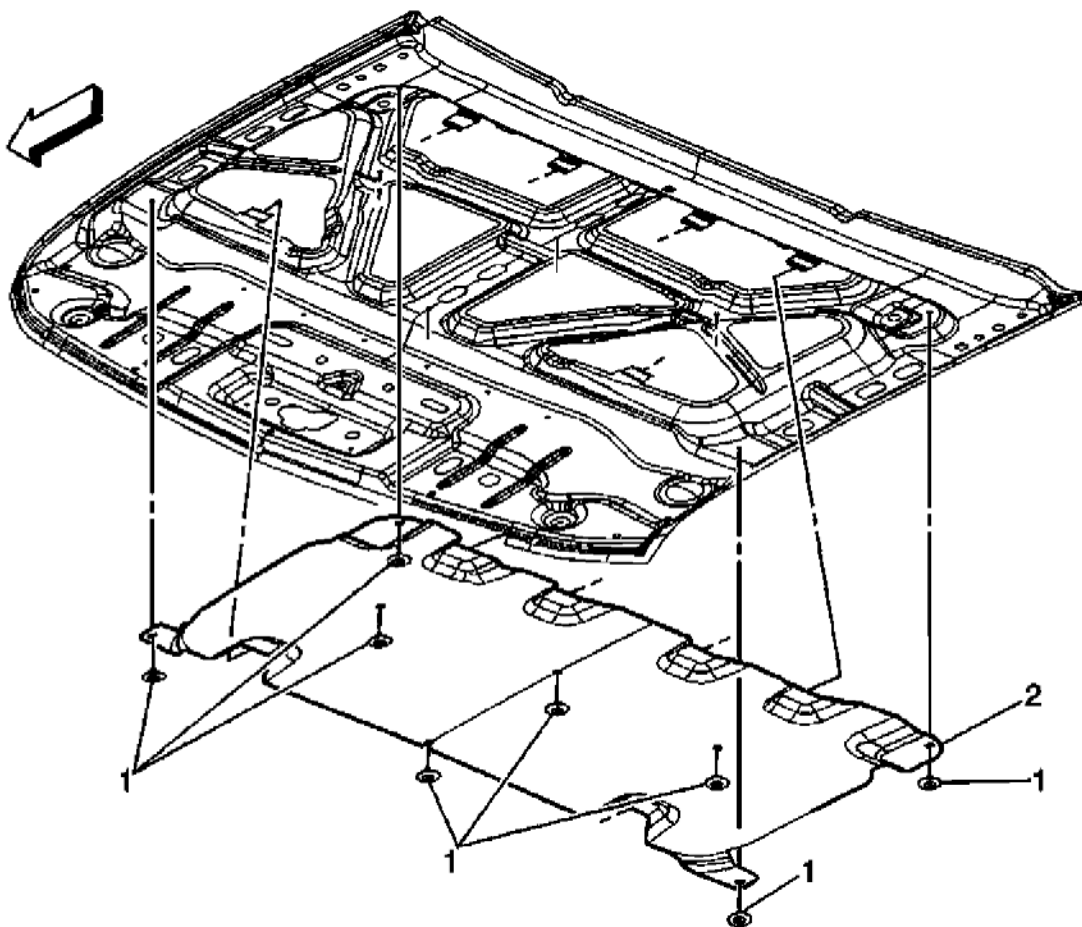


Fig. 30: View Of Hood Insulator & Retainers
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Callout	Component Name
1	Hood Insulator Plastic Retainer (Qty: 8)
2	Hood Insulator

HOOD PRIMARY AND SECONDARY LATCH REPLACEMENT

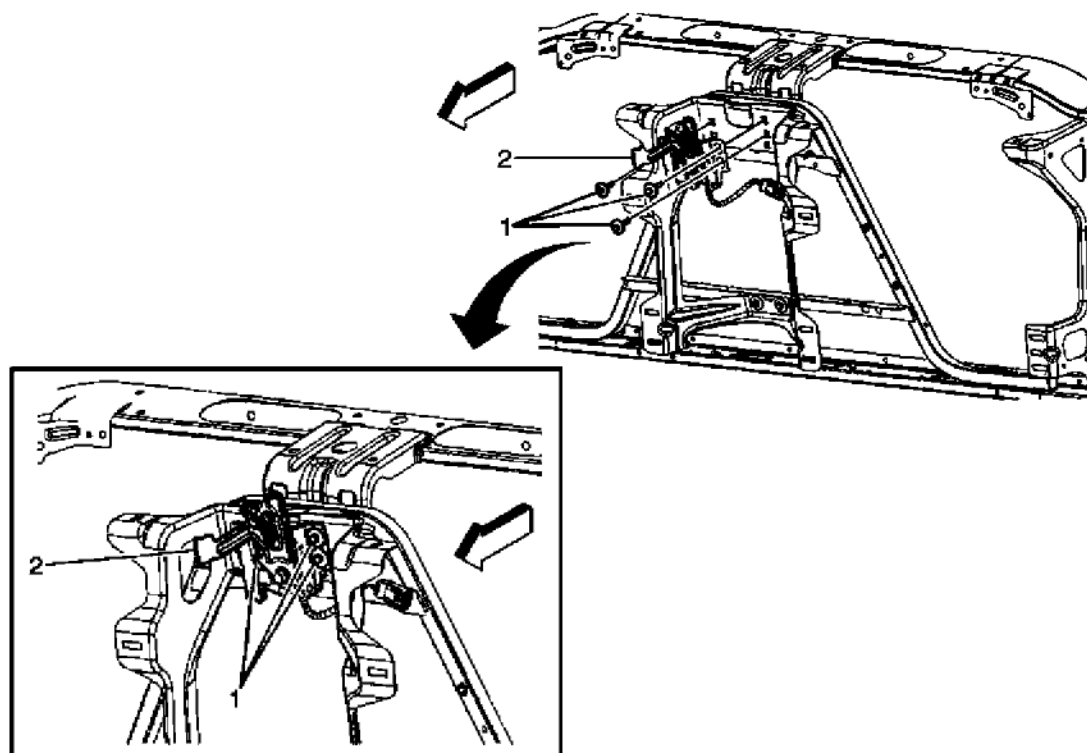


Fig. 31: View Of Hood Latch & Bolts
Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedure: Remove the radiator air upper baffle/deflector. Refer to <u>Radiator Air Upper Baffle and Deflector Replacement</u>	
1	Hood Latch Bolts (Qty: 3) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tip: Use a grease pencil to mark the location of the hood latch before removing the bolts. Tighten: 9 N.m (80 lb in)

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Hood Latch

Tip: Disconnect any electrical connectors.

