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Purpose

This document outlines the procedures to replace a heating pad element on recliners that have an access zipper located on the back of the seat cushion.

Safety

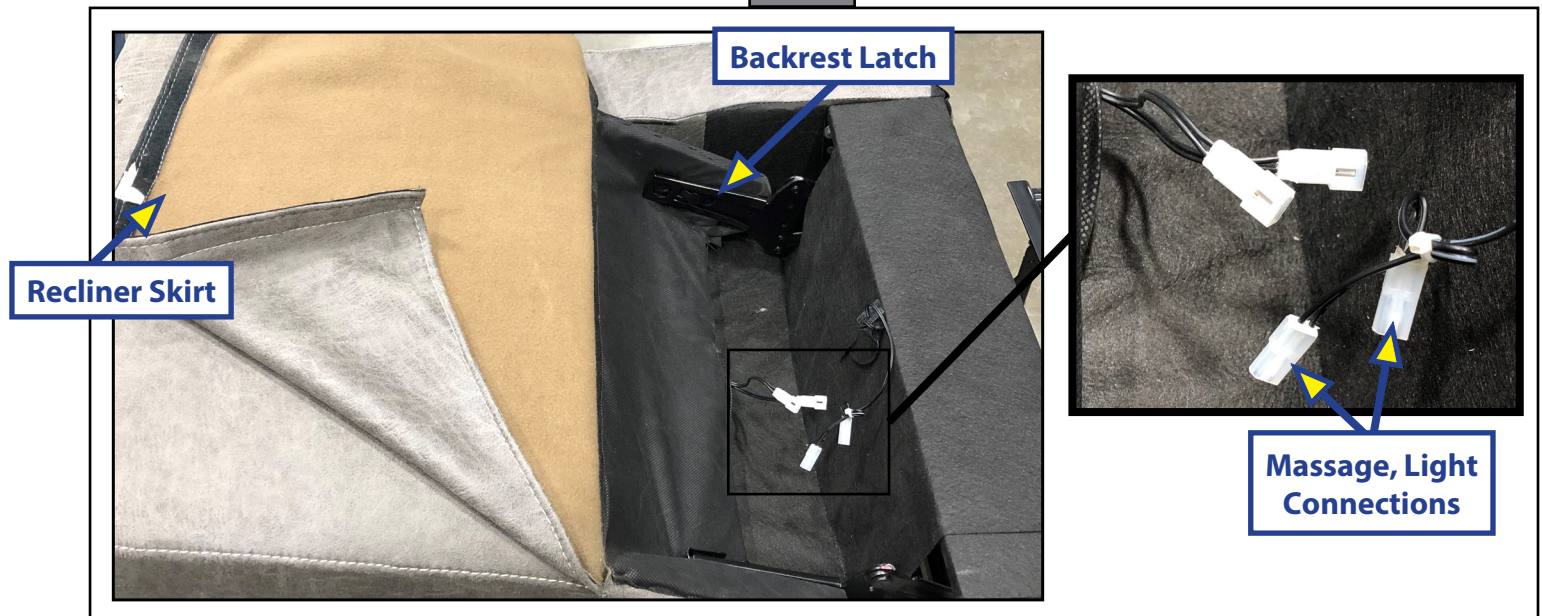
⚠ CAUTION

Moving parts can pinch, crush or cut. Keep clear and use caution.

Procedure

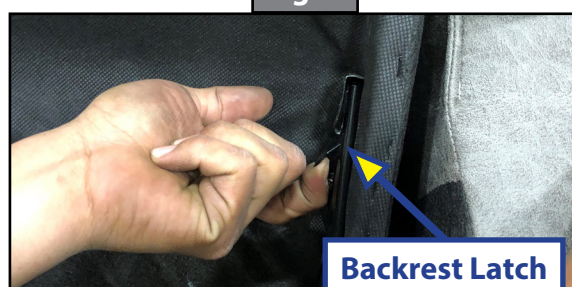
1. Unplug the power connection for the recliner.
2. Place a cloth or other clean, dry material on the floor to protect the front of the recliner.
3. Push recliner onto its front.
4. Flip up the bottom of the recliner's back skirt (Fig. 1).
5. Disconnect the massage and light connections (Fig. 1).

