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Ford Flex

Ford Flex 2012 Owner's Manual

Your comprehensive guide to operating and maintaining your vehicle.

Introduction

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your 2012 Ford Flex. It covers various aspects of your vehicle, including controls, features, maintenance, and safety guidelines. Please read this manual thoroughly to familiarize yourself with your vehicle's capabilities and to ensure a safe driving experience.



Image: The front cover of the 2012 Ford Flex Owner's Guide, featuring the vehicle name and model year.

Setup and Initial Familiarization

Before operating your Ford Flex, it is recommended to familiarize yourself with the vehicle's primary controls and features. This includes adjusting seats, mirrors, and understanding the dashboard layout.

Vehicle Overview

- **Seating Position:** Adjust the driver's seat for optimal comfort and control. Ensure you can comfortably reach the pedals and have a clear view of the road.
- **Mirror Adjustment:** Properly adjust the rearview and side mirrors to maximize visibility around the vehicle.
- **Dashboard Controls:** Locate and understand the functions of the instrument cluster, climate control, and infotainment system.



Image: The 2012 Ford Flex Owner's Manual and related documents stored in a black zippered case with the Ford logo.

Operating Your Vehicle

This section details the operation of various systems within your Ford Flex, from starting the engine to utilizing advanced features.

Starting and Driving

1. Insert the key into the ignition and turn it to the "ON" position.
2. Ensure the transmission is in "Park" (P) or "Neutral" (N).
3. Press the brake pedal and turn the key to "START" until the engine begins to run.
4. Release the key, and it will return to the "ON" position.

Infotainment System

Your Ford Flex may be equipped with an advanced infotainment system. Refer to the specific section in your physical owner's manual for detailed instructions on navigation, audio, and connectivity features.



Image: The front cover of the 2012 Ford Flex Quick Reference Guide, showing a red Ford Flex vehicle.

Maintenance and Care

Regular maintenance is crucial for the longevity and performance of your Ford Flex. Adhere to the recommended service schedule outlined in your owner's manual.

Routine Checks

- **Engine Oil:** Check oil level regularly and change according to the service schedule.
- **Tire Pressure:** Maintain correct tire pressure for optimal safety and fuel efficiency.
- **Fluid Levels:** Monitor coolant, brake fluid, and windshield washer fluid levels.
- **Lights:** Ensure all exterior and interior lights are functioning correctly.

