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## NHTSA Recalls of Interest

June 20, 2016

### **RECALL Subject : No Warning Chime /FMVSS 114**

**Report Receipt Date:** JUN 10, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V422000

**Component(s):** ELECTRICAL SYSTEM , EQUIPMENT

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 18,780

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• CHEVROLET	SONIC	2015-2016
• CHEVROLET	SPARK	2013-2015
• CHEVROLET	TRAX	2015-2016

**Manufacturer:** General Motors LLC

#### SUMMARY:

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain model year 2015-2016 Chevrolet Sonic and Trax, and 2013-2015 Spark vehicles equipped with a Bring Your Own Media radio. The affected LG Electronics radios may fail to provide an audible warning chime when the driver fails to fasten their seatbelt or if the driver leaves the key in the ignition. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) numbers 208 "Occupant Crash Protection" and 114 "Theft Protection."

#### CONSEQUENCE:

Without audible indicators, the driver may not fasten their seatbelt, increasing the risk of injury during a crash.

**REMEDY:**

GM will notify owners, and dealers will update the radio software, free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule. Owners may contact Chevrolet customer service at 1-800-222-1020. GM's number for this recall is 45340.

**RECALL Subject : Front Lower Control Arm Corrosion**

**Report Receipt Date:** JUN 01, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V387000

**Component(s):** SUSPENSION

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 97,884

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• KIA	SEDONA	2006-2012

**Manufacturer:** Kia Motors America

**SUMMARY:**

Kia Motors Corporation (Kia) is recalling certain model year 2006-2012 Kia Sedona vehicles manufactured from June 15, 2005, through August 14, 2012 and originally sold in, or currently registered in Alaska, Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, West Virginia, Wisconsin and the District of Columbia. In the affected vehicles, the Seojin Industrial front lower control arms may break due to corrosion from salt water exposure such as from road salt use.

**CONSEQUENCE:**

A broken control arm can result in the loss of control of the vehicle, increasing the risk of a crash.

**REMEDY:**

Kia will notify owners and dealers will replace the front lower control arms on 2006-2007 models. 2008-2012 models will either have their front lower control arms replaced or additional anti-corrosion coating will be applied. These repairs will be performed free of charge. The recall is expected to begin on July 25, 2016.

**RECALL Subject : Possible Damage to Lower Child Seat Anchor Bars**

**Report Receipt Date:** MAY 23, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V333000

**Component(s):** CHILD SEAT

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 188,668

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• BMW	X3	2011-2017
• BMW	X4	2015-2017

**Manufacturer:** BMW of North America, LLC

**SUMMARY:**

BMW of North America, LLC (BMW) is recalling certain model year 2011-2017, X3 sDrive28i, X3 xDrive28i and X3 xDrive35i, vehicles manufactured July 2, 2010 to April 14, 2016, 2015-2017 X3 xDrive28d vehicles manufactured March 10, 2014 to March 31, 2016, and 2015-2017 x4 xDrive28i, X4 xDrive35i and X4 xDriveM40i vehicles manufactured March3, 2014 to April 15, 2016. The affected vehicles have lower anchor bars for securing child restraint seats that may become damaged when using the European-ISOFIX-type, rigid-style connector, child restraint system.

**CONSEQUENCE:**

Damaged lower anchor bars may increase the child's risk of injury in the event of a crash.

**REMEDY:**

BMW will notify owners, and dealers will weld a reinforcing bracket to the lower anchor bars and the vehicle body, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin on July 12, 2016.