



- Installation Manual -

386 540 ALHD
[Strut Tower Bar](#)

[Part Number]	386 540 ALHD
[Application]	Honda Fit 1.5L [GE8] Honda Fit 1.5L [GE6]
[Product]	Type-OS Strut Tower Bar
[Description]	Front Type-OS Strut Tower Bar
[Contents]	Strut Tower Bar x1 Bracket x1 M6 X 30 Bolt x1 M6 x 20 Bolt x2 M6 Nut x1 M6 Washer x2 Collar x1 Brake Reserve Tank Relocation x1

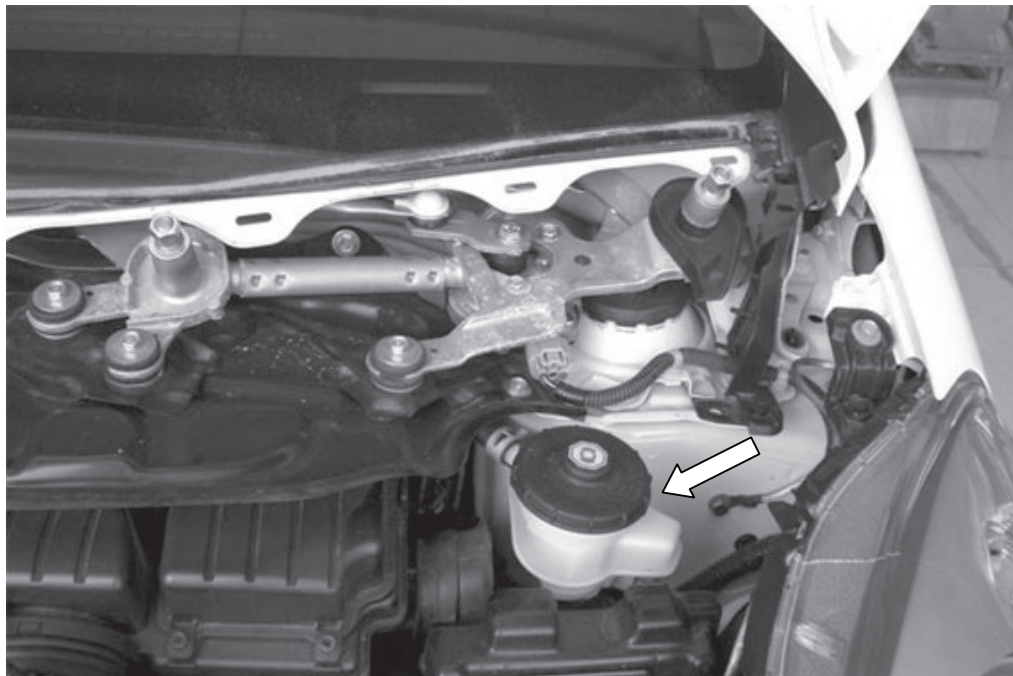
[Procedure]

* Brake reserve tank relocation bracket only applies to left hand drive vehicles.

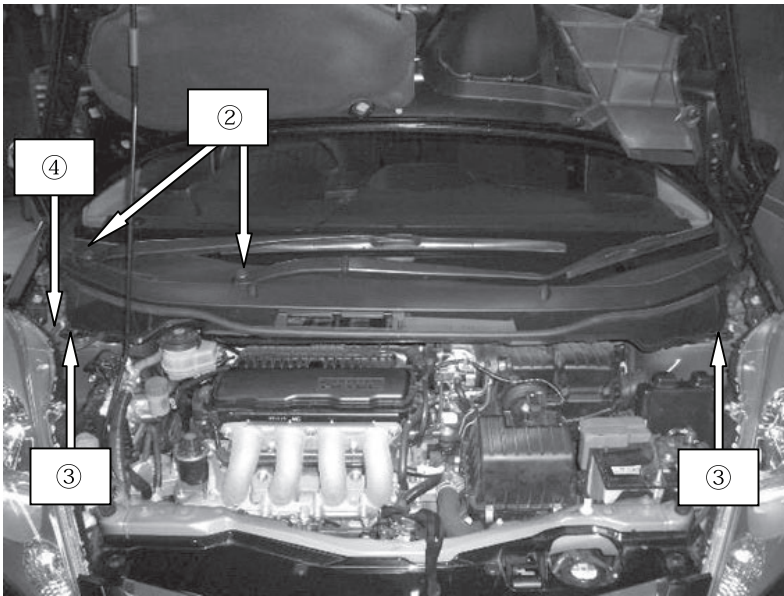
- 1.) Use the included bracket to relocate the brake fluid reserve tank to give clearance to the strut tower bar.