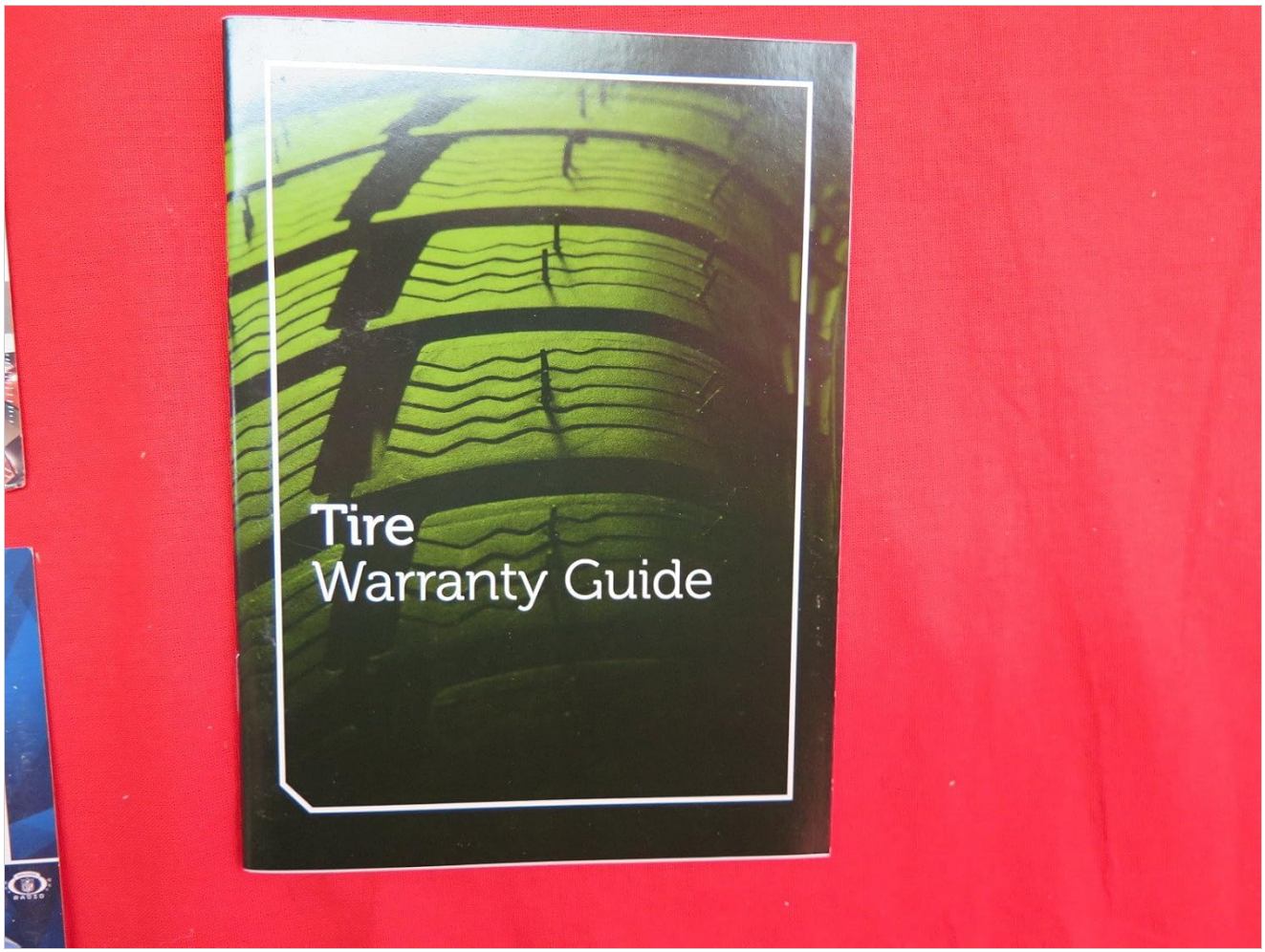


Image: The front cover of the Ford Flex Tire Warranty Guide, featuring a green tire tread pattern.

Troubleshooting Common Issues

This section provides guidance on addressing minor issues that may arise during vehicle operation. For more complex problems, consult a certified Ford service technician.

Engine Not Starting

- Check battery terminals for corrosion or looseness.
- Ensure the fuel tank has sufficient fuel.
- Verify the transmission is in Park (P) or Neutral (N).

Warning Lights

If a warning light illuminates on your dashboard, refer to your owner's manual for its specific meaning and recommended action. Do not ignore warning lights, as they often indicate a potential issue that requires attention.

Specifications

Key specifications for the 2012 Ford Flex are provided below. Note that these may vary slightly based on specific trim levels and optional equipment.

Feature	Detail
ASIN	B008L4E10M

Feature	Detail
Publisher	Ford
Publication Date	1 January 2012
Language	English
Product Weight	485 g
Dimensions	18.29 x 13.21 x 1.14 cm

Warranty Information

Your 2012 Ford Flex comes with a manufacturer's warranty. Details regarding coverage, terms, and conditions are provided in the dedicated Warranty Guide included with your vehicle documentation.
It is important to review this guide to understand your rights and responsibilities regarding warranty claims and scheduled maintenance requirements.