Fig. 1



6. On both sides of the recliner, pull out the metal tabs to unlock the backrest (Fig. 2).
7. Remove backrest and set aside.

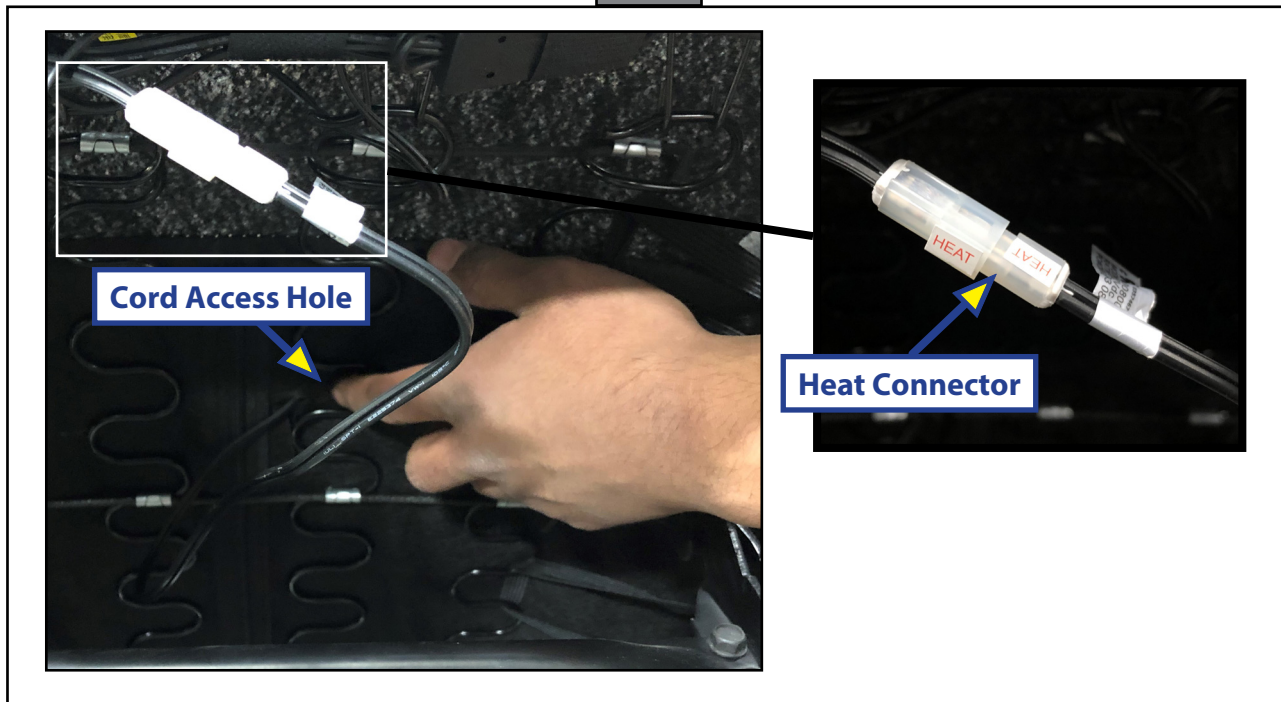
Fig. 2



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8. Locate the heating pad electrical connection routed through the cushion under the recliner and disconnect it. It is labeled HEAT (Fig. 3).

Fig. 3



9. Unzip the zipper on the back section of the cushion (Fig. 4).

Fig. 4



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10. Reach into the cushion between the batting and the foam to locate damaged heating pad (Fig. 5).

NOTE: Make sure hands are dry before placing hands in cushion. The batting will stick to wet hands.

