

**NOTE:** This kit is not to be used as a replacement seat. It is not safe for passengers to ride on the panel.



1. Remove the rear cargo box from the trunk.
2. From inside behind the front seats, lift up firmly on each side of the Lower Seat Cushion to release the 2 hooks. It takes a great deal of effort to jerk these loose, so don't be afraid to put a little force behind it. You can see where the white locking clips are in the photo.
3. ← Once lifted, you'll see 2 front mounting bolts for the seat assembly. Remove these bolts with a 12 mm socket.



4. In the rear trunk area, remove the 4 mounting bolts for the assembly as shown. The entire seat assembly must be lifted out as one unit, so be careful not to scratch your interior panels! →



5. ← At the rear trunk wall, you will need to unhook the wiring harness holder from the metal tab, and tuck downwards. This prevents interference with the rear seat delete.



6. At the rear upper portion of the interior trim is a removable access panel on each side, where the seats previously connected to. To remove the black metal bar, carefully pry this access panel open, and remove the bolts holding it in place. Reinstall the access panel. →

7. There are two armrests that protrude from the side panels in the rear. These must be temporarily removed in order to install the new panel. Use a small flat screwdriver tip to pry these panels off being careful not to scratch the soft plastic.

#### **Seatbelts:**

1. Unbolt the lower seatbelt connectors (14 mm socket) on each side. →

**NOTE:** It's optional to remove the rear seatbelt mechanisms. We recommend leaving it in, and simply tucking the loose end of the seatbelt down into the side panel through the same hole the seatbelt comes from. You may want to put tape around the metal end to prevent rattles.



#### **Installation of Rear Seat Delete**



1. ← The factory foam container in the trunk floor for the tire repair kit must be modified slightly for clearance. Cut off the 2 "ears" on each side that protrudes beyond the height of the air pump
2. The extra piece of loose carpet included with your kit is used at the back trunk wall to cover the bare metal exposed there when the cargo box is not in use. Tuck the carpet up under the edges of the plastic to cover all exposed metal areas. →



3. NOTE: When moving the rear seat delete panel, be careful not to tear the rear section away from the main section. Although the adhesive is strong, you don't want to separate the material away from the plastic.
4. Carefully place the kit into the car with the rear flap flipped over onto itself as it came out of the shipping box. **Slide in from the side door**, not from the trunk area.
5. Use the 2 plastic push pins to secure the panel to the floor going into 2 factory threaded holes.
6. Position the panels so it makes a flat floor. Reinstall the 2 armrest panels by snapping them into place.
7. You can still use your rear cargo box on top of the rear seat delete if you wish. You just won't be able to securely lock in the side mounting clips.