



# SWITCH POD

FOR RAM TRUCK



## PLEASE READ BEFORE YOU START

To guarantee a quality installation, we recommend reading these instructions thoroughly before beginning any work. These instructions assume a certain amount of mechanical ability and are not written nor intended for someone not familiar with auto repair.

INCLUDED PARTS	QTY	REQUIRED TOOLS
Ram Switch Pod Bezel	1	T20 Torx driver
Hardware Pack	1	#1 Phillips screwdriver
		#2 Phillips screwdriver
		7mm Socket and Ratchet/Driver (if equipped w/ center console)

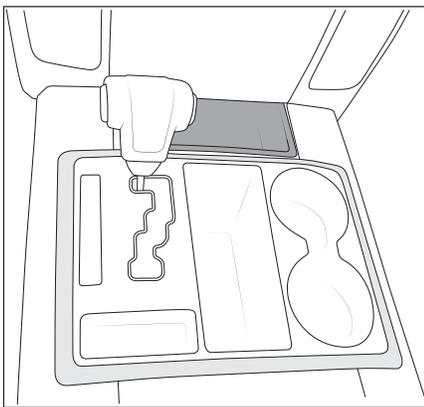


## I. REMOVE FACTORY COMPONENTS

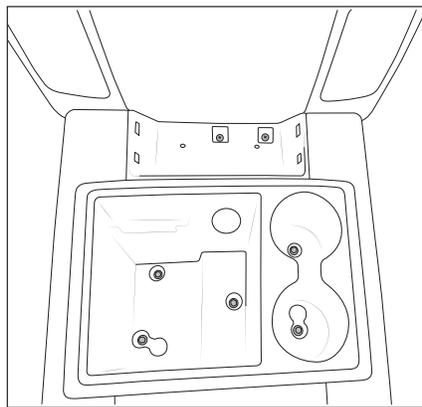
1. On models with a full center console, the console lid must be removed and moved back before radio bezel can be unclipped. For models with console, follow steps bellow. For models without full console, skip to step 2.

**NOTE:** There are several different consoles available. All follow similar steps to remove. Retain all hardware when removing consoles. Before removing console lids, masking tape on center dash bezel may be useful to protect it. Console lids only need to be moved far enough to pry center dash bezel back about 1/2".

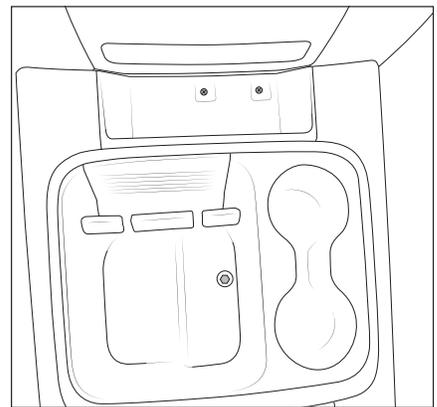
- A. 2013 with console shifter (1500 only): Remove front rubber tray from console then carefully remove chrome trim ring from around shifter. It's clipped in. Start removal at exposed lip where front tray was located, then carefully follow it around the perimeter. Remove rubber liners from cupholders to expose mounting screws. Remove (2) phillips screws from console front tray, (1) 7mm bolt in center storage tray, and (1) 7mm bolt in each cupholder. Open main center console compartment, then unclip console top and move rearward. Radio bezel can now be removed.
- B. Version 1 ('13-late '15) with small storage tray next to 12V outlet: Remove front rubber tray and rubber mats from storage tray and cupholders to access mounting hardware. Remove hardware- (2) phillips screws in front cubby, (3) 7mm bolts in center tray, (1) 7mm bolt in each cupholder. Open main center console compartment, then unclip main console top portion and move it rearward. Radio bezel can now be removed.
- C. Version 2 (late '15+) with cell phone holder above 12V outlet: Remove rubber liner at front of console and remove (2) phillips screws. Remove rubber liner in storage tray and remove (1) 7mm bolt. Open main center console compartment, then unclip main console top portion and move it rearward. Radio bezel can now be removed.