HOOD LINK REPLACEMENT

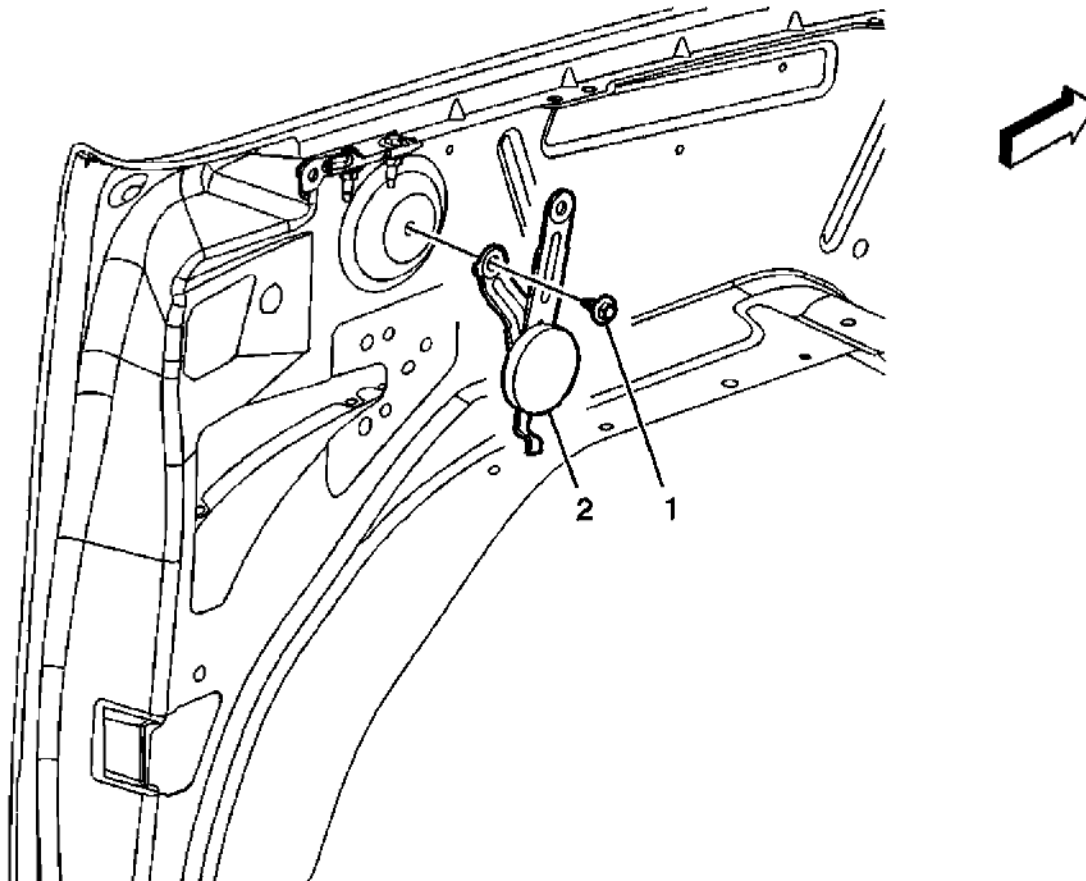


Fig. 32: View Of Hood Hinge Spring & Bolt
Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name
CAUTION: When a hood hold open device is being removed or installed, provide alternate support to avoid the possibility of damage to the vehicle or personal injury.	
Preliminary Procedures	
1. Prop and support the hood.	
2. Remove the hood link upper bolt. Refer to Hood Replacement	
	Hood Link Lower Bolt

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1	NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 25 N.m (18 lb ft)
2	Hood Link

FUEL TANK FILLER DOOR REPLACEMENT

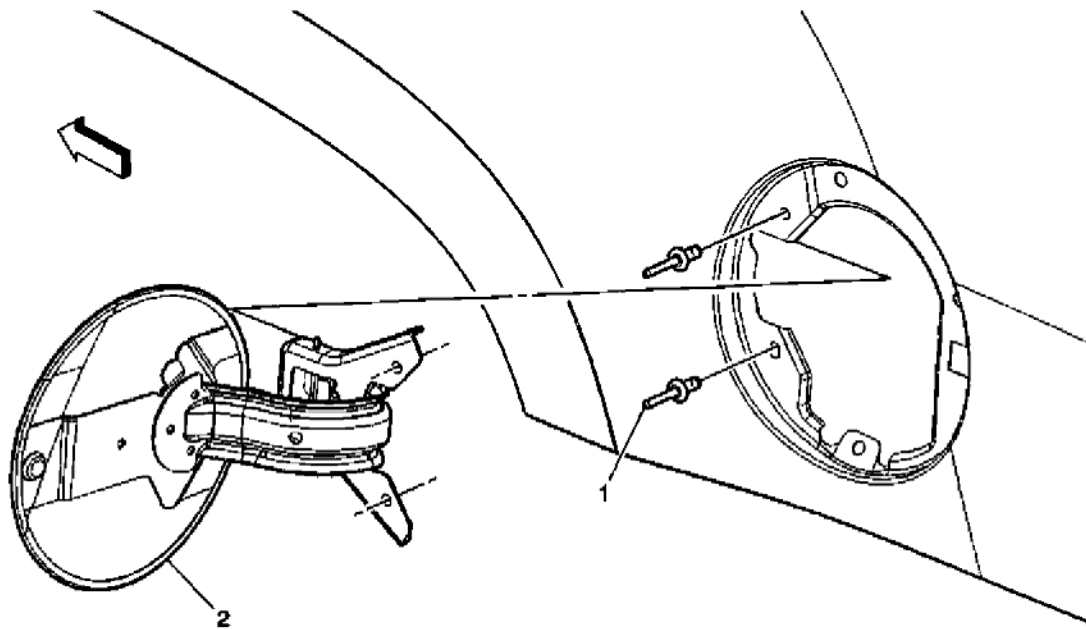


Fig. 33: View Of Fuel Filler Door Assembly & Rivets
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Callout	Component Name
1	Fuel Tank Filler Door Rivets (Qty: 2)
2	Fuel Tank Filler Door Assembly

FUEL TANK FILLER PIPE HOUSING REPLACEMENT

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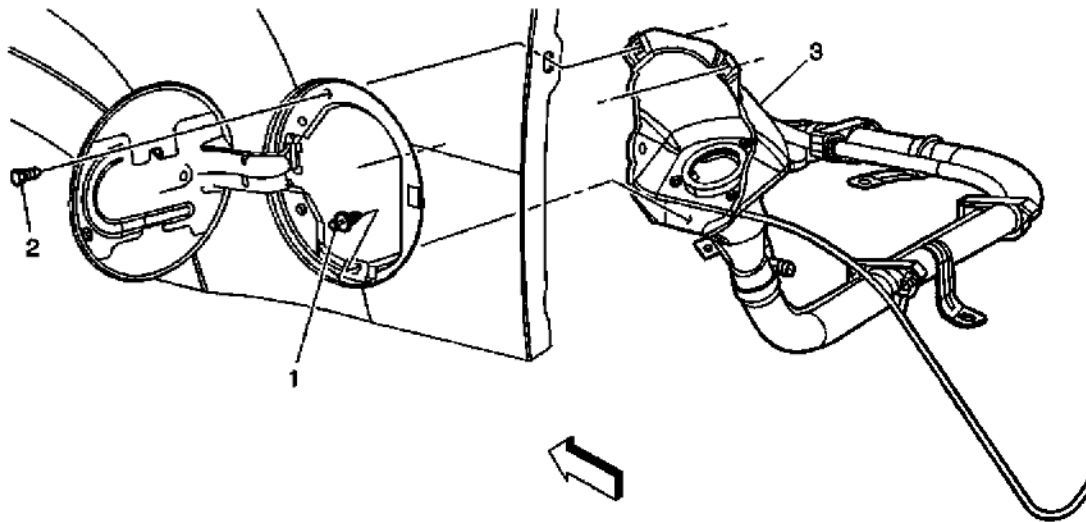


Fig. 34: View Of Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Housing
Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedure: Disconnect the fuel tank filler pipe from the fuel tank filler pipe housing. Refer to <u>Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Replacement (15 Reg Cab w/26 gal Tank)</u> or <u>Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Replacement (15/25 Reg/Ext/Crew Cab w/34 gal Tank)</u> or <u>Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Replacement (35 Reg/Ext/Crew Cab w/34 gal Tank)</u> or <u>Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Replacement (15 Ext/Crew Cab w/26 gal Tank)</u> or <u>Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Replacement (25 Ext/Crew Cab w/26 gal Tank)</u> .	
1	Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Housing Plastic Retainer
2	Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Housing Screws (Qty: 2) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 5 N.m (44 lb in)
3	Fuel Tank Filler Pipe Housing

HOOD STRUT REPLACEMENT

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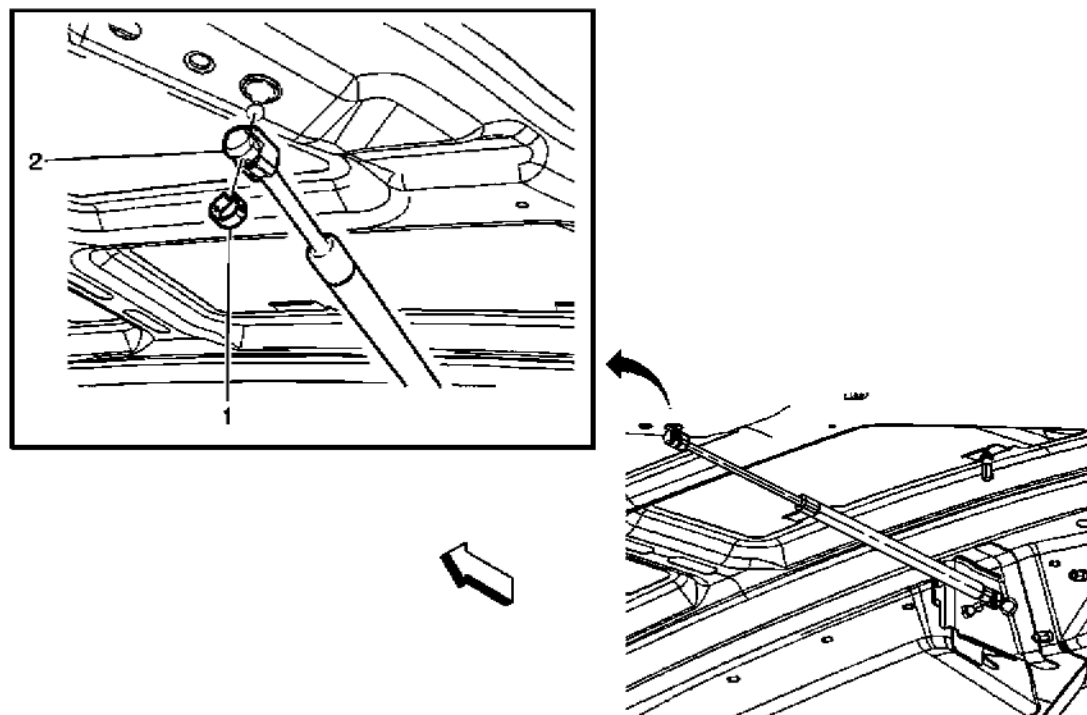


