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**HEAT & SOUND  
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SOLUTIONS

## FAQ'S CORVETTE TRANS TUNNEL PLATE HEAT SHIELD KIT

### **Do I need to remove the crossover pipe to install?**

Yes. It is highly recommended to remove the middle cross-over pipe to install the trans plate shield. Not only will it make it easier to get the shield into position, but by removing the pipe, it will allow you to properly clean the metal trans plate for proper adhesion.

### **How clean does the transmission tunnel and plate need to be?**

For long lasting adhesion, the tunnel and plate needs to be free of grease and debris. The adhesive is very aggressive, but all chemicals, grease, oil and residue must be cleaned off before install.

### **Does the kit block noise as well as heat?**

The shield kit is designed to mainly block heat from transferring into the cabin. But having a material on the tunnel will reduce a bit of the noise transfer as well.

### **Are specific models within the year a different part number?**

No. For instance if you have a Z06 version, the transmission tunnel plate and sides will be the same as a base model or FRC model.

### **Will this heat shield kit work with an aftermarket exhaust system?**

Yes. It is highly recommended to install this kit if you are planning to put on an aftermarket exhaust. Often times aftermarket systems have a bit larger diameter pipe making it closer to the transmission tunnel, in turn transferring more heat to the interior. This kit will block that transfer of heat, but will not interfere with the fitment or operation of the exhaust system.

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