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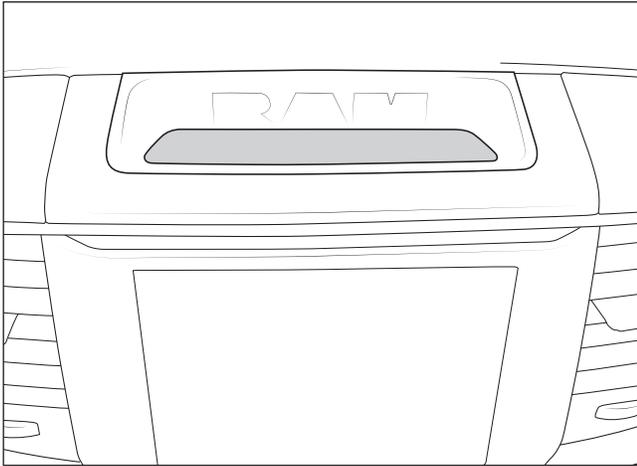
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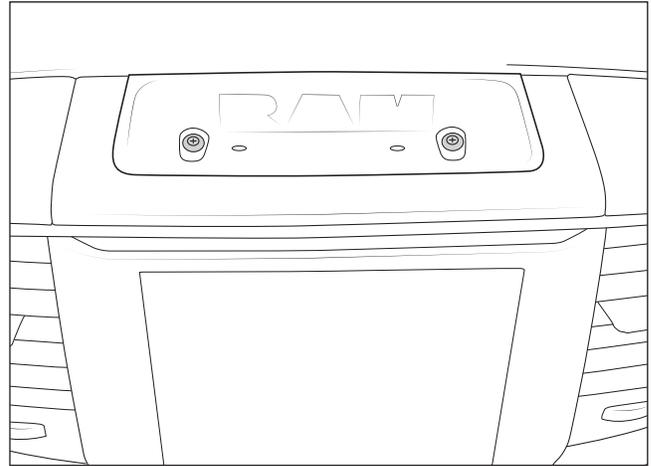
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2. Remove the rubber insert from the bottom of the tray above the radio (fig. 1).
3. Remove the two torx screws in the bottom of the tray and SAVE (fig. 2).

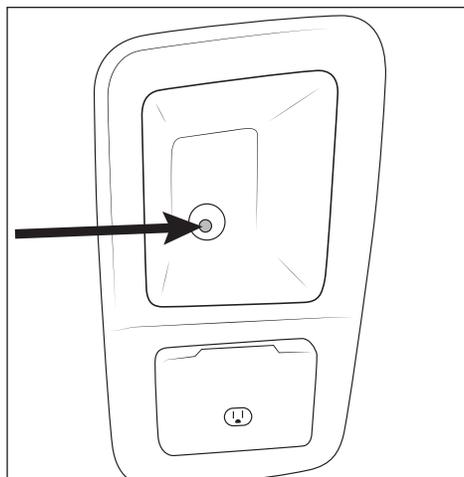


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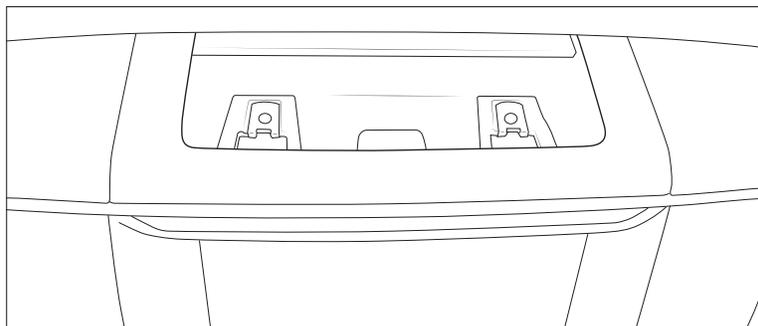
*Figure 2*

4. For trucks with the 115V outlet. In the cubby above the plug, there is an additional screw in the back that can be accessed after removing the rubber tray. Remove and save the screw (fig. 3)



*Figure 3*

5. Pull the top portion of the radio surround away from the dash and remove the plastic tray (fig. 4). The surround is held in place with spring clips, so it will need to be firmly tugged outward.



*Figure 4*

6. Clip the radio bezel back in at this point and reinstall the screw above the 115V outlet (if equipped).



## II. INSTALL AEV SWITCH BEZEL

1. Re-use the factory screws to attach the bezel base to the dash (fig. 5).
2. Install customer supplied switches into the aluminum switch plate (fig. 6).

