



INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Accessory
TAILGATE LOCK

Application
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PARTS LIST

Tailgate Lock Kit P/N 08Z07-T6Z-100D

Tailgate lock bracket



Cylinder rod



Cable snap



2 Holders



Self-tapping screw



Spring nut



Tailgate upper handle rod



Tailgate lock cylinder



Tailgate key set



Accessory User's Information Manual



Tailgate Upper Handle Kit P/N 08Z07-T6Z-100E

Tailgate upper handle



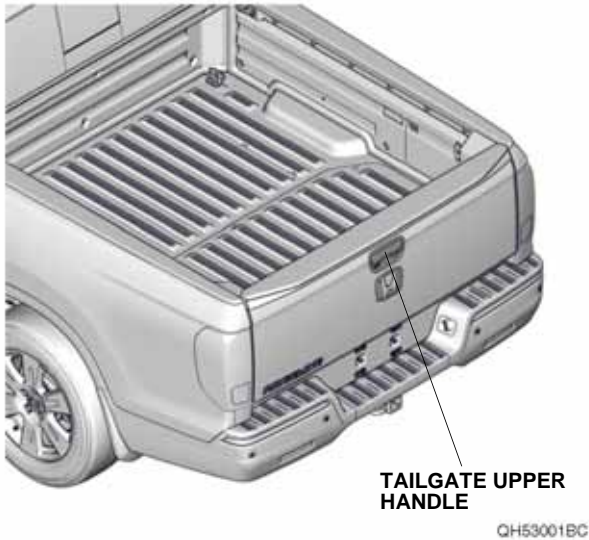
TOOLS AND SUPPLIES REQUIRED

Ratchet
Needle nose pliers
10 mm Open end wrench
10 mm Socket
Shop towel
Phillips screwdriver
Small flat-tip screwdriver
T-30 TORX bit
Torque wrench
Masking tape

The following tools are available through the Honda Tool and Equipment Program. On the iN, click on Service > Service Bay > Tool and Equipment Program, then enter the number under "Search." Or, call 888-424-6857.

- Trim Tool Set (T/N SOJATP2014)
- Plastic Trim Tool (T/N SILTRIMTL10)

Illustration of the Tailgate Lock on the Vehicle

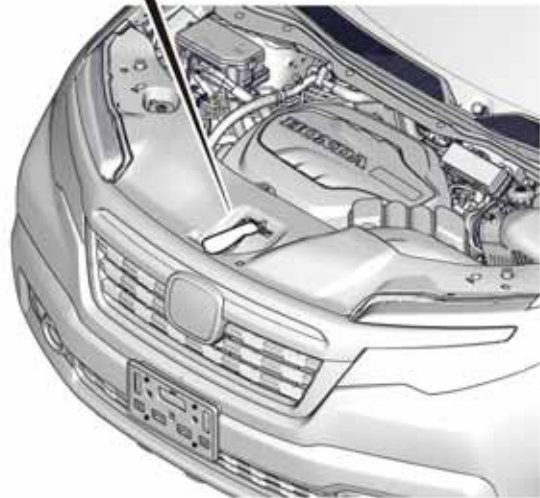
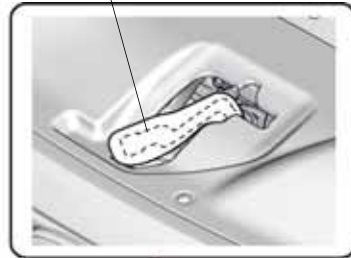


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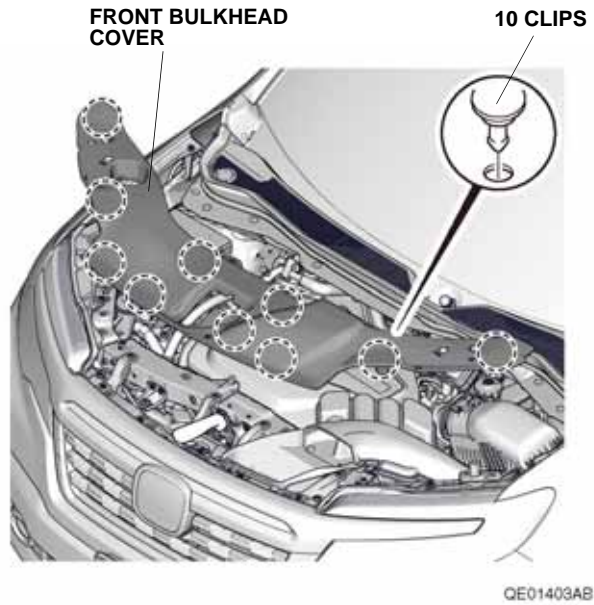
Customer Information: The information in this installation instruction is intended for use only by skilled technicians who have the proper tools, equipment, and training to correctly and safely add equipment to your vehicle. These procedures should not be attempted by "do-it-yourselfers."