Fig. 35: View Of Hood Strut & Retainers
Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name
CAUTION: When a hood hold open device is being removed or installed, provide alternate support to avoid the possibility of damage to the vehicle or personal injury.	
1	Hood Strut Retainer (Qty: 2) Procedure 1. Release the locking tabs on the strut. 2. Ensure the clip is fully seated when rod is reinstalled. If the clip cannot be fully seated a new rod should be installed.
2	Hood Strut

HOOD FRONT SEAL REPLACEMENT

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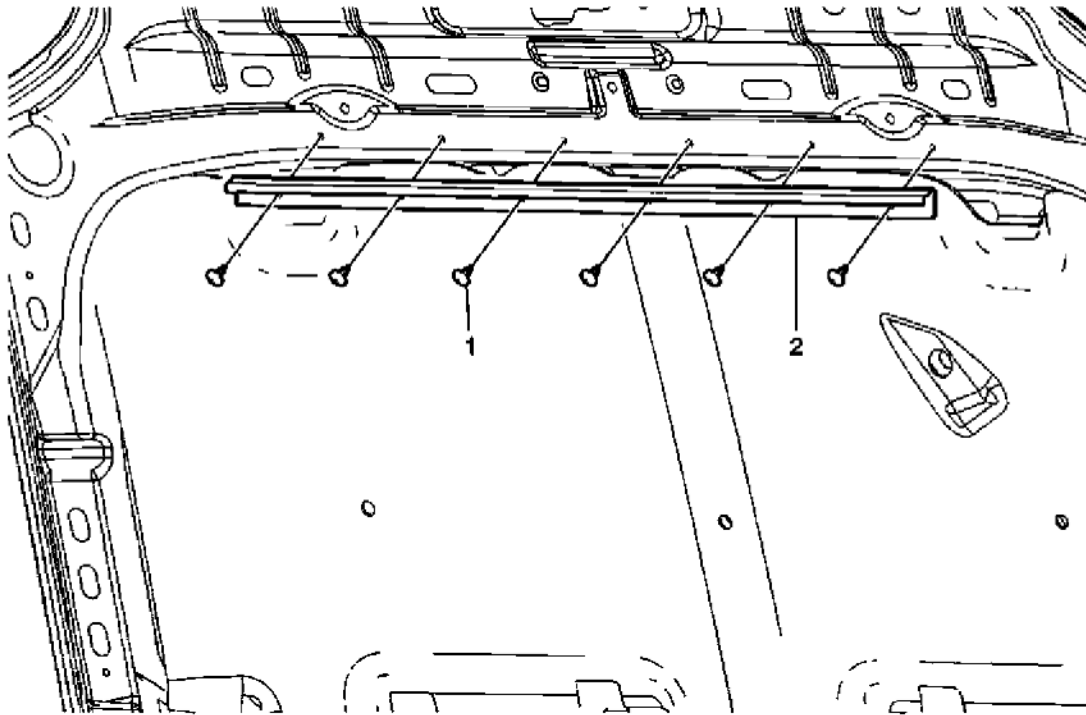


Fig. 36: View Of Front Hood Weatherstrip & Retainers
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Callout	Component Name
1	Front Hood Weatherstrip Retainer (Qty: 6)
2	Front Hood Weatherstrip

HOOD REAR SEAL REPLACEMENT

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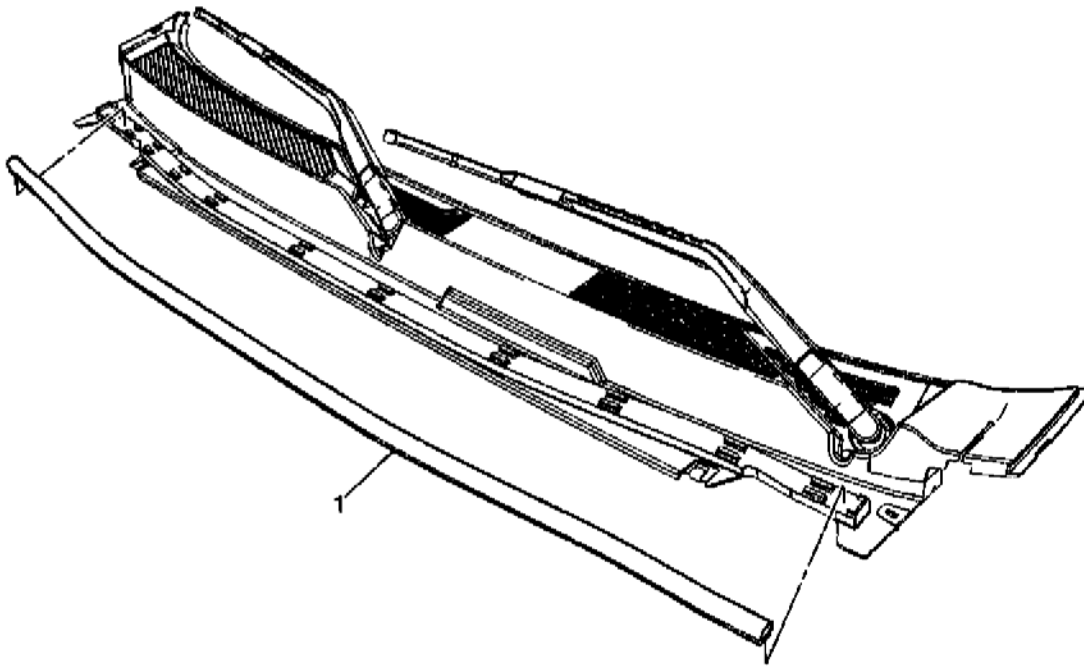


Fig. 37: View Of Rear Hood Seal

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Callout	Component Name
1	Rear Hood Seal

FRONT SIDE DOOR BOTTOM AUXILIARY SEALING STRIP REPLACEMENT

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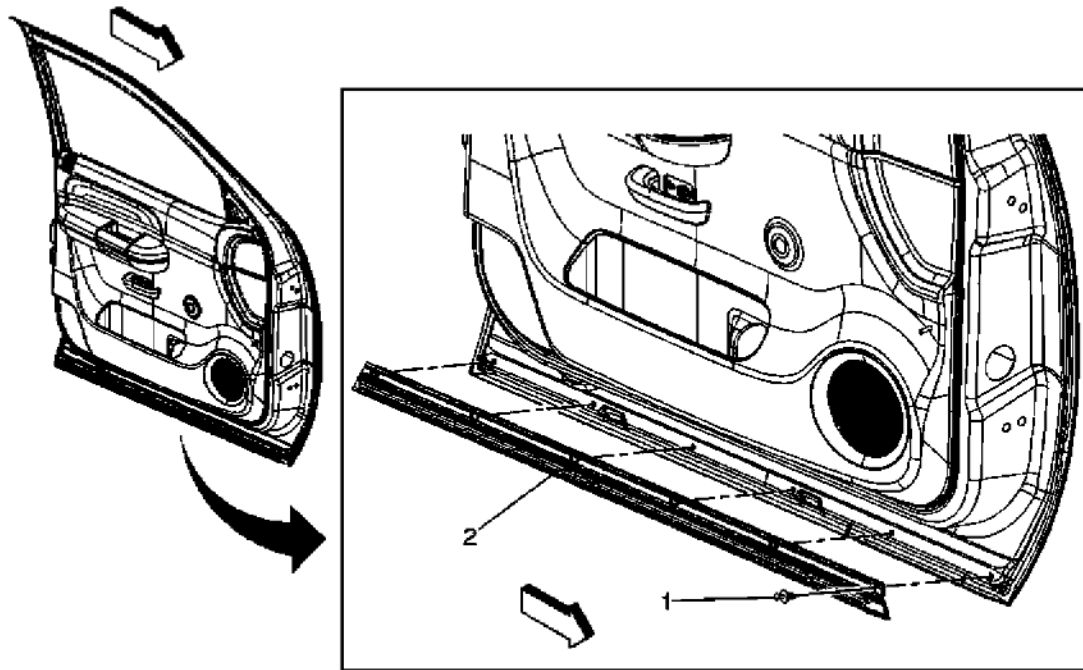


