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## CHEVROLET IMPALA AND MALIBU BUICK REGAL AND LACROSSE CADILLAC XTS

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TRIM DIAGRAM

- ENLARGE THIS HOLE (STEP 3) IF REQUIRED

## **INSTALLATION STEPS**

- Remove (1) 8mm bolt from the exhaust hanger bracket on each side of the vehicle, and clean weldnut using a wire brush or spray lubricant. On Impala models only trim approximately a 1 1/4 inch deep notch from each side of the bumper fascia (As shown).
- 2. Raise receiver tube section of hitch into place and use the 8mm bolts and conical toothed washers provided to secure into place. Secure the 8mm nut to the back side of the frame bracket on each side to hold the exhaust bracket in place.
- 3. On Buick Lacrosse (AWD) and Cadillac XTS models enlarge the hole in the suspension cross member to 1/2" (as shown).
- 4. Assemble the bolt on bracket as shown by placing the handle nut in the suspension housing and securing with a 1/2" bolt and lock washer. (Shown above is the bolt on bracket (1) used on (FWD) vehicles built before mid year, 2013. The bolt on bracket (2) is used on all (AWD) and (FWD) models built 2013 mid year to present.)
- 5. Raise the center section of the hitch into place and secure the (5) 1/2" hardware components that hold it into place. Torque 1/2" bolt with handle nut to 75 lb-ft, all other 1/2" hardware to 110 lb-ft, and torque 8mm hardware to 23 lb-ft.

## PERIODICALLY CHECK THIS RECEIVER HITCH TO ENSURE THAT ALL FASTENERS ARE TIGHT AND THAT ALL STRUCTURAL COMPONENTS ARE SOUND.

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