## **FORD:**

2005-2007 Mustang

#### **ISSUE**

Some 2005-2007 Mustang vehicles may need to have the carpet replaced for various issues. The following procedure will allow the carpet to be removed and replaced without removing the heater / air conditioning plenum, instrument panel, or restraints control module (RCM).

## **ACTION**

Follow the Service Procedure to remove and install the carpet without removing the heater / air conditioning plenum or the RCM.

#### **SERVICE PROCEDURE**

#### Removal

- 1. Remove front and rear seats per Workshop Manual (WSM), Section 501-10.
- Remove center console per WSM, Section 501-12.
- Remove interior quarter trim panels per WSM, Section 501-05.
- Remove door opening scuff plates per WSM, Section 501-05.
- 5. Remove front A pillar lower trim panels (kick panels) per WSM, Section 501-05.
- 6. Remove seat belt lower attachments (anchor bolts) per WSM, Section 501-20A.
- 7. Disconnect the carpet "J" channel retainers at the door openings.
- 8. Where carpet goes underneath the RCM on the center console and heater / air conditioning plenum assembly, use a sharp knife or scissors and cut the carpeting to allow the carpet to be pulled from underneath the components.
- 9. Remove carpet from vehicle.

#### Installation

1. Using scissors, cut the new carpeting in the areas shown. (Figure 1 and Figure 2)

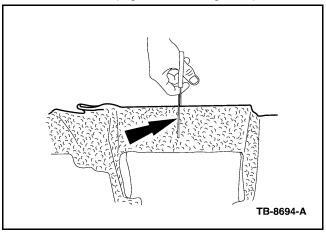


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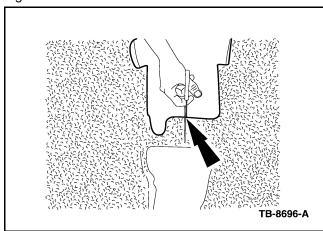


Figure 2 - Article 06-26-2

 Clean the area using an alcohol swab or rag and then apply a thin layer of Motorcraft Trim and Weatherstrip Adhesive on the carpet backing. (Figure 3 and Figure 4) Allow to dry for 5 minutes.

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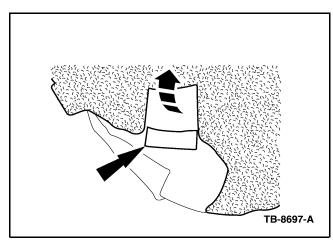


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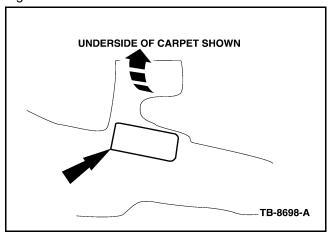


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3. Apply a 3" by 1" strip of self adhesive Velcro (both halves-obtain locally) to the areas shown. (Figures 3 and 4)

- 4. Install carpeting into vehicle.
- Remove the protective cover from the Velcro strip and carefully insert the carpet under the RCM. Press the Velcro into place.
- 6. Remove the protective cover from the Velcro strip and carefully insert the carpet under the heater/air conditioning plenum assembly. Press the Velcro into place.
- 7. Reinstall the seat belts, interior trim, and seats per WSM 501-20A.

PART NUMBER	PART NAME
TA-14-A	Trim and Weatherstrip Adhesive

WARRANTY STATUS: Eligible Under Provisions Of

New Vehicle Limited Warranty Coverage

OPERATION DESCRIPTION TIME 1.9 Hrs.

062602A 2005-2007 Mustang:

Replace Carpet Following The Service Procedure (Do Not Use With 13000A, 13000B, 04536A, 04536B,

61704A, 13208A)

**DEALER CODING** 

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