



Tailgate Check

2011-2018 JK Wrangler
Replaces Part #: 4589890AC



Kit Contents:

- (1) Tailgate Check

NOTE: When replacing the tailgate check we suggest checking the tailgate hinges. Worn tailgate hinges can cause the tailgate check to fail prematurely.

NOTE: Oversized tires and wheels can cause premature failure of the tailgate check. Be careful when opening and closing the tailgate if you have any additional weight mounted to the tailgate.

1. Open the tailgate. Remove fasteners holding the interior quarter panel trim in place. See [Figure 1](#).
NOTE: If vehicle is equipped with a subwoofer it will need to be removed.
2. Pull the interior quarter panel trim to expose the Tailgate Check mount. Remove the four T30 Torx head bolts. See [Figure 2](#).
3. Remove the two T-30 bolts that mount the factory Tailgate Check to the tailgate. Remove the OE check. See [Figure 3](#).
4. Place the new **Tailgate Check** in place. Using the OE hardware, loosely fasten the **Tailgate Check** to the interior of the vehicle.
5. Loosely fasten the **Tailgate Check** to the tailgate using the OE hardware. Torque all hardware to 10 ft. lbs. (13.5 Nm)
6. Reinstall interior panel and subwoofer (if applicable).
7. Test the function of the **Tailgate Check**.



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