Fig. 38: View Of Front Side Door Bottom Auxiliary Sealing Strip & Retainers
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Callout	Component Name
1	Front Side Door Bottom Auxiliary Sealing Strip Retainer (Qty: 6)
2	Front Side Door Bottom Auxiliary Sealing Strip

REAR SIDE DOOR BOTTOM AUXILIARY SEALING STRIP REPLACEMENT (EXTENDED CAB)

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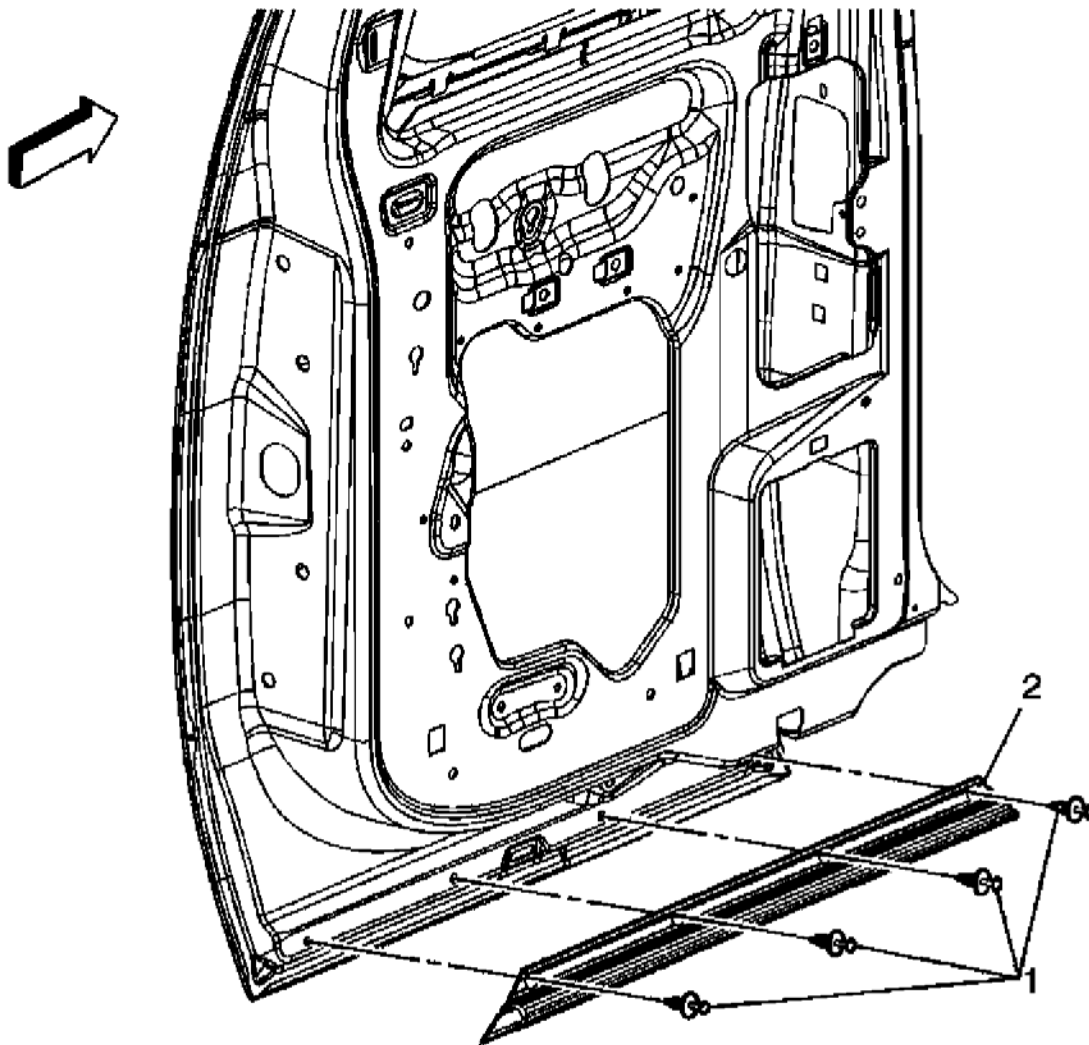


Fig. 39: View Of Rear Side Door Bottom Auxiliary Sealing Strip & Retainers
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Callout	Component Name
1	Rear Side Door Bottom Auxiliary Sealing Strip Retainers (Qty: 4)
2	Rear Side Door Bottom Auxiliary Sealing Strip

REAR SIDE DOOR BOTTOM AUXILIARY SEALING STRIP REPLACEMENT (CREW CAB)

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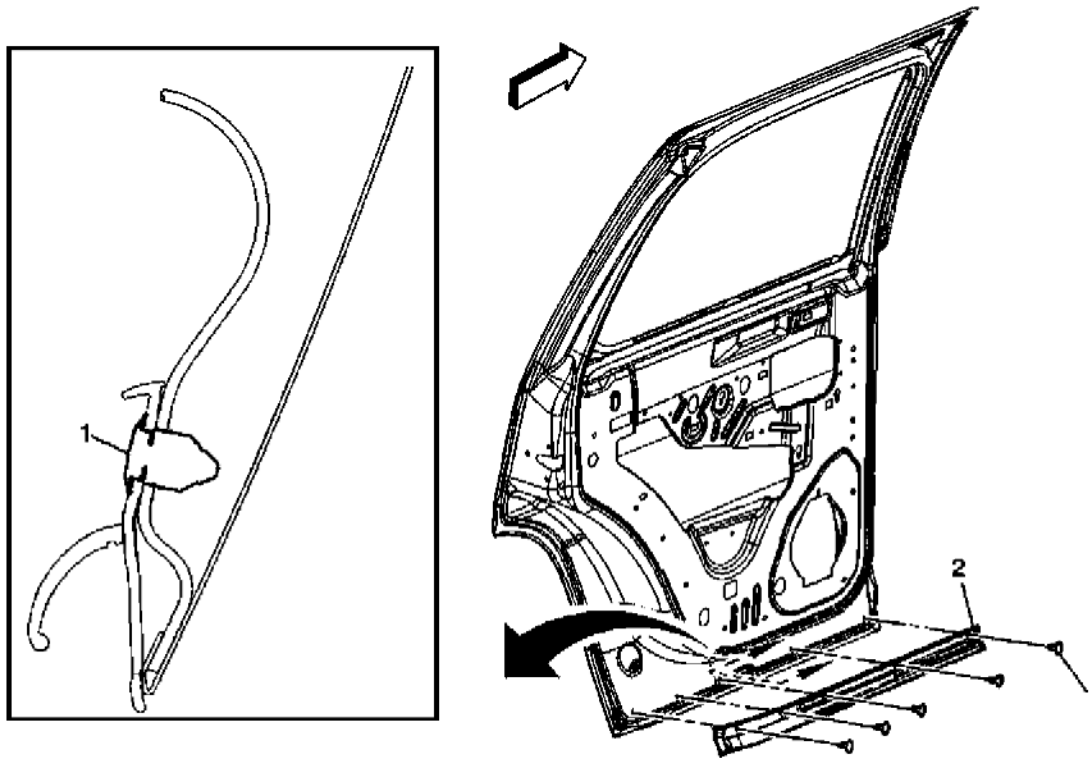


Fig. 40: View Of Rear Side Door Bottom Auxiliary Sealing Strip & Retainers
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Callout	Component Name
1	Rear Side Door Bottom Auxiliary Sealing Strip Retainers (Qty: 5)
2	Rear Side Door Bottom Auxiliary Sealing Strip

REAR SIDE DOOR FRONT AUXILIARY WEATHERSTRIP REPLACEMENT (CREW CAB)