1. Disconnect the negative cable from the battery:
 - Wrap a shop towel around the hood latch.

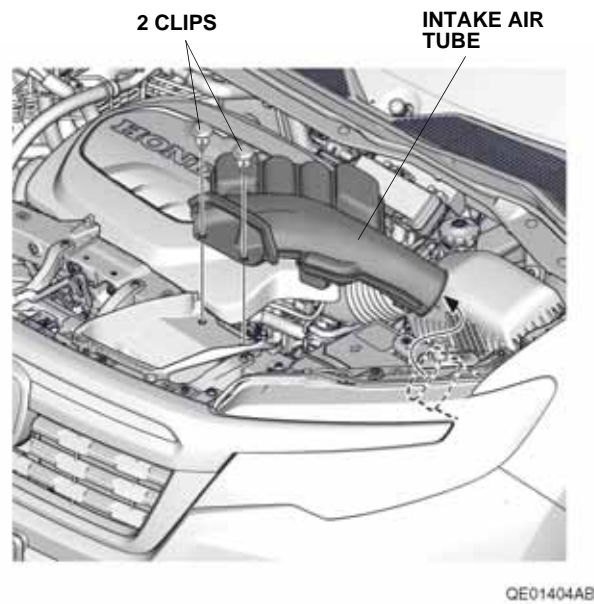
HOOD LATCH
(Wrap with a shop towel.)



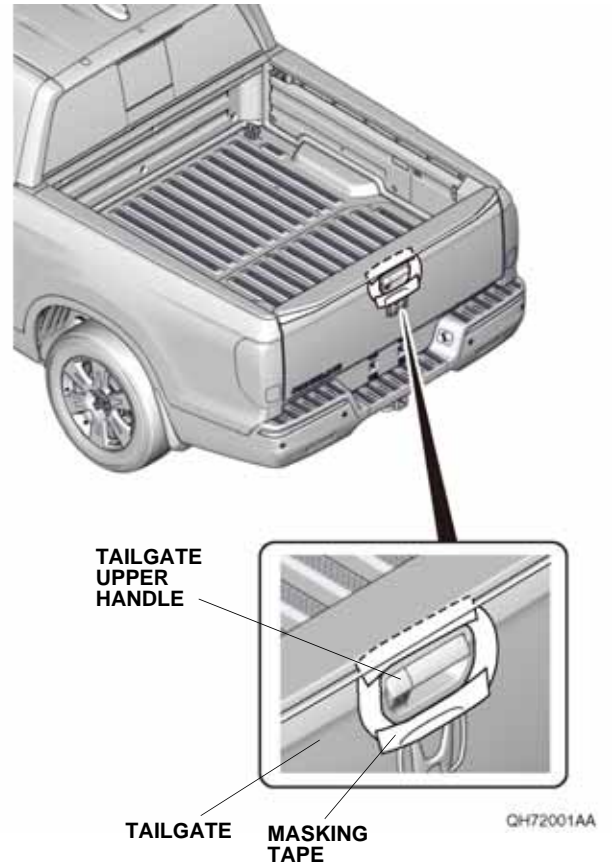
- Remove the front bulkhead cover.



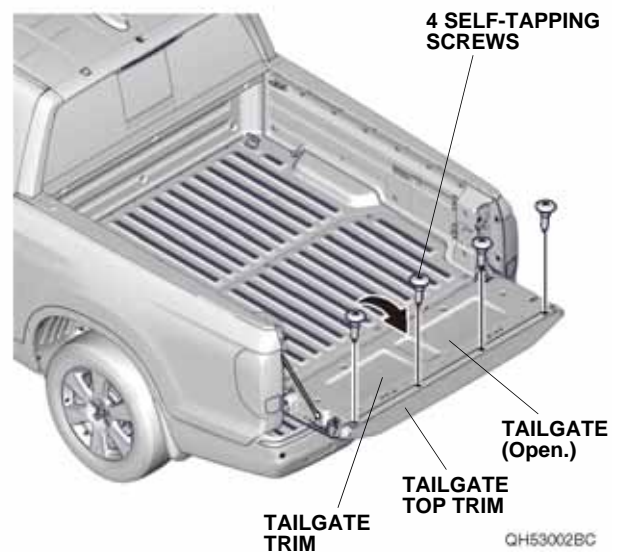
- Remove the intake air tube.
- Disconnect the negative cable from the battery.



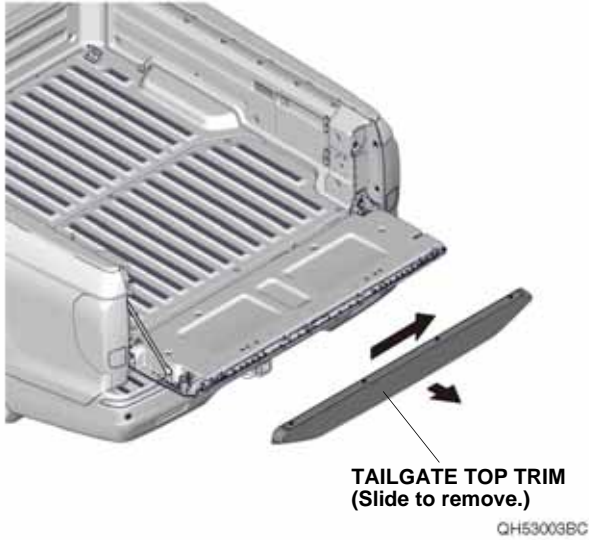
- Apply masking tape as shown.



