

Exterior Front Door Handle

Removal

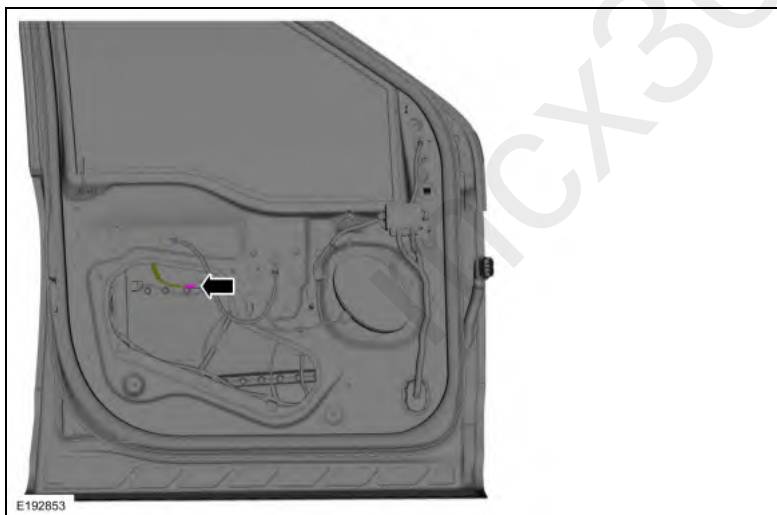
NOTE: LH side shown, RH side similar.

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

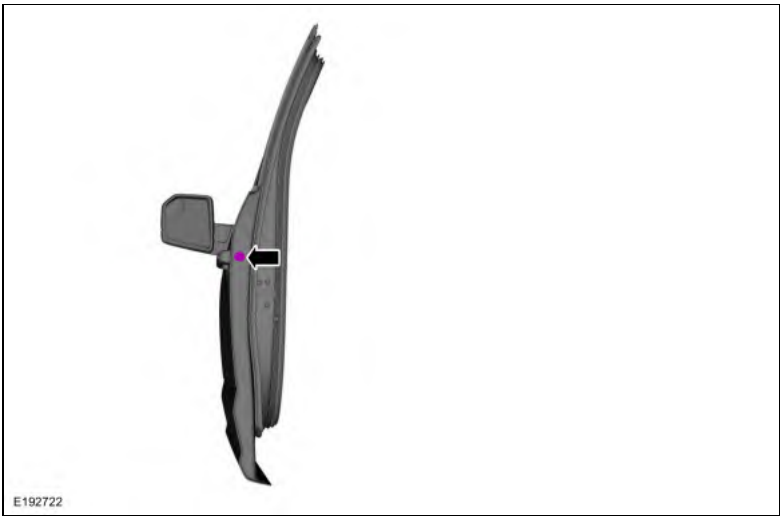
1. Remove the front door trim panel.
Refer to: Front Door Trim Panel (501-05 Interior Trim and Ornamentation, Removal and Installation).
2. Remove the watershield.



3. If equipped.
Disconnect the door handle electrical connector.



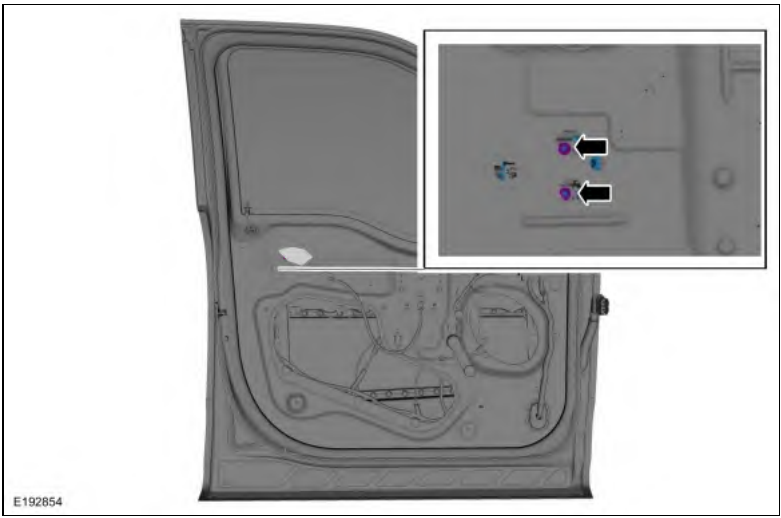
4. Remove the exterior front door handle access plug.



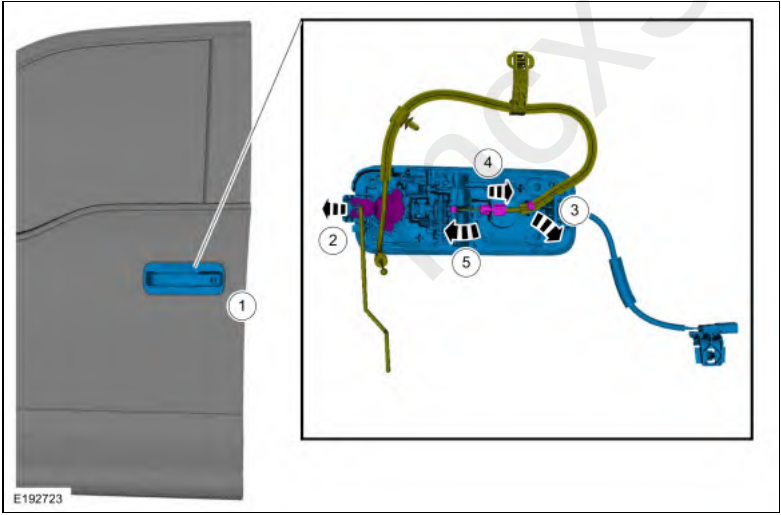
5. Remove the exterior front door handle bolt.
Torque: 62 lb.in (7 Nm)



6. **NOTE:** Access the exterior front door handle nuts through the watershield opening.
Remove the exterior front door handle nuts.
Torque: 62 lb.in (7 Nm)



7. Remove the exterior front door handle.
1. Position the exterior front door handle out of the door.
 2. Detach the exterior front door handle lock rod.
 3. Detach the exterior front door handle cable from routing clip.
 4. Detach the exterior front door handle cable from the handle retaining bracket.
 5. Detach the exterior front door handle cable end from the handle.



Installation

1. To install, reverse the removal procedure.