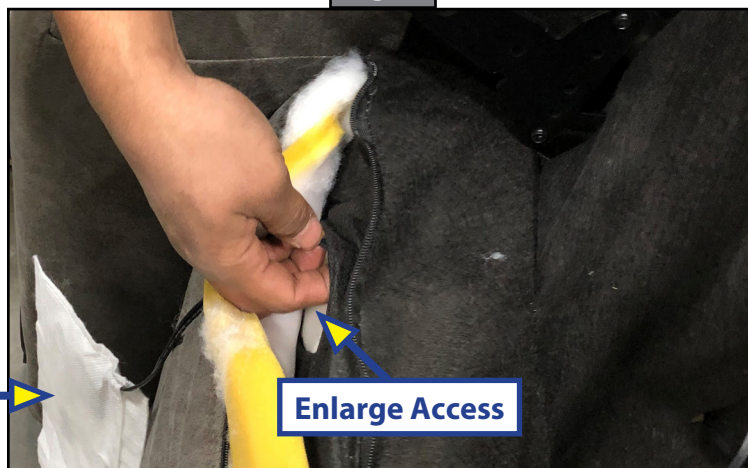
Fig. 5



11. Carefully separate fiber and foam from the heating pad. There may be some glue bonding the pad to the materials.
12. Remove heating pad from cushion.
13. Determine where wire is routed through the foam and the bottom of the cushion.

NOTE: The hole in the material through which the wire is fed may need to be enlarged to make it easier to remove the wire (Fig. 6).

Fig. 6



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14. Feed the connector end of the heating pad through the hole in the underside of the recliner and then pull out the wire (Fig. 7).

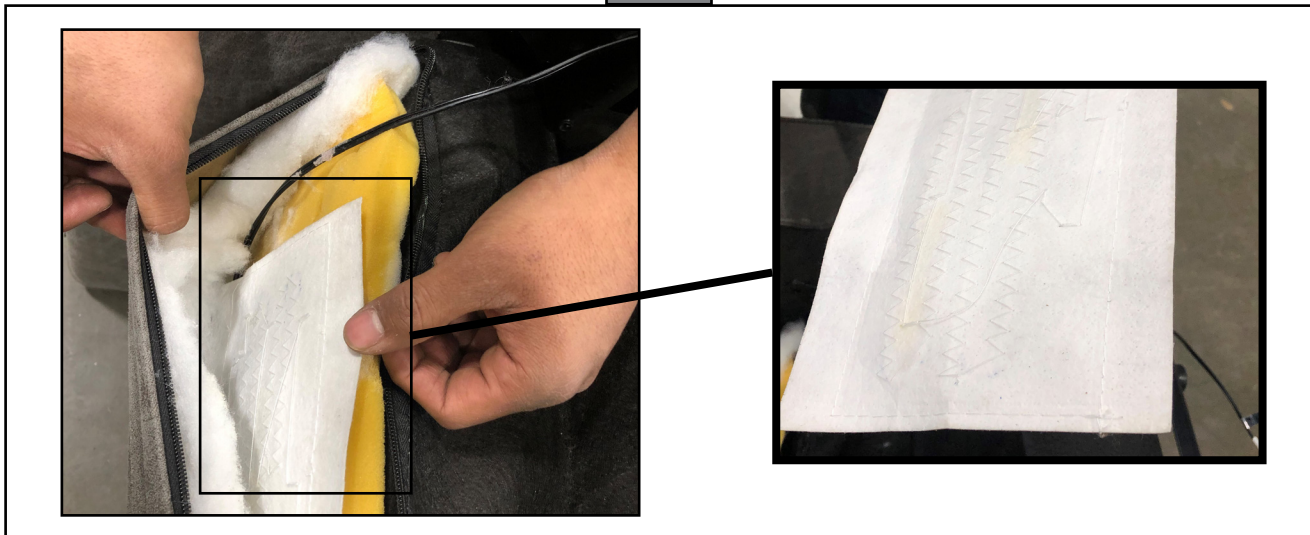
Fig. 7



15. Insert the replacement heating pad into the void left by the original heating pad (Fig. 8).

NOTE: The stitching on the heating pad should face the top of the cushion and the wire should be located on the side closest to the access hole in the fabric.

Fig. 8



16. Feed the connector of the new heating pad through the hole in the foam and then through the bottom of the seat.
17. Stuff batting and foam back into the cushion and zip the cushion shut.
18. Reconnect the heating pad connectors. The ends of the connectors will only allow them to be fitted together one way.
19. Reattach the backrest on the recliner and make sure latches are secure.
20. Reconnect the massage and light connectors.
21. Stand recliner upright and plug in the power connection.

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