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Update on Work Leaving Grand Rapids

The following is a list of part numbers and common stable part codes that Grand Rapids will be shipping, or has already shipped, over the next few weeks. We will keep you posted as more moves are announced.

GR Press Line	Part Code	Part Number	Part Name	Die Ship Date	Receiving Plant
SS1	A5924	22601196	Brc-Qtr @ B/Plr Otr R	12/15/2008	Indianapolis
	A5925	22601197	Brc-Qtr @ B/Plr Otr L		
CTL	B0012B	B5205904	Rail-Roof Inr R/L	12/16/2008	Flint
BB1	B0012	15205904	Rail-Roof Inr L	12/16/2008	Flint
	B0013	15205905	Rail-Roof Inr R		
MMO	B3818	20816109	Rnf-H/Plr L	12/17/2008	Mansfield
MMO	B3819	20816110	Rnf-H/Plr R	12/18/2008	Mansfield
CO2	A0087B	B5742369	Rnf-Roof Hge RR R/L	12/18/2008	Mansfield
W	A0087	15742369	Rnf-Roof Hge RR L	12/18/2008	Mansfield
	A0088	15742370	Rnf-Roof Hge RR R		
CTL	B3798B	B5854019	Pnl-RR Cmpt Pan	12/19/2008	Flint
JJ1	B3798	25854019	Pnl-RR Cmpt	12/19/2008	Flint
JJ1	B5935	25916014	Rnf-Roof Rail Frt R	12/19/2008	Fairfax

Layoff Guidelines Updated Weekly

Layoff guidelines are prepared and updated weekly. Make sure to stop outside the Benefits Office and get your copy. Information provided is vital to using and understanding unemployment, SUB, and holiday pay issues. Your questions will be answered as you read through the WHOLE packet.

--Local 730 Benefits

Auto Show Tickets Available

The GM Women's Club of Detroit is selling discounted auto show tickets for the 2009 North American International Auto Show at \$9 each--a \$3 saving over the usual \$12 admission fee. Tickets are good for any day during the public viewing days (Saturday, January 17 through Sunday, January 25).

Tickets can be purchased through the mail by sending your ticket order with a check or money order made payable to General Motors Women's Club (GMWC). Please include your mail code or a self-addressed stamped envelope to Marvetta Howard - Mail Code 482-A32-D16 - PO Box 100 - Detroit, MI 48265.

For more information, contact Marvetta Howard 313-665-2538 or marvetta.r.howard@gm.com.

Family Members can tag GM vehicles at employee pricing

Now through Dec. 17, 2008, employees can tag a vehicle for eligible family members and they can enjoy the same price you do. Family members must take retail delivery of their vehicle by January 5, 2009. Actual price is based on the mileage of the vehicle. Remember, tagged vehicles may become available sooner than the estimated availability date listed. Eligible incentives will be based on the date your family member takes delivery. Want one of your own? Just tag it for yourself. Your process remains the same. Don't miss the chance to share a great deal with your family. For details, visit: <https://www.gmfamilyfirst.com/>.

Check Processing During Christmas Break

All checks for the week ending December 21 will be mailed on Monday, December 22, from the Flint processing center. In addition, all checks for the week ending December 28 will be mailed on Monday, December 29, from the Flint processing center. No checks will be mailed to the plant. This is the same process as last year and means that whether or not you're working during the holiday break, you will receive your check in the mail. Also, we will not be able to hold any checks in Payroll to be picked up since all checks will be mailed to the address of record from the Flint processing center.

This process ensures that all employees receive their checks in a timely manner by eliminating having the checks mailed to the plant, which delays mailing by two days. All employees should make sure that their correct address appears on their current paycheck. If your address is incorrect, you must change it in Personnel.

Elder Care/Child Care

Resource and Referral Service Farewell

Thank you for the opportunity over the past years to assist members of this plant. I [Ann Kluting] have enjoyed sharing information and referrals and offering materials like the Family Organizers and promotional drawings and other items to help you. Please save this information so you can refer to it for future assistance.

Here is the list of services: Convenience and Concierge, Child Care, Adoption, Elder Care, School-Age, Homework Hotline, Pet Care. Access these services by calling toll free at 1-888-REFER02 (1-888/733-3702) or by going to www.workfamilyprogram.com and using the following to logon:

Company Name: [uawgm](#)

Password: [helpnow](#)

Or, until the end of January 2009, visit the on-site office down the hall from the cafeteria or call 616-246-3111.

Here are some West Michigan agencies offering information and referrals for families:

Eldercare Resources and Programs to Help Caregivers

- Area Agency on Aging provides lists of nursing homes, meals on wheels, and other care services. Go to www.aaawm.org or call 888/456-5664.
- Caregiver Resource Network has a calendar of caregiver events. Go to www.caregiverresource.net or call 888/456-5664.
- For West Michigan Caregivers Alliance, go to www.wmichcare.com or call 616/235-8501
- For Gerontology Network, call 616/456-6135.

Telephone Support for Eldercare Concerns

- For the Gerontology Network Caregiver Support Line, call 616/771-0714 or 800/730-6135 ext. 714.
- For Alzheimer's Association Greater Michigan Chapter – West Michigan Region, call the help line at 800/272-3900 (24/7).
- For Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program, call 800/803-7174.

Child Care and Other Needs

- Kent Regional 4C Child Care Referrals provides child care referrals, information, and resources to families of children and youth, and assists programs and providers who offer early care and education to young children. Go to <http://www.4Cchildcare.org> or call 800/448-6995.
- United Way's 2-1-1 hotline provides information about local services and programs available to those in need (24/7). Go to <http://www.refersoftware.com/hwmi/> Cell phone users should dial 616-459-2255.