

Kia and Hyundai Issue Park Outside Orders for Select Sportage, K900 and Santa Fe Vehicles

Automakers identified a risk of fire even if vehicle is turned off

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Kia Motors America and Hyundai Motor America recommend that owners of select model year 2014-2016 Kia Sportage, 2016-2018 Kia K900 and 2016-2018 Hyundai Santa Fe vehicles park their vehicle outdoors and away from other vehicles or structures due to a risk of fire, even if the vehicle is turned off.

Kia and Hyundai have identified an increasing risk of an engine compartment fire. Although the cause remains unknown, the manufacturers believe an electrical component in the anti-lock brake system may experience an internal electrical short circuit that could increase the risk of fire both while the vehicle is being driven or parked.

The Kia recall notice is available [here](#), and the Hyundai recall notice is available [here](#).

Kia and Hyundai will notify owners by mail with instructions to bring their vehicles to a Kia or Hyundai dealer for a free repair. Dealers will install a fuse designed to mitigate the risk of fire.

Vehicle owners can visit [NHTSA.gov/Recalls](https://www.nhtsa.gov/recalls) or call NHTSA's Vehicle Safety Hotline at [888-327-4236](tel:888-327-4236) and enter their 17-digit vehicle identification number to see if their vehicle is under recall. If it is, the owner should park their vehicle outdoors until the recall repair is completed. Owners may also contact Kia customer service at (800) 333-4542.

NHTSA encourages everyone to download its [SaferCar App](#) to stay informed on current recalls.

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