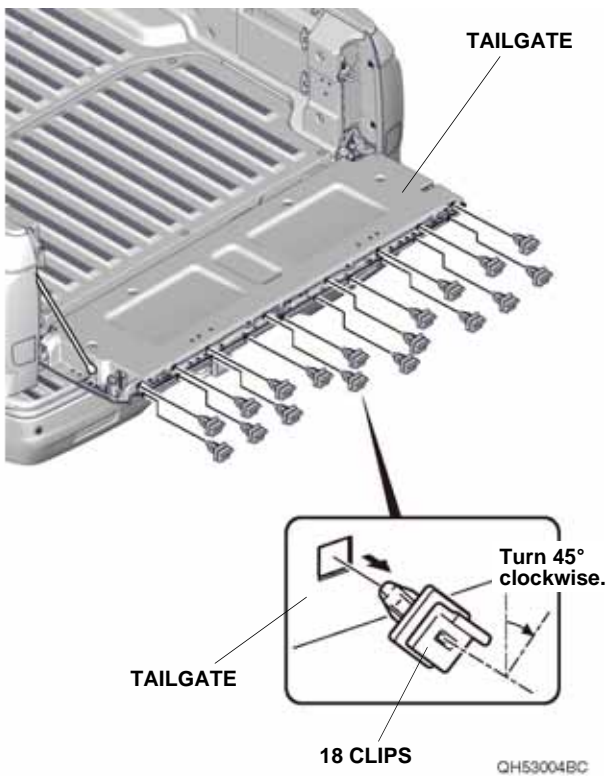
- Open the tailgate. Remove the four self-tapping screws.



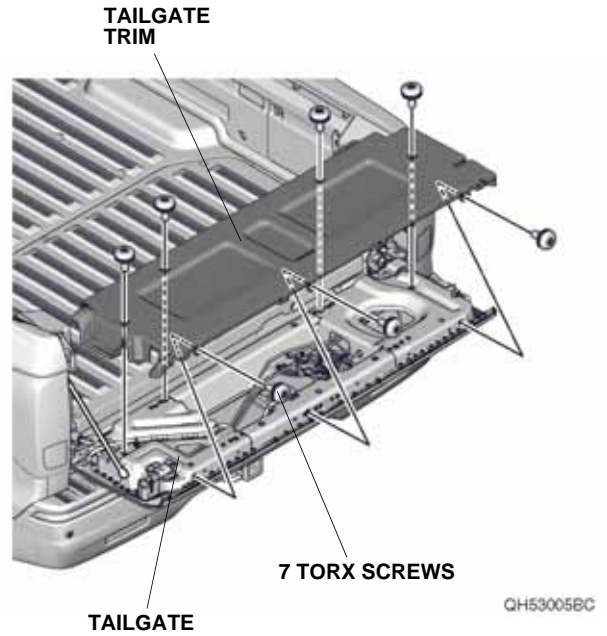
4. Slide the tailgate top trim to the right, and remove it.
NOTE: The clips will stay in the tailgate.



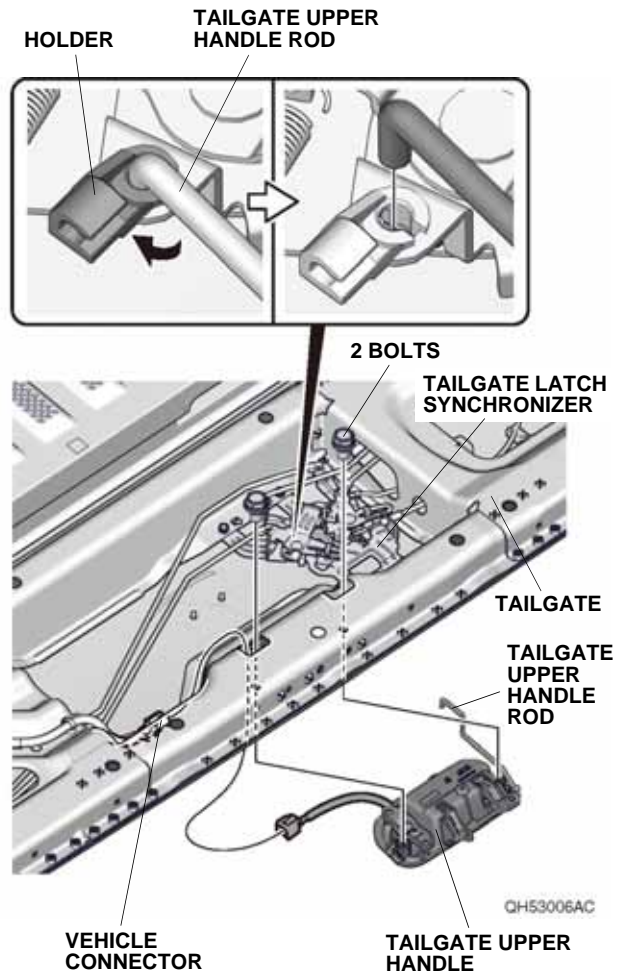
5. Remove the 18 clips as shown.