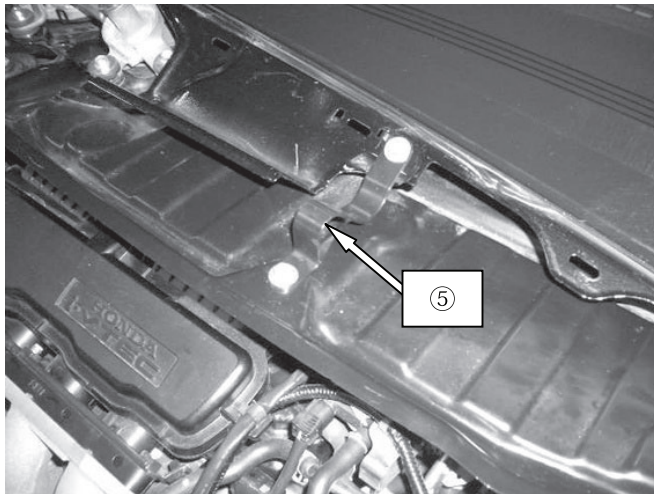
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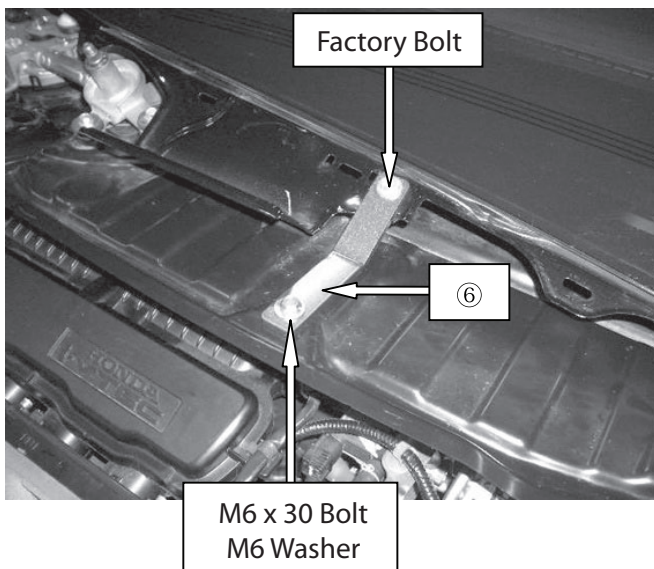
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- 2.) Remove the windshield wipers.
- 3.) Remove the clips for the cowl.
- 4.) Remove windshield spray hose.



- 5.) Remove this bracket.



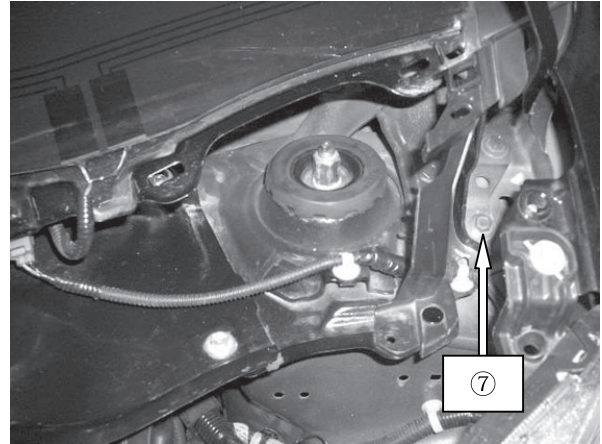
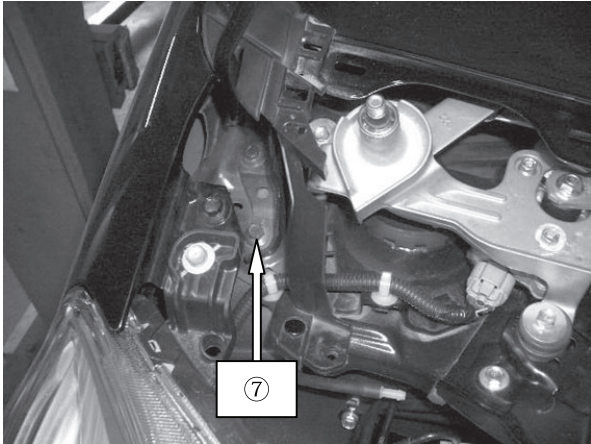
- 6.) Use the included M6 x 30 bolt, M6 washer and the bolt taken off in the previous step to secure the bracket like pictured.

* The wider hole points to the front.