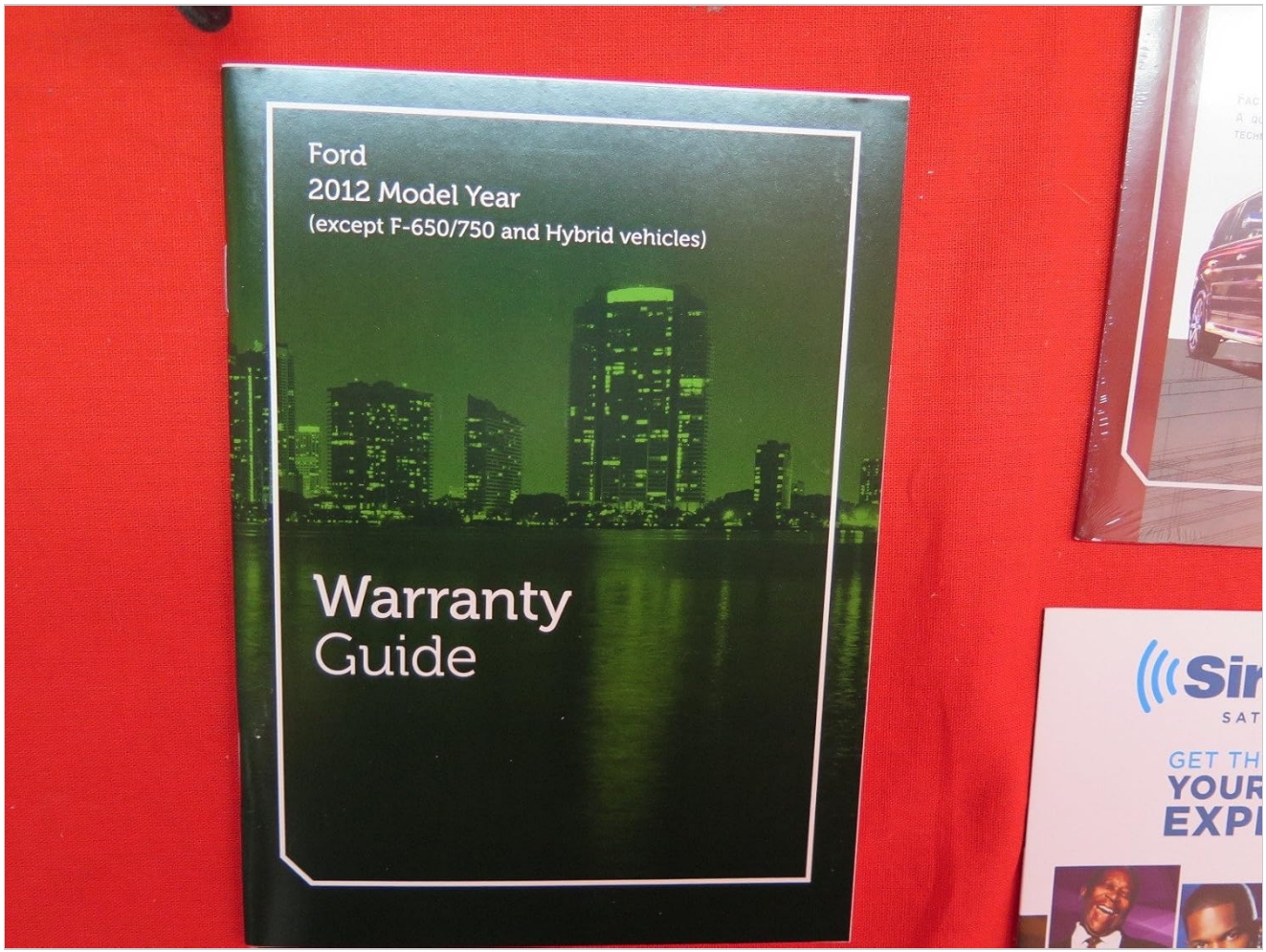


Image: The front cover of the Ford 2012 Model Year Warranty Guide, featuring a city skyline at night.

Customer Support

For further assistance, technical support, or service inquiries regarding your 2012 Ford Flex, please contact Ford Customer Service or visit an authorized Ford dealership.
You can find contact information and dealership locations on the official Ford website or within your vehicle's

documentation.

Online Resources: For additional information, visit the officialFord website.

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