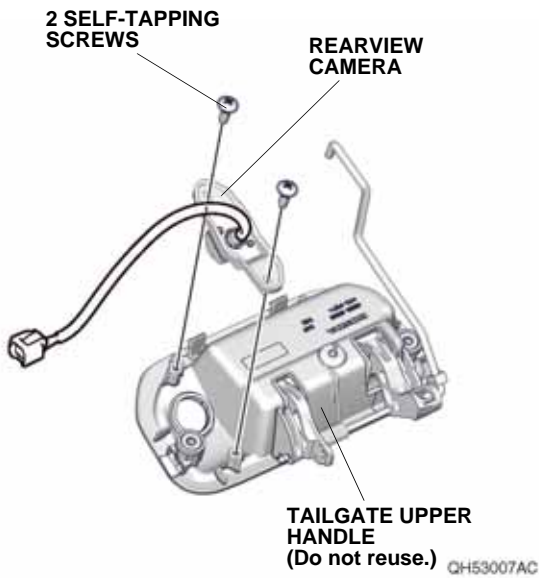
6. Remove the tailgate trim.



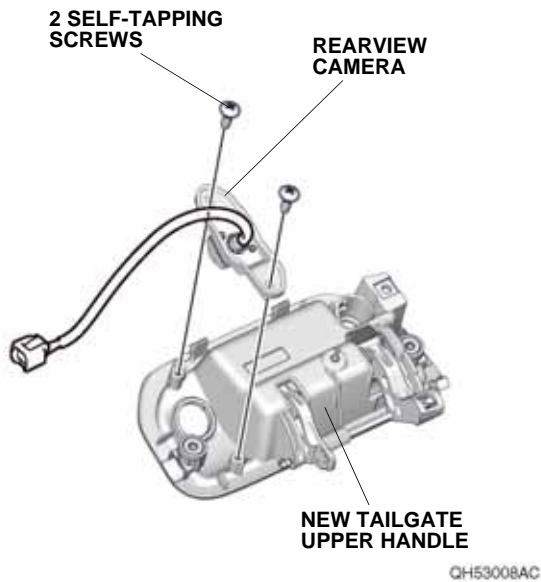
7. Remove the tailgate upper handle as shown. Unplug the vehicle connector, disconnect the upper handle rod, and remove the two bolts.



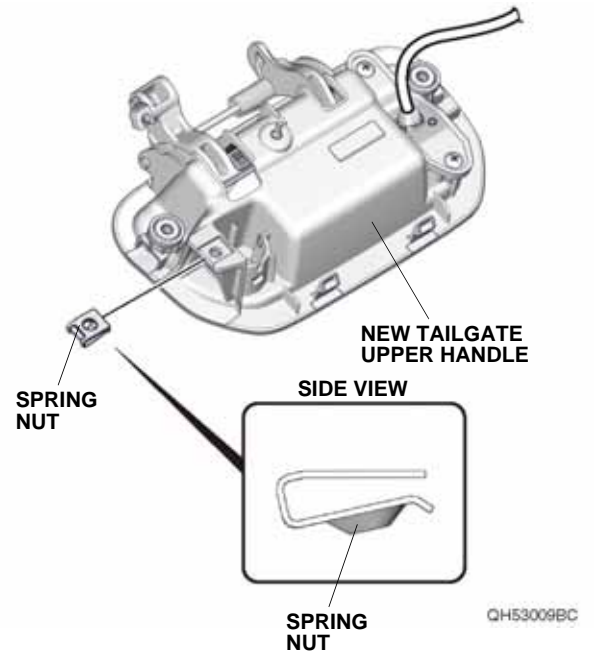
8. Remove the rearview camera from the tailgate upper handle.



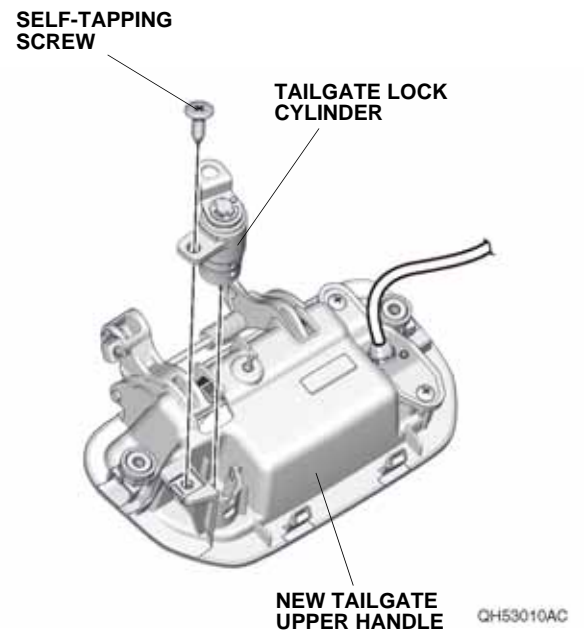
9. Install the rearview camera to the new tailgate upper handle with the two self-tapping screws removed in step 8.
NOTE: Make sure to install the rearview camera in the correct direction.



