

**OWNER NOTIFICATION
RECALL WUE-90**

Dear Subaru Owner:

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Subaru Canada, Inc. has decided that a defect, which relates to motor vehicle safety, exists in certain 2013-2017 model year Crosstrek vehicles, 2014-2016 model year Forester vehicles, 2008-2016 model year Impreza (4-door) vehicles, 2012-2016 model year Impreza (5-door) vehicles, and 2008-2014 model year WRX (4-door) vehicles.

You received this notice because our records indicate that you currently own one of these vehicles.

DESCRIPTION OF THE SAFETY DEFECT AND SAFETY HAZARD

Due to a potential defect in the brake lamp switch in your vehicle, the rear brake lamps may not illuminate as intended while braking. Brake lights that do not illuminate properly will not alert other drivers that the vehicle is slowing or stopping, increasing the risk of a crash.

In the event of a brake lamp switch failure, the brakes on your vehicle would not be affected. Secondary braking functions, however, such as ABS, VDC, and EyeSight® (if equipped), could be affected. In the event of a failure, the warning light(s) associated with these secondary braking functions will illuminate.

Depending on the vehicle model, the brake lamp switch functions affected by this condition may include the following:

- Rear brake lamp illumination
- Shifting a vehicle equipped with an automatic transmission out of 'Park'
- Starting a vehicle equipped with push-button ignition
- Anti-lock Brake System (ABS) functionality
- Vehicle Dynamics Control (VDC) functionality
- EyeSight® Driver Assist operation

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

You should immediately contact any authorized Subaru Dealer for an appointment to have the brake lamp switch replaced in your vehicle for free.

If your vehicle exhibits a problem related to any of the brake lamp switch functions listed above, please contact your Subaru Dealer immediately for assistance.

To minimize your inconvenience while the repair is being performed, please ask your dealer for alternative transportation options.

WHAT SUBARU WILL DO

Subaru will replace the brake lamp switch in your vehicle with a remedied one, at no cost to you.

HOW LONG WILL THE REPAIR TAKE?

The time to replace the brake lamp switch is approximately 30 minutes. However, your Dealer can provide you with a better estimate of the overall time for this service visit, as it may be necessary to make your vehicle available for a longer period of time.

CHANGED YOUR ADDRESS?

If you have changed your address you can advise us of a change of address by visiting www.subaru.ca/ownerinfo. If you no longer own this vehicle and have an address for the current owner, please forward this letter to the new owner and ask them to update our database by visiting www.subaru.ca/ownerinfo.

IF YOU HAVE PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR A REPAIR:

If you have already paid for repairs associated with this condition, you may be eligible for reimbursement. Reimbursement consideration will be based on the amount an authorized Subaru dealer in your area would charge for the same repair. To apply for reimbursement, please provide your dealer your original repair invoice with proof of payment, who in-turn will apply for reimbursement consideration on your behalf to Subaru Canada, Inc.

IF YOU NEED FURTHER ASSISTANCE:

To locate the nearest Subaru Dealer, you can access our website at www.subaru.ca and select our dealer locator, or you may call us at 1 800-894-4212 during normal business hours (8.30am until 4.30pm Eastern time) for assistance. Please call us immediately if the dealer fails, or is unable, to make the necessary repairs free of charge, write to the address on the first page of this letter, or to customercare@subaru.ca. You may also find more information at www.subaru.ca.

Your continued satisfaction with your Subaru is important to us. Please understand that we have taken this action to insure the proper operation of your vehicle. We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience this matter may cause.

Sincerely,
Subaru Canada, Inc.