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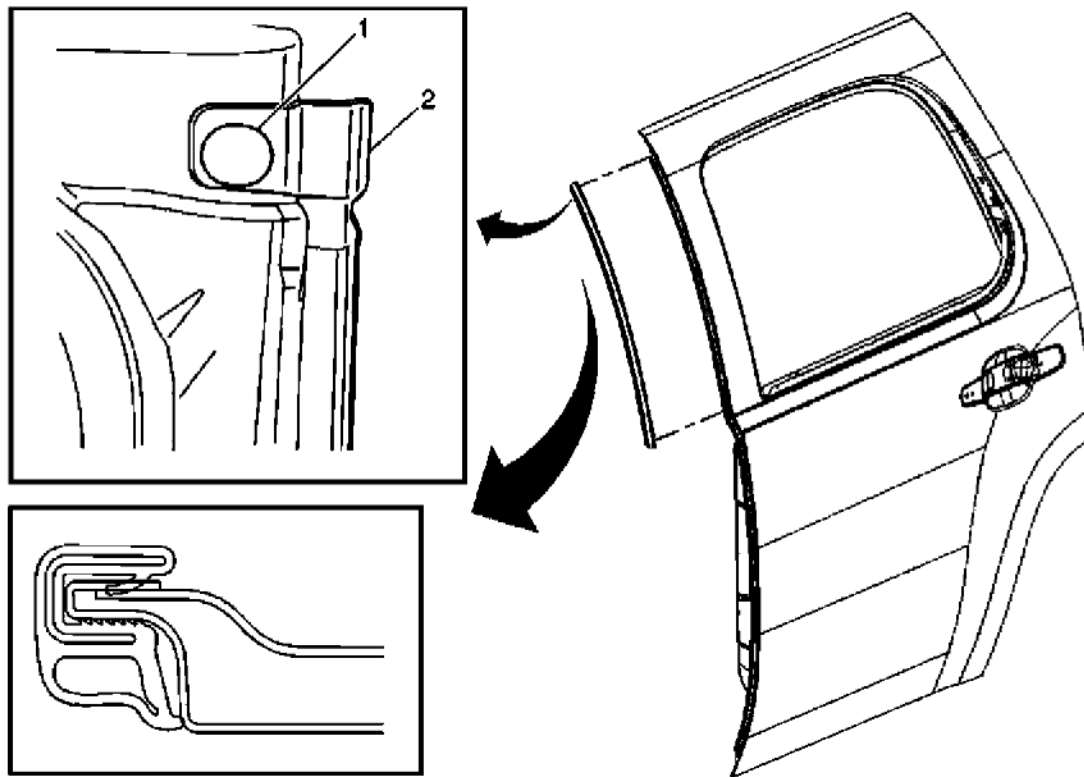


Fig. 41: View Of Rear Side Door Front Auxiliary Sealing Strip & Push-In Retainer
Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name
1	Push-In Retainer Tip: Remove the push-in retainer at the top.
2	Rear Side Door Front Auxiliary Sealing Strip Tip: Pull the sealing strip from the door.

REAR SIDE DOOR FRONT AUXILIARY WEATHERSTRIP REPLACEMENT (EXTENDED CAB)

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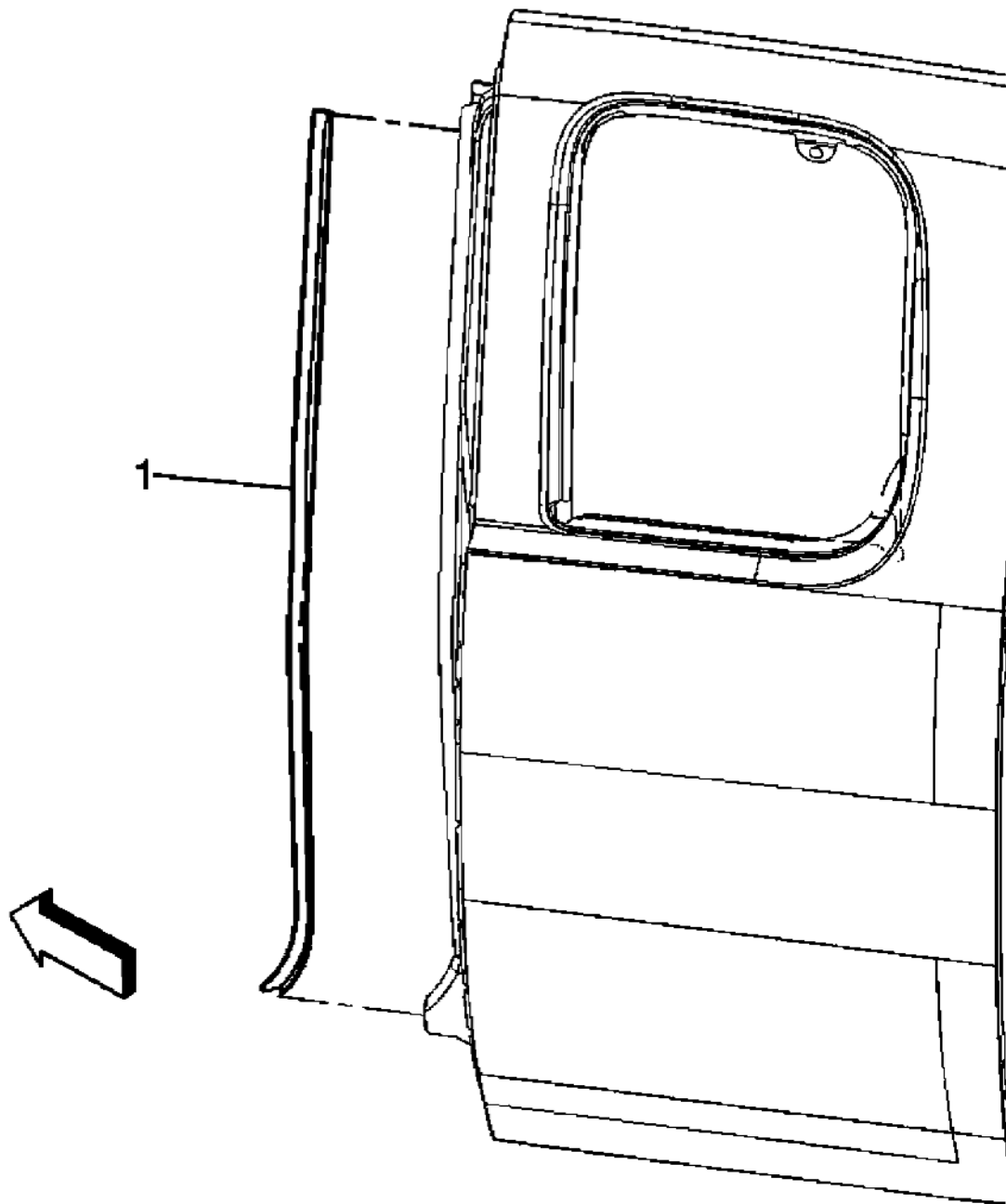


Fig. 42: View Of Rear Side Door Front Auxiliary Weatherstrip
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Callout	Component Name
1	Rear Side Door Auxiliary Weatherstrip
Procedure	

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1. Lift up on the outside front upper corner of the outer sealing strip and pull away from the door.
2. Press the weatherstrip firmly to the top side of the door to ensure full adhesion is made to the door opening.