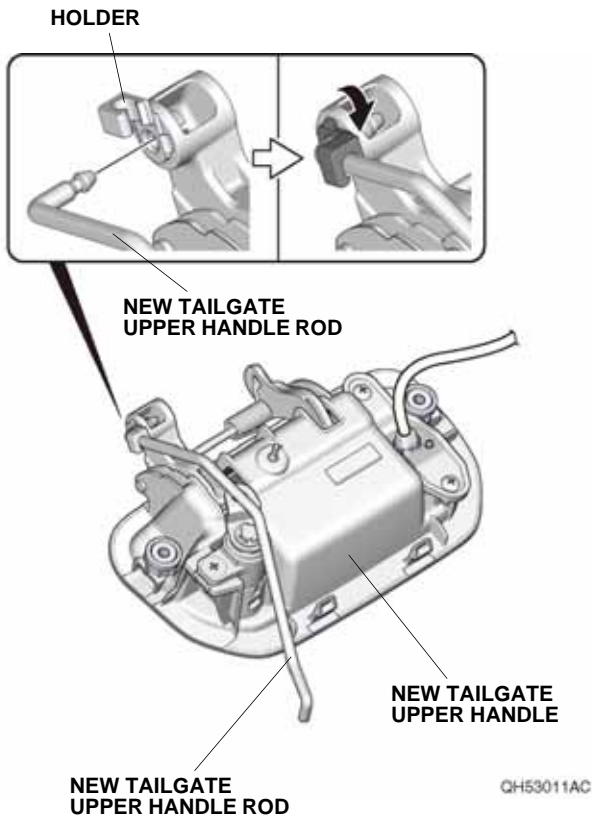
10. Install one spring nut to the new tailgate upper handle.
NOTE: Make sure to install the spring nut with the large hole facing up.



11. Install the tailgate lock cylinder to the new tailgate upper handle with the supplied self-tapping screw.

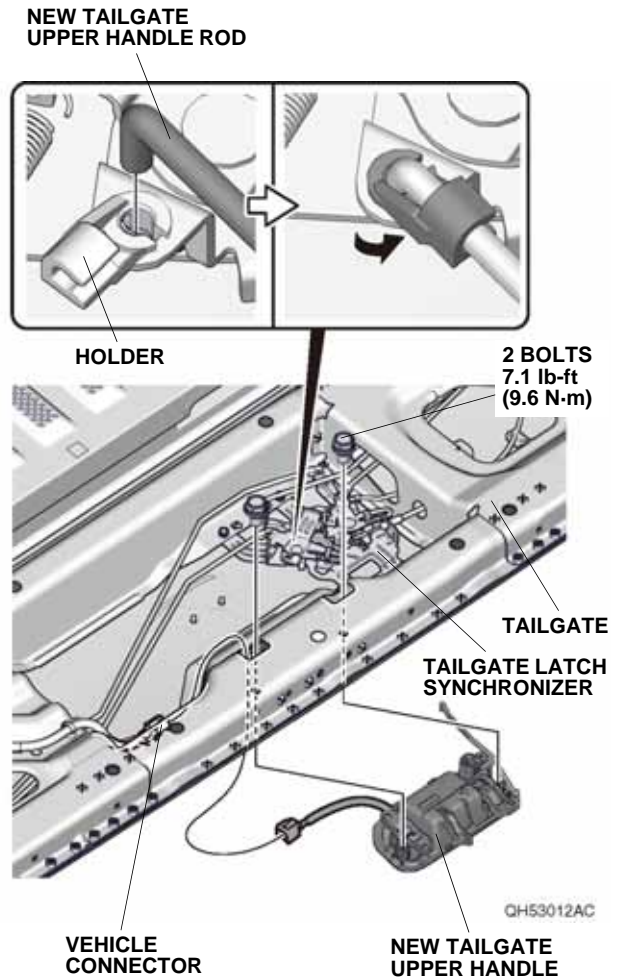


12. Insert the new tailgate upper handle rod into the holder, and snap it in place with the holder as shown.
NOTE: Make sure the holder is snapped securely around the new tailgate upper handle rod.

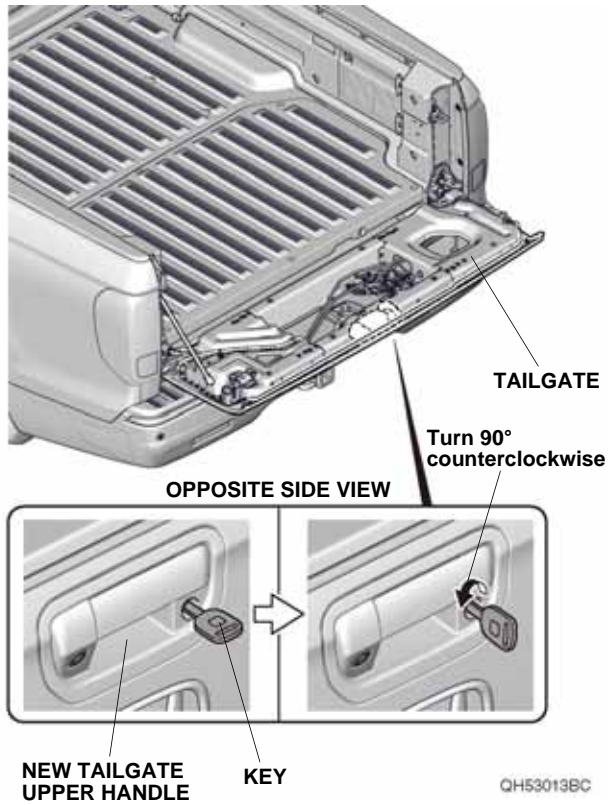


13. Loosely secure the new tailgate upper handle to the tailgate with the two bolts removed in step 7. Insert the new tailgate upper handle rod into the holder, and snap it in place with the holder as shown. Then, torque the two bolts to 7.1 lb-ft (9.6 N-m).
NOTE:

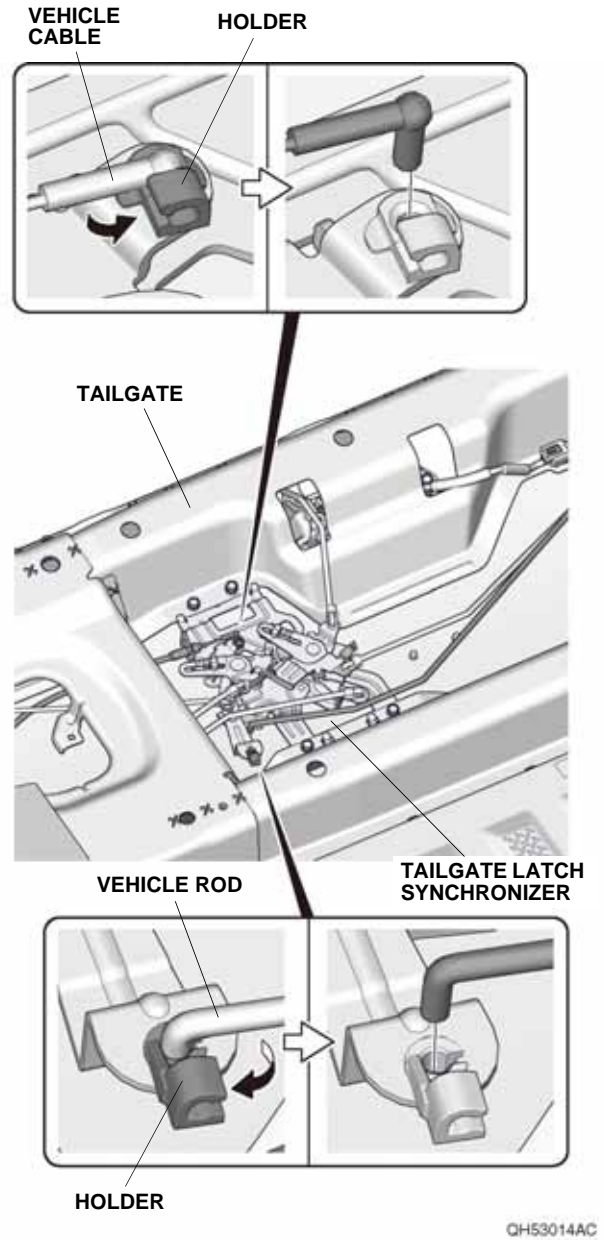
- Make sure the holder is snapped securely around the new tailgate upper handle rod.
- Be careful not to damage the painted surface of the tailgate when installing the new tailgate upper handle.



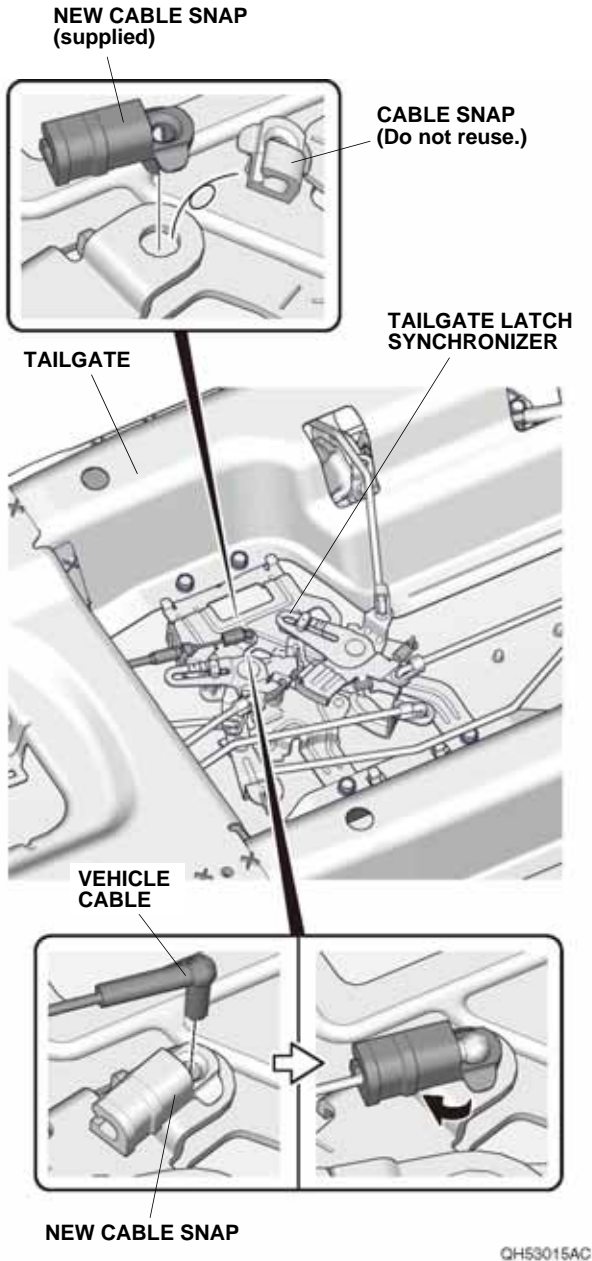
14. Turn the key 90° counterclockwise to lock the tailgate.



