

4.6 Tuned Length Headers Part #1615 – 16150

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

CAUTION

Working under a car is hazardous. Use sturdy jack stands on a solid level surface. Always wear protective eye wear.

Included in this kit: Headers, gaskets, header bolts, collector bolts, collector studs, washers, and nuts.

Tools required: Jack, stands, 5/16", 1/2", 9/16", 1-1/16" open end wrenches. 5/16", 1/2", 9/16", 18mm, 21mm sockets.

- **Step 1** Disconnect the (–) negative battery terminal, remove intake hose and air filter box, and remove strut tower brace (if applicable).
- *Step 2* Lift vehicle as high as possible with jack and support with stands.
- **Step 3** Unplug all oxygen sensors (removal from H-pipe is not necessary).
- *Step 4* Unbolt H-pipe from manifolds and catback system and remove.
- *Step 5* Remove motor mount to K member nuts.
- **Step 6** Carefully jack up engine (we recommend using a solid block of wood to place under the engine) until mounts rise out of K member. *NOTE: Watch for any hang-ups such as wiring harnesses or hoses while lifting engine.* Safely support in this position.

Driver-Side

- **7** Disconnect EGR by-pass tube from top of exhaust manifold.
- 8 Remove bolt from steering shaft at steering rack, move shaft aside.
- **9** Although not necessary you may find more working space by removing the motor mounts from the engine block.
- 10 Remove stock exhaust manifold and gasket. NOTE: On some vehicles it may be easier to access the upper exhaust manifold bolts from above the engine.
- 11 Install BBK header and supplied gasket. These headers have slotted mounting holes which will allow you to start some of the header bolts before placement. NOTE: On some applications it may be easier to re-use some of the original stud type header bolts.
- **12** Insert one collector bolt down through each of the slotted holes in the collector flange.
- 13 Reinstall motor mount and reassemble steering shaft.

Passenger-Side

- 14 Unbolt and remove starter from bell housing.
- 15 Remove motor mount from block if needed.
- 16 Remove stock exhaust manifold and gasket.
- **17** Install BBK header and supplied gasket.
- 18 Insert supplied collector studs.
- 19 Reinstall motor mount and starter.
- 20 Lower engine into chassis and tighten nuts.
- 21 Reinstall H-pipe using supplied washers, lock washers and nuts at collector.
- 22 Lower car and reinstall intake hose and strut tower brace (if applicable).
- *23* Re-connect negative (–) battery terminal.