RADIATOR SUPPORT REPLACEMENT

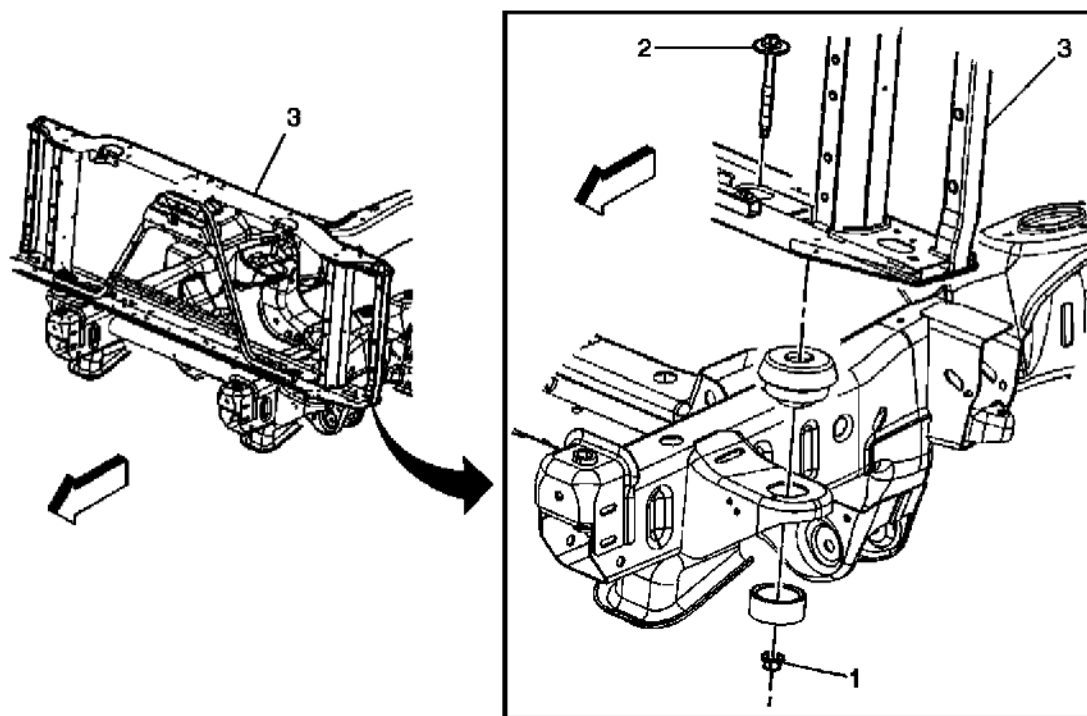


Fig. 43: View Of Radiator Support, Mount Bolts & Mount Nuts
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Callout	Component Name
Preliminary Procedures	
1.	Remove the front fascia. Refer to <u>Front Bumper Impact Bar Replacement (GMC)</u> or <u>Front Bumper Impact Bar Replacement (Chevrolet)</u> .
2.	Remove the hood latch. Refer to <u>Hood Primary and Secondary Latch Replacement</u> .
3.	Remove the radiator. Refer to <u>Radiator Replacement (4.3, 4.8, 5.3, and 6.0L)</u> or <u>Radiator Replacement (LLM)</u> .
4.	Remove auto Transmation cooler If equipped.
5.	Remove Power Streeing cooler Bolt and Reposition
6.	Remove the A/C condenser. Refer to <u>Condenser Replacement</u> .
7.	Remove the fender bolts. Refer to <u>Front Fender Replacement - Left Side</u> and <u>Front Fender</u>

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8. Remove Radiator Air baffles
9. Remove the washer Bottle Windshield Washer Solvent Container Replacement
10. Remove front impact sensors.
11. Remove PCM Bracket Bolts and repostion.
12. Remove horn Horn Replacement - Left Side (GMC) or Horn Replacement - Left Side (Chevrolet)
13. Disconnect ground from the right frame.
14. Remove the grill moutring Brackets.
15. Unclip all electical harness from the radiator support.

1	Radiator Support Mount Nuts (Qty: 2) NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> . Tighten: 70 N.m (52 lb ft)
2	Radiator Support Mount Bolts (Qty: 2) Tighten: 70 N.m (52 lb ft)
3	Radiator Support Tip: Transfer any parts as needed.

FRONT SIDE DOOR ROOF DRIP WEATHERSTRIP REPLACEMENT

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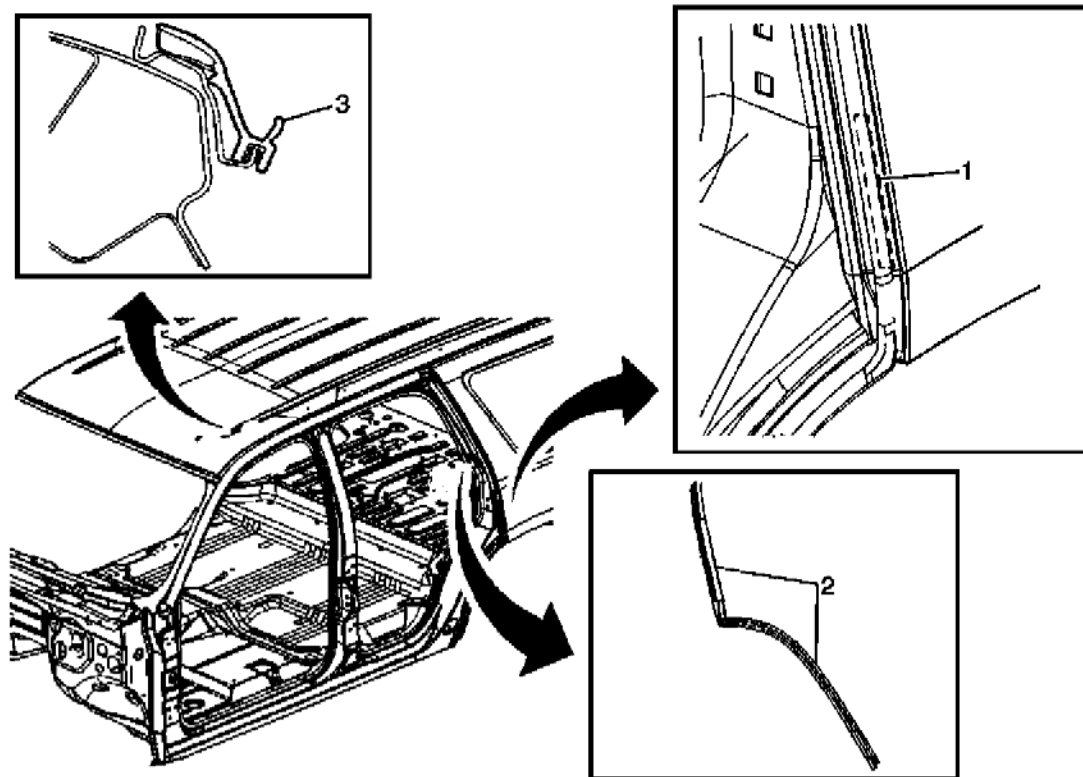


Fig. 44: View Of Weatherstrip Drip Rail Push Pin Retainers & Drip Rails
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Callout	Component Name
1	Weatherstrip Drip Rail Push Pin Retainers Tip: 1. The part and surface should be 21°C (70°F) prior to installation. The vehicle should remain 21°C (70°F) for one hour after assembly to allow adhesive to develop sufficient bond strength. 2. Use a J 25070 Heat Gun or equivalent to remove the old weatherstrip. Clean all adhesive residue from the door opening and wipe the surface dry with a clean lint-free towel prior to installing the new weatherstrip. 3. When removing protective liners from the adhesive backed weatherstrip, be careful not to touch the tape with hands. Do not allow the tape to come in contact with dirt or any foreign matter prior to adhesion.
2	Weatherstrip Drip Rail Tab Push-In Retainers (Qty: 7)
3	Weatherstrip Drip Rail Tip: Press the weatherstrip firmly to the top side of the door opening to ensure full adhesion is made to the door opening.

FRONT DOOR OPENING WEATHERSTRIP REPLACEMENT (EXTENDED CAB)

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Removal Procedure

1. Remove the front and rear door sill plate. Refer to Front Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Regular Cab/Crew Cab) or Front Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Extended Cab) or Rear Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Extended Cab) or Rear Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Crew Cab) .

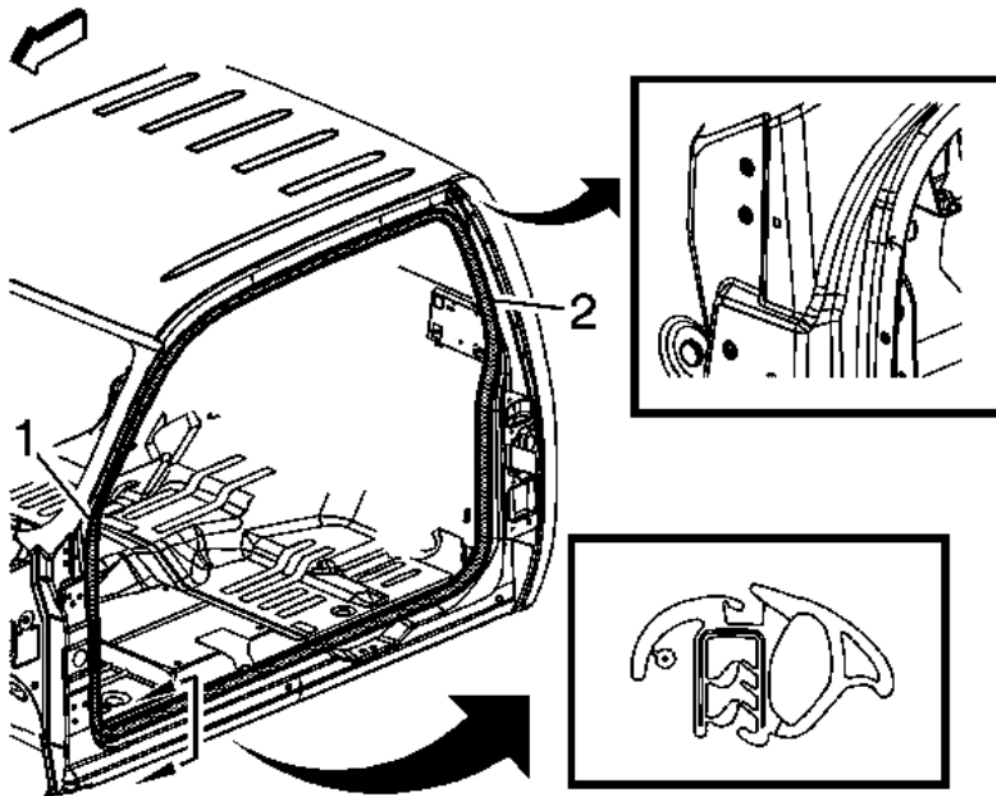


Fig. 45: View Of Weatherstrip & Pinch-Weld Flange
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2. Remove the weatherstrip (1) from the pinch-weld flange (2).