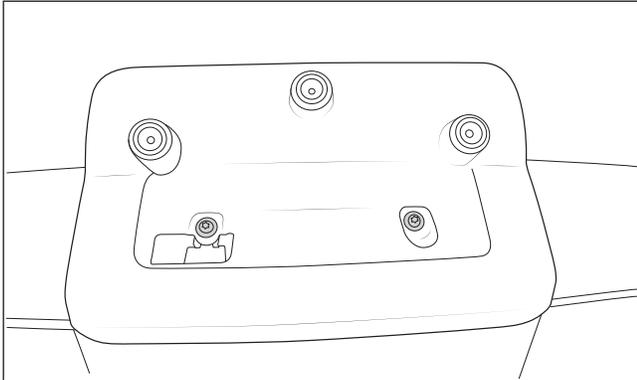


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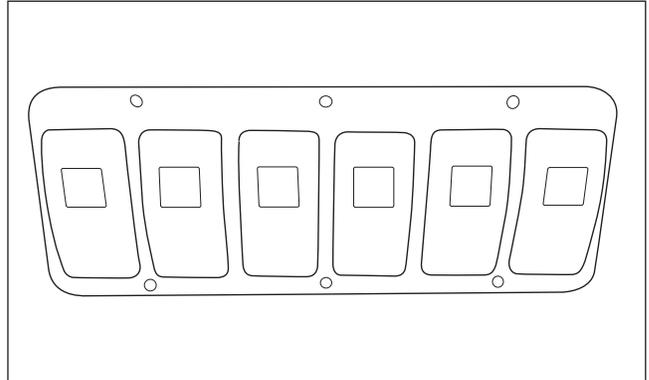


Figure 6

3. Connect and test all switches. Be sure to leave enough wiring to be able to remove the bezel assembly enough for access (typically about 10–12”).
4. Insert switch plate into the AEV enclosure top and secure using the six #4 phillips head screws (fig.6). **NOTE:** these screws are very small and very easy to strip the threads. Tighten only until barely snug, **DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN.**
5. Place switch and bezel assembly onto the base. Make sure it is nested correctly on the base and secure with three #10 phillips head screws (fig. 7).

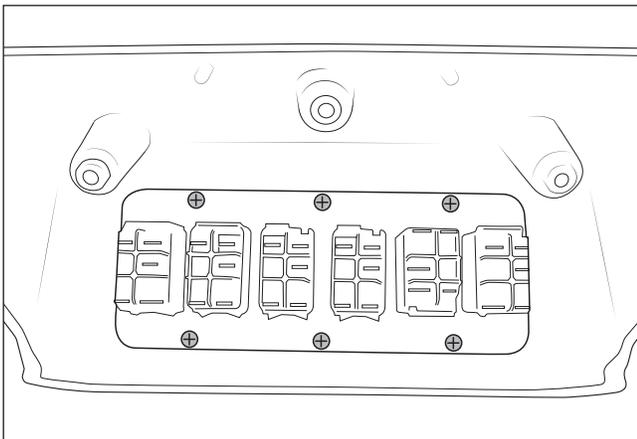


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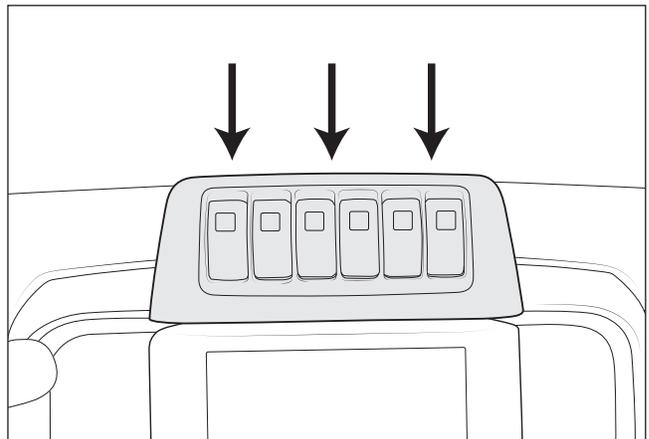


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