Removal and Installation

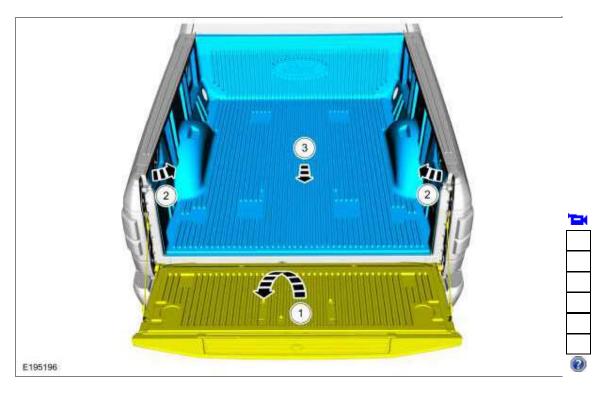
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Pickup Bed

Removal

NOTE: Removal steps in this procedure may contain installation details.

- 1. If equipped, remove the bed liner.
 - 1. Lower the tailgate.
 - 2. Pull the upper corners of the bed liner inward.
 - 3. Remove the bed liner



2. With the vehicle in NEUTRAL, position it on a hoist.

Refer to: <u>Jacking and Lifting - Overview</u> (100-02 Jacking and Lifting, Description and Operation).

3. Remove the rear bumper.

Refer to: Rear Bumper (501-19 Bumpers, Removal and Installation).

4. Remove the fuel filler pipe.

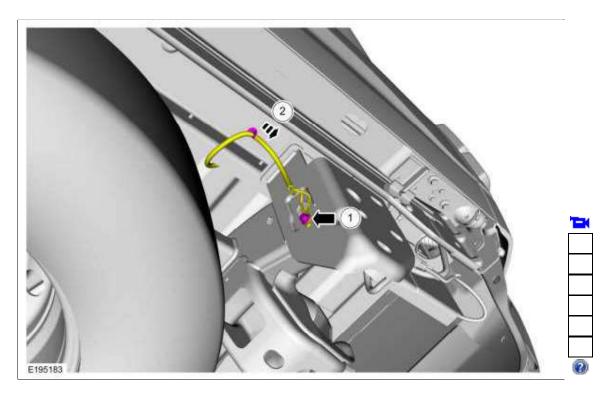
Refer to: Fuel Tank Filler Pipe (310-01A Fuel Tank and Lines - 2.7L EcoBoost (238kW/324PS), Removal and Installation).

Refer to: Fuel Tank Filler Pipe (310-01B Fuel Tank and Lines - 3.5L Duratec (209kW/284PS), Removal and Installation).

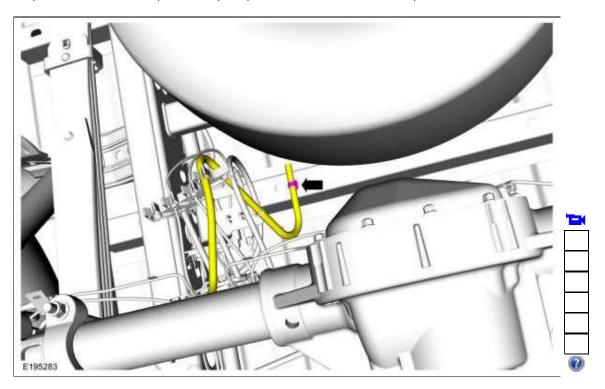
Refer to: <u>Fuel Tank Filler Pipe</u> (310-01C Fuel Tank and Lines - 3.5L EcoBoost (272kW/370PS), Removal and Installation).

Refer to: <u>Fuel Tank Filler Pipe</u> (310-01D Fuel Tank and Lines - 5.0L 32V Ti-VCT, Removal and Installation).

- 5. 1. Remove the wiring harness ground screw. *Torque*: 177 lb.in (20 Nm)
 - 2. Unclip the wiring harness retainer.

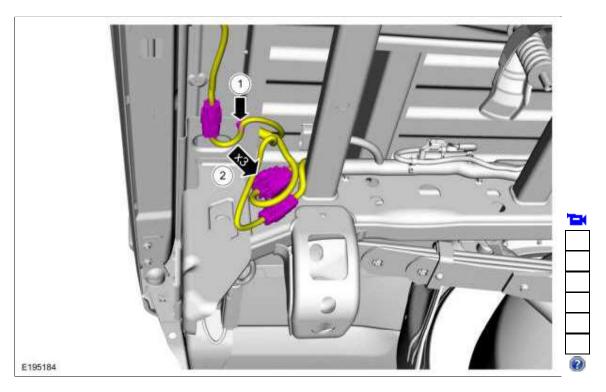


6. Unclip the axle vent tube clip from the pickup bed floor crossmember and position the tube to the side.



7. NOTE: Spare tire removed for clarity.

- 1. Unclip the wiring harness retainer.
- 2. Disconnect the wiring harness connectors.

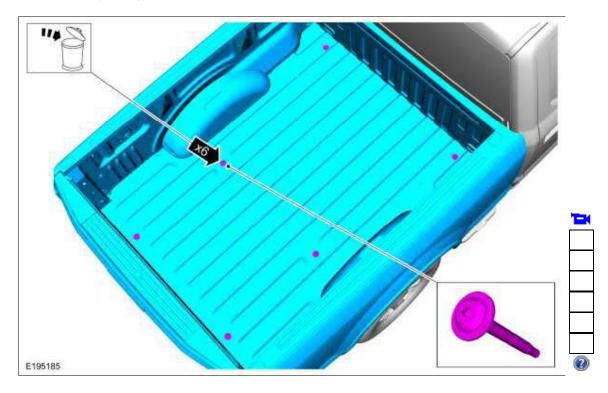


8. **NOTE:** 6.5-foot styleside pickup bed shown, all other styleside similar.

NOTE: All 8-foot pickup beds will have 8 bolts; all others will have 6 bolts.

NOTE: The pickup bed bolts are one-time-use only. Install new bolts whenever the bolts are removed.

Remove and discard the pickup bed bolts. Remove the pickup bed. *Torque*: 59 lb.ft (80 Nm)



Installation

1. To install, reverse the removal procedure.