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BX3610 Installation Instructions 2002 Subaru Legacy "L" Wagon

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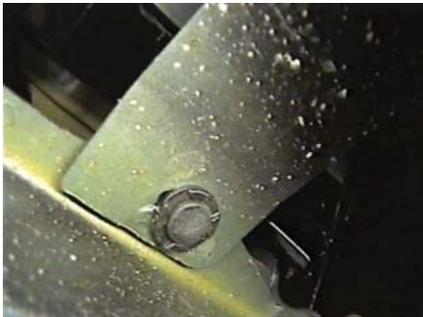
The front fascia and tie down brackets are removed for baseplate installation. Tie down brackets will not be reinstalled. No holes to drill. The BX8869 is available for the vehicle. Attachment Tabs are 24 inches center to center and a height of 15 inches.



1. Remove the five push pins from the top side of fascia.



2. Just forward of front tire, on lower fascia corner, remove the two push pins, both sides.



3. Remove three push pins from the under side of fascia and cross member.



4. Using the 10MM socket, remove the metric bolt inside wheel well on upper fascia corner, both sides. Pull fascia forward and set aside.



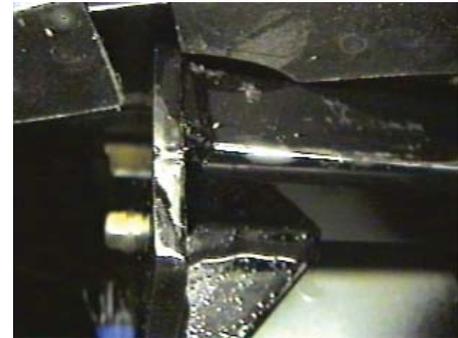
5. Using the 14MM socket, remove three metric bolts from driver's side tie down bracket. Tie down brackets will not be reinstalled. Metric bolts will be used later to install baseplate.



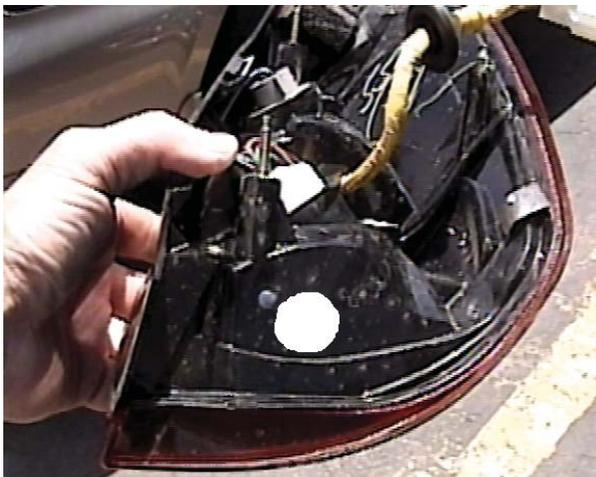
6. Remove passenger's side tie down bracket with the 14MM socket.



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7. Hold baseplate to align with tie down bracket mounting position and fasten with existing metric bolts, both sides. **Be sure and use loctite on all bolts before tightening.**
8. Hold fascia in place and mark areas that need to be trimmed on passenger's side, trim accordingly and reinstall fascia.
9. The dimensional variations between otherwise identical cars can be considerable. While the location and size of the holes in the baseplate were designed to allow for easy installation, it may be necessary to file a hole slightly to allow a bolt to clear.
10. Install the tow bar and safety cables according to the instructions included in their packages.
11. Do **not** substitute other devices if the tow bar pin and clip are lost.
12. **DEALER OR INSTALLER: BE CERTAIN THE USER RECEIVES THE INSTRUCTION SHEET.**