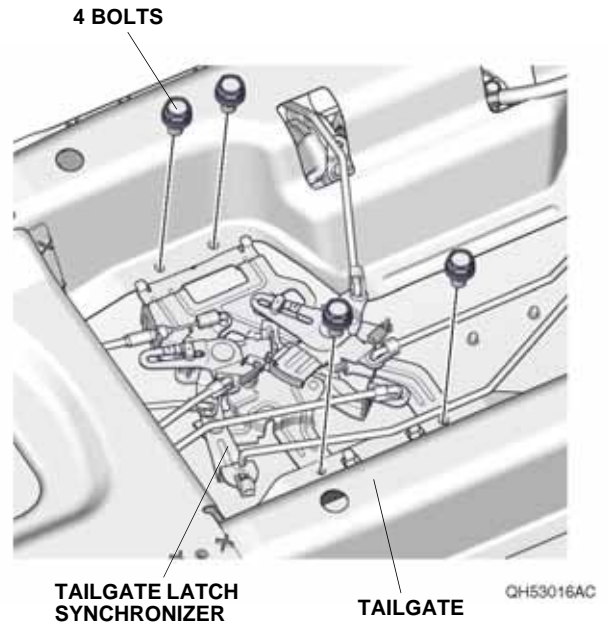
15. Remove the vehicle cable and vehicle rod as shown.



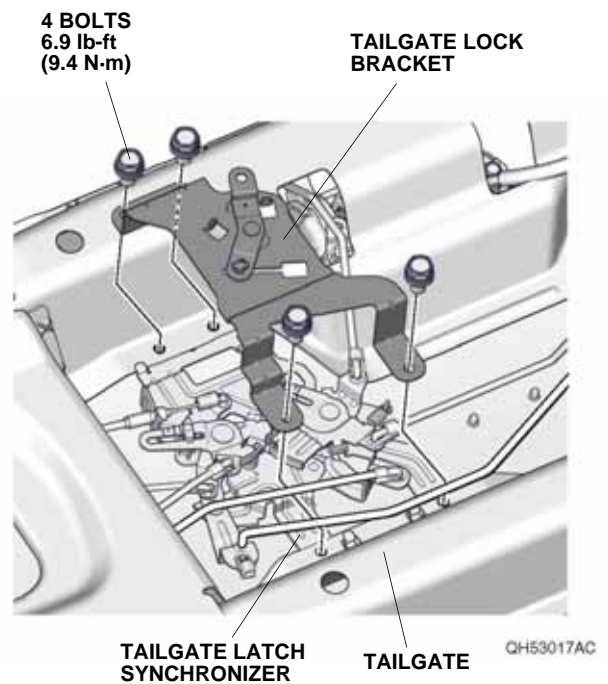
16. Remove the old cable snap, and install the new cable snap. Then, install the vehicle cable as shown. **NOTE:** Make sure the cable snap is snapped securely around the vehicle cable.



17. Remove the four bolts from the tailgate latch synchronizer. **NOTE:** Do not remove the tailgate latch synchronizer.

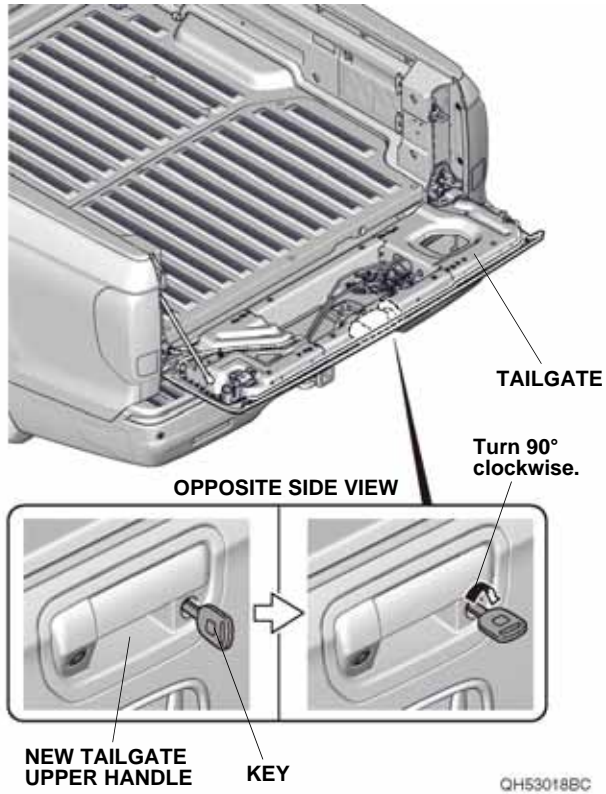


18. Install the tailgate lock bracket to the tailgate latch synchronizer with the four bolts removed in step 17. Torque the four bolts to 6.9 lb-ft (9.4 N·m).