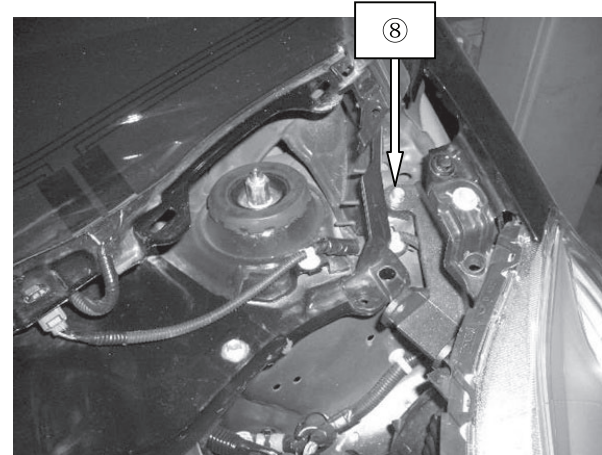
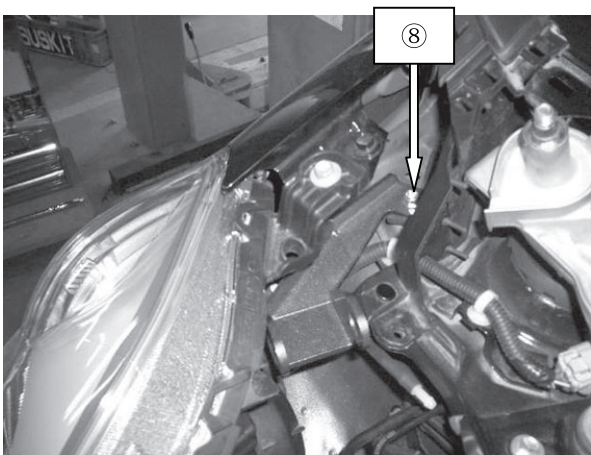


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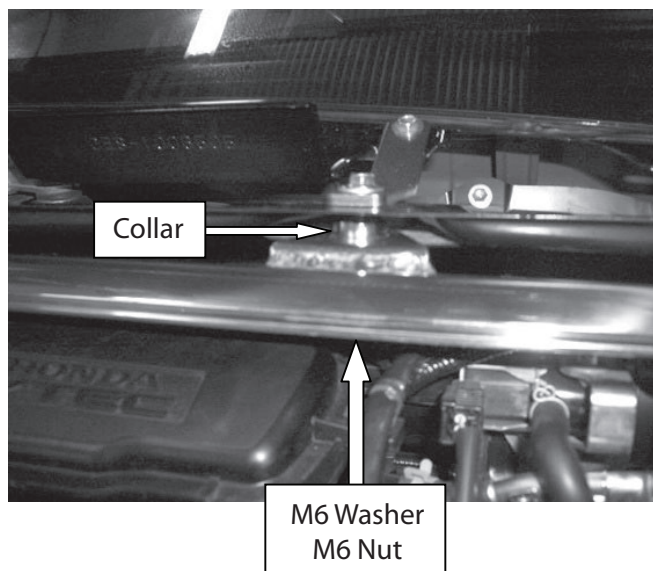
7.) Remove one of the bolts holding down the hood hinge on both sides.



8.) Remove the end brackets from the strut bar and mount them using the included M6 x 20 bolts on the strut tower like pictured.



9.) Mount the strut bar by sandwiching the collar between the strut bar and the bracket installed in step 6. Use the included M6 washer and M6 nut to secure the bar to this bracket.

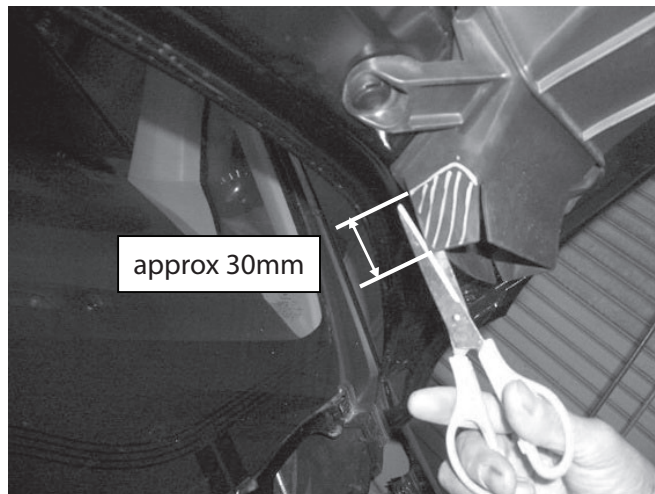


10.) Bolt the center strut bar shaft to the end brackets.



11.) If the strut bar makes contact with the air duct hose, trim the area indicated in the photo.

NOTE The contact area can be checked by looking through the front windshield with the hood closed. Do not cut all at once but carefully trim in small steps checking the clearance each time.



12.) Reinstall the cowl and windshield wipers. Torque everything down to factory service manual specifications.

**Periodically check and re-torque all nuts and bolts after operating vehicle.