Installation Procedure

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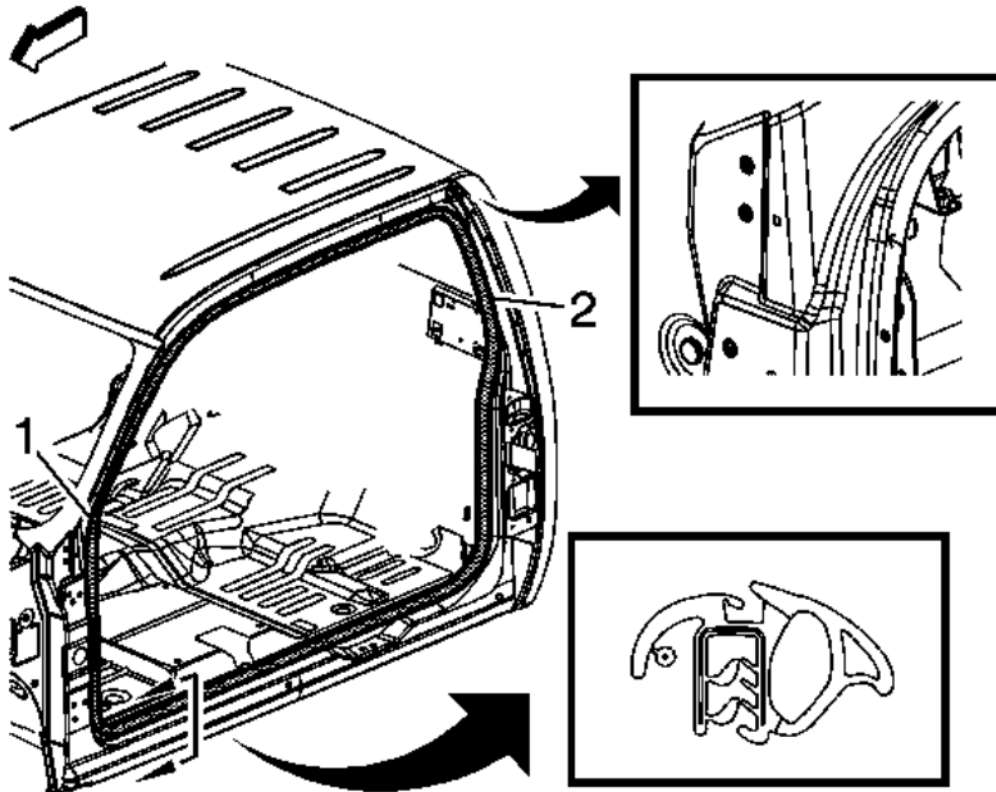


Fig. 46: View Of Weatherstrip & Pinch-Weld Flange
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1. Align the weatherstrip to the door opening with the 2 dots positioned on the upper right and left side.
2. Align the weatherstrip to the door opening with the bond joint positioned at the lower center of the door opening.
3. Install the weatherstrip (1) to the pinch-weld flange (2). Ensure that the weatherstrip is fully seated.
4. Install the front door sill plate. Refer to **Front Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Regular Cab/Crew Cab)** or **Front Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Extended Cab)** or **Rear Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Extended Cab)** or **Rear Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Crew Cab)** .

FRONT DOOR OPENING WEATHERSTRIP REPLACEMENT (CREW CAB)

Removal Procedure

1. Remove the front door sill plate. Refer to **Front Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Regular Cab/Crew Cab)** or **Front Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Extended Cab)** .

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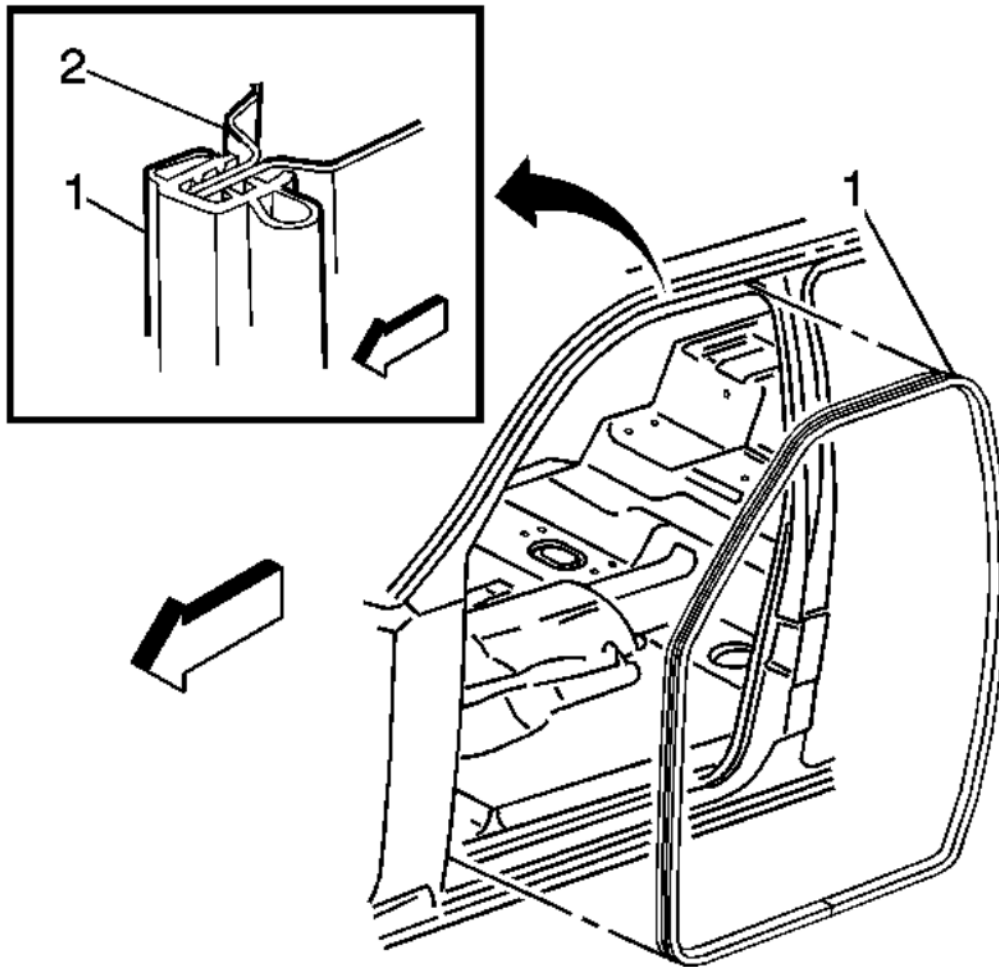


Fig. 47: Removing/Installing Pinch-Weld Flange Weatherstrip (Front Door Opening)
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2. Remove the weatherstrip from the pinch-weld flange.