**Location for the BX8869,
view of driver's
side bottom taillight
assembly.**



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Tools Required

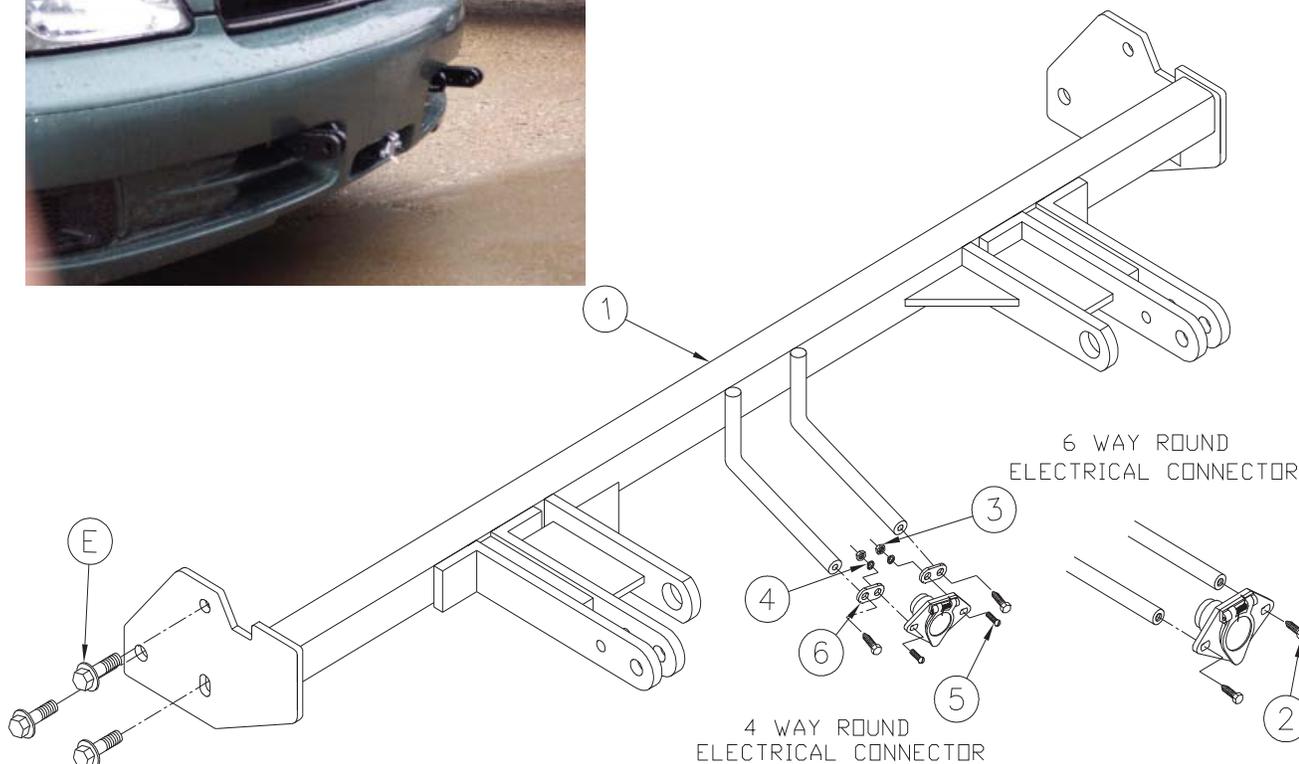
10MM Socket

Loctite Blue

14MM Socket

Parts List

Ref. No.	Qty.	Part No.	Description
1	1	61-5784	Weldment, Base Plate, BX3610
2	2	201-0553	1/4-20 x 1/2 Hx. Wshd, Type F Screw
3	2	201-0192	#10-32 x 1/2 Slot, Rd. Hd. Screw
4	2	203-0054	#10 Lock Washer
5	2	202-0047	#10-32 Hex Nut
6	2	101-5822	Adapter, 4 Way Connector
E	6		Existing Tie Down Bracket Metric Bolts
	2	226-0046	Baseplate Safety Cable, 36" CL III (Not Shown)
	4	229-0359	Quicklink, 3/8, ZP (Not Shown)



IMPORTANT: Use only genuine factory replacement parts on your Base Plate. Do not substitute homemade or nontypical parts. If a bolt is lost or in need of replacement, for your safety and the preservation of your Base Plate, be sure to use a replacement bolt of the same grade (Usually Grade 5, refer to parts list). Repair parts may be ordered through your nearest **Blue Ox** dealer or distributor.