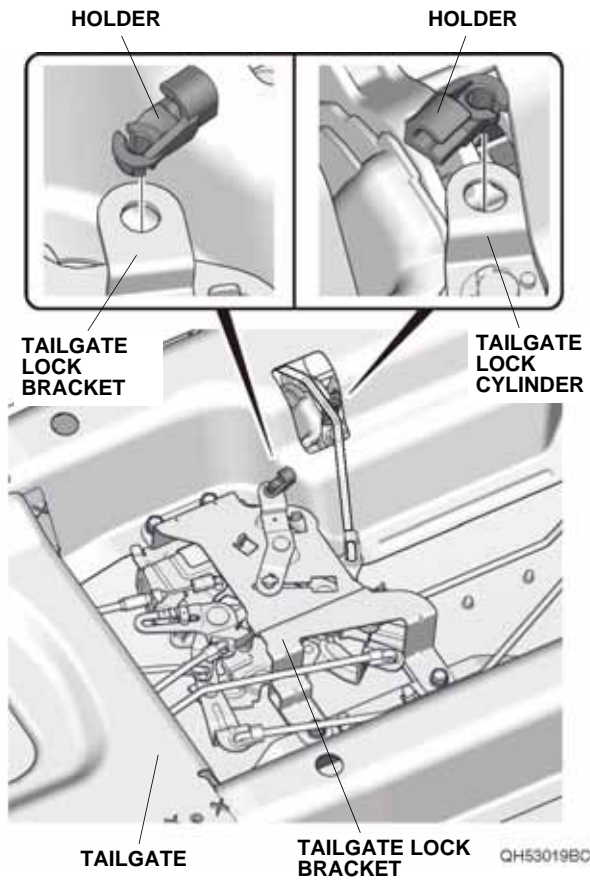


19. Install the vehicle rod removed in step 15. **NOTE:** Make sure the holder is snapped securely around the vehicle rod.

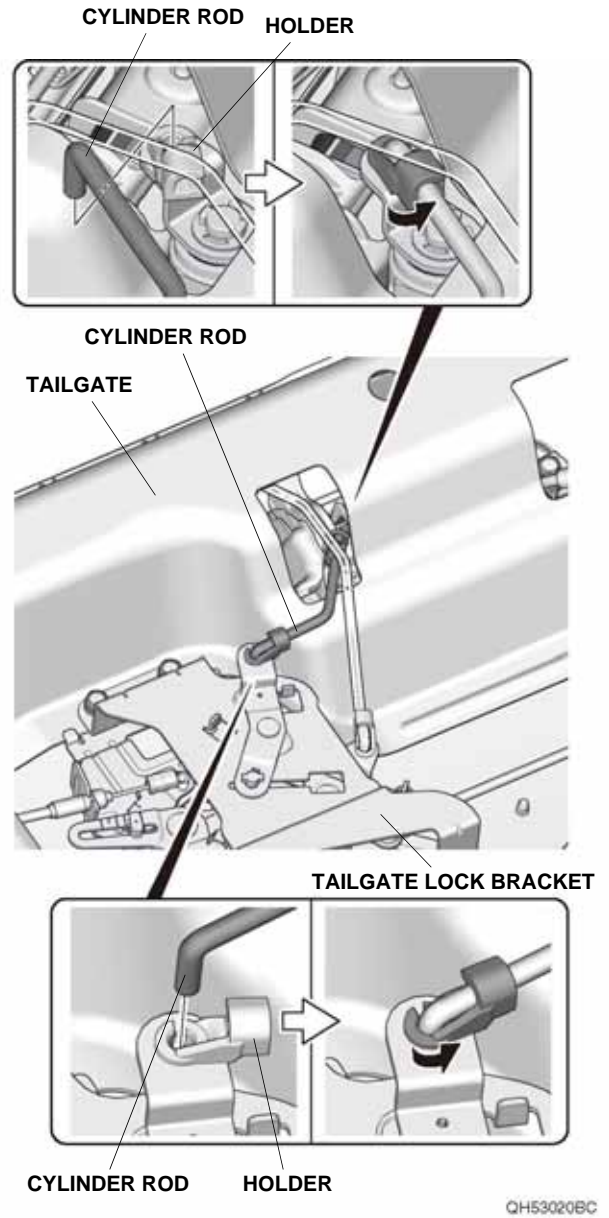
20. Turn the key 90° clockwise to unlock the tailgate.



21. Install the two holders as shown.



22. Install the cylinder rod to the two holders as shown. NOTE: Make sure both holders are snapped securely around the cylinder rod.



23. Close the tailgate. Make sure the tailgate and lock works correctly in the unlocked and lock modes, using both the tailgate swing and tailgate drop functions. Adjust as necessary.
24. Check that all wire harnesses are routed properly and that all connectors are plugged in.
25. Install all removed parts except for the front bulkhead cover and the intake air tube.
26. Connect the negative cable to the battery.
27. Install the front bulkhead cover and the intake air tube.
28. Press and hold the audio unit power button for 2 seconds to restore the radio and navi (if equipped) system functions.
29. Check the rearview camera function.
30. Set the clock on vehicles without navigation.
31. If necessary, restore the systems back to normal operation as described in the service information.