Installation Procedure

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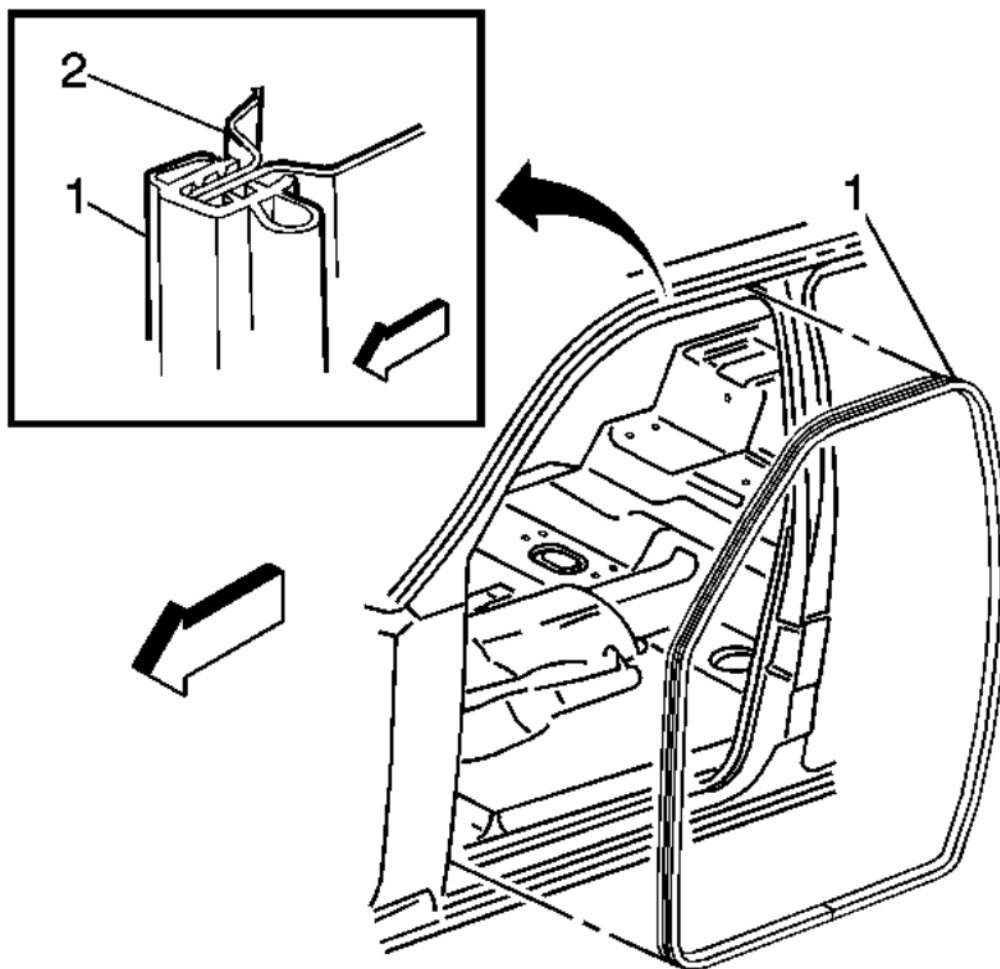


Fig. 48: Removing/Installing Pinch-Weld Flange Weatherstrip (Front Door Opening)
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1. Align the weatherstrip to the door opening with the 2 dots positioned on the upper right and left side.
2. Align the weatherstrip to the door opening with the bond joint positioned at the lower center of the door opening.
3. Install the weatherstrip to the pinch-weld flange. Ensure that the weatherstrip is fully seated.
4. Install the front door sill plate. Refer to **Front Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Regular Cab/Crew Cab)** or **Front Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Extended Cab)** .

REAR DOOR OPENING WEATHERSTRIP REPLACEMENT (CREW CAB)

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Removal Procedure

1. Remove the rear door sill plate. Refer to **Rear Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Extended Cab)** or **Rear Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Crew Cab)** .

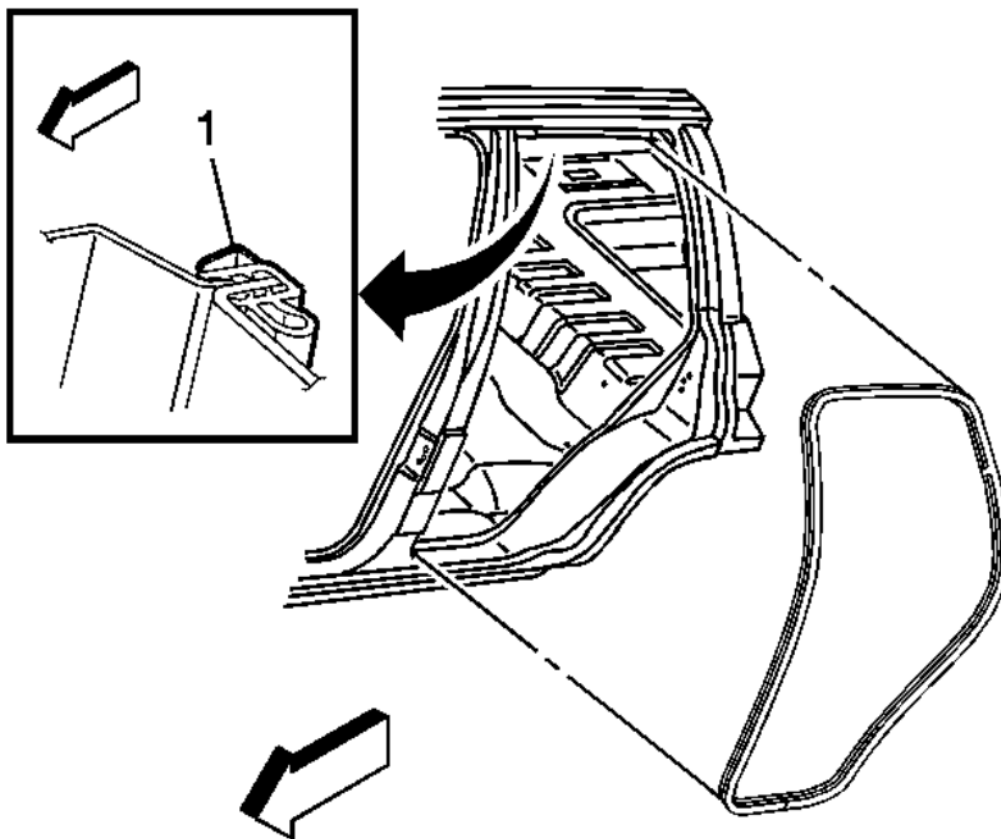


Fig. 49: Removing/Installing Pinch-Weld Flange Weatherstrip (Rear Door Opening)
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2. Remove the weatherstrip from the pinch-weld flange.

Installation Procedure

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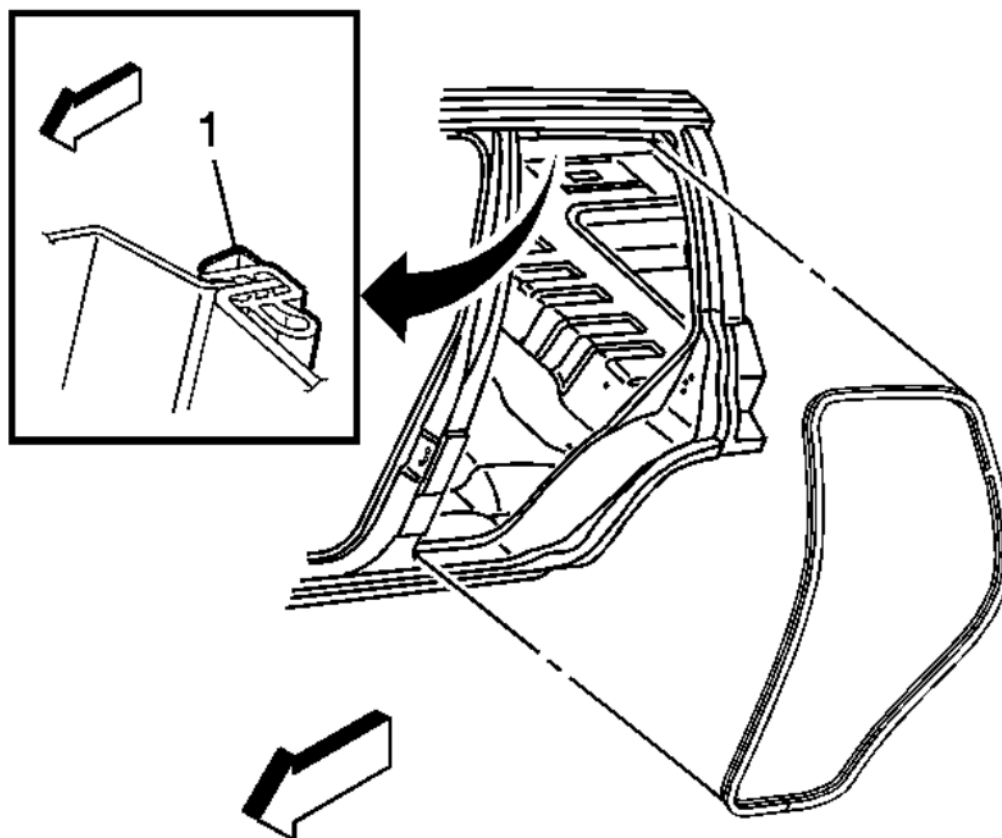


Fig. 50: Removing/Installing Pinch-Weld Flange Weatherstrip (Rear Door Opening)
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1. Align the weatherstrip to the door opening with the 2 dots positioned on the upper right and left side.
2. Align the weatherstrip to the door opening with the bond joint positioned at the lower center of the door opening.
3. Install the weatherstrip to the pinch-weld flange. Ensure that the weatherstrip is fully seated.
4. Install the rear door sill plate. Refer to **Rear Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Extended Cab)** or **Rear Side Door Sill Plate Replacement (